



2023 Charles Schwab Challenge

(32nd of 44 events in the 2022-23 PGA TOUR Regular Season)

**Fort Worth, Texas
Colonial Country Club**

**May 25-28, 2023
Par/Yards: 35-35—70/7,209**

**FedExCup Points: 500
Purse: \$8,700,000**

Second-Round Notes – Friday, May 26, 2023

Weather: Partly cloudy. High of 86. Wind ESE 7-15 mph.

36-hole cut: 72 professionals at 1-over 141 from a field of 120 professionals

Second-Round Leaderboard

Harry Hall	62-66—128 (-12)
Harris English	65-66—131 (-9)
Emiliano Grillo	67-65—132 (-8)
Adam Schenk	66-67—133 (-7)
Robby Shelton	66-67—133 (-7)
Byeong Hun An	67-66—133 (-7)

Things to Know

- PGA TOUR rookie Harry Hall seeks his first win in his 26th start on TOUR
- Harris English aces hole No. 8, his third hole-in-one on TOUR, and the first ace at the 8th hole since 2011
- Emiliano Grillo seeks his second PGA TOUR title, almost eight years after winning his first
- World No. 1 Scottie Scheffler (T7) has finished T12 or better in each of his last 13 starts on TOUR
- Defending champion Sam Burns sits T19 at 3-under in bid to join Ben Hogan as players to successfully defend the tournament’s title
- Jordan Spieth misses the cut for the first time in 11 appearances at this event after posting back-to-back over-par rounds for the first time at Colonial Country Club (42 rounds)
- Sponsor Exemption Michael Block follows first-round 81 with 4-over 74 to miss the cut
- Among players missing the cut by a stroke were PGA TOUR winners Cam Davis, Tony Finau, Sungjae Im, Adam Long, Ryan Palmer and Nate Lashley

Second-Round Lead Notes

- 11 Second-round leaders/co-leaders to win the Charles Schwab Challenge since 1990 (most recent: Justin Rose/2018)
- 9 Second-round leaders/co-leaders to win individual stroke-play events in the 2022-23 season (most recent: Wyndham Clark/Wells Fargo Championship)

Harry Hall (-12/1st)

Category	Entering the week
Age	25
FedExCup	No. 99
OWGR	No. 197
Starts – wins – top-10s in PGA TOUR career	25-0-3
Starts – wins – top-10s on TOUR in 2022-23	20-0-2
Starts – wins – top-10s at Charles Schwab Challenge	Debut

- Following a career-low, first-round 8-under 62, shoots a 4-under 66, including four consecutive birdies (Nos. 17, 18, 1 and 2), to hold the 36-hole lead at the Charles Schwab Challenge
- Buried his tee shot at the par-3 8th hole (his 17th) in the face of the greenside bunker, then left his second shot in the bunker before holing out for par; made par on his final hole to retain his three-stroke lead

- Marks his second time holding the lead/co-lead after any round on the PGA TOUR; first time was after Thursday's opening-round 62
- 128 is career-best opening 36-hole score of his career (previous best: 11-under 131 at 2021 Shriners Children's Open)
- Only four players have scored lower opening 36-hole totals at this event (David Toms/124/2011, Steve Stricker/126/2009, Bryce Molder/127/2010, Tim Clark/127/2009)
- Joins Justin Rose (2018) as the only players from England to hold the 36-hole lead/co-lead at the Charles Schwab Challenge; Rose went on to win
- The last player to win the Charles Schwab Challenge in debut appearance: Sergio Garcia (2001)
- Best finish in 25 TOUR starts is T7 at the 2023 Puerto Rico Open

Additional Player Notes

- Four-time PGA TOUR winner **Harris English** (2nd/-9) aces the par-3 eighth hole with a 9-iron from 170 yards, his third ace on TOUR and the first ace at the eighth hole since 2011 (Jim Furyk/R4); 131 (-9) marks his best opening 36-hole score in eight starts at this event (previous best: 135/2012, 2018)
- Argentina's **Emiliano Grillo** (3rd/-8) comes home in 5-under 30 en route to 65, one stroke shy of his best round this season (64/R4/ZOZO CHAMPIONSHIP) and one short of his best at Colonial Country Club (shot 64 twice in 2018 to finish third); notches birdies on three of the four par-3 holes; the span between his first (and only) PGA TOUR victory, which occurred in his rookie season at the 2015 Fortinet Championship, and a win on Sunday would be 7 years, 7 months, 10 days
- Starting his round on No. 10, **Adam Schenk** (T4/-7) reached 9-under for the tournament before dropping shots at Nos. 6 and 7 on his inward nine
- **Robby Shelton** (T4/-7) was one of seven players to post a bogey-free round on Friday
- In his fifth appearance at the Charles Schwab Challenge, a 4-under 66 by **Byeong Hun An** (T4/-7) marks his first sub-70 score in any second round of this event; seeks third top-10 of the season after regaining his TOUR card via the Korn Ferry Tour last season
- World No. 1 and 2022 Charles Schwab Challenge runner-up **Scottie Scheffler** (T7/-6) leads in top-10 finishes on TOUR this season (10) and has finished T12 or better in each of his last 13 starts on TOUR
- 2018 Charles Schwab Challenge winner **Justin Rose** (T9/-5) seeks to become the fifth multiple winner on TOUR this season (won AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am)
- **Carson Young** (T9/-5) posts 10 birdies in 36 holes to rank T3 in most birdies (Harry Hall/14, Emiliano Grillo/11); shot 63-62—125 (-16) in Monday's sectional qualifying to advance to the 2023 U.S. Open
- Defending Charles Schwab Challenge champion **Sam Burns** (T19/-3) plays his inward nine in 3-over; Ben Hogan (1946-47, 1952-53) is the only player to win the event in back-to-back years
- **Jordan Spieth** (MC/+4), who has nine top-15 finishes at the event, shoots consecutive over-par rounds at the Charles Schwab Challenge for the first time in his career (42 rounds)
- Coming off a T15 at last week's PGA Championship, PGA of America Professional **Michael Block** (MC/120th) posts 4-over 74, which included back-to-back birdies at No. 18 and No. 1