





Charles Schwab Cup Championship

Phoenix Country Club | Phoenix, Arizona | November 11-14, 2021

Tournament 3 of 3 in the Charles Schwab Cup Playoffs

Third-Round Notes

Saturday, November 13, 2021

Course Setup: Par 71 / 6,881 yards (R3: 68.200; Cumulative: 68.276) **Weather:** Sunny with highs in the high-80s and winds E/NE at 4-8 mph

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	Player	To Par	Scores	Schwab Cup Standings	
				Start	Projected
1.	Jim Furyk	-16	65-67-65 – 197	2nd	1st
2.	Kirk Triplett	-15	65-64-69 – 198	32nd	23rd
T3.	Stephen Ames	-14	67-67-65 – 199	23rd	20th
T3.	Steven Alker	-14	66-65-68 – 199	22nd	19th
5.	Phil Mickelson	-13	65-67-68 – 200	29th	26th
6.	Scott Parel	-12	67-68-66 – 201	14th	9th

Charles Schwab Cup: With the winner of the Charles Schwab Cup Championship receiving 880,000 points, four players are mathematically capable of winning the Charles Schwab Cup: Bernhard Langer, Jim Furyk, Miguel Angel Jimenez and Ernie Els.

Quick Links:

- Leaderboard
- <u>Final-Round Tee Times</u> (Golf Channel: 2:00-4:30 p.m. MT)
- Charles Schwab Cup: <u>Standings</u> | <u>Scenarios</u>
- PGATOURmedia.com (transcripts and other resources available for download)

Jim Furyk, 65-67-65 - 197 (-16)

Charles Schwab Cup standings – Start: 2nd / Projected: 1st

- Furyk eagled No. 1 and added birdies on Nos. 7, 9, 12 and 15 en route to a bogey-free 6-under 65. He enters the final round with a one-stroke lead over Kirk Triplett.
- Furyk's 197 total is his lowest 54-hole score on PGA TOUR Champions. (Note: This includes 54-hole tournaments and 72-hole tournaments.)
- Furyk has been inside the top 3 after each of his last six rounds on PGA TOUR Champions (T1-T1-T2-T1-T3-1st).
- This is the third time Furyk has led/co-led entering the final round on PGA TOUR Champions. He is 1-for-2 converting those into victories.
 - Led at the 2021 U.S. Senior Open (Won)
 - Co-led at the 2021 TimberTech Championship (Finished T2)
- Furyk will play in the last group of the final round for the sixth time this season. Furyk, who attended the University of Arizona, is 2-for-5 converting those into victories.
 - o Won the 2020 The Ally Challenge
 - Finished T2 at the 2020 TimberTech Championship
 - o Won the 2021 U.S. Senior Open
 - o Finished T2 at the 2021 Boeing Classic
 - Finished T2 at the 2021 TimberTech Championship
- With a win on Sunday, Furyk would become the first player to win both the Charles Schwab Cup and the FedExCup (2010).
 - Furyk can also win the Charles Schwab Cup with a high finish if he gets help from points leader Bernhard Langer. (Link to Charles Schwab Cup Scenarios)
 - Current Projection (with Furyk in 1st and Langer at T9): Furyk would win the Charles Schwab Cup by 414,273 points (4,103,272 – 3,688,999)
- A win on Sunday would be Furyk's fourth victory on PGA TOUR Champions this season, the most of any player. He is currently tied for the most wins (3), with Darren Clarke and Phil Mickelson.
- A win by Furyk on Sunday would be the 19th victory by a rookie this season on PGA TOUR Champions.
- Making his second start at the Charles Schwab Cup Championship, Furyk finished T13 in his debut in 2020 after rounds of 68-68-70.
- Making his 26th start on PGA TOUR Champions, Furyk has three wins (2020 The Ally Challenge, 2020 PURE Insurance Championship, 2021 U.S. Senior Open) among 17 top-10s. A rookie this season, Furyk has seven top-3s and hasn't finished outside of the top 20.

Kirk Triplett, 65-64-69 - 198 (-15)

Charles Schwab Cup standings – Start: 32nd / Projected: 23rd

- Starting the day with a two-stroke lead, Triplett made four birdies and two bogeys en route to 2-under 69. He enters the final round one stroke behind leader Jim Furyk.
- Triplett's 198 total matches his third-lowest 54-hole score on PGA TOUR Champions (210th start).
- Triplett will play in the last group of the final round for the first time this season.
- Making his 10th start at the Charles Schwab Cup Championship, this is Triplett's lowest 54-hole score at the event. (Note: Phoenix Country Club has been the host site since 2017)
 - o Triplett has one top-10 finish at the Charles Schwab Cup Championship (T6/2015).
 - o His best finish in four previous appearances at Phoenix Country Club is T24 (2018).
- A Scottsdale resident, Triplett owns eight victories on PGA TOUR Champions since joining the Tour in 2012. His last win was the 2019 PURE Insurance Championship.
 - o A win on Sunday would break a streak of 777 days without a PGA TOUR Champions victory.
- Making his 35th start of the season, Triplett has five top-10s, including a runner-up finish at the 2021 Mitsubishi Electric Classic. In the first two Charles Schwab Cup Playoffs events, he finished T16-T6.

Bernhard Langer, 68-72-63 - 203 (-10)

Charles Schwab Cup standings – Start: 1st / Projected: 2nd

- After carding 68-72 in the first two rounds, Charles Schwab Cup leader **Bernhard Langer** shot the low round of the day with 8-under 63, including bookend eagles, to move from 31st to T9 on the leaderboard.
- This is the second time Langer has shot his age or better (64/R1/2021 The Ally Challenge) and is his lowest 18-hole score of the season.
- The World Golf Hall of Fame member has two wins (2020 Cologuard Classic, 2021 Dominion Energy Charity Classic) and 24 top-10s through 38 starts and is seeking his sixth Charles Schwab Cup.
- With his victory at last month's Dominion Energy Charity Classic, Langer became the oldest winner in Tour history at 64 years, 1 month, 27 days, passing **Scott Hoch** (63 years, 5 months, 4 days), who won the 2019 Bass Pro Shops Legends of Golf at Big Cedar Lodge with partner **Tom Pernice Jr.**
- The win at the Dominion Energy Charity Classic was his 42nd on PGA TOUR Champions, the second-most all-time behind **Hale Irwin** (45).
- Langer has spent 21 weeks atop the Charles Schwab Cup standings during the 2020-21 season.

Other Notes

- **Steven Alker** sits T3 after shooting 3-under 68. Alker's 14-under 199 total matches his lowest 54-hole score on PGA TOUR Champions (2021 TimberTech Championship).
- Stephen Ames carded 6-under 65, including an eagle on the par-5 seventh hole, and sits T3 at 14-under 199.
- Looking to become the second player in PGA TOUR Champions history to win four of his first six starts, **Phil Mickelson** posted 3-under 68 and sits in 5th at 13-under 200.
- Miguel Angel Jimenez, who entered the week No. 3 in the Charles Schwab Cup standings, sits T17 after shooting 2-under 69.
- Ernie Els, who entered the week No. 4 in the Charles Schwab Cup standings, shot 4-under 67 and sits T27.