



2025 Truist Championship

(21st of 36 events in the FedExCup Regular Season)

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

The Philadelphia Cricket Club (Wissahickon)

May 8-11, 2025

Par/Yards: 35-35 – 70/7,119

FedExCup points: 700 (winner)

Purse: \$20 million (\$3.6 million)

First-Round Notes – Thursday, May 8, 2025

Weather: Partly cloudy. High of 77. Wind W 6-12 mph.

First-Round Leaderboard

Pos.	Player	R1
1	Keith Mitchell	61 (-9)
2	Denny McCarthy	62 (-8)
T3	Rickie Fowler	63 (-7)
T3	Collin Morikawa	63 (-7)
T3	Sepp Straka	63 (-7)
T3	Akshay Bhatia	63 (-7)

Keith Mitchell (1st/-9)

- Bogey-free 61 marks his career-low 18-hole score on TOUR (previous: 62, three times; most recent: 2024 American Express/Nicklaus Tournament Course/R4)
- Fourth career 18-hole lead/co-lead on TOUR and third this season:
 - 2025 Texas Children's Houston Open/finished T18
 - 2025 Valspar Championship/finished T54
 - 2023 Genesis Invitational/finished 5th
- Three first-round leads/co-leads is the most of any player on TOUR this season (2/Tom Hoge, Harry Hall, Denny McCarthy, Wyndham Clark)
- 67.10 first-round scoring average this season; second-lowest round average: 69.50/R2
- 12th start of the 2025 season and enters the week with top-20 finishes in his last four starts (T18/Texas Children's Houston Open, T12/Valero Texas Open, T2/Corales Puntacana Championship, T18/Zurich Classic of New Orleans)
- One PGA TOUR title in 200 career starts: 2019 Cognizant Classic in The Palm Beaches
- Received one of four sponsor exemptions restricted to PGA TOUR members this week

Additional Player Notes

- **Denny McCarthy** (2nd/-8) posts his low opening-round score on TOUR this season with a 62 (previous: 64/Sony Open in Hawaii); led the field in Strokes Gained: Putting (4.478) in round one
- Competing as one of four sponsor exemptions restricted to PGA TOUR members, **Rickie Fowler** (T3/-7) opens with birdies on six of his first seven holes and closes with 63; seeks his first top-10 finish in his 10th start on TOUR this season (best: T21/The American Express)
- **Collin Morikawa** (T3/-7) posts bogey-free 63 for his low opening-round score on TOUR this season (previous: 66/The Sentry); coming off his first missed cut in eight starts this season at the Zurich Classic of New Orleans (with Kurt Kitayama)
- FedExCup leader and defending champion **Rory McIlroy** (T25/-4) opens with 66 in search of his fifth career tournament title at the Truist Championship (2010, 2015, 2021, 2024); making his first start on TOUR since finishing T12 with partner Shane Lowry at the Zurich Classic of New Orleans