



**2022 Sony Open in Hawaii**  
**(11<sup>th</sup> of 47 events in the 2021-22 PGA TOUR Season)**

**Honolulu, Hawaii**  
**Waialae Country Club**

**January 13-16, 2022**  
**Par/Yards: 35-35—70/7,044**

**Purse: \$7,500,000 (\$1,350,000)**  
**FedExCup Points: 500 (winner)**

**Second-Round Notes – Friday, January 14, 2022**

*Weather: Partly cloudy. High of 80. Wind SSW 5-10 mph.*

*36-hole cut: 64 professionals and one amateur at 5-under 135 from a field of 142 professionals and two amateurs.*

**Second-Round Leaderboard**

Russell Henley	62-63—125 (-15)
Haotong Li	63-65—128 (-12)
Matt Kuchar	64-65—129 (-11)
Michael Thompson	63-67—130 (-10)

**Things to Know**

- With a personal-best opening 36-hole score (125), 2013 Sony Open in Hawaii champion Russell Henley posts the lowest opening 36-hole score on TOUR since Justin Thomas opened with 123 en route to winning the 2017 Sony Open
- Henley records his fifth round of 63 or better at the Sony Open, tied with Matt Kuchar for most since 1983
- This week equals the lowest cut in Sony Open history (5-under/1998)
- World No. 1 amateur Keita Nakajima becomes the first amateur to make the cut at the Sony Open since 2015
- Two players are bogey-free through 36 holes: 2019 Sony Open champion Matt Kuchar and Corey Connors
- Charles Howell III makes the cut for the 21<sup>st</sup> time in as many attempts at the Sony Open in Hawaii
- Defending champion and first-round leader Kevin Na falls to T16 following a 1-over 71
- Sentry Tournament of Champions winner Cameron Smith misses the cut

**Second-Round Lead Notes**

- 7 Second-round leaders/co-leaders to win the Sony Open in Hawaii since 2000 (most recent: Matt Kuchar/2019)
- 4 Second-round leaders/co-leaders to win on TOUR in 2021-22 (most recent: Cameron Smith/Sentry Tournament of Champions)

**Russell Henley (1<sup>st</sup>/-15)**

Category	Entering the week
Age	32 (4/12/1989)
FedExCup	42
OWGR	56
Starts – wins – top-10s in PGA TOUR career	229-3-33
Starts – wins – top-10s on TOUR in 2021-22	5-0-1
Starts – wins – top-10s at Sony Open	9-1-1

- Making his 10<sup>th</sup> start in the Sony Open in Hawaii, Friday's 63 is his fifth round of 63 or better at Waialae Country Club (tied with Matt Kuchar for most since 1983); posted three rounds of 63 en route to his maiden PGA TOUR title at the 2013 Sony Open in Hawaii, his first start as a member of the PGA TOUR
- Cards the lowest opening 36-hole score on TOUR since Justin Thomas opened 123 before winning the 2017 Sony Open
- 125 represents his personal-best opening 36-hole score; shot 126 through the opening two rounds twice (2013 Sony Open/won; 2021 Wyndham Championship/T7)
- Leads the field in Strokes Gained: Tee to Green (6.610)
- Holds the second-round lead/co-lead for the seventh time on TOUR (1-for-6 to date; 2013 Sony Open)
- Three-time winner seeks first win since the 2017 Houston Open

**Miscellaneous Notes**

- Sponsor Exemption **Haotong Li** (2<sup>nd</sup>) opens 63-65—128 for his low-opening 36-hole score on TOUR (132/2020 PGA Championship); making first TOUR start since the 2021 Open Championship (MC); missed cut in only previous Sony Open start (2016)

- 2019 Sony Open in Hawaii champion **Matt Kuchar** (3<sup>rd</sup>) trails by four following rounds of 64-65; has opened 129 or better a TOUR-leading nine times (since 1980), one ahead of Tiger Woods' eight
- World No. 1 amateur **Keita Nakajima** (T5) becomes the first amateur to make the cut at the Sony Open since Kyle Suppa in 2015 (T76); the last amateur winner on TOUR was Phil Mickelson (1991 Northern Telecom Open); making his second start on TOUR (T28/2021 ZOZO CHAMPIONSHIP)
- **Stewart Cink** (T5) birdies five of his last six holes for a 63, his 30<sup>th</sup> consecutive par-or-better score at the Sony Open; his second-round scores in his last four starts at Waialae Country Club (63/2022, 63/2021, 62/2019, 64/2018)
- Round-by-round comparison of statistical categories for first-round leader **Kevin Na** (T16);

Statistic	R1	R2
Strokes Gained: Tee to Green	6.368 (1 <sup>st</sup> )	-0.967 (100 <sup>th</sup> )
Driving Accuracy	14 of 14 (1 <sup>st</sup> )	4 of 14 (T138)
Proximity to the Hole	18'10" (1 <sup>st</sup> )	33' 11" (T83)
Sand Saves	3 of 3 (T1)	1 of 2 (T57)
Scrambling	3 of 3 (T1)	4 of 7 (T83)
Strokes Gained: Approach the Green	4.198 (2 <sup>nd</sup> )	0.920 (43 <sup>rd</sup> )
Strokes Gained: Off the Tee	1.662 (3 <sup>rd</sup> )	-1.473 (130 <sup>th</sup> )

- Sentry Tournament of Champions winner and 2020 Sony Open champion **Cameron Smith** misses the cut (67-71)
- **Sungjae Im**'s streak of 14 straight made cuts comes to an end following rounds of 71-67; last missed cut came at the Memorial Tournament presented by Workday; Jordan Spieth holds the longest active made cuts streak on TOUR (20)