## 2023 Open Championship

(41 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ of 44 events in the 2022-23 PGA TOUR Regular Season)

Hoylake, Wirral, England
Royal Liverpool Golf Club

July 20-23, 2023
Par/Yards: 35-35-71/7,383

FedExCup points: 600 (winner) Purse: $\mathbf{\$ 1 6 . 5}$ million (\$3 million/winner)

First-Round Notes - Thursday, July 20, 2023
Weather: Mostly sunny. High of 63. Wind NW 12-14 mph, with gusts to 18 mph .
First-Round Leaderboard

| Pos. |  | Player |
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| T1 | Christo Lamprecht (a) | $66(-5)$ |
| T1 | Tommy Fleetwood | $66(-5)$ |
| T1 | Emiliano Grillo | $66(-5)$ |
| T4 | Antoine Rozner | $67(-4)$ |
| T4 | Adrian Otaegui | $67(-4)$ |
| T4 | Brian Harman | $67(-4)$ |

Christo Lamprecht (T1/-5) - amateur; rising senior at Georgia Tech

- First amateur to hold the lead/co-lead after any round on TOUR since Paul Dunne at the 2015 Open Championship (R3)
- First amateur to hold the 18-hole lead/co-lead on TOUR since Tom Lewis at the 2011 Open Championship
- First player to hold the 18-hole lead/co-lead in his PGA TOUR debut since Sepp Straka at the 2018 Fortinet Championship
- First player to hold the 18 -hole lead/co-lead in his major championship debut since Andrew Landry at the 2016 U.S. Open
- Lowest first-round score (66) by an amateur in a major championship since Lewis carded a 65 at the 2011 Open Championship
- Lowest score by an amateur in any round of a major championship since Matti Schmid carded a 65 in the second round of the 2021 Open Championship


## Tommy Fleetwood (T1/-5)

- Fourth 18-hole lead/co-lead on TOUR and second of the season (one of nine players with multiple 18-hole leads/co-leads this season)
- Second career lead/co-lead after any round in a major (2017 U.S. Open; finished fourth)
- Opening-round 66 is his $11^{\text {th }}$ score of 66 or better in majors

Most rounds of 66 or better in majors since the start of 2017
14, Brooks Koepka
11, Tommy Fleetwood
11, Jordan Spieth

- Six top-fives in majors, including runner-up finishes at the 2018 U.S. Open and 2019 Open Championship
- No. 21 in the Official World Golf Ranking, the second-highest position of any player without a win on the PGA TOUR (No. 18 Cameron Young)
- 26 top-10s since joining the PGA TOUR as a member at the start of the 2017-18 season, the second-most of any player without a win in that span; Brian Harman, who is currently T4, has the most (29)


## Miscellaneous notes

- 2023 Charles Schwab Challenge winner Emiliano Grillo (T1) holds the 18-hole lead/co-lead for the third time on TOUR (first since the 2017 Arnold Palmer Invitational presented by Mastercard) and holds the lead/co-lead after any round in a major for the first time in his career
- Max Homa is T7, his highest position after any round in a major in his career
- 15-time PGA TOUR winner Justin Thomas records an 82, his worst score in a major and tied for the worst score of his TOUR career (R4, 2016 RBC Heritage)

