



2026 Corales Puntacana Championship
(31st of 34 FedExCup Regular Season events)

Punta Cana, Dominican Republic
Puntacana Resort (Corales Golf Course)

July 16-19, 2026
Par/Yards: 36-36—72/7,670 yards

FedExCup points: 300 (winner)
Purse: \$4 million (\$720,000/winner)

Pre-Tournament Information – 2026 Corales Puntacana Championship

Player Interviews (all times local AST)

Tuesday, July 14

3 p.m. – Garrick Higgo (*and Tournament Officials*)

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Garrick Higgo

- Defending champion seeks to become the first player with multiple wins in the event since its inaugural playing in 2018
- 27-year-old South African won the 2025 Corales Puntacana Championship with rounds of 64-68-70-72 (274/-14), earning a one-stroke margin of victory over five players tied at 13-under
- Became the youngest winner of the Corales Puntacana Championship with his 2025 title (25 years, 11 months, 8 days)
- One of three international winners of the event: Matt Wallace (2023/England), Graeme McDowell (2019/Northern Ireland)
- Making his third consecutive start at the Corales Puntacana Championship (MC/2024, Won/2025)
- In 17 starts this season, owns seven made cuts and one top-25 finish (T19/THE CJ CUP Byron Nelson)
- Enters the week No. 157 in the 2026 FedExCup standings
- PGA TOUR wins (2): 2021 Palmetto Championship at Congaree, 2025 Corales Puntacana Championship

Joel Dahmen

- Making his eighth tournament appearance at the Corales Puntacana Championship, where he owns two top-10 finishes including his lone PGA TOUR title in 2021 and a runner-up finish in 2025
- Opened the 2025 Corales Puntacana Championship with a first-round 62, breaking the tournament's 18-hole scoring record; went on to set the 36-hole scoring record of 128 and tied the 54-hole record of 199 (Adam Long/2020, Wesley Bryan/2024)
- Solo leader after each of the first three rounds in 2025 before a final-round 4-over 76 to finish T2, one back of Higgo
- In his 255th career start, seeks to become the first player with multiple wins in the Corales Puntacana Championship
- One of four players who earned their first PGA TOUR victory at the event (others: 2018/Brice Garnett, 2022 Chad Ramey, 2023/Matt Wallace)
- Owns two top-10 finishes in 16 starts this season (T7/Farmers Insurance Open, T9/Cognizant Classic in The Palm Beaches)

Taylor Pendrith

- Coming off a runner-up finish at last week's ISCO Championship after losing to Steven Fisk on the third playoff hole; marked his second runner-up finish on TOUR (2022 Rocket Classic)
- Set to make fourth Corales Puntacana Championship start (T34/2021, T70/2023, T11/2024)
- Has two top-10s on TOUR this season in 20 starts (T6/Sony Open in Hawaii, P2/ISCO Championship)
- Canadian seeks his second PGA TOUR title in his 131st career start (2024 CJ CUP Bryon Nelson)
- Enters the week at No. 79 in the 2026 FedExCup standings

Brice Garnett

- 2018 Corales Puntacana Championship winner making his seventh tournament appearance
- Owns three top-10 finishes in six prior starts in the event (Won/2018, T9/2021, T8/2023)
- Recorded a first-round 63 in the 2018 Corales Puntacana Championship, tied for his career low (63/2025 RSM Classic/R4)
- Seeks to become the first multiple winner of the Corales Puntacana Championship in his 297th career start
- Owns one top-10 finish in 16 starts this season (T4/RBC Canadian Open)
- PGA TOUR wins (2): 2018 Corales Puntacana Championship, 2024 Puerto Rico Open

Chad Ramey

- Set to make his fifth start at the Corales Puntacana Championship, highlighted his maiden PGA TOUR title in 2022
- Looks to become the first multiple winner of the Corales Puntacana Championship in his 142nd career start
- In 17 starts this season, owns two top-25 finishes (T22/Farmers Insurance Open, T17/Cognizant Classic in The Palm Beaches)
- One of four players to earn their first PGA TOUR title at the event (others: 2018/Brice Garnett, 2021 Joel Dahmen, 2023/Matt Wallace)

Corales Puntacana Championship notes

- The 2026 Corales Puntacana Championship marks the ninth playing of the PGA TOUR's first and only tournament in the Dominican Republic
- The Corales Puntacana Championship has been co-sanctioned by the PGA TOUR and DP World Tour since 2022 as part of the Strategic Alliance between both Tours
- The winner will receive 300 FedExCup points and a two-year exemption on the PGA TOUR, if not already exempt
- The Corales Puntacana Championship is the 31st event of the FedExCup Regular Season, with only four weeks remaining until the start of the FedExCup Playoffs. Among the notable players in the field on the top 70 bubble include **Stephan Jaeger** (No. 73), **Taylor Pendrith** (No. 76) and **Brandt Snedeker** (No. 78)
- The 144-player field includes:
 - Four past champions: **Brice Garnett** (2018), **Joel Dahmen** (2021), **Chad Ramey** (2022), **Garrick Higgo** (2025)
 - Eight of the top 100 players in the 2026 FedExCup standings, highlighted by **Stephan Jaeger** (No. 73)
 - Seven players finished inside the top 10 at the ISCO Championship last week: **Taylor Pendrith** (P2), **Ben Silverman** (T3), **Aaron Wise** (T3), **Davis Chatfield** (T5), **Kristoffer Ventura** (T5), **Manuel Elvira** (T8), **Thomas Rosenmueller** (T10)
 - 23 players who competed in last week's Genesis Scottish Open, highlighted by seven who made the cut: **Kevin Roy** (T11), **Alejandro Del Rey** (T17), **Austin Eckroat** (T30), **Nicolai Von Dellingshausen** (T52), **Yuto Katsuragawa** (T61), **Nacho Elvira** (68th), **Davis Riley** (69th)
 - **Willy Pumarol** (T53/2025) owns the best finish by a player from the Dominican Republic
- No playoffs in the eight-year history of the Corales Puntacana Championship

PGA TOUR season notes

- There have been nine international winners on TOUR this season (11 wins); the Corales Puntacana Championship has had three international winners including the defending champion **Garrick Higgo** (South Africa)
- There have been five first-time winners in the first 29 events on TOUR this season: Jacob Bridgeman (The Genesis Invitational), Ricky Castillo (Puerto Rico Open), Alex Fitzpatrick (Zurich Classic of New Orleans), Kristoffer Reitan (Truist Championship), Bud Cauley (RBC Canadian Open); the Corales Puntacana Championship has not had a first-time winner the past two years
- The 54-hole leader/co-leader has gone on to win 10 of 28 individual stroke-play events on TOUR this season; the last time the 54-hole leader/co-leader at the Corales Puntacana Championship has gone on to win was **Joel Dahmen** in 2021