

SIGNATURE EVENT FACT SHEET (ENTERING FARMERS INSURANCE OPEN)

OVERVIEW

Signature Events are limited-field events comprised of the top PGA TOUR players from the previous season's FedExCup as well as trending players from the current season who play their way in via the Aon Next 10 and Aon Swing 5. These eligibility pathways deliver compelling storylines and added consequence at Full Field Events while impacting the season-long race for the FedExCup.

AON NEXT 10 and AON SWING 5

The Aon Next 10 and Aon Swing 5 are eligibility pathways for players, not already qualified, to play their way into Signature Events via the FedExCup standings.



- Aon Next 10:** Top 10 available players, not otherwise exempt, from FedExCup standings. The Aon Next 10 will always fill to 10 players. *(Note: the Aon Next 10 for the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am and The Genesis Invitational was determined through the FedExCup Fall standings. For each Signature Event after, the Aon Next 10 will include the top 10 players from the current FedExCup standings, not otherwise exempt, through the week prior)*
- Aon Swing 5:** Top five available players, not otherwise exempt, who earn the most FedExCup points from events leading up to each Signature Event. The Aon Swing 5 will always fill to five players.

AON SWING 5 STANDINGS

1	J.J. Spaun	189.000	6	Mark Hubbard	92.666
2	Justin Lower	178.000	T7	Patrick Fishburn	88.750
3	Alex Smalley	119.000	T7	Adam Schenk	88.750
4	Charley Hoffman	109.700	T7	Jackson Suber	88.750
5	Harry Hall	100.292			

STORYLINES

The Farmers Insurance Open is the third and final event where players can earn FedExCup points toward the Aon Swing 5 to earn their spot in the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am, the second Signature Event of the season. The top five players not otherwise exempt who earn the most FedExCup points during the Sony Open in Hawaii, The American Express and Farmers Insurance Open will qualify for the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am, while the top five players not otherwise exempt who earn the most FedExCup points during those three events and the WM Phoenix Open, will qualify for The Genesis Invitational. The Aon Next 10 for the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am and The Genesis Invitational was determined through the FedExCup Fall standings.

LAST WEEK ON TOUR: The American Express

Sepp Straka held a four-stroke lead after 54 holes and went on to win by two shots, marking his third career victory on TOUR in his 169th start. Straka, as well as runner-up **Justin Thomas**, was already exempt for all Signature Events in 2025 by finishing in the top 50 in the 2024 FedExCup standings. With a T3 finish, **Justin Lower** moved to No. 2 in the Aon Swing 5 standings, while **Charley Hoffman** moved to No. 4 after finishing T5.

PLAYERS TO WATCH: Farmers Insurance Open

San Diego native **Charley Hoffman** will be making his 27th appearance in the Farmers Insurance Open this week. He has three career top-10 finishes in the event, highlighted by a pair of T7s in 2009 and 2014. Hoffman competed on a Top 50 career money exemption in 2024 and finished inside the top 125 in the FedExCup Fall standings to retain fully exempt status in 2025.

Rookie **Jackson Suber** sits T7 in the Aon Swing 5 standings entering this week, the highest positioned rookie in the standings. Suber earned his PGA TOUR card through the Korn Ferry Tour last season, and he placed T6 at the season-opening Sony Open in Hawaii.

SIGNATURE EVENTS ELIGIBILITY

Eligibility criteria for Signature Events (outside The Sentry):

- Top 50 in the previous season's FedExCup standings
- Aon Next 10
- Aon Swing 5
- If not exempt from a higher category listed above: current-year tournament winners (excluding Additional Events) and PGA TOUR members in the top 30 in the OWGR
- Four sponsor exemptions (PGA TOUR members)
- The three player-hosted events each have one tournament host exemption, which is not restricted to PGA TOUR members

PRIORITY RANKING: AT&T PEBBLE BEACH PRO-AM

Ranking shows eligible players // *Italics* indicates a player is eligible via higher category

