



2024 Grant Thornton Invitational

Naples, Florida
Tiburón Golf Club

December 13-15, 2024

Par 72/Yards: 7,382 (PGA TOUR), 6,788 (LPGA)

Purse: \$4 million

Winner: \$1 million (\$500,000 each)

Second-Round Notes – Saturday, December 14, 2024

Weather: Scattered showers. High of 79. Wind ENE 13-18 mph, with gusts to 27 mph.

Format: Three-round 54-hole stroke-play event with 16 teams of two. R1/Scramble, **R2/Foursomes**, R3/Modified Four-Ball

Foursomes: Each team's players alternate hitting shots with the same ball until the ball is holed. One player will tee off on the odd-numbered holes, and the other tees off on the even-numbered holes.

Second-Round Leaderboard

Pos.	Player	R1	R2	Total
1	Jake Knapp/Patty Tavatanakit	58	66	124 (-20)
2	Tom Kim/Jeeno Thitikul	62	64	126 (-18)
3	Akshay Bhatia/Jennifer Kupcho	59	68	127 (-17)
4	Jason Day/Lydia Ko	62	67	129 (-15)
T5	Max Greyserman/Andrea Lee	64	66	130 (-14)
T5	Matthieu Pavon/Celine Boutier	63	67	130 (-14)
T5	Corey Connors/Brooke Henderson	59	71	130 (-14)
T8	Cameron Young/Lauren Coughlin	63	69	132 (-12)
T8	Sahith Theegala/Allisen Corpuz	61	71	132 (-12)
T10	Daniel Berger/Nelly Korda	63	70	133 (-11)
T10	J.T. Poston/Maja Stark	61	72	133 (-11)
T12	Cameron Champ/Mel Reid	66	69	135 (-9)
T12	Luke List/Lilia Vu	63	72	135 (-9)
T14	Matt Kuchar/Megan Khang	64	72	136 (-8)
T14	Rickie Fowler/Lexi Thompson	63	73	136 (-8)
16	Nick Dunlap/Gabriela Ruffels	65	76	141 (-3)

Jake Knapp/Patty Tavatanakit (1st/-20)

- 18-hole leaders record seven birdies and one bogey (No. 4) for a 66 in Foursomes
- Hold the 36-hole lead by two strokes, equaling the largest 36-hole lead at the event (Jason Day and Lydia Ko/2023)
- At 20-under 124, tie the tournament 36-hole scoring record (Day/Ko/2023)
- Represent the only team in the field with both players having won on their respective Tour this season
- Tavatanakit is in her fifth season on the Tour and is one of six LPGA Tour players in the field with wins this season (2024 Honda LPGA Thailand)
- Knapp finished No. 64 in the FedExCup Fall standings after qualifying for the FedExCup Playoffs in his rookie season on TOUR and winning the 2024 Mexico Open at VidantaWorld
- Knapp is one five PGA TOUR and LPGA Tour rookies in the field (others: Nick Dunlap, Max Greyserman, Matthieu Pavon, Gabriela Ruffels)
- First-time Grant Thornton Invitational participants Knapp and Tavatanakit played college golf at UCLA

Miscellaneous Notes

- **Tom Kim/Jeeno Thitikul** (2nd/-18) set the Grant Thornton Invitational 18-hole Foursomes scoring record with a second round 8-under 64 (previous: 66/Jason Day and Lydia Ko/2023); one of four teams in which both players participated in the women's and men's golf competitions at the 2024 Paris Olympics (Kim/Republic of Korea, Thitikul/Thailand)
- Defending champions **Jason Day/Lydia Ko** (4th/-15) follow an opening round 10-under 62 with a 5-under 67 to sit five shots back entering the final round
- Grant Thornton ambassadors: **Nelly Korda**/Daniel Berger (T10/-11), **Cameron Champ/Mel Reid** (T12/-9), **Rickie Fowler**/Lexi Thompson (T14/-8)