

2025 Stifel Charity Classic presented by Compliance Solutions



First-Round Notes Friday, September 5, 2025

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

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- **Course Setup:** Par 71 / 6,878 yards
- **Round 1 Scoring Average:** 70.167
- **Weather:** Cloudy. High of 73. Wind NW 5-10 mph.
- **Interviews:** [Transcripts](#)
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Pos.	Player	To Par	Score
1	Stewart Cink	-7	64
2	Thomas Bjørn	-6	65
T3	Arjun Atwal	-5	66
T3	Y.E. Yang	-5	66

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

Stewart Cink (1st/-7)

- Marks his third career 18-hole lead/co-lead in stroke-play events on PGA TOUR Champions and second this season (The Ally Challenge/Won)
- Has 11 top-10 finishes this season in 14 starts, highlighted by two playoff wins (Inspirity Invitational/def. Retief Goosen; The Ally Challenge/def. Ernie Els)
- Making his second start at the Stifel Charity Classic (2024/3rd), opening round 64 marks fourth consecutive round in the 60s at Norwood Hills Country Club (2024/67,67,67)
- Seeking his fourth victory on PGA TOUR Champions in his 30th start
- Looks to become the second player to win in consecutive starts this season (Angel Cabrera/Regions Tradition, Senior PGA Championship)
- Enters the week 2nd in the Charles Schwab Cup Rankings
- Has been inside the top-3 after 11 of his last 12 rounds, including a 3rd place finish at the Kaulig Companies Championship (in his start before the U.S. Senior Open)
- Has led/co-led six 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	1st	-	-	-

The Ally Challenge	1st	2nd	Won	
Boeing Classic	T11	1st	2nd	
U.S. Senior Open	T3	T1	T1	2nd

Additional Notes

- **Thomas Bjørn** (2nd/-6) opens the Stifel Charity Classic with a 65, marking his career best round at Norwood Hills Country Club (previous best: 72/2024/T60)
- Monday qualifier **Arjun Atwal** (T3/-5), making his third start this season (U.S. Senior Open Championship/T61, ISPS HANDA Senior Open/T24), reached 7-under through 12 holes before closing with two bogeys in his last 6 holes en route to 5-under 66; won the 2010 Wyndham Championship on the PGA TOUR after Monday qualifying
- In his 100th PGA TOUR Champions start and fourth appearance at the Stifel Charity Classic, defending champion **Y.E. Yang** (T3/-5) seeks his fourth top-three finish in four starts at this event (2nd/2022, T3/2023, Won/2024); looks to join Cink, who won The Ally Challenge in 2024 and 2025 as the only players to defend a title this season
- With an even-par 71, 71-year-old St. Louis, Missouri native **Jay Haas** (T45/E) shoots his age or better for the 36th time on PGA TOUR Champions
- 2021 Stifel Charity Classic winner **David Toms** withdrew (back injury) before the opening round and was replaced by **Heath Slocum** (T24/-2)