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## **BUBBA WATSON COMMITS TO 2022 TRAVELERS CHAMPIONSHIP**

**HARTFORD, Conn., March 29, 2022** – The Travelers Championship today announced that three-time tournament winner Bubba Watson has committed to play in the 2022 event. Watson has won 12 times on the PGA TOUR, with his victories at TPC River Highlands taking place in 2010, 2015 and 2018.

“There might not be a current player on the PGA TOUR more synonymous with the Travelers Championship than Bubba,” said Travelers Championship Tournament Director Nathan Grube. “He’s obviously done well here, but he’s also embraced this community. Bubba will have a lot of people rooting for him at TPC River Highlands this year.”

Watson’s first win on the PGA TOUR came at the Travelers Championship in 2010, when he needed a playoff to beat Corey Pavin and Scott Verplank. Eleven TOUR victories have followed, including two major championships. Watson won the Masters in 2012 and 2014. He’s also won the Genesis Open three times, and he captured the World Golf Championships-Dell Technologies Match Play in 2018.

Watson is looking to become just the second player to win the Travelers Championship four times. Billy Casper won in 1963, 1965, 1968 and 1973.

Off the course, Watson has pledged his support for local charities aligned with the Travelers Championship. He donated \$100,000 in 2016 to the Bruce Edwards Foundation Benefit Dinner, which raised money for ALS research. After winning the Travelers Championship in 2018, Watson donated \$200,000, helping the tournament that year reach \$2 million in total money generated for charity. Watson directed that his money be sent to The Hole in the Wall Gang Camp. When a fire destroyed four buildings at Camp headquarters in Ashford, Connecticut last year, Watson made a \$25,000 donation to help the rebuilding efforts.

“Bubba has shown, time and again, how involved he wants to be when it comes to causes that are important to the Travelers Championship and to our community,” said Andy Bessette, Executive Vice President and Chief Administrative Officer at Travelers. “We can’t thank Bubba and his family enough for their personal contributions and support of the tournament’s charitable efforts. We’ve gotten to know the Watsons really well over the years, and look forward to welcoming them back to Connecticut this summer.”

Watson joins Scottie Scheffler, Patrick Cantlay, Justin Thomas, Rory McIlroy, Dustin Johnson and Xander Schauffele in the field for the 2022 Travelers Championship, which will be held at TPC River Highlands in Cromwell, Connecticut. Tournament week is June 20-26, with gates open to all spectators starting on Wednesday, June 22.

For tournament updates, visit [TravelersChampionship.com](https://TravelersChampionship.com).

### **About the Travelers Championship**

The Travelers Championship, held in Cromwell, Connecticut, is one of the premier events on the PGA TOUR and part of the FedExCup series. The tournament proudly supports the TOUR’s Tradition of Giving Back by

donating 100% of net proceeds to charities. Travelers, a leading provider of property and casualty insurance for [auto](#), [home](#) and [business](#), is the Official Property Casualty Insurance Provider of the PGA TOUR. The company became the tournament's title sponsor in 2007. Travelers has been doing business in the Hartford community for more than 160 years and has been a corporate sponsor of this event each year since its inception in 1952. Complete details are available at [TravelersChampionship.com](http://TravelersChampionship.com).

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