



**2021 RSM Classic**

*(9<sup>th</sup> of 47 events in the 2021-22 PGA TOUR Season)*

Sea Island, Georgia  
Sea Island Resort (Seaside)  
Sea Island Resort (Plantation)

November 18-21, 2021  
Par/Yards: 35-35—70/7,005  
Par/Yards: 36-36—72/7,060

FedExCup points: 500 (winner)  
Purse: \$7.2 million (\$1,296,000 winner)

**Second-Round Notes – Friday, November 19, 2021**

*Weather: Partly cloudy and windy. High of 67. Wind NE 15-20 mph, with gusts to 30 mph.*

*36-hole cut: 71 professionals at 4-under 138 from a field of 155 professionals and one amateur.*

**Second-Round Leaderboard**

Talor Gooch	PL-SS	64-65—129 (-13)
John Huh	SS-PL	63-67—130 (-12)
Sebastian Munoz	SS-PL	60-70—130 (-12)
Taylor Moore	PL-SS	66-65—131 (-11)
Mackenzie Hughes	PL-SS	63-68—131 (-11)

**Things to Know**

- Talor Gooch holds the outright 36-hole lead for the first time on the PGA TOUR (one prior co-lead)
- Gooch records his career-low 36-hole score on TOUR (129)
- Gooch’s second-round 65 was his seventh score of 65 or better this season, the most on the PGA TOUR
- Tournament host Davis Love III makes the cut for the 571<sup>st</sup> time on the PGA TOUR, fifth-most of any player
- Each of the last five winners of The RSM Classic held the outright lead after the second round

**Second-Round Lead Notes**

- 6 Second-round leaders/co-leaders to win The RSM Classic, including each of the last five
- 2 Second-round leaders/co-leaders to win on TOUR in 2021-22 (most recent: Hideki Matsuyama, ZOZO CHAMPIONSHIP)

**Talor Gooch (1<sup>st</sup>/-13) – PL-SS**

Category	Entering the week
Age	30 (November 14, 1991)
FedExCup	14
OWGR	52
Starts – wins – top-10s in PGA TOUR career	103-0-9
Starts – wins – top-10s on TOUR in 2021-22	5-0-2
Starts – wins – top-10s at The RSM Classic	4-0-0

- Seventh score of 65 or better this season, the most on the PGA TOUR (second-most: 5, Matthew Wolff)
- Career-low 36-hole score (129); previous: 130, twice (2018 Sony Open in Hawaii, 2020 Wyndham Championship)
- First outright 36-hole lead on TOUR; held a share of the second-round lead at the 2020 Wyndham Championship (T25)
- Made a 66-foot, 5-inch eagle putt on No. 7 (Seaside), the longest made putt of his PGA TOUR career
- Three missed cuts in four prior starts at The RSM Classic (T23/2019)
- Career-best result on the PGA TOUR: T3, 2019 Farmers Insurance Open

**Miscellaneous Notes**

- PGA TOUR rookie Taylor Moore (T4) made a hole-in-one at the par-3 17<sup>th</sup> (Seaside), the first ace of his PGA TOUR career
- Since the start of the 2017-18 season, Sea Island resident Zach Johnson has seven top-10s on the PGA TOUR, and three have come at The RSM Classic (T8/2017, T7/2018, T6/2020)
- Tournament host Davis Love III makes the cut for the 571<sup>st</sup> time on the PGA TOUR, fifth-most of any player (fourth: 574, Arnold Palmer)
- Louis Oosthuizen withdrew prior to the round due to a lower back injury