

Production Transcript for **26INTCUT - CLUB CAR CHAMPIONSHIP**

[00:00:34.209]>>First round coverage of the Club Car Championship at The Landings Golf & Athletic Club. Excellent property here in the Savannah area. Savannah founded back in 1733, 1st American planned city. It is a great spot for a cocktail and some shrimp and grits and maybe a little Korn Ferry Tour golf in late March, lovely time of year.

[00:00:57.259]>>In the Low Country, the landing's an excellent host each and every year. Had some great winners in the past, and I know the Korn Ferry Tour players get excited to get an opportunity to hang out downtown and then take on this Deer Creek course. Mention the weather, it's what you set your house to throughout the year, 72 degrees outside, winds are down, scoring is up, golf course is in ideal shape.

[00:01:21.230]>>Thursday at the Club Car Championship, pumped to be in Savannah. Ian Holt having himself a heck of a season, number one on the points list, 2 wins, looking for a quick 3rd. That for birdie at the 5th, no doubt. Hunter's been hot early in 2026. How about Maxwell Moldovan, the 24-year-old coming off his best finish a couple of weeks ago in Chile. This at the 4th. Wouldn't show it if it didn't go. He's got the mustache rocking.

[00:01:47.480]>>Maxwell in one of our featured groups today. How about Blades Brown, this 18-year-old been bouncing between the PGA TOUR and the Korn Ferry Tour, Successful on both. That at 11 curls in for a birdie, gets Blades to 1 under on the day. And Nick Gaberlcik, one of the shots of the day to this point. This at 12.

[00:02:07.889]>>Par 3 playing 183, already has a birdie on a par 3 to this point, nearly a 1 that close over the edge, closest to the day at 12 at this point. He would kick that in, shake that in for birdie.

[00:02:22.860]>>For Blades.

[00:02:25.899]>>This for birdie also rolling them in from all over they are with these beautiful greens.

[00:02:34.160]>>Just a moment ago, this is the hardest hole in the golf course today, we've seen just one birdie all day at 9 to this point. Hayden Springer trying to get to 60, tie the lead. That is drippy, great roll there from Springer.

[00:02:50.750]>>Moldovan, I try to get a teach here.

[00:02:55.089]>>There we go, these guys learn well.

[00:03:01.500]>>Loves this course.

[00:03:06.210]>>Now Adam Hadwin.

[00:03:10.860]>>Can I say, can I say it's, it's Jessica Hadwin's husband. Is that, is that fair to say? I think so. I, no offense to Adam, but I mean, Jessica's the superstar of the family if you ask me. I mean, Adam has made around about 25 million on the PGA TOUR.

[00:03:26.789]>>Come about triple.

[00:03:29.229]>>Great shot there from Hadwin.

[00:03:34.020]>>Here's Brown trying to get quickly to 3 under.

[00:03:40.649]>>That birdie 11 back-to-back now for Blades.

[00:03:46.559]>>Back here with Hadwin at the 9th.

[00:03:48.940]>>Right to left here, had a good opportunity.

[00:03:53.339]>>Come on, now, there we go. Perfect read.

[00:03:56.809]>>Here's Gaberlcik, just one off the lead.

[00:04:03.169]>>Tricky hole location, front right, everyone throwing it in behind there, solid shot from Gaberlcik.

[00:04:09.910]>>Over to Blades Brown, see if he can figure this out. Hey, Blades, it's quick. It's quick around the hole. Let me just tell you, James, is there a part of his game that, that stands out to you? Is there a part of his game you could see him improve on as he ages? Well, the standing out, I think the maturity.

[00:04:26.760]>>And just being comfortable, more often playing on the PGA TOUR, but no, he does, he's.

[00:04:32.480]>>Very solid across the board.

[00:04:44.200]>>But

[00:04:46.890]>>Great role there from Gaberlcik.

[00:04:49.459]>>Tied at the top.

[00:04:51.829]>>Heck of a young player.

[00:04:56.410]>>Here's Goodwin at 17.

[00:05:01.779]>>A little information off Brown.

[00:05:06.250]>>Oh, and he takes it. There we go, nice 2.

[00:05:11.730]>>Now Hawin at 13.

[00:05:20.489]>>On his 3rd event of the season.

[00:05:22.850]>>And OK, gets it to 3 under. Hadwin, 2-time President's Cup player.

[00:05:30.820]>>You mentioned it, James, very popular spot long of 18. See a whole bunch of divots there already.

