



**2025 Baycurrent Classic**  
*(Third of seven FedExCup Fall events)*

**Yokohama Country Club**  
Yokohama, Japan

**October 9-12, 2025**  
**Par/Yards: 36-35—71/7,315**

**FedExCup Points: 500 (winner)**  
**Purse: \$8 million (\$1,440,000)**

**Pre-Tournament Information – 2025 Baycurrent Classic**

**Player Interviews (all times local - JST)**

**Tuesday, October 7**

1 p.m. - Hideki Matsuyama

1:30 p.m. - Adam Scott

**Wednesday, October 8 (18-hole Pro-Am)**

After 7 a.m. pro-am - Nico Echavarria

After 7:20 a.m. pro-am - Xander Schauffele

After 7:40 a.m. pro-am - Collin Morikawa

After 7:50 a.m. pro-am - Keita Nakajima

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**Collin Morikawa**

- 2023 Baycurrent Classic winner is making his seventh consecutive career start at the event
- Holds the largest margin of victory in event history (2023/6 strokes)
- Owns four top-10s in 20 starts this season, including two runner-up finishes (The Sentry, Arnold Palmer Invitational presented by Mastercard)
- Six-time PGA TOUR winner's most recent victory came at the 2023 Baycurrent Classic; this week marks his 43<sup>rd</sup> start on TOUR since his victory

**Xander Schauffele**

- Highest-ranked player in the field at No. 4 in the Official World Golf Ranking
- Seventh consecutive appearance at the Baycurrent Classic with two top-10s (T10/2019, T9/2022)
- Making first start on TOUR since the BMW Championship (T28)
- Holds the most consecutive cuts made on TOUR with 71 (next: Scottie Scheffler/64)
- Nine-time PGA TOUR winner's most recent victory came at the 2024 Open Championship
- Won the gold medal in the 2021 Olympic Games in Tokyo, where his maternal grandparents reside; his mother also grew up in Japan

**Hideki Matsuyama**

- Ehime, Japan native has a win (2021) and a runner-up (2019) in six starts at the Baycurrent Classic
- With 11 PGA TOUR wins, has the most wins of an Asian player on the PGA TOUR
- Win at The Sentry marks his only top-10 in 22 starts this season
- Making his first start on TOUR since qualifying for his 11<sup>th</sup> TOUR Championship (finished 29<sup>th</sup>) in 12 seasons (missed in 2023)

**Nico Echavarria**

- Earned his second PGA TOUR victory at the 2024 Baycurrent Classic and first since the 2023 Puerto Rico Open
- Became the second player from Colombia with multiple victories on PGA TOUR (Camilo Villegas/5)
- One of two international winners in tournament history (Hideki Matsuyama/Japan/2021)
- Holds the tournament 72-hole low score at 20-under 260 (previous: 261/Tiger Woods/2019)
- World No. 1 Scottie Scheffler is the only player to defend their title on TOUR this season (the Memorial Tournament presented by Workday)
- Seeks to become first player to successfully defend at the Baycurrent Classic and first multiple winner of the event

- Enters the week No. 68 in the FedExCup Fall Standings; two top-10s in 23 starts this season, including a runner-up at the Sony Open in Hawaii

#### Adam Scott

- 18<sup>th</sup> start of the season, highlighted by four top-20 finishes (T15/The Sentry, T19/PGA Championship, T12/U.S. Open, T17/Genesis Scottish Open)
- Set to make his third start at the Baycurrent Classic (T33/2019, T41/2023)
- Owns 14 career TOUR victories (most recent: 2020 The Genesis Invitational)
- Looking to earn first top-5 finish in 18 starts (last: T4/2024 TOUR Championship)
- Enters the week No. 97 in the FedExCup Fall standings; exempt on TOUR thru 2026 after qualifying for the 2024 TOUR Championship

#### Keita Nakajima

- Kazo, Japan native is making his fourth start at the Baycurrent Classic (T28/2021, T12/2022, T51/2023)
- Best finish in 16 starts on TOUR: T12/2022 Baycurrent Classic
- Playing on a sponsor exemption, making his third start of the season (MC/PGA Championship, T55/Genesis Scottish Open)
- Won in his 11<sup>th</sup> start on the DP World Tour at the 2024 Hero Indian Open

