



2024 ZOZO CHAMPIONSHIP
(5th of 8 FedExCup Fall events)

ACCORDIA GOLF Narashino CC
Chiba, Japan

October 24-27, 2024
Par/Yards: 34-36—70/7,079

FedExCup Points: 500 (winner)
Purse: \$8.5 million (\$1,530,000)

Second-Round Notes – Friday, October 25, 2024

Weather: Mostly cloudy. High of 71. Wind NE 8-15 mph.

Second-Round Leaderboard

Pos.	Player	R1	R2	Total
1	Nico Echavarria	64	64	128 (-12)
T2	Taylor Moore	63	67	130 (-10)
T2	Justin Thomas	66	64	130 (-10)
T4	Eric Cole	64	67	131 (-9)
T4	Seamus Power	69	62	131 (-9)
T4	C.T. Pan	65	66	131 (-9)

Nico Echavarria (1st/-12)

- Earns career first 36-hole lead/co-lead on TOUR following a second-round 64 in his tournament debut
- Posts career low 36-hole score of 128 (130/2022 Butterfield Bermuda Championship/T23)
- Equals tournament 36-hole low score (Tiger Woods/2019) and 36-hole largest lead (Tiger Woods/2019)
- Seeking a second TOUR victory following maiden win at 2023 Puerto Rico Open
- Entered the week with one top-10 this season (T4/Zurich Classic of New Orleans with partner Max Greyserman)
- Projected to move from 113th to 66th in the FedExCup Fall points list with a victory

Miscellaneous Notes

- First-round leader **Taylor Moore** cards second-round 3-under 67 for T2 on 10-under; seeking his first top-10 in third start at the ZOZO CHAMPIONSHIP (T12/2022, T21/2023)
- **Justin Thomas** enjoys a bogey-free 6-under 64, which included a closing eagle, for T2; seeking fifth PGA TOUR victory in Asia (2015 & 2016 CIMB Classic, Malaysia, 2017 and 2019 CJ CUP @ NINE BRIDGES, South Korea); finished T2 in 2020 ZOZO CHAMPIONSHIP when it was played in Sherwood Country Club in Thousand Oaks, California
- **Eric Cole** stands T4 at the midway point following a second round 3-under 67. He finished T2 in his tournament debut in 2023
- Making his tournament debut, Ireland's **Seamus Power** (T4/-9) records a bogey-free 8-under 62 for his career-best 18-hole score on TOUR and the week's low round
- Defending champion **Collin Morikawa** returns a 3-under 67 for T22 to lie 8 behind the leader; trailed by four strokes through 36 holes when he won in 2023
- After a first-round 73 which included a quadruple-bogey, World No. 2 **Xander Schauffele** (T42/-2) follows with a 5-under 65 on his 31st birthday
- The ZOZO CHAMPIONSHIP is co-sanctioned with the Japan Golf Tour Organization (JGTO) with a total of 14 JGTO members in the field: Taisei Shimizu (T9/-7), Takumi Kanaya (T13/-6), Kensei Hirata (T16/-5), Shugo Imahira (T16/-5), Ryosuke Kinoshita (T16/-5), Ryo Ishikawa (T22/-4), Yuta Sugiura (T22/-4), Ren Yonezawa (T31/-3), Naoyuki Kataoka (T57/+1), Yuto Katsuragawa (T52/E), Hiroshi Iwata (T71/+4), Takahiro Hataji (T69/+3), Takashi Ogiso (74th+8), Kaito Onishi (77th+12)
- **Maverick McNealey** withdrew before the start of his second round due to illness

FedExCup Fall Notes

- Nos. 1-50 in the FedExCup standings through the TOUR Championship are locked in their positions, while Nos. 51 and beyond carry their FedExCup points into the Fall; Nos. 51-60 through the FedExCup Fall will qualify for two Signature Events in 2024: AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am, The Genesis Invitational
 - Currently projected to move into Nos. 51-60: Taylor Moore (T2; No. 67 to No. 55)
 - Currently projected to move out of Nos. 51-60: Jake Knapp (Not in field; No. 59 to No. 61)

- The Top 125 will be exempt into all Full-Field events and THE PLAYERS next season and Nos. 126-150 will earn full Korn Ferry Tour status and conditional status on TOUR next season
 - No players are currently projected to move into The Top 125