



American Family Insurance Championship

University Ridge Golf Course | Madison, Wisconsin | June 22-24, 2018

Second-Round Notes

Saturday, June 23, 2018

Course Setup: Par 72 / 7,056 yards (R2 Scoring average: 70.782, Cumulative: 70.705)

Weather: Mostly sunny with a high in the mid-70s. Wind from the NNW at 8-15 mph.

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	Player	To Par	Scores
1.	Esteban Toledo	-9	69-66—135
T2.	David Toms	-8	70-66—136
T2.	Kent Jones	-8	69-67—136
T2.	Fred Couples	-8	69-67—136
T2.	Billy Mayfair	-8	68-68—136

Quick Links:

- [Leaderboard](#)
- [Final-Round Tee Times](#) (9-11 a.m. CT off Nos. 1 and 10 tees)
- [PGATOURMedia.com](#) (transcripts and other resources available for download)
- Golf Channel Coverage: Sunday 4-6 p.m. CT (tape delay)

Esteban Toledo, 69-66 – 135 (-9)

- Toledo birdied four of his last six holes en route to a bogey-free 66, his best score since he shot 5-under 66 in the first round at the 2017 Pacific Links Bear Mountain Championship.
- This is the third time Toledo will enter the final round as the leader/co-leader. The previous two occasions:
 - 2013 Mitsubishi Electric Classic (led by 1 / final-round 75 / T7 finish)
 - 2014 Quebec Championship (two-way tie / final-round 71 / T3 finish)
- Sunday will mark the fourth time Toledo will play in Sunday's final group and the first since the 2015 Chubb Classic, where he was T3 through 36 holes and finished third.
- His total of 135 is his best 36-hole start since he opened with rounds of 69-66 at the 2015 Toshiba Classic.
- Entering this week, Toledo's best position through 36 holes this season was T14 at the Toshiba Classic. His best finish was a T12 at the Mitsubishi Electric Classic, and he is currently No. 47 in the Charles Schwab Cup.
- Toledo will make his 28th consecutive major start next week at the U.S. Senior Open. The streak is in jeopardy later this year, however, as he is currently ineligible for The Senior Open Championship at St. Andrews. He could qualify by moving into the top 30 of the Charles Schwab Cup after the U.S. Senior Open; he would guarantee himself a spot by winning this week or next week.

Second-Round Lead Notes

- This season, players leading/co-leading entering the final round have won five out of 12 tournaments. Most recently, Miguel Angel Jimenez converted his Saturday-night lead into victory at the Regions Tradition.
- The 36-hole leader/co-leader has not won either of the first two American Family Insurance Championships.

Fred Couples, 69-67 – 136 (-8)

- Couples bogeyed Nos. 4 and 5 and was even-par for the day, but he rebounded with five birdies on his last 11 holes to shoot 5-under 67. All five of his rounds at University Ridge have been in the 60s (67.40 average).
- Should Couples go on and win Sunday, it would mark the first time he successfully defended a title on either the PGA TOUR or PGA TOUR Champions. The last time a player successfully defended his title on PGA TOUR Champions was when Bernhard Langer won the Regions Tradition in 2016 and 2017.
- The last time Couples played a tournament as the defending champion was at the 2015 Shaw Charity Classic, where he finished T5. In all, he has six top-10s in eight starts as the defending champion on PGA TOUR Champions.
- The last time Couples was T2 or better entering the final round was at the 2017 Chubb Classic. He went on to shoot a final-round 67 and won by three.

David Toms, 70-66 – 136 (-8)

- Toms birdied all four par 5s Saturday en route to a bogey-free 66. He has broken par in all 11 second rounds this season, and entering this week he led the Tour in second-round scoring average (68.40).
- Toms will play in Sunday's final group for the first time on PGA TOUR Champions, and his T2 position is his second-best entering the final round. He was part of a three-way tie for the lead at the 2017 Invesco QQQ Championship, and he finished third after shooting a 3-under 69 in Sunday's penultimate pairing.
- He is one of three players with seven top-10s this season, the most recent being a T10 finish at the KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship. He is currently No. 9 in the Charles Schwab Cup.

Billy Mayfair 68-68—136 (-8)

- Mayfair carded a 4-under 68 for the second day in a row to sit in a four-way tie for second. This is just the fourth time on PGA TOUR Champions where he has been in the top-two entering the final round.
- This year on PGA TOUR Champions, Mayfair has one runner-up finish (Chubb Classic) and four finishes in the top-25, and he is currently No. 34 in the Charles Schwab Cup.
- Over three years on PGA TOUR Champions, he has 42 starts, with three runner-up finishes. If Mayfair were to take the American Family Insurance Championship title, it would be his first on Tour.

Kent Jones, 69-67 – 136 (-8)

- Making his 14th start on PGA TOUR Champions, Jones will play in Sunday's final group for the first time. Previously, his best position entering the final round was T7 at the 2018 Chubb Classic.
- Jones finished T9 at the 2017 American Family Insurance Championship, his second start on PGA TOUR Champions. He is coming off his second career top-10, a T9 at the Principal Charity Classic, and he is currently 56th in the Charles Schwab Cup.
- He earned fully exempt status for 2018 by finishing third at PGA TOUR Champions Q-School in December 2017.

Other Notes

- **Steve Stricker's** only birdie on Saturday was on No. 18 and he carded a second-round 74, the first over-par round of his PGA TOUR Champions career. It breaks his streak of 30 consecutive rounds under par, which stands as the fourth-longest streak in Tour history. He will enter the final round T14 at 6-under.
- Madison resident **Jerry Kelly** carded a 3-under 69 on Saturday and is T6 at 7-under. He has top-10 finishes in each of his last three starts and he is currently No. 3 in the Charles Schwab Cup.
- Charles Schwab Cup leader **Bernhard Langer** shot a 3-under 69 and is part of the eight-way tie for sixth at 7-under. The American Family Insurance Championship is one of just eight tournaments on this year's 27-event schedule that Langer has not won.
- In the nine-hole celebrity foursome match, Brett Favre/Andy North (4-under) defeated Derek Jeter/Lee Trevino (3-under). A \$25,000 donation will be made in their name to the American Family Children's Hospital from the Steve Stricker American Family Insurance Foundation.