



FANTASY DP WORLD TOUR

European Swing — Booster Strategy Guide

YOUR COMPLETE GUIDE TO NAVIGATING THE EUROPEAN SWING

■ EUROPEAN SWING SCHEDULE

#	TOURNAMENT	TYPE	KEY NOTE
1	Estrella Damm Catalonia	DP World Tour	Season opener — hold boosters
2	US PGA Championship	MAJOR ■	Bench Boost HERE — free Rory/Scotty
3	Sudal Open (Belgium)	DP World Tour	Potential 2nd Bench Boost (loophole)
4	Austrian Open	DP World Tour	Triple Captain — B. Wiesberger (home form)
5	KLM Open	DP World Tour	Triple Cap option if Austrian used
6	US Open	MAJOR ■	Bench Boost — confirm loophole applies
7	Italian Open	DP World Tour	Final stretch — manage selections
8	BMW International (Germany)	DP World Tour	Season finale boost if available

■ BOOSTER QUICK REFERENCE

BENCH BOOST

Activates both bench players so all **6 golfers score points**.
Bench players do **NOT** count as a selection — you get 2
FREE picks!

Best used at Majors for maximum value

TRIPLE CAPTAIN

Triples your Captain's points for the entire tournament. Best
deployed on a **dominant in-form player** in smaller fields.

*Consider B. Wiesberger at the Austrian Open (home
advantage)*

■ THE FGH LOOPHOLE — MULTIPLY YOUR BOOSTERS

The FGH team discovered that when you use a Bench Boost (or Triple Captain) at a **Major Championship**, the booster appears to **reset and remain available** for use again the following week. This was confirmed by multiple top-ranked managers during the last swing — they all used Bench Boost at the Masters then used it again the week after!

■■ **IMPORTANT:** This loophole has not been officially confirmed for 2026 — the FGH team will test it at the US PGA. Keep an eye on the podcast for updates.

■ FGH RECOMMENDED BOOSTER PLAN

TOURNAMENT	BOOSTER	WHY
Estrella Damm Catalonia	Hold — No Booster	Risky field, save for value
US PGA Championship ■	BENCH BOOST	Free Rory + Scotty on bench — no selection used





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Sudal Open (Belgium)	BENCH BOOST (if loophole active)	Build early lead; confirm loophole here
Austrian Open	TRIPLE CAPTAIN	Wiesberger in-form at home event
KLM Open	TRIPLE CAPTAIN (if Austrian used early)	Alternative if Austrian cap was used
US Open ■	BENCH BOOST	2nd confirmed Major boost (or 3rd if loophole holds)
Italian Open / BMW Int'l	Any remaining booster	Use any leftover chip to maximise final swing

■■ BENCH BOOST vs TRIPLE CAPTAIN — WHICH IS STRONGER?

The FGH team analysed the value of each booster and concluded the **Bench Boost offers greater upside**, here's why:

- **Extra rounds of scoring:** You get 4 rounds of points from 2 extra players vs. just tripling 1 captain's points.
- **Bonus point chances:** Two extra players means two extra shots at top-3 bonus points (50pts Rolex / 40pts standard for a win).
- **Free selections:** Bench players in a Bench Boost do NOT use a selection pick — BUT if a player has already hit their selection cap, you cannot pick them at all, even on the bench. Keep Rory and Scotty under their cap to keep this option open!
- **Risk spread:** With Triple Captain, one bad performance tanks your booster. Bench Boost spreads risk across two extra players.

■ KEY PLAYER SELECTION MANAGEMENT

PLAYER	SELECTION CAP	USES LEFT*	FGH ADVICE
Scottie Scheffler	3 (non-DP member)	~2 remaining	Do NOT use both picks in normal selection — if capped out you can't pick him at all.
Rory McIlroy	5 (DP member)	4+ remaining	Don't burn through his picks early. If he hits his cap you lose him completely — include him in your bench.
B. Wiesberger	5 (DP member)	Full available	Triple Captain candidate — Austrian Open at home. Plenty of cap remaining.
Shane Lowry	5 (DP member)	Depends	Save if you didn't use at Masters — versatile pick later in swing.

* Selections remaining are estimates based on typical usage — check your own team in the app.

■■ WATCH OUT — AUTO-SUB TRAP!

Auto-sub burns your selection cap!

If a starter misses the cut, the game automatically subs in your priority bench player. This **DOES count as a selection** for that bench player.

Fix: Monitor between rounds — if a bench player was auto-subbed in, swap them back to the bench before the next round starts to preserve their selection cap. You can re-swap as long as the next round hasn't locked.

■ SCORING REFERENCE





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HOLE SCORE	PTS	BONUS	PTS
Albatross or better	20	Low Round (incl. ties)	10
Eagle	12	Round Under 70	5
Birdie	5	Win (Rolex Series)	50
Par	1	Win (Standard event)	40
Bogey	-1	2nd (Rolex)	40
Double Bogey	-3	2nd (Standard)	30
Triple Bogey+	-5	Top 5 (Rolex)	20

FGH TOP TIPS — EUROPEAN SWING AT A GLANCE

- Hold all boosters for Week 1 (Catalonia) — field uncertainty too high.
- Bench Boost the US PGA Championship — put Rory & Scotty on the bench for FREE selections.
- After USPGA, check if your Bench Boost has reset — this is the loophole in action. If it has, use it at the Sudal Open to build a big early lead.
- Triple Captain Bernd Wiesberger at the Austrian Open — he's in form and playing at home.
- CAUTION: Using Bench Boost at both the USPGA and Sudal Open may mean you have NO Bench Boost left for the US Open — think carefully before using it at Sudal.
- The FGH theory is that Majors grant an additional booster use (based on Masters evidence) — if correct, the US Open should reset your Bench Boost again, but this is NOT confirmed.
- If you're unsure about the loophole, a safer plan is: Bench Boost USPGA → Triple Cap Austrian → Bench Boost US Open — guaranteeing a boost at both Majors.
- Do NOT max out Scotty or Rory's selection cap — once capped, you cannot select them at all, including on your bench in a Bench Boost. Leave room for the big events later in the season.
- Check between rounds for auto-subs and swap players back to bench to save selection uses.
- The prize pool is £40 for the European swing — join the FGH mini-league at fantasygolfhub.com

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