



2023 Sentry Tournament of Champions
(10th of 47 events in the 2022-23 PGA TOUR Season)

Kapalua, Maui, HI
The Plantation Course

January 5-8, 2023
Par/Yards: 36-37—73/7,596

Purse: \$15,000,000 (\$2,700,000)
FedExCup Points: 550 (winner)

First-Round Notes – Thursday, January 5, 2023

Weather: Partly cloudy. High of 77. Wind NE 10-15 mph.

First-Round Leaderboard

Collin Morikawa	64 (-9)
J.J. Spaun	64 (-9)
Jon Rahm	64 (-9)
Tom Kim	65 (-8)

Things to Know

- Collin Morikawa, J.J. Spaun and Jon Rahm share the first-round lead at the Sentry Tournament of Champions, the most at the event since four players shared the 18-hole lead in 2014
- Records with the 18-hole lead: Rahm (2-for-9), Morikawa (1-for-3), Spaun (0-for-4)
- 2022 runner-up Rahm holds the lead after any round for the 21st time since 2020, most on the PGA TOUR
- One year after closing the Sentry Tournament of Champions with an 11-under 62 to finish T5, Morikawa equals his best opening-round on the PGA TOUR with a 64
- FedExCup leader Seamus Power posts his 13th consecutive under-par score on TOUR
- Making his season debut and first start since the 2022 BMW Championship, Will Zalatoris opens with a 4-under 69
- 68.231 is the lowest opening-round scoring average since the Sentry Tournament of Champions moved to the Plantation Course in 1999

First-Round Lead Notes

- 13 First-round leaders/co-leaders to win the Sentry Tournament of Champions (most recent: Cameron Smith/2022)
- 1 First-round leaders/co-leaders to win on TOUR in 2022-23 (most recent: Tony Finau/Cadence Bank Houston Open)

About the co-leaders

Category (entering the week)	Collin Morikawa	J.J. Spaun	Jon Rahm
Age	25 (2/6/1997)	32 (8/21/1990)	28 (11/10/1994)
FedExCup	96	46	76
OWGR	11	86	5
Starts – wins – top-10s in PGA TOUR career	77-5-26	165-1-13	132-7-64
Starts – wins – top-10s on TOUR in 2022-23	3-0-0	6-0-0	1-0-1
Starts – wins – top-10s at Sentry TOC	3-0-3	0-0-0	5-0-5

Collin Morikawa (T1/-9)

- Fourth career 18-hole lead/co-lead on TOUR (1-for-3 to date; winning the 2020 Workday Charity Open)
- Equals his best opening-round on TOUR with a 64 (2020 Charles Schwab Challenge/finished 2nd)
- Six consecutive birdies on Nos. 10-15 marks his career-long streak on TOUR; closes with 7-under 30 on back nine
- Cards nine birdies, equaling his most in a round on TOUR (sixth time; previous came in the final round of the 2022 Sentry Tournament of Champions)
- Most recent of five PGA TOUR wins came at the 2021 Open Championship

J.J. Spaun (T1/-9)

- Has shared the lead in all five 18-hole leads/co-leads on TOUR (0-for-4 to date); most recent first-round lead entering the week was the 2022 FedEx St. Jude Championship (finished T42)
- 9-under 64 equals his lowest score in relation to par on TOUR (2021 AT&T Byron Nelson/R1/finished T47)
- Lone victory in 165 prior starts came at the 2022 Valero Texas Open

Jon Rahm (T1/-9)

- Opens with a 9-under 64; last six rounds at the event have been 67 or better
- Has never shot over par in 21 rounds at the event
- Holds the 18-hole lead/co-lead for the 10th time on the PGA TOUR (2-for-9 to date; winning the 2018 American Express and the 2022 Mexico Open at Vidanta)
- Holds the lead after any round for the 21st time since 2020, most on TOUR (19: Patrick Cantlay, Rory McIlroy)
- Has five top-10 finishes in as many starts at the Sentry Tournament of Champions, including runner-up finishes in 2018 and 2022
- Most recent of seven PGA TOUR victories came at the 2022 Mexico Open at Vidanta
- 14 of last 15 rounds at the event have been inside top-10 of the leaderboard

Miscellaneous Notes

- 20-year-old **Tom Kim** (4th), the youngest player in the field by more than four years (Sungjae Im: 24) records a first-round 8-under 65 in his tournament debut; has two eagles (Nos. 6 and 15) in a round for the first time on TOUR
- World No. 2 **Scottie Scheffler** (T5), the highest ranked player in the field, birdies four of his final five holes for a bogey-free 7-under 66; hit all 18 greens in regulation for the third time in his career
- FedExCup leader **Seamus Power** (T17) posts 5-under 68, his 13th consecutive under-par score on the PGA TOUR
- **Will Zalatoris** (T23) opens with a 4-under 69 in his season debut and first start since withdrawing during the 2022 BMW Championship with a back injury