



2025 Charles Schwab Challenge
(24th of 36 FedExCup Regular Season events)



Fort Worth, Texas
Colonial Country Club

May 22-25, 2025
Par/Yards: 35-35—70/7,289 yards

FedExCup points: 500 (winner)
Purse: \$9.5 million/\$1,710,000

Third-Round Notes – Saturday, May 24, 2025

Weather: Partly cloudy and windy. High of 96. Wind S 14-18 mph, with gusts to 28 mph.

Third-Round Leaderboard

Pos.	Player	R1	R2	R3	Total
T1	Ben Griffin	66	63	68	197 (-13)
T1	Matti Schmid	66	63	68	197 (-13)
3	Rickie Fowler	70	64	67	201 (-9)
T4	Robert MacIntyre	68	70	64	202 (-8)
T4	Nick Hardy	68	67	67	202 (-8)
T4	Akshay Bhatia	67	66	69	202 (-8)

Matti Schmid (T1/-13)

- Holds 54-hole lead/co-lead for the second time; 0-for-1 to date (2022 ISCO Championship/T8; final-round 5-over 77)
- Making his second appearance at the Charles Schwab Challenge (MC/2024)
- Best opening 54-hole scores on TOUR (2022 ISCO Championship/194/finished T8, 2023 Butterfield Bermuda Championship/196/3rd, 2025 Charles Schwab Challenge/197/TBD)
- Making his 79th start on TOUR and seeking his first career win (best finishes: 2024 Shriners Children's Open/T3, 2023 Butterfield Bermuda Championship/3rd)
- Would become the eighth player to win his first PGA TOUR event at the Charles Schwab Challenge, with Sergio Garcia (2001) the most recent to do so
- There have been eight first-time winners this season, most recently Ryan Fox at the ONEflight Myrtle Beach Classic
- Four players from Germany have won on TOUR (eight wins), most recently Stephan Jaeger at the 2024 Texas Children's Houston Open

Ben Griffin (T1/-13)

- Third 54-hole lead/co-lead in individual stroke-play events on TOUR; 0-for-2 to date (2022 Butterfield Bermuda Championship/T3, 2023 Sanderson Farms Championship/T2); along with teammate Andrew Novak, held the 54-hole lead in the Zurich Classic in New Orleans en route to winning
- Making his 94th start, seeking his second TOUR win (2025 Zurich Classic of New Orleans); would join Rory McIlroy (3), Scottie Scheffler (2) and Sepp Straka (2) as multiple winners this season
- Would become the fourth player to win a stroke-play and team event in the same season since the Zurich Classic of New Orleans became a team event in 2017; Rory McIlroy is the most recent to perform the feat with wins at the 2024 Zurich Classic of New Orleans (with Shane Lowry) and the Truist Championship
- Best opening 54-hole scores on TOUR (2022 Butterfield Bermuda Championship/195/finished T3, 2023 Sanderson Farms Championship/196/finished P2, 2025 Charles Schwab Challenge/197/TBD)
- 18th start of the season where he has notched one win and five top-10 finishes (T7/The American Express, T4/Mexico Open at VidantaWorld, T4/Cognizant Classic in The Palm Beaches, Won/Zurich Classic of New Orleans/with teammate Andrew Novak, T8/PGA Championship)
- Making his third consecutive start at the Charles Schwab Challenge (T52/2023, MC/2024)

Scottie Scheffler (T7/-7)

- World No. 1 seeking to join Ben Hogan (1946) as the only players to win the Charles Schwab Challenge and THE CJ CUP Byron Nelson in the same season; would become the 16th player to win both events during their respective careers
- With a 6-under 64, shared round of the day honors with Robert MacIntyre (T4/-8) and Lucas Glover (T10/-6)
- In search of his fourth straight top-three finish at Colonial (2nd/2022, T3/2023, T2/2024)

- THE CJ CUP Byron Nelson and PGA Championship winner is seeking to become the first to win three consecutive starts since Dustin Johnson in 2017 (Genesis Invitational, WGC-Mexico Championship, WGC-Dell Technologies Match Play)

Additional Player Notes

- The largest come-from-behind win at the Charles Schwab Challenge is seven strokes by Nick Price (1994) and Sam Burns (2022; defeated 54-hole leader Scottie Scheffler in a playoff)
- **Rickie Fowler** (3rd/-9) trails by four in bid for his seventh TOUR victory; will play in the final group for the first time since his most recent win at the 2023 Rocket Classic; making his 12th start at the Charles Schwab Challenge, with his best finish coming in 2012 (T5)
- **Akshay Bhatia** (T4/-8) trails by five in bid to win in three consecutive seasons (2023 Barracuda Championship, 2024 2024 Valero Texas Open)
- **Tommy Fleetwood** (T10/-6) has the most top 10 finishes without a win on the PGA TOUR since 1983 (40)

Aon Next 10 and Aon Swing 5

- **Aon Next 10:** The top 10 players in the FedExCup standings not otherwise exempt following the Charles Schwab Challenge will qualify for the Memorial Tournament presented by Workday. Current standings:

Rank	Player	Projected pts.	R3 Position
1	Andrew Novak	1,523	T7
2	Ben Griffin	1,503	T1
3	Harris English	1,272	T59
4	J.J. Spaun	1,232	T10
5	Maverick McNealy	1,226	MC
6	Daniel Berger	1,093	MC
7	Justin Rose	1,038	---
8	Michael Kim	943	T43
9	Jacob Bridgeman	934	MC
10	Nick Taylor	929	---

- **Aon Swing 5:** The top five players not otherwise exempt who earn the most FedExCup points during the ONEflight Myrtle Beach Classic and the Charles Schwab Challenge will qualify for the Memorial Tournament presented by Workday. Current standings:

Rank	Player	Projected pts.	R3 Position
1	Matti Schmid	544	T1
2	Ryan Fox	300	---
3	Rickie Fowler	190	3 rd
4	Harry Higgs	145	T43
5	Mackenzie Hughes	135	MC