



2023 RBC Heritage
(26th of 44 events in the 2022-23 PGA TOUR Regular Season)

Hilton Head, South Carolina
Harbour Town Golf Links

April 13-16, 2023
Par/Yards: 36-35—71/7,213

FedExCup points: 500 (winner)
Purse: \$20 million (\$3.6 million)

Second-Round Notes – Friday, April 14, 2023

Weather: Partly cloudy with scattered showers. High of 75. Wind S 10-15 mph.

Cut: 73 professionals at 2-under 140 from a field of 143 professionals

Second-Round Leaderboard

Jimmy Walker	65-65—130 (-12)
Scottie Scheffler	68-65—133 (-9)
Justin Rose	66-67—133 (-9)
Xander Schauffele	67-66—133 (-9)

Things to Know

- Six-time PGA TOUR winner Jimmy Walker, who has one top-10 in his last 98 starts on TOUR, holds the 36-hole lead/co-lead for the ninth time on the PGA TOUR (3-for-8 to date)
- Walker opens with two rounds of 65 or better for the first time in 397 PGA TOUR starts
- The three players currently T2 are making their 100th (Scottie Scheffler), 150th (Xander Schauffele) and 400th (Justin Rose) PGA TOUR start
- Currently T2 in his tournament debut, World No. 2 Scottie Scheffler will move into the top spot in the Official World Golf Ranking with a victory this week regardless of where current No. 1 Jon Rahm finishes
- Coming off a victory at the Masters Tournament, FedExCup leader Jon Rahm's eight-stroke improvement from round one to two is the largest of his TOUR career
- 2022 runner-up Patrick Cantlay (T5) records his third ace on the PGA TOUR and hopes to become the first player to win a tournament one year after losing it in a playoff since 2008
- Defending champion Jordan Spieth (T10) trails by five in bid to successfully defend on TOUR for the first time in 12 tries

Second-Round Lead Notes

- 3 Second-round leaders/co-leaders to win the RBC Heritage since 2010 (most recent: Stewart Cink/2021)
- 7 Second-round leaders/co-leaders to win on TOUR in 2022-23 (most recent: Matt Wallace/Corales Puntacana Championship)

Jimmy Walker (1st/-12)

Category	Entering the week
Age	44 (January 16, 1979)
FedExCup	No. 141
OWGR	No. 406
Starts – wins – top-10s in PGA TOUR career	396-6-46
Starts – wins – top-10s on TOUR in 2022-23	12-0-0
Starts – wins – top-10s at the RBC Heritage	3-0-0

- Holds the second-round lead for the ninth time in his PGA TOUR career; 3-for-8 to date, with his most recent victory after holding the 36-hole lead/co-lead coming at the 2016 PGA Championship
- With rounds of 65-65, opens a PGA TOUR event with two rounds of 65 or better for the first time in 397 starts
- The last two players to open the RBC Heritage with two rounds of 65 or better went on to win: Webb Simpson (2020), Stewart Cink (2021)
- At 12-under 130, equals his second-lowest opening 36-hole score on TOUR (128/2012 Wyndham Championship/T4, 130/2015 AT&T Byron Nelson/T2)
- Competing this season on career money exemption (top 50 in career money)
- Has one top-10 in his last 98 starts on TOUR
- Making his fourth career start at the RBC Heritage (17th/2005, MC/2010, MC/2020)

- Making his 31st start since his last top-10 finish on TOUR (2021 Memorial Tournament presented by Workday/T6)
- PGA TOUR wins (6): 2013 Fortinet Championship, 2014 Sony Open in Hawaii, 2014 AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am, 2015 Sony Open in Hawaii, 2015 Valero Texas Open, 2016 PGA Championship

Scottie Scheffler (T2/-9)

- Making his tournament debut and 100th PGA TOUR start, World No. 2 will move into the top spot in the Official World Golf Ranking with a victory this week regardless of where current No. 1 Jon Rahm finishes
- Has eight top-10s in 11 starts this season, including four as the defending champion in a nine-week stretch, most recently finishing T10 at last week's Masters Tournament

Patrick Cantlay (T5/-8)

- 2022 RBC Heritage runner-up and World No. 4 aces the par-3 seventh hole with a 6-iron from 200 yards
- Marks his third hole-in-on on the PGA TOUR and the third ace at the RBC Heritage in the last six years (all coming at No. 7)
- Last player to make an ace and go on to win the same week: Justin Rose at the 2023 AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am
- Last player to win a tournament one year after losing it in a playoff: Ryuji Imada at the 2008 AT&T Classic
- Has only finished outside the top 10 once in five starts at the RBC Heritage (T3/2017, T7/2018, T3/2019, MC/2021, P2/2022)

Jordan Spieth (T10/-7)

- Defending champion has never successfully defended a title in 11 previous attempts on the PGA TOUR
- Would become the fourth player to successfully defend a title this season (Max Homa, Rory McIlroy, Scheffler)
- There were five successful title defenses on TOUR last season (most since 2007)
- The last player to successfully defend a title at the RBC Heritage is Boo Weekley in 2008

Jon Rahm (T18/-6)

- Coming off a victory at the Masters, FedExCup leader and World No. 1 sits T18 following rounds of 72-64
- Eight-stroke improvement is the largest from round one to round two in his career
- With four wins this season, looking to become the first player to win five times in a season since Justin Thomas in 2016-17
- With a win this week, would become the first player to win consecutive tournaments including a major since Rory McIlroy in 2014 (WGC-Bridgestone Invitational, PGA Championship)

Miscellaneous notes

- Making his 400th PGA TOUR start, 2023 AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am champion **Justin Rose** (T2/-9) is seeking to become the fourth multiple winner of the season (Rahm/4, Scheffler/2, Homa/2)
- Making his 150th PGA TOUR start, World No. 6 **Xander Schauffele** (T2/-9) trails by three following a second-round 66
- In his tournament debut, first-round leader **Aaron Rai** (T5/-8) trails by four following an even-par 71
- **Zach Johnson** (T23/-5) posts an even-par 71, carding 18 pars for the first time in a round on the PGA TOUR (1,641 stroke-play rounds)
- 53-year-old **Ernie Els** (T34/-4) makes the cut for the first time on the PGA TOUR since the 2020 RBC Heritage (T48)