



**2026 Truist Championship**  
**(18<sup>th</sup> of 34 FedExCup Regular Season events)**

**Charlotte, North Carolina**  
**Quail Hollow Club**

**May 7-10, 2026**  
**Par/Yards: 35-36 – 71/7,583**

**FedExCup points: 700 (winner)**  
**Purse: \$20 million (\$3.6 million)**

**Pre-Tournament Information - 2026 Truist Championship**

**Player Interviews (all times local, ET)**

**Tuesday, May 5**

1:50 p.m. – Matt Fitzpatrick

3:00 p.m. – Sepp Straka

**Wednesday, May 6**

Following 7:33 a.m. 9-hole pro-am – Rory McIlroy

Following 8:39 a.m. 9-hole pro-am – Cameron Young

**To be determined**

Xander Schauffele

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**Sepp Straka**

- Defending champion seeks to become the first player to successfully defend at the Truist Championship
- Set the tournament 72-hole scoring record of 264 (-16) last year en route to a two-stroke victory over Shane Lowry and Justin Thomas; 72-hole scoring record at Quail Hollow is 265 (Wyndham Clark/2023)
- In six prior starts in the Truist Championship, owns two top-10 finishes (Won/2025, T8/2024)
- This season, owns three top-10 finishes in 10 starts (T2/AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am, T8/THE PLAYERS Championship, T4/Cadillac Championship)
- Enters the week No. 11 in the FedExCup standings
- Four-time PGA TOUR winner: 2022 Cognizant Classic in The Palm Beaches, 2023 John Deere Classic, 2025 American Express, 2025 Truist Championship

**Rory McIlroy**

- Four-time winner of the Truist Championship (2010, 2015, 2021, 2024)
- In 14 career starts in the Truist Championship, owns 11 top-10 finishes, including seven top-fives
- Owns the tournament 18-hole record at Quail Hollow of 61 (2015/R3)
- In five starts this season, owns two top-10 finishes (T2/Genesis Invitational, Won/Masters Tournament)
- Making his first start on TOUR since winning the 2026 Masters Tournament
- With his win at Augusta National, joined Jack Nicklaus (1965, 1966), Nick Faldo (1989, 1990) and Tiger Woods (2001, 2002) as the only players to successfully defend their title at the Masters Tournament
- 30-time PGA TOUR winner, tied with Horton Smith for the 16<sup>th</sup> most all-time

**Matt Fitzpatrick**

- Won in each of his last two starts on TOUR: RBC Heritage and Zurich Classic of New Orleans alongside brother and teammate Alex Fitzpatrick
- With his win at the Zurich Classic of New Orleans, became the first player to win in back-to-back events on TOUR since Scottie Scheffler (2024 Masters, 2024 RBC Heritage)
- Five-time PGA TOUR winner and the only player with three wins this season: 2022 U.S. Open, 2023 RBC Heritage, 2026 Valspar Championship, 2026 RBC Heritage, 2026 Zurich Classic of New Orleans
- Making his fifth career start in the Truist Championship (T2/2022, T35/2023, T52/2024, T23/2025), with his runner-up finish in 2022 coming at TPC Potomac at Avenel Farm
- Made the cut in all 10 starts this season, finishing inside the top 25 eight times, including five top-10s
- Enters the week No. 2 in the FedExCup standings and No. 4 in the Official World Golf Ranking

**Cameron Young**

- Earned his third PGA TOUR title and second of the season with a win at last week's Cadillac Championship
- With his six-stroke victory at the Cadillac Championship, became the second wire-to-wire winner on TOUR this season, joining Justin Rose (Farmers Insurance Open)
- Enters the week No. 3 in both the FedExCup standings and the Official World Golf Ranking
- Five top-10 finishes in nine starts on TOUR this season (T7/The Genesis Invitational, T3/Arnold Palmer Invitational presented by Mastercard, Won/PLAYERS Championship, T3/Masters Tournament, Won/Cadillac Championship)

- Wake Forest University alum making his fifth career start in the Truist Championship (T2/2022, T59/2023, T34/2024, T7/2025), with is runner-up finish in 2022 coming at TPC Potomac at Avenel Farm
- Finished T47 in his last appearance at Quail Hollow Club (2025 PGA Championship)
- Making his 108<sup>th</sup> start on TOUR this week; three wins in his last 14 starts after zero wins in first 93 career starts

#### Xander Schauffele

- In six starts in the Truist Championship, owns five top-25 finishes, including back-to-back runner-up finishes (2023, 2024)
- In the 2024 Truist Championship, the last time the event was contested at Quail Hollow, held the outright 18-, 36- and 54-hole leads prior to a final-round 71, ultimately finishing second
- Sits No. 12 in the FedExCup standings after recording four top-10 finishes in nine starts this season
- Finished T12 or better in five of his last six starts on TOUR, highlighted by solo-third at THE PLAYERS Championship
- 10-time PGA TOUR winner seeks his first win since the 2025 Baycurrent Classic