#### Baycurrent Classic notes

- The 2025 Baycurrent Classic marks the first year with Baycurrent as title sponsor and Yokohama Country Club will play host to the event for the first time.
- Located approximately 25 miles south of Tokyo, Yokohama Country Club was established in 1960 as a 36-hole facility designed by the late Takeo Aiyama. The tournament will be held with an original routing that combines 16 holes from the West Course and two holes from the East Course
- Every year since 1993, the PGA TOUR has had at least one Japanese player in its membership including five with fully exempt status for the 2025 season: Hideki Matsuyama, Ryo Hisatsune, Takumi Kanaya, Kaito Onishi, Rikuya Hoshino; Hoshino is the only one of the five not in the field this week
- The Baycurrent Classic is co-sanctioned with the Japan Golf Tour Organization (JGTO) and a total of 14 JGTO members earned entry as per the following (17 total players from Japan in the field):
  - Top seven available from JGTO Prize Money List through Japan Open: Kazuki Higa, Kota Kaneko, Riki Kawamoto, Satoshi Kodaira, Takanori Konishi, Tatsunori Shogenji, Ren Yonezawa,
  - Winner BMW Japan Golf Tour Championship Mori Building Cup: Taiga Semikawa
  - Winner of the 2025 ACN Championship: Takumi Kanaya
  - JGTO current membership: Mikumu Horikawa, Ryo Ishikawa, Keita Nakajima, Naoto Nakanishi
  - Sponsor exemption through the Hideki Matsuyama Amateur Challenge presented by LEXUS: Taiga Kobayashi
- Since the inception of the Baycurrent Classic in 2019, six different players from Japan have finished inside the top 10: Hideki Matsuyama (1<sup>st</sup>/2021, 2<sup>nd</sup>/2019), Ryo Ishikawa (T4/2023), Kensei Hirata (T6/2023), Ryo Hisatsune (T6/2023), Yuta Sugiura (T6/2024), Takumi Kanaya (T7/2021)
- 13 of the top 50 players in the Official World Golf Ranking are in the field, including two inside the top 10: **Xander Schauffele**/No. 4 and **Collin Morikawa**/No. 9
- 11 players in the field have won on the PGA TOUR this season, including **Brian Campbell** (Mexico Open at VidantaWorld, John Deere Classic), one of six multiple winners on TOUR this season
- Four players in the field competed at the 2025 TOUR Championship: **Chris Gotterup**, **Collin Morikawa**, **Sungjae Im**, **Hideki Matsuyama**
- Three past champions in the field: **Hideki Matsuyama** (2021), **Collin Morikawa** (2023), **Nico Echavarria** (2024)
- 40 of the 78 players in the field competed at last week's Sanderson Farms Championship in Jackson, Mississippi, including six that finished in the top 10: Garrick Higgo (2<sup>nd</sup>), Rasmus Højgaard (T3), Vince Whaley (T3), Danny Walker (T3), Christiaan Bezuidenhout (T6), Eric Cole (T9)
- **Michael Kim** makes his first start since winning the 2025 FedEx Open de France on the DP World Tour, his first worldwide title in seven years; Kim became the first American to win the French Open in 53 years (since Barry Jaekel in 1972)
- 2025 Rocket Classic champion **Aldrich Potgieter**, the only PGA TOUR rookie that qualified for the FedExCup Playoffs, is making his first start since the FedEx St. Jude Championship; The Arnold Palmer Award (PGA TOUR Rookie of the Year) will be voted on after the conclusion of the FedExCup Fall.

#### PGA TOUR season notes

- The 2025 Baycurrent Classic is the third of the FedExCup Fall, a group of seven tournaments played after the TOUR Championship that finalizes eligibility for the 2026 PGA TOUR Season.

- Winners of events during the FedExCup Fall receive the similar benefits of winners of Full-Field Events during the Regular Season, including 500 FedExCup points, Official World Golf Ranking points, a two-year PGA TOUR exemption (exempt thru 2026) and invitations to The Sentry, THE PLAYERS Championship and PGA Championship
- The Aon Next 10 is an eligibility pathway that awards 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
- Notable players in the field who enter the Baycurrent Classic around the top 100 in the standings and are not exempt beyond 2025: **Rasmus Højgaard** (No. 75), **Gary Woodland** (No. 76), **Ryo Hisatsune** (No. 83), **Michael Thorbjornsen** (No. 90), **Joel Dahmen** (No. 103), **Alex Noren** (No. 113).