



**2021 Butterfield Bermuda Championship**  
*(6<sup>th</sup> of 47 events in the 2021-22 PGA TOUR Season)*

Southampton, Bermuda  
 Port Royal Golf Course

October 28-31, 2021  
 Par/Yards: 36-35—71/6,828

Purse: \$6,500,000

**Second-Round Notes – Friday, October 29, 2021**

**Weather:** Partly cloudy. High of 78. Wind WNW 10-15 mph, gusting to 20 mph. Play was suspended due to darkness at 6:34 p.m. on Thursday with 13 players yet to complete their round. The first round resumed at 8:15 a.m. Friday and was completed at 9:12 a.m. The second round began as scheduled at 7:35 a.m.

**Cut:** 74 professionals and one amateur at even-par 142 from a field of 124 professionals and two amateurs

**Second-Round Leaderboard**

Taylor Pendrith	70-61—131 (-11)
Patrick Rodgers	68-64—132 (-10)
Vincent Whaley	66-67—133 (-9)
Danny Lee	67-67—134 (-8)
David Skinnis	67-67—134 (-8)

**Things to Know**

- At 10-under 61, Taylor Pendrith sets 18-hole Butterfield Bermuda Championship scoring record
- Pendrith holds his first career lead/co-lead after any round on the PGA TOUR
- Patrick Rodgers cards a second-round 64, marking his best round since the 2019 Wyndham Championship
- Danny Lee and David Skinnis turn in back-to-back rounds of 4-under 67 and sit T3
- Defending champion Brian Gay makes the cut on the number with scores of 75-67

**Second-Round Lead Notes**

- 0 Second-round leader/co-leader to win the Butterfield Bermuda Championship
- 2 Second-round leader/co-leaders to win in 2021-22 (Sungjae Im/Shriners Children’s Open, Hideki Matsuyama/ZOZO CHAMPIONSHIP)

**Leader (Entering the week)**

Statistic	Taylor Pendrith
Age	30 (May 30, 1991)
OWGR	239
FedExCup	98
Career PGA TOUR starts	12
Career PGA TOUR wins	0
Career PGA TOUR top-10s	0
Starts at Butterfield Bermuda Championship	0
Wins at Butterfield Bermuda Championship	0
Top-10s at Butterfield Championship	0

**Taylor Pendrith (1st/-11)**

- Set the best score in Butterfield Bermuda Championship history with a career-low 10-under 61 in tournament debut (previous: 62/Brendon Todd/R4/2019, 62/Scottie Scheffler/R1/2019)
- Equals season's lowest 18-hole score (most recent: 61/Robert Streb/R1/THE CJ CUP @SUMMIT, Emiliano Grillo/R4/ THE CJ CUP @SUMMIT)
- 30-year-old holds his first career lead/co-lead after any round on the PGA TOUR
- His previous-low score on TOUR was 65 (set three times; most recently at the 2021 Shriners Children's Open/R1)
- Second-round 61 included nine birdies, his career-best total in a round
- At 11-under 131, cards 36-hole tournament record (previous: 131/Harry Higgs, Brendon Todd, Scottie Scheffler/2019) and carries a one-stroke lead into the third round
- Posts a career-best two eagles this week, both on the Par-5 17th
- Best finish in 12 PGA TOUR starts is T11 at the 2021 Barbasol Championship
- Canada native is a two-time Mackenzie Tour-PGA TOUR Canada winner
- Finished the 2020-21 combined season No. 7 in the Korn Ferry Tour points; recorded four runner-up finishes and 21 top-25s across 37 starts

#### Patrick Rodgers (2nd/-10)

- Cards a second-round 64, marking his best round since the 2019 Wyndham Championship (63/R1)
- Began this season with a T6 at the Fortinet Championship and followed with a missed cut at Sanderson Farms Championship
- Making third consecutive start at the Butterfield Bermuda Championship (2019/MC, 2020/T59)
- Seeking first PGA TOUR victory in his 194th start; owns three runner-up finishes (most recent: 2018 The RSM Classic)
- Finished last season at No. 128 in the FedExCup standings, failing to qualify for the FedExCup Playoffs for the first time in his sixth season as a TOUR member

#### Additional Notes

- **Vincent Whaley** (3rd/-9) seeks third top-10 on TOUR (T9/2021 Barracuda Championship, T9/2020 Puerto Rico Open); missed the cut with 70-76 in 2020 at his only previous start in this event
- **Danny Lee** (T4/-8) advances to the weekend for the first time in five starts (previous made cut: 2021 Palmetto Championship/T19); playing on a Minor Medical Extension with three tournaments remaining (including this week) to earn 289 FedExCup points (solo 2<sup>nd</sup>) to regain full PGA TOUR status, or 135 points (solo 4<sup>th</sup>) to play out of the 126-150 category for the remainder of the season
- PGA TOUR rookie **David Skinnis** (T4/-8) turns in back-to-back rounds of 4-under 67
- Monday qualifier **Patrick Flavin** (T6/-7) advances to the weekend in second PGA TOUR start (MC/2020 Waste Management Phoenix Open); posted two top-10s in 13 starts on 2020-21 Korn Ferry Tour season (T5/2021 Evans Scholars Invitational, T10/2021 Wichita Open)
- Past major champions **Patrick Reed** and **Graeme McDowell** sit T17 at 5-under 137 in their tournament debuts
- **Jim Knous** (T63) followed a 5-over 76 in round one with a 5-under 66; making his last start on his medical extension and needing a solo 67th or better to retain PGA TOUR status
- Defending champion **Brian Gay** makes the cut on the number with scores of 75-67
- **Callum Tarren** was disqualified for signing an incorrect scorecard
- **Matt Every** withdrew during the second round with a wrist injury

#### Course Statistics

	<b>Toughest Hole</b>	<b>Easiest Hole</b>
<b>R1:</b>	Par-4 15 <sup>th</sup> (4.531)	Par-5 17 <sup>th</sup> (4.469)
<b>R2:</b>	Par 3 16 <sup>th</sup> (3.407)	Par-5 17 <sup>th</sup> (4.260)

#### Scoring Averages

	<b>Front 9</b>	<b>Back 9</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Cumulative</b>
<b>R1:</b>	36.496	36.168	72.664	---
<b>R2:</b>	34.724	34.512	69.236	70.992

#### Bogey-free rounds

**R1 (1):** Chad Ramey (65)

**R2 (9):** Mark Hubbard (63), Max McGreevy (65), Camilo Villegas (65), Luke Donald (66), Alex Smalley (67), Christiaan Bezuidenhout (68), Matthew NeSmith (68), Andrew Novak (68), Olin Browne (69)