Category 1

Top 50 from 2024 FedExCup Standings

Rk.	Player	Count
1	Scottie Scheffler	1
2	Collin Morikawa	2
3	Sahith Theegala	3
4	Russell Henley	4
4	Adam Scott	5
4	Xander Schauffele	6
7	Sungjae Im	7
8	Wyndham Clark	8
9	Hideki Matsuyama	9
9	Shane Lowry	10
9	Rory McIlroy	11
12	Viktor Hovland	12
12	Sam Burns	13
14	Justin Thomas	14
14	Taylor Pendrith	15
16	Ludvig Åberg	16
17	Matthieu Pavon	17
17	Robert MacIntyre	18
17	Patrick Cantlay	19
20	Tommy Fleetwood	20
21	Byeong Hun An	21
21	Keegan Bradley	22
23	Billy Horschel	23
23	Tony Finau	24
23	Aaron Rai	25
26	Akshay Bhatia	26
27	Sepp Straka	27
27	Chris Kirk	28
29	Tom Hoge	29
29	Christiaan Bezuidenhout	30
31	Brian Harman	31
32	Si Woo Kim	32
33	Jason Day	33
34	Davis Thompson	34
35	Denny McCarthy	35
36	Cam Davis	36
37	Alex Noren	37
38	Will Zalatoris	38
39	Corey Conners	39
40	Matt Fitzpatrick	40
41	J.T. Poston	41
42	Thomas Detry	42
43	Stephan Jaeger	43
44	Cameron Young	44
45	Austin Eckroat	45
46	Max Homa	46
47	Adam Hadwin	47
48	Max Greyserman	48
49	Nick Dunlap	49
50	Eric Cole	50

Category 2

Aon Next 10

Rk.	Player	Count
1	Maverick McNealy	51
2	Mackenzie Hughes	52
3	Patrick Rodgers	53
4	Nico Echavarria	54
5	Harris English	55
6	Seamus Power	56
7	Ben Griffin	57
8	Kevin Yu	58
9	Tom Kim	59
10	Nick Taylor	60

Category 3*

Top player from Race to Dubai not otherwise exempt

1	Rasmus Højgaard	61
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Category 4

Aon Swing 5 (current standings)

Rk.	Player	Count
	<i>Nick Taylor</i>	
	<i>Sepp Straka</i>	
	<i>Justin Thomas</i>	
	<i>Nico Echavarria</i>	
1	J.J. Spaun	62
2	Justin Lower	63
	<i>Jason Day</i>	
	<i>Stephan Jaeger</i>	
3	Alex Smalley	64
	<i>Eric Cole</i>	
4	Charley Hoffman	65
	<i>Patrick Cantlay</i>	
5	Harry Hall	66

Category 5

Current season tournament winners (full FedExCup point events)

Rk.	Player	Count
	<i>Hideki Matsuyama</i>	
	<i>Nick Taylor</i>	
	<i>Sepp Straka</i>	

Category 6

Sponsor exemptions (PGA TOUR members)

Rk.	Player	Count
1	Jordan Spieth	67
2	TBA	68
3	TBA	69
4	TBA	70

QUICK FACTS

- Field sizes for Signature Events are approximately 72-80 players (80 players for the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am due to format). New in 2025, fields will have a minimum of 72 players. If necessary to fill the field, tournaments will use the next available player(s) from the Aon Next 10.
- \$20 million purses; 700 FedExCup points to the winner
- No cut, except for three player-hosted invitationals (Arnold Palmer Invitational, The Genesis Invitational, the Memorial Tournament)

Category 7

PGA TOUR members in the top 30 in the Official World Golf Ranking

Rk.	Player	Count
	<i>Scottie Scheffler</i>	
	<i>Xander Schauffele</i>	
	<i>Rory McIlroy</i>	
	<i>Hideki Matsuyama</i>	
	<i>Collin Morikawa</i>	
	<i>Ludvig Åberg</i>	
	<i>Wyndham Clark</i>	
	<i>Viktor Hovland</i>	
	<i>Patrick Cantlay</i>	
	<i>Tommy Fleetwood</i>	
	<i>Keegan Bradley</i>	
	<i>Justin Thomas</i>	
	<i>Sahith Theegala</i>	
	<i>Robert MacIntyre</i>	
	<i>Russell Henley</i>	
	<i>Billy Horschel</i>	
	<i>Sepp Straka</i>	
	<i>Sungjae Im</i>	
	<i>Adam Scott</i>	
	<i>Sam Burns</i>	
	<i>Aaron Rai</i>	
	<i>Tom Kim</i>	
	<i>Byeong Hun An</i>	
	<i>Nick Taylor</i>	
	<i>Tony Finau</i>	
	<i>Shane Lowry</i>	
	<i>Maverick McNealy</i>	
	<i>Nick Dunlap</i>	

Category 8**

Fill the field to 80 players (61 and beyond in the 2024 FedExCup Fall standings)

Rk.	Player	Count
61	Lucas Glover	71
62	Justin Rose	72
63	Mark Hubbard	73
64	Jake Knapp	74
65	Min Woo Lee	75
66	Beau Hossler	76
67	Taylor Moore	77
68	Andrew Novak	78
	<i>Justin Lower</i>	
70	Erik Van Rooyen	79
71	Doug Ghim	80

* Only for AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am and The Genesis Invitational

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