

The Ally Challenge

Second-Round Notes

Saturday, August 27, 2022

Warwick Hills Golf & Country Club | Grand Blanc, Michigan

19th of 27 PGA TOUR Champions events in the 2022 Season



Media Contacts:

Connor Stange, connorstange@pgatourhq.com, 402-560-3758

Doug Milne, dougmilne@pgatourhq.com, 904-614-0657

- **Course Setup:** Par 72 / 7,119 yards
- **Round 2 Scoring Average:** 71.179
- **Cumulative Scoring Average:** 70.910
- **Weather:** Sunny with temps in the high-70s
- [Leaderboard](#)
- [Final-Round Tee Times](#)
- PGATOURMedia.com

	Player	To Par	Scores
1	Scott Dunlap	-11	70-63 – 133
T2	Steve Stricker	-10	70-64 – 134
T2	Padraig Harrington	-10	68-66 – 134
T2	Brett Quigley	-10	66-68 – 134
T5	Duffy Waldorf	-9	69-66 – 135
T5	Ernie Els	-9	68-67 – 135
T5	Stephen Ames	-9	66-69 – 135

Things to Know

- **Scott Dunlap** birdied five of his last six holes to shoot 9-under 63 and match the low round in Ally Challenge history. He holds a one-stroke lead over **Steve Stricker**, **Padraig Harrington** and **Brett Quigley** entering the final round.

Scott Dunlap, 70-63 – 133 (-11)

- Matched his low 18-hole score on PGA TOUR Champions (538th round)
 - Four previous times (most recent: 2017 3M Championship/Round 2)
- Matched the low round in Ally Challenge history (Scott McCarron, Round 2, 2018)
- This is his third time leading/co-leading entering the final round on PGA TOUR Champions
 - Is 1-for-2 converting those into victories
- 59-year-old seeks his second win on PGA TOUR Champions (171st start)
 - Won the 2014 Boeing Classic
- With a win on Sunday, he would snap a winless streak of 8 years and 4 days (or 2,926 days), dating back to the 2014 Boeing Classic
- Is playing in the last group of the final round for the first time this season
- Making his fourth start at The Ally Challenge, his best finish is T24 (2018)
- Making his 16th start of the season, his best finish is T14 (Mitsubishi Electric Classic)

Steve Stricker, 70-64 – 134 (-10)

- With a win on Sunday, he would become the fifth multiple-time winner this season on PGA TOUR Champions, joining Steven Alker (3), Miguel Angel Jimenez (3), Jerry Kelly (3) and Padraig Harrington (2)
- Is playing in the last group of the final round for the fourth time this season
 - Is 1-for-3 converting those into victories
- 55-year-old seeks his ninth win on PGA TOUR Champions (44th start)

- Would be his fourth consecutive multi-win season
- Making his ninth start of the season, he has six top-10s, including one win and three runner-up finishes
- Is making his debut at The Ally Challenge

Padraig Harrington, 68-66 – 134 (-10)

- With a win on Sunday, he would be the first player since Bernhard Langer in 2017 (Dominion Energy Charity Classic and PowerShares QQQ Championship) to win back-to-back tournaments on PGA TOUR Champions
 - Won the DICK'S Sporting Goods Open last week
- A win on Sunday would be his third victory of the season, matching Steven Alker, Miguel Angel Jimenez and Jerry Kelly for the most by any player on PGA TOUR Champions in 2022
- In his last five rounds on PGA TOUR Champions, his position on the leaderboard: T4-2nd-1st-T6-T2
- Is playing in the last group of the final round for the third time this season
 - Is 2-for-2 converting those into victories
- 50-year-old seeks his third win on PGA TOUR Champions (14th start)
- Charles Schwab No. 2 has two wins and four runner-up finishes in 10 starts this season

Brett Quigley, 66-68 – 134 (-10)

- 53-year-old seeks his second win on PGA TOUR Champions (54th start)
 - Won the 2020 Morocco Champions
- Making his 17th start of the season, he has three top-10s
 - Best finish of 2022: 5th (Principal Charity Classic)
- Making his third start at The Ally Challenge, his best finish is T2 (2020)

Other Notes

- World Golf Hall of Fame member **Ernie Els**, **Stephen Ames** and **Duffy Waldorf** are T5 at 9-under.
- Five players are T8 at 8-under, including Charles Schwab Cup leader **Steven Alker** and defending champion **Joe Durant**.
- First-round leader **Fred Funk** carded 3-over 75 and sits T26 at 4-under.
- **Brian Gay** made a hole-in-one on No. 11 with a 6-iron from 180 yards.