



2025 Valspar Championship
(13th of 36 FedExCup Regular Season events)

Palm Harbor, Florida
Innisbrook Resort (Copperhead Course)

March 20-23, 2025
Par/Yards: 36-35—71/7,352

FedExCup points: 500 (winner)
Purse: \$8,700,000/\$1,566,000

Second-Round Notes – Friday, March 21, 2025

Weather: Partly cloudy and breezy. High of 64. Wind N at 12-15 mph with morning gusts to 25 mph.

Cut: 77 professionals and one amateur at 2-over 144 from a field of 152 professionals and two amateurs. **Note:** In the final grouping of the day, Neal Shipley (T65/+2) cards bogey at the 36th hole, shifting the cut to 2-over

Second-Round Leaderboard

Pos.	Player	R1	R2	Total
1	Jacob Bridgeman	67	69	136 (-6)
T2	Viktor Hovland	70	67	137 (-5)
T2	Ryo Hisatsune	71	66	137 (-5)
T2	Byeong Hun An	70	67	137 (-5)

Jacob Bridgeman (1st/-6)

- Only player to card an eagle at No. 11 in round two en route to a 2-under 69; marks his second eagle this week (No.1/R1), his first time notching multiple eagles in an event
- Holds his first 36-hole lead/co-lead on the PGA TOUR
- Clemson product in his second season on TOUR; finished No. 113 in the 2024 FedExCup Fall standings after posting five top-15 finishes, including a season-best T11 at the Sanderson Farms Championship
- Finished No. 14 in the 2023 Korn Ferry Tour Points List to earn his PGA TOUR card for the first time
- Ninth start this season; posted a career-best T2 at the Cognizant Classic in The Palm Beaches

Miscellaneous Notes

- In his sixth TOUR start this season, **Viktor Hovland** (T2/-5) makes his third cut, but first in a tournament featuring a 36-hole cut (T36/The Sentry, T22/AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am); seeks seventh TOUR victory in his 120th start, and first since the 2023 TOUR Championship
- **Ryo Hisatsune** (T2/-5) birdies three of his last five holes to match his low round of the season (66/R1/Mexico Open at VidantaWorld/T10); T10 finish in Mexico marks his lone made cut in his last five starts on TOUR; won the 2023 FedEx Open de France on the DP World Tour and was named the Sir Henry Cotton Rookie of the Year later that season
- **Byeong Hun An** (T2/-5) is in search of his first PGA TOUR victory in his 211th start; owns five runner-up results, most recently, the 2024 Sony Open in Hawaii when he lost in a three-man playoff to Grayson Murray (Keegan Bradley); never finished better than T45 (2023) in four prior appearances at this event
- **Shane Lowry** (T5/-4) posts 6-under 29 on the back nine (his opening nine) en route to a 4-under 67; ties four players for the low back-nine score in relation to par at the Valspar Championship
- In his seventh career start, PGA TOUR rookie **Kevin Velo** (T5/-4), who earned his card via the 2024 Korn Ferry Tour Points List, makes his second consecutive cut after missing the cut in his first five career starts on TOUR (T40/Puerto Rico Open)
- World No. 3 **Xander Schauffele** (T5/-4) posts 3-under 68 and extends his TOUR-best streak of made cuts to 60
- PGA TOUR rookie **Jeremy Paul** (T5/-4) seeks to become the first player from Germany to win the Valspar Championship in a tournament with winners representing eight different countries (USA, England, Canada, South Africa, Australia, Korea, Sweden, Fiji)
- In his 20th start at this event (tied most with Brian Gay), **Lucas Glover** (T26/-1) makes a tournament-record 15th cut at the Valspar Championship
- **Luke Clanton** (T53/+1), one of two amateurs in the field, makes his 10th cut in 13 starts on the PGA TOUR
- **Steven Fisk** (T65/+2) makes a hole-in-one at the 17th hole with a 6-iron from 194 yards; marks his first ace on TOUR and the fifth ace at No. 17 on the Copperhead Course since 2000; makes the cut on the number
- Defending champion **Peter Malnati** (MC/+4) is the first Valspar Championship winner to miss the cut the following year after winning since 2014 champion John Senden