



2024 Open Championship
(33rd of 36 FedExCup Regular Season Events)

Royal Troon Golf Club
 Troon, South Ayrshire, Scotland

June 18-21, 2024
 Par/Yards: 36-35—71/7,385

FedExCup Points: 750 (winner)
 Purse: \$17 million (\$3.1 million)

Third-Round Notes – Saturday, July 20, 2024

Weather: Cloudy with afternoon rain showers. High of 64. Wind WNW at 8-16 mph.

Third-Round Leaderboard

Pos.	Player	R1	R2	R3	Total
1	Billy Horschel	72	68	69	209 (-4)
T2	Thriston Lawrence	71	74	65	210 (-3)
T2	Sam Burns	76	69	65	210 (-3)
T2	Russell Henley	69	75	66	210 (-3)
T2	Xander Schauffele	69	72	69	210 (-3)
T2	Justin Rose	69	68	73	210 (-3)
T2	Daniel Brown	65	72	73	210 (-3)

Billy Horschel (1st/-4)

- Seventh career 54-hole lead/co-lead in individual stroke-play events on the PGA TOUR:

Tournament	Lead	Result
2024 Open Championship	Leads by 1	TBD
2023 Wyndham Championship	Tied	4 th
2022 Memorial Tournament presented by Workday	Led by 5	Won
2022 Arnold Palmer Invitational presented by Mastercard	Tied	T2
2014 TOUR Championship	Tied	Won
2014 BMW Championship	Led by 3	Won
2013 Valero Texas Open	Led by 2	T3

- The last six major winners have held at least a share of the 54-hole lead
- Second lead/co-lead after any round at a major championship (R1/2013 U.S. Open/T4)
- Would be his ninth career PGA TOUR title and second of the 2024 season (Corales Puntacana Championship)
- Would be his first major championship title in his 43rd major appearance (best finish: T4/2013 U.S. Open)
- Making his 342nd start on the PGA TOUR, would be the second-most starts of any player before their first major title since 1995 (Stewart Cink/2009 Open Championship/352nd start); Brian Harman won the 2023 Open Championship in his 340th start on TOUR
- Would be the first player since Padraig Harrington (2008/74) to win The Open Championship after carding an over-par score in the first round
- Would be the 11th consecutive first-time winner of The Open Championship, tying the longest streak in tournament history (1994-2004)
- Would mark the first time since 1982 that all four majors in a year were won by players from the United States

Additional Player Notes

- With a win, **Justin Rose** (T2/-3) would set the longest span between victories in major championship history (4,053 days/2013 U.S. Open)

Player	Wins	Days
Julius Boros	1952 U.S. Open – 1963 U.S. Open	4,026
Hale Irwin	1979 U.S. Open – 1990 U.S. Open	4,018
Ben Crenshaw	1984 Masters – 1995 Masters	4,011

Henry Cotton	1937 Open – 1948 Open	4,011
Tiger Woods	2008 U.S. Open – 2019 Masters	3,955

- 2024 PGA Championship winner **Xander Schauffele** (T2/-3) would be the first player since Brooks Koepka in 2018 (U.S. Open, PGA Championship) to win multiple majors in the same year; entered the week as one of two players (Bryson DeChambeau) with top-10 finishes in the first three majors this year
- **Thriston Lawrence** (T2/-3) joins Billy Horschel in final pairing of the final round after teeing off 3 hours and 10 minutes before the final pairing in round three and 10 strokes off the lead; four-time DP World Tour winner is making his 14th career PGA TOUR start (best: T24/2022 Genesis Scottish Open) and third at The Open Championship
- **Daniel Brown** (T2/-3) would be the first player to win in their major championship debut since Keegan Bradley (2011 PGA Championship) and first at The Open Championship since Ben Curtis (2003)
- **Sam Burns** (T2/-3) would be the first player since Jack Fleck (1955 U.S. Open) to win a major championship after opening with a 76 or worse
- **Russell Henley** (T2/-3) seeks his first major title in his 40th start (best: T4/2023 Masters Tournament) and would be the second consecutive player from the University of Georgia to win The Open Championship (Brian Harman)