



2024 FedEx St. Jude Championship
(First of three FedExCup Playoffs Events)

Memphis, Tennessee
TPC Southwind

August 15-18, 2024
Par/Yards: 35-35—70/7,243

FedExCup Points: 2,000 (winner)
Purse: \$20 million (\$3.6 million)

Second-Round Notes – Friday, August 16, 2024

Weather: Mostly sunny. High of 97. Wind variable at 10-15 mph.

Second-Round Leaderboard

Pos.	Player	R1	R2	Total
T1	Denny McCarthy	66	63	129 (-11)
T1	Hideki Matsuyama	65	64	129 (-11)
3	Sam Burns	67	63	130 (-10)
4	Scottie Scheffler	66	65	131 (-9)

Denny McCarthy (T1/-11)

- Ties the low round of the week with a 7-under 63 (Viktor Hovland/R2, Sam Burns/R2), marking his 10th round of 63 or better on TOUR and first since the final round of the 2024 Valero Texas Open
- Second career 36-hole lead/co-lead on TOUR (2023 Travelers Championship/T7)
- Seeking to advance to the TOUR Championship for the first time in his career; finished a career-best 33rd in the final 2023 FedExCup standings
- Looking to become the third player in TOUR history to earn his first title at a FedExCup Playoffs event (Will Zalatoris/2022 FedEx St. Jude Championship; Camilo Villegas/2008 BMW Championship)

Hideki Matsuyama (T1/-11)

- 64 marks his 12th consecutive round of par or better at TPC Southwind, the longest active streak on TOUR
- 129 marks his low 36-hole total on the PGA TOUR (previous: 130; 2018 BMW Championship, 2016 Wyndham Championship)
- Sixth career 36-hole lead/co-lead on TOUR; 2-for-5 converting the victory: 2021 ZOZO Championship, 2016 World Golf Championships-HSBC Champions
- Enters the week No. 8 in the FedExCup; has 10 consecutive finishes inside the top 50 in the FedExCup, the longest active streak on TOUR
- T2 at the 2021 World Golf Championships-FedEx St. Jude Invitational at TPC Southwind after falling in a playoff with Sam Burns (T2) and Abraham Ancer (Won)
- First start since winning the bronze medal for Japan at the 2024 Paris Olympics at Le Golf National

Additional Player Notes

- **Sam Burns** (3rd/-10) matches the low round of the week with a 7-under 63 (Hovland/R2, McCarthy/R2); T2 at the 2021 World Golf Championships-FedEx St. Jude Invitational at TPC Southwind after falling in a playoff with Hideki Matsuyama (T2) and Abraham Ancer (Won)
- FedExCup No. 1 **Scottie Scheffler** (4th/-9) records the eighth bogey-free round of his FedExCup Playoffs career with a second-round 65, which marks his fifth score of 66 or better in 22 rounds at TPC Southwind; one of two players to hold the No. 1 position entering the FedExCup Playoffs more than once (Tiger Woods/2007, 2008, 2009, 2012, 2013; Scottie Scheffler/2022, 2024)
- Reigning FedExCup Champion **Viktor Hovland** (T7/-7) posts a second-round 63, marking his lowest score on TOUR since a final-round 63 at the 2023 TOUR Championship
- First-round leader **Chris Kirk** (T10/-6) birdied his first three holes of the second round to reach 9-under before closing with two bogeys for an even-par 70; there has not been a wire-to-wire winner in FedEx St. Jude Championship history
- One of four PGA TOUR rookies to qualify for the FedExCup Playoffs, **Nick Dunlap** (T5/-8) posts 67-65—132 in his debut at TPC Southwind; one of 11 first-time winners in the Regular Season (The American Express, Barracuda Championship) and one of two first-time winners to add a second title

FedExCup Playoffs Projections

The top-50 players at the conclusion of the FedEx St. Jude Championship will advance to the BMW Championship.

Players projected to move into top 50

Player	Position	YTD Rank	Proj. Rank
Justin Rose	T5	55	32
Viktor Hovland	T7	57	43
Harris English	T20	51	47
Nick Taylor	T20	52	48
Nick Dunlap	T5	67	49

Players projected to move out of top 50

Player	Position	YTD Rank	Proj. Rank
Keegan Bradley	T42	39	51
Cam Davis	T42	44	53
Max Greyserman	T65	47	54
Mackenzie Hughes	T58	48	55
Jake Knapp	69	50	58