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TOUR NEWS

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Viktor Hovland led in Strokes Gained: Off the Tee, with his G440 LST (+3.962).

DRIVEN TO WIN

Following a long, drama-filled day of regulation play Sunday, Viktor Hovland made quick work of the sudden-death playoff Monday at the Travelers Championship, ending it with three strokes. After a perfectly positioned drive with his G440 LST, followed by a 9-iron to 6 ½ feet, he holed the winning birdie putt at the Signature Event.

Hovland splitting the fairway in the playoff was typical of his drives all week; he was #1 in Strokes Gained: Off the Tee. "This week I drove it amazing," he said. "I did a lot of good stuff the whole week." His eighth PGA Tour victory was the first his mother, Galina, has seen in person.

See his What's in the Bag, page 2 ▶

CLARK #1 IN PUTTING

By now it's an understatement to say that U.S. Open winner Wyndham Clark and his Scottsdale TEC Ally Blue Onset putter are a perfect fit.

At the Travelers Championship, Clark was #1 in Strokes Gained: Putting at 8.712, and #1 in Putts Per G.I.R. at 1.51.

On Sunday, he needed only 20 putts over 18 holes, fewest ever at the Travelers, where he earned a T5.

Since switching to the model, Clark has won twice, including the U.S. Open, and posted high finishes. He has moved into the top 10 in the world ranking.



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THIS WEEK

Brian Campbell



PGA TOUR

JOHN DEERE CLASSIC

TPC Deere Run
Silvis, Ill.
July 2-5

Brian Campbell (defending champion)
Austin Eckroat
Tony Finau
Mason Howell (a)
Mackenzie Hughes
Takumi Kanaya
Christo Lamprecht
Taylor Moore
William Mouw
Matthieu Pavon
Seamus Power
Neal Shipley
David Skinnis

PGA TOUR CHAMPIONS

U.S. SENIOR OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP

Scioto CC
Columbus, Ohio
July 2-5

Notah Begay III
Stewart Cink
Simon Griffiths
Miguel Angel Jiménez
Jeff Maggert
Kevin Sutherland
Ken Tanigawa
Kirk Triplett
Mark Wilson

DP WORLD TOUR

BMW INTERNATIONAL OPEN

Golfclub München Eichenried
Munich, Germany
July 2-5

Dan Bradbury, Jonathan Broomhead
Dan Brown, Davis Bryant
Clement Charmasson, Joe Dean
Sebastian Garcia Rodriguez
Joel Girrbach, Thruston Lawrence
Junghwan Lee
Rasmus Neergaard-Petersen
Sebastian Muñoz
Joaquín Niemann
Carlos Ortiz
Victor Perez
Ben Schmidt
Freddy Schott
Brandon Stone
Connor Syme
Hugo Townsend
Johannes Veerman
Daniel Young



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OF THE
WEEK

NBA Hall of Famer and avid golfer Charles Barkley tested the new Scottsdale TEC Ally Blue Onset putter model wearing eye-tracking glasses in the PING Putting Lab Monday. Test Engineer Zach Cram (left), and Senior Design Engineering Manager Travis Milleman, demonstrated Quiet Eye, a research technique used to improve focus in sports like golf and basketball. The research inspired Eye Q alignment technology in the Scottsdale TEC line. "I can see how this helps golfers get better aligned and make more putts," Barkley said. "At the free-throw line, I always tried to quiet my mind and focus on the back of the rim."



Stewart Cink

SET FOR U.S. SENIOR OPEN

Stewart Cink will be in search of his third major title of the season as the PGA Tour Champions points leader and eight more PING pros bring their games to the U.S. Senior Open Championship.

Runner-up last year in his U.S. Senior Open debut, Cink has won both the Senior PGA Championship and Regions Tradition majors this year. In nine events this season, he has four victories and has

finished no lower than T6.

While Cink has eight career Champions titles, Miguel Angel Jiménez comes in with 17. Jiménez has four top 10's this year, including last week at the Dick's Open.

Simon Griffiths this month earned his third victory on the StaySure Legends Tour in Europe and will compete in his second straight U.S. Senior Open.

See full field at left.

VIKTOR HOVLAND

WHAT'S IN THE BAG



DRIVER

G440 LST, 9°@7.6°, flat std., 45,75", Fujikura Ventus TR Black Velo+ 6X, tipped 1", D5+, 29g CG shifter in neutral

HYBRID

G440, 20°@19°, 40.25", Graphite Design 85-X, D2

IRONS

i210, 4-PW, KBS Tour-V 120X

WEDGES

s259 50°S, 56°S, Glide 2.0 60°TS, DG Tour Issue S400

PUTTER

PLD DS72, patina, 36" stepless chrome, 2° loft, 23° lie, Winn 17" AVS Red