#### Truist Championship notes:

- This week marks the 23<sup>rd</sup> playing of the Truist Championship, making its return to Quail Hollow Golf Club after being held at The Philadelphia Cricket Club in 2025
- Sixth of eight Signature Events of the season and includes seven of the top 10 players in the Official World Golf Ranking: **Rory McIlroy** (No. 2), **Cameron Young** (No. 3), **Matt Fitzpatrick** (No. 4), **Justin Rose** (No. 5), **Tommy Fleetwood** (No. 7), **J.J. Spaun** (No. 9), **Xander Schauffele** (No. 10)
- Seven past champions return to the Truist Championship: **Sepp Straka** (2025), **Rory McIlroy** (2010, 2015, 2021, 2024), **Max Homa** (2022, 2019), **Jason Day** (2018), **Brian Harman** (2017), **Rickie Fowler** (2012), **Lucas Glover** (2011); McIlroy and Homa are the only players with multiple Truist Championship titles
- Four international players have won the Truist Championship: **Jason Day** (Australia), **Rory McIlroy** (North Ireland), **Vijay Singh** (Fiji), **Sepp Straka** (Austria)
- Six players earned the first victory of their PGA TOUR career at the Truist Championship (Wyndham Clark/2023, **Max Homa**/2019, Derek Ernst/2013, **Rickie Fowler**/2012, **Rory McIlroy**/2010, Anthony Kim/2008)
- 2011 Truist Championship winner **Lucas Glover** is making his 22<sup>nd</sup> career start in the event, seven more than any other player in the field (15/Rory McIlroy, Webb Simpson); Glover has appeared in the event every year except for the inaugural playing in 2003
- **Rickie Fowler** is the only player with top-10 finishes in each of the last three Signature Events (T9/Arnold Palmer Invitational presented by Mastercard, T8/RBC Heritage, T9/Cadillac Championship)
- **Alex Noren** is the only player in the field to qualify through the OWGR top-30 category (No. 18)
- Additional field features:
  - 46 of the Top 50 in the 2026 FedExCup standings, led by No. 2 **Matt Fitzpatrick**
  - 59 of the 72 players in the field have won on TOUR, led by **Rory McIlroy** (30 wins)
  - Sponsor exemptions (4): **Tony Finau, Max Homa, Mackenzie Hughes, Webb Simpson**
  - Four 2026 rookies: **Chandler Blanchet, Alex Fitzpatrick, Kristoffer Reitan, Sudarshan Yellamaraju**
- The winner of the Truist Championship will earn a spot in the field at next week's PGA Championship, if not otherwise exempt.

#### Aon Next 10 and Swing 5

- The Aon Swing 5 is made up of the five players, not otherwise exempt, who earned the most FedExCup points in the Puerto Rico Open, Valspar Championship, Texas Children's Houston Open, Valero Texas Open and the Zurich Classic of New Orleans: **Ricky Castillo, David Lipsky, Matt Wallace, Chandler Blanchet, Kristoffer Reitan**
- With Alex Smalley moving into the Aon Next 10 following his T4 finish at the Cadillac Championship, Kristoffer Reitan moved into the Aon Swing 5 to qualify for the Truist Championship.

Aon Swing 5 (Truist Championship)		
Rank	Player	Points
1	Ricky Castillo	319.375
2	David Lipsky	317.053
3	Matt Wallace	233.733
4	Chandler Blanchet	207.063
5	Kristoffer Reitan	201.250

- The top 10 players in the FedExCup standings not otherwise exempt following the Cadillac Championship qualified for the Truist Championship through the Aon Next 10

Aon Next 10 (Truist Championship)		
Rank	Player	Points
1	Min Woo Lee	1,007.283
2	Jake Knapp	928.250

3	Adam Scott	912.804
4	Gary Woodland	770.273
5	Sahith Theegala	684.204
6	Nicolai Højgaard	684.000
7	Nico Echavarria	683.500
8	Ryo Hisatsune	675.231
9	Matt McCarty	642.050
10	Alex Smalley	588.021

#### PGA TOUR season notes

- **Top Five Performing:** The world's top five players (Scottie Scheffler/No.1, Rory McIlroy/No.2, Cameron Young/No. 3, Matt Fitzpatrick/No. 4 and Justin Rose/No. 5) have either claimed victory or been in contention during the final round the last four weeks on TOUR:
  - **Masters Tournament** – Rory McIlroy (Winner), Scottie Scheffler (2<sup>nd</sup>), Cameron Young and Justin Rose (T3)
  - **RBC Heritage** – Matt Fitzpatrick (Winner), Scottie Scheffler (2<sup>nd</sup>)
  - **Zurich Classic of New Orleans** – Matt Fitzpatrick (Winner, with brother Alex)
  - **Cadillac Championship** – Cameron Young (Winner), Scottie Scheffler (2<sup>nd</sup>)
- **First-Time Winners:** Through 17 events of the 2026 PGA TOUR Season, there have only been three first-time TOUR winners (Jacob Bridgeman/The Genesis Invitational, Ricky Castillo/Puerto Rico Open, Alex Fitzpatrick/Zurich Classic of New Orleans)
- **Close calls:** 11 of the last 14 events on TOUR have been decided by one stroke or in a playoff
- **Multiple Winners:** **Matt Fitzpatrick** (Valspar Championship, RBC Heritage, Zurich Classic of New Orleans), **Chris Gotterup** (Sony Open in Hawaii, WM Phoenix Open), **Cameron Young** (THE PLAYERS Championship, Cadillac Championship)