





Las Vegas, Nevada October 17-20, 2024 FedExCup points: 500 (winner)

TPC Summerlin Par/Yards: 35-36—71/7,255 Purse: \$7 million (\$1,260,000/winner)

COMPLETED First-Round Notes - Friday, October 18, 2024

Thursday Weather: Sunny. High of 82. Wind SSE 6-12 mph, switching to SSW 15-20 mph and gusting to 30 mph.

Friday Weather: Partly cloudy. High of 68. Wind NNW 25-30 mph, gusting to 45 mph.

Suspension/delay: Round one was suspended due to darkness at 6:13 p.m. PT with eight players yet to finish. The first round was scheduled to resume at 8:10 a.m., but instead resumed at 12:06 p.m. after a delay of 3 hours, 56 minutes due to high winds and unsafe weather conditions. Round one was completed at 12:36 p.m. The second round was scheduled to begin on time at 6:55 a.m., but was delayed four hours and began at 10:55 a.m.

First-Round Leaderboard

Pos.	Player	R1
1	Taylor Pendrith	61 (-10)
T2	Bud Cauley	64 (-7)
	Ben Silverman	64 (-7)
	Rico Hoey	64 (-7)
	J.T. Poston	64 (-7)
	Harry Hall	64 (-7)
	Matti Schmid	64 (-7)
	Mark Hubbard	64 (-7)
	Doug Ghim	64 (-7)
	Joseph Bramlett	64 (-7)
	Garrick Higgo	64 (-7)

Taylor Pendrith (1st/-10)

- Canadian hit 13 of 14 fairways, 17 of 18 greens in regulation and required 26 putts en route to 10-under 61, which ties career-best round on TOUR (61/R2/2021 Butterfield Bermuda Championship)
- Holds 18-hole lead/co-lead for the second time on TOUR (2022 Rocket Mortgage Classic/T2); last 18-hole leader/co-leader to win this event was Rod Pampling (2016)
- One stroke shy of the best opening-round score in Shriners Children's Open history (60 J.J. Henry/2013, Rod Pampling/2016)
- Three-stroke lead matches largest 18-hole lead in tournament history (Bill Glasson/1985)
- Seeks second PGA TOUR win and second victory this season (2024/THE CJ CUP Byron Nelson); with a win, would become the seventh multiple winner on TOUR this season: Scottie Scheffler (7), Nick Dunlap (2), Robert MacIntyre (2), Xander Schauffele (2), Hideki Matsuyama (2), Rory McIlroy (2)
- With a victory, would become the fifth consecutive international winner of the Shriners Children's Open and the first Canadian to win this event (Tom Kim/Korea/2023 and 2022, Sungjae Im/Korea/2021, Martin Laird/Scotland/2020)
- Looks to improve on each of his three prior appearances at TPC Summerlin (T47/2021, T44/2022, T3/2023)
- Member of the 2024 Presidents Cup International Team with a 2-3-0 record at that event
- First official start on TOUR since the 2024 TOUR Championship (T14)

FedExCup Fall Notes

- The 2024 Shriners Children's Open is the fourth event of the FedExCup Fall, a group of eight tournaments played after the TOUR Championship that finalizes eligibility for the 2025 PGA TOUR Season.
- The Aon Next 10 is an eligibility pathway to earn access into Signature Events (outside of The Sentry), recognizing the top 10 players, not otherwise exempt, from the FedExCup standings. Nos. 51-60 in the final FedExCup Fall standings at the conclusion of The RSM Classic will serve as the Aon Next 10 for the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am and The Genesis Invitational.

- Three Las Vegas, Nevada residents are among the 10 players currently tied at 7-under:
- o **Joseph Bramlett** (T2/-7) cards his low round this season (72 rounds); marks his 19th bogey-free round on the PGA TOUR and first since 2024 Farmers Insurance Open (R2)
- Harry Hall (T2/-7) notches his 13th consecutive under-par round at TPC Summerlin; Englishman won his first PGA TOUR title in a five-man playoff at the 2024 ISCO Championship
- O Doug Ghim (T2/-7) mixes nine birdies and two bogeys en route to his low 18-hole score at TPC Summerlin (13 rounds)
- Defending champion **Tom Kim** (T62/-2) was 3-over after five holes before playing his last 11 holes 5-under
- **Joel Dahmen** (+5) receives a four-stroke penalty when it was discovered on the fourth tee that he had more than 14 clubs in his bag; Dahmen withdrew before the start of the second round