

The Players 2021 Picks

The Players picks are based on recent performance only, since this is the first time playing this course. Picks can be verified by checking out the statistics page on the website. Others to consider are based on factors such as stats, trends, etc.

Paul Casey – Casey has 4 top 10 finishes in his most recent 5 events played, including a win. Casey has 2 top 25 finishes at The Players over the past 5 years.

Tony Finau – Finau has 5 top 15 finishes in his most recent 5 events played, including a 4th and 3 seconds. Finau finished 22nd at this event in 2019.

Viktor Hovland – Hovland has 4 top 6 finishes in his most recent 5 events played, including 2 seconds. This is Hovland's debut at this event.

Xander Schauffele – Schauffele has 4 top 15 finishes in his most recent 5 events played, including 2 seconds and a 5th. Schauffele finished 2nd at Sawgrass in 2018.

Collin Morikawa – Morikawa has 3 top 10 finishes in his most recent 5 events played, including a win in his most recent start. This is Morikawa's debut at this tourney.

Jon Rahm – Rahm has 3 top 10 finishes in his most recent 5 events played. Rahm finished 12th at this event in 2019.

Webb Simpson – Simpson has 3 top 20 finishes in his 4 starts this year. Simpson has 3 top 20 finishes at The Players over the past 4 years, including a win.

Patrick Cantlay – Cantlay has 4 top 15 finishes in his 4 starts this year. Cantlay has 2 top 25 finishes at Sawgrass over the past 5 years.

Rory McIlroy – McIlroy has 4 top 20 finishes in his most recent 5 events played. McIlroy is the defending champion (2019, as last year's tourney was cancelled.)

Dustin Johnson – Johnson has 3 top 15 finishes in his most recent 5 events played, including a win. Johnson has 3 top 20 finishes at The Players over the past 4 years.

Others to Consider, in no particular order:

Bryson DeChambeau, Tyrrell Hatton, Matthew Fitzpatrick, Adam Scott, Tommy Fleetwood, Daniel Berger, Chris Kirk, Jason Kokrak, Jason Day, Max Homa, Will Zalatoris, Hideki Matsuyama, Cameron Smith, Francesco Molinari, Patrick Reed, Scottie Scheffler, Justin Thomas, Jordan Spieth, Bubba Watson, Sergio Garcia.