



2023 U.S. Open (35th of 44 events in the 2022-23 PGA TOUR Regular Season)

Los Angeles, California	June 15-18, 2023	FedExCup points: 600 (winner)
Los Angeles Country Club	Par/Yards: 35-35—70/7,421 yards	Purse: \$20 million (\$3.6 million/winner)

Final-Round Notes – Sunday, June 18, 2023

Weather: Partly cloudy. High of 72. Wind SW 5-10 mph.

Final-Round Leaderboard

Wyndham Clark	64-67-69-70-270 (-10)
Rory McIlroy	65-67-69-70—271 (-9)
Scottie Scheffler	67-68-68-70—273 (-7)
Cameron Smith	69-67-71-67—274 (-6)

Things to Know

- Wyndham Clark holds off a trio of major champions Rory McIlroy (2nd), Scottie Scheffler (3rd) and Cameron Smith (4th) to win his first major championship and second PGA TOUR title
- Clark is the fifth straight player to win his first major championship at the U.S. Open
- McIlroy finishes second for his 19th top-10 in majors since his most recent title in 2014, the most of any player in that span;
 23-time TOUR winner now has 10 runner-up finishes on TOUR and three in major championships
- Both Clark and McIlroy won their first PGA TOUR title at the Wells Fargo Championship and second at the U.S. Open
- Rickie Fowler becomes the 12th player to lead each of the first three rounds of the U.S. Open and not win (first since Russell Henley in 2021); falls to 2-for-10 to date in converting the 54-hole lead into victory
- Scheffler retains the top spot in the Official World Golf Ranking following a third-place finish, his 16th straight T12 or better on the PGA TOUR; is the only player with top-10 finishes in each of the first three majors this season
- With a 63, Tommy Fleetwood equals the lowest final round score in U.S. Open history for the second time (2018)
- Jon Rahm finishes T10 and retains the lead in the FedExCup standings
- The cumulative scoring average of 71.76 is the lowest in U.S. Open history
- The 2023 U.S. Open produced three rounds of 63 or better, the most in major championship history

Category	Following the week
Age	29 (December 9, 1993)
FedExCup	No. 4
OWGR	No. 13
Starts – wins – top-10s in PGA TOUR career	137-2-16
Starts – wins – top-10s on TOUR in 2022-23	22-2-7
Starts – wins – top-10s at U.S. Open	3-1-1

Wyndham Clark (1st/-10)

- Picks up his first major championship and second victory in his 137th PGA TOUR start at the age of 29 years, 6 months, 9 days
- PGA TOUR wins (2): 2023 Wells Fargo Championship, 2023 U.S. Open
- Earns 600 points and moves to No. 4 in the FedExCup standings
- Is the fifth straight player to win his first major championship at the U.S. Open (Gary Woodland/2019, Bryson DeChambeau/2020, Jon Rahm/2021, Matt Fitzpatrick/2022, Clark/2023)
- Becomes the fifth multiple winner this season, joining Jon Rahm, Scottie Scheffler, Max Homa and Tony Finau
- Becomes the 55th 54-hole leader/co-leader to go on to win the U.S. Open (most recent: Matt Fitzpatrick, 2022)
- Improves to 2-for-3 to date when holding the lead/co-lead in individual stroke-play events on TOUR (2023 U.S. Open/won, 2023 Wells Fargo Championship/won, 2019 Honda Classic/T7)
- Entered the final round tied for the lead with Rickie Fowler; his previous best 54-hole position in a major championship was T51 at the 2021 PGA Championship
- Is the first champion since Justin Rose in 2013 to play the final nine holes over-par (1-over 36)
- Wins in his seventh major championship appearance; previous-best finish was T75 at the 2021 PGA Championship

- Had missed the cut in two prior U.S. Open starts (2021, 2022)
- Entered the week No. 32 in the Official World Golf Ranking and becomes the lowest-ranked U.S. Open champion since Graeme McDowell in 2010 (No. 37); moves to No. 13 following the win

About Rory McIlroy (2nd/-9)

- 72-hole total of 271 is the lowest at a U.S. Open by a player who did not win
- 23-time PGA TOUR winner finishes runner-up for the 10th time in 232 starts; second of the season (Arnold Palmer Invitational presented by Mastercard)
- Four-time major champion finishes runner up for the third time in a major championship (2018 Open Championship/T2, 2022 Masters Tournament/2nd, 2023 U.S. Open/2nd)
- Has 19th top-10s in majors since his most recent title in 2014, the most of any player in that span
- Eight top-10s in 15 starts in the event, including five straight

Scottie Scheffler (3rd/-7)

- World No. 1 finishes in third place for his TOUR-leading 13th top-10 finish of the season
- Has now finished T12 or better in each of his last 16 starts
- Ranked inside the top 10 at the conclusion of 28 out of the last 44 major championship rounds (dating to the start of 2021)
- Has three top-10s in six starts at the U.S. Open (T7/2021, T2/2022, 3rd/2023)
- Is the only player with top-10 finishes in each major this season (Masters/T10, PGA Championship/T2, U.S. Open/3rd)

Rickie Fowler (T5/-5)

- Is the 12th player to lead each of the first three rounds of the U.S. Open and not win (first since Russell Henley in 2021)
- Has 13 top-10s in majors since start of his rookie season in 2010, the most of any player without a major title in that span
- Records ninth top-five finish in his 48th major championship start, including three in 13 starts at the U.S. Open (T2/2014, T5/2017, T5/2023)
- Falls to 2-for-10 in converting the 54-hole lead into victory (2017 Honda Classic, 2019 WM Phoenix Open)
- Falls to 1-for-12 to date in converting the 36-hole lead into victory (2019 WM Phoenix Open)
- Falls to 1-for-8 in converting the 18-hole lead into victory (2019 WM Phoenix Open)
- Has finished T17 or better in eight of his last nine starts on TOUR

Miscellaneous notes

- Tommy Fleetwood (T5) owns two of the three lowest final-rounds in U.S. Open history:
 - 63 Johnny Miller (Oakmont, 1973/won)
 - 63 Fleetwood (Shinnecock Hills, 2018/2nd)
 - o 63 Fleetwood (Los Angeles Country Club, 2023/T5)
- Xander Schauffele (T10) has top-15 finishes in seven straight U.S. Opens, the fifth-longest streak at the event since 1920:
 - Ben Hogan 12 (1940-1956)
 - Jack Nicklaus 12 (1971-1982)
 - Bobby Jones 11 (1920-30)
 - Sam Snead 9 (1947-1955)
 - Xander Schauffele 7 (2017-2023)
- Austin Eckroat (T10) equals the U.S. Open nine-hole scoring record with a 29 en route to a final-round 65; marks the sixth 29 in tournament history and second of the week (Tom Kim/front nine/R3)
- Defending champion Matt Fitzpatrick finishes T17; Brooks Koepka (2018) is the last to successfully defend a U.S. Open title
- With rounds of 69-71-75-69, **Gordon Sargent** (T39) wins low amateur honors and becomes the sixth amateur to card two rounds in the 60s at a U.S. Open (first since Viktor Hovland in 2019)