

# 2025 Stifel Charity Classic presented by Compliance Solutions



## Second-Round Notes Saturday, September 6, 2025

Norwood Hills Country Club – West Course | St. Louis, Missouri  
21<sup>st</sup> of 28 PGA TOUR Champions events in the 2025 Season

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- **Course Setup:** Par 71 / 6,856 yards
- **Round 2 Scoring Average:** 70.912
- **Weather:** Mostly Sunny. High of 75. Wind NW 5-10 mph.
- **Interviews:** [Transcripts](#)
- [Third-Round Tee Times](#)
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Pos.	Player	R1	R2	Total
T1	Alex Cejka	67	66	133 (-9)
T1	Stewart Cink	64	69	133 (-9)
T3	Paul Stankowski	67	67	134 (-8)
T3	Thomas Bjørn	65	69	134 (-8)
5 <sup>th</sup>	Tim O'Neal	69	66	135 (-7)

### Things to Know

- The Stifel Charity Classic presented by Compliance Solutions is being contested for the fifth time, each time at Norwood Hills Country Club
- Announced earlier this week, the Stifel Charity Classic presented by Compliance Solutions will become the first of three Charles Schwab Cup Playoff events in 2026
- Two of the three players in Sunday's final grouping have their sons as caddies this week – **Alex Cejka** (Alex) and **Paul Stankowski** (Josh); **Steve Flesch**, who sits T7 at 5-under and four strokes back, also has his son (Griffin) as his caddie this week; Griffin caddied for his dad when Steve won the 2023 Stifel Charity Classic

### Alex Cejka (T1/-9)

- Marks his sixth 36-hole lead/co-lead on PGA TOUR Champions and second this season; 1-for-5 converting to victory (T2/2025 Mitsubishi Electric Championship at Hualalai, 3<sup>rd</sup>/2023 Invited Celebrity Classic, T5/2022 Kaulig Companies Championship, Won/2021 Regions Tradition, T3/2021 SAS Championship)
- Holds 13 top-25 finishes in 18 starts this season, highlighted by two runner-up finishes (American Family Insurance Championship, Mitsubishi Electric Championship at Hualalai)
- On track for his best finish in fourth start at the Stifel Charity Classic (T45/2024, T40/2023, T23/2020)
- Seeking his fourth victory on PGA TOUR Champions in his 111<sup>th</sup> start (2023 The Senior Open Championship presented by Rolex, 2021 KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship, 2021 Regions Tradition)

- This week marks his 50<sup>th</sup> start since his last victory (2023 The Senior Open Championship presented by Rolex)
- Enters the week 16<sup>th</sup> in the Charles Schwab Cup Rankings; with a victory projected to move to 9<sup>th</sup>

#### Stewart Cink (T1/-9)

- Marks his seventh career 36-hole lead/co-lead in stroke-play events on PGA TOUR Champions and third this season (The Ally Challenge/Won, Boeing Classic/2<sup>nd</sup>)
- Holds 36-hole lead/co-lead at Stifel Charity Classic for second consecutive year (3<sup>rd</sup>/2024)
- Has 11 top-10 finishes this season in 14 starts, highlighted by two playoff wins (Insperity Invitational/def. Retief Goosen; The Ally Challenge/def. Ernie Els)
- Making his second start at the Stifel Charity Classic (3<sup>rd</sup>/2024), now has five consecutive rounds 60s at Norwood Hills Country Club (67,67,67,64,69)
- Seeking his fourth victory on PGA TOUR Champions in his 30<sup>th</sup> start
- Looks to become the second player to win in consecutive starts this season (Angel Cabrera/Regions Tradition, Senior PGA Championship)
- Enters the week 2<sup>nd</sup> in the Charles Schwab Cup Rankings
- Has been inside the top-3 after 13 of his last 16 rounds
- Has led/co-led seven of his last 11 rounds (including final results) this season

Stewart Cink's Position by Round (Tournaments Listed in Reverse Chronological Order)

Tournament	1st Round	2nd Round	3rd Round	4th Round
Stifel Charity Classic	1 <sup>st</sup>	T1	-	-
The Ally Challenge	1 <sup>st</sup>	2nd	Won	
Boeing Classic	T11	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	
U.S. Senior Open	T3	T1	T1	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Kaulig Companies Championship	T3	T9	T6	3 <sup>rd</sup>

#### Additional Notes

- **Paul Stankowski** (T3/-8) seeks his first career PGA TOUR Champions victory in his 97<sup>th</sup> start (previous best finish: T2/2022 PURE Insurance Championship)
- Seeking his second win this season, **Thomas Bjørn** (T3/-8) is on track for career best finish at the Stifel Charity Classic in second start (T60/2024)
- **Tim O'Neal** (5<sup>th</sup>/-7) shares low-round of the day (66) with Cejka, highlighted by an eagle on No. 8; seeks second victory on PGA TOUR Champions (2024 Dominion Energy Charity Classic) and second top-10 finish this season (T10/The Galleri Classic)
- In his 100<sup>th</sup> PGA TOUR Champions start and fourth appearance at the Stifel Charity Classic, defending champion **Y.E. Yang** (T29/-2) sits seven shots back from the lead heading into the final round
- With a 1-under 70, 71-year-old St. Louis, Missouri native **Jay Haas** (T43/-1) shoots his age or better for the 37<sup>th</sup> time on PGA TOUR Champions
- Last man in the field **Heath Slocum** (T7/-5) started the day T24 and moved up the leaderboard 17 positions after second-round 68; replaced 2021 Stifel Charity Classic winner **David Toms** in the field after he withdrew before the opening round due to a back injury