

# Sentry Tournament of Champions

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Kapalua, Maui, Hawaii, USA  
Plantation Course at Kapalua

## Jon Rahm

### Quick Quotes

**Q. It starts with a bogey in the final round. What was your thought process? What turned the fortunate around?**

JON RAHM: There's not one secret. Obviously the next birdie was very important, but it was four just mediocre shots that led to a 5.

After that I just focused on hitting quality shots. It was a great swing after that, a couple good swings on 3 and 4. That kind of got me going. I think that that putt on 4 was very important to get that momentum going. I started feeling really good and making the proper swings.

Obviously everything turned with that run on 12, 13, 14 and making that eagle putt on 15. At that point I got in the thick of things and never did I think that going into my third shot on 17 I was going to have a one-shot lead. That's when I had to change a bit of the mindset of chasing and needing birdies to, All right, let's get this up-and-down, hopefully birdie 18 and give ourselves the best chance.

**Q. At with one point you were seven shots down. Biggest come back in Sentry Tournament of Champions history. How gratifying is that comeback?**

JON RAHM: Extremely. You never want to see somebody have a bad day down the stretch. But I feel like with that lead he had I needed to play really good and he needed to make a couple mistakes.

Last year I feel like I played an amazing tournament, I could have won it. To come back this year and shoot a very low score again, I mean, I'm what, 60-under par in these last two tournaments? (Laughing.) It would have been tough to shoot that low twice and not win it. So I'm glad I had the chance and I'm glad I did it.

**Q. And the putter, Saturday and Sunday especially, wow. Really, really good.**



JON RAHM: Yeah, the only day I didn't make a lot of putts is Friday. The last two days -- yesterday I didn't make any lengthy ones, but I was pretty much flawless inside 10 feet. Which is all you need to do. Especially here you can give yourself a lot of chances.

Today I made a few longer putts, a few more feet of putts. And again, those early on in the round is what got things going.

**Q. Kelley walking with you, back out walking. How special is it to have Kelley and the family here?**

JON RAHM: It's special. This is actually the first win with the whole family here. Both kids as well. So it's going to be one to enjoy.

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