



2022 John Deere Classic

(The 37th of 47 events in the PGA TOUR Season)

Silvis, Illinois
TPC Deere Run

June 30 – July 3, 2022
Par/Yards: 35-36—71/7,289

FedExCup Points: 500 (winner)
Purse: \$7,100,000 (\$1,278,000)

Third-Round Notes – Saturday, July 2, 2022

Weather: Partly cloudy. High of 85. Wind SSE 5-10 mph.

Third-Round Leaderboard

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| J.T. Poston | 62-65-67—194 (-19) |
| Scott Stallings | 67-66-64—197 (-16) |
| Emiliano Grillo | 68-64-65—197 (-16) |
| Denny McCarthy | 66-65-66—197 (-16) |
| Callum Tarren | 68-65-65—198 (-15) |

Things to Know

- J.T. Poston in position for second career PGA TOUR title (2019 Wyndham Championship) following fifth consecutive round of 67 or better on the PGA TOUR
- Scott Stallings cards a bogey-free 7-under 64, his 21st consecutive round of par-or-better in the John Deere Classic and sixth consecutive round in the 60s on TOUR
- Emiliano Grillo birdies four of his last five holes in bid for second career TOUR title and first since the 2015 Fortinet Championship
- Coming off eight straight missed cuts, Bo Hoag cards an 8-under 63 in bid to become the 24th player to make the John Deere Classic his first TOUR title
- Making 20th consecutive tournament start, John Deere Classic Board member and 2012 champion Zach Johnson is 8-under 205
- The top three players not otherwise exempt in the top 10 and ties will qualify for the 150th Open Championship at St Andrews

Third-Round Lead Notes

- 10 Third-round leaders/co-leaders at the John Deere Classic to win since moving to TPC in 2000 (most recent: 2018/Michael Kim)
- 14 Third-round leaders/co-leaders to win individual stroke-play events on TOUR this season (most recent: Xander Schauffele/Travelers Championship)

J.T. Poston (1st/-19)

| Category | Entering the week |
|------------------------------|-------------------|
| Age | 29 (June 1, 1993) |
| FedExCup | 66 |
| OWGR | 99 |
| Starts-wins-top-10s (career) | 154-1-13 |
| Starts-wins-top-10s (season) | 23-0-3 |
| Starts-wins-top-10s (JDC) | 4-0-0 |

- Overcame two bogeys with four birdies and an eagle-3 at No. 17 to maintain control of the lead with a 4-under 67
- Hit 17 of 18 greens in regulation, tying career record (most recent of four occasions: 2020 Shriners Children's Open)
- Marks his third 54-hole lead/co-lead of his TOUR career: 2020 Sanderson Farms Championship/3rd, 2021 Barbasol Championship/P2); held the outright lead after the second and third rounds of the 2021 Barbasol Championship before falling to Seamus Power in a six-hole playoff
- Three bogeys since the eighth hole of round three in last week's Travelers Championship (82 holes); round two this week at the par-4 sixth, par-3 12th and par-4 15th in round three
- Leads the field in Strokes Gained: Tee To Green (11.646) and Putts/GIR (80 on 48)
- Making fifth John Deere Classic appearance (2017/T64, 2018/T65, 2019/MC, 2021/MC)

- Each of three top-10 finishes this season have come within the span of his last eight starts: T3/RBC Heritage, T9/Wells Fargo Championship, T2/Travelers Championship
- Lone PGA TOUR win came at the 2019 Wyndham Championship, going bogey-free en route to victory

Additional Notes

- **Scott Stallings** (T2/-16) birdied three of his last four holes to sign for a bogey-free 7-under 64, his 21st consecutive round of par-or-better in the John Deere Classic and sixth consecutive round in the 60s on TOUR; needed just one putt on nine holes in round three, including four of his last five holes; lone top-10 finish in nine starts at TPC Deere Run before this week was T5 in 2017; two of four top-10 finishes this season have come in his last four starts (T4/Charles Schwab Challenge, T8/Travelers Championship); after opening with a 4-over 74 at last week's Travelers Championship, followed with scores of 64-68-63; is 31-under par in his last six rounds; most recent of three TOUR titles: 2014 Farmers Insurance Open
- Making his first start in the John Deere Classic, **Emiliano Grillo** (T2/-16) birdied four of his last five holes, good for a 6-under 65, in bid to become the first first-time participant to win the event since Dylan Frittelli (2019); seeks a second career TOUR title and first since the 2015 Fortinet Championship
- Coming off eight consecutive missed cuts, **Bo Hoag** (T6/-14) started his round in 4-under through four (B-E-P-B) en route to an 8-under 63; in relation to par, the score matches his career low from two previous occasions (most recent: R1/2020 Fortinet Championship); with a win, would become the 24th player to make the John Deere Classic his first TOUR title
- Making his 20th consecutive start in the John Deere Classic, 2012 champion and John Deere Classic Board member **Zach Johnson** sits T36 at 8-under 205