[00:05:37.260]>>Not too difficult today outside of just the speed from back to front and pitching back into the breeze and really good lie over the back there, so that's fairly good. Yeah, I mean you're, you're sitting there thinking inside of 5 ft every time from this position. This is just back foot spinner, lofted club.

[00:05:55.570]>>Although there's a little grain over the back there, you've to be precise but.

[00:06:01.559]>>I mean, this is slightly awkward ball well above his feet.

[00:06:05.600]>>Easy to catch this fat.

[00:06:10.239]>>Yeah, it's it's almost the, the lie of the golf club, you know, lowering your hands enough to go with the slope of the bunker to get good contact.

[00:06:21.200]>>But as far as green to work with, you take a bit of sand with this and just plop it on, release it out.

[00:06:31.500]>>Toe's always gonna catch the sand first.

[00:06:39.559]>>It's not been great out of the sand this season, Blades Brown, that one is really well done. Just 15% of the time getting it up-and-down out of bonkers is the 18-year-old, but that was well thought out.

[00:06:54.649]>>Well, Hayden Springer, after some scrambling, has a birdie putt, wants to get within 2 of the lead.

[00:07:01.040]>>Yeah, nice birdie at the par 5.

[00:07:04.089]>>Back here at the 18th, Blades Brown trying to finish off a fine day with one last circle.

[00:07:10.959]>>And that is well executed, great birdie to close, and another great round of golf from the eighteen-year-old Blades Brown, 66 out of the gate.

[00:07:22.079]>>Now, a couple birdie putts left from the right side of the hole. Goodwin.

[00:07:26.570]>>About this group, how well they play, Goodwin.

[00:07:30.329]>>It's 7 under 65, blades 66, Gaberlcik an opportunity to shoot 7 under as well.

[00:07:39.059]>>This for the group to shoot 2 under in this opening round.

[00:07:43.709]>>There you go, 65, 65, 66. The person that was a scorer for this group had a, a really, really fun day.

[00:07:52.929]>>Pak, if this goes to get to 11 with 1 hole left to play, unfortunately for Pak, hardest hole on the golf course.

[00:08:05.820]>>Yeah, that.

[00:08:07.829]>>Another birdie.

[00:08:11.149]>>See in a couple of 65, see if we can get one better, Velo for 64.

[00:08:18.100]>>That is a really, really nice finish to the day, 31.

[00:08:22.760]>>On his 2nd 9, a lot of that work done late in his opening round.

[00:08:31.750]>>As we slowly start to zoom out, how about the amateur, I, 7 under with some holes left to play. Pak the story on this Thursday, 61. James, he said it, right back to work tomorrow. My process is my process. Yeah, and of course it suits him, he's a Korn Ferry Tour winner, just came off the PGA TOUR. He's got all the experience being at the top of the leaderboard. A lot of low scoring considering the conditions, the weather just.

[00:09:00.005]>>Perfect in the Savannah area over the last week or so, and the green's perfect, you heard Pak mention that, loves the green complexes, some of the best, they play all season long, and when you can roll in putts and you don't have to worry about wind, relatively friendly fairways, you're able to post something sub-70. 1 of the best courses, one of the best tournaments all year long, great player services, these guys love it, and when you get conditions like this, a scoring average nearly 3 under par, Shane, they are going to tear it up.

[00:09:33.849]>>2nd round coverage of the Club Car Championship at The Landings Golf & Athletic Club.

[00:09:39.750]>>Excellent place to hang.

[00:09:42.549]>>And enjoy golf. So many people that call the landings home at the Savannah River flows some 301 miles across our great country, passes Savannah and Augusta. Of course Augusta will be the focus of the golf world in a couple of weeks as we embark on the state of Georgia to showcase this great golf course, the Deer Creek course.

[00:10:04.260]>>With our partners at Club Car who do just a great job each and every year, showcasing the best of the Korn Ferry Tour. It's a golf course that can be demanding when the winds are up. So far this week, James, they've been down, and you see the weather, 75 degrees, perfect scoring conditions, really across the board both yesterday and today. We're looking at a cut around about 5 under par, as you said, ideal scoring conditions. We need the breeze to pick up if it's gonna challenge these players here at Deer Creek.

[00:10:33.320]>>Friday at the Club Car Championship, some highlights from earlier today. Ryo Ishikawa, really, really salty 66 on Thursday, making the turn that at the first couple under already on the day. That gets him to 9 under for the tournament. Ishikawa right there in the hunt on a loaded leaderboard that includes Ian Gilligan.

[00:10:53.679]>>Made 11 birdies a day ago on his way to 62. Slow start to the day was 1 over through 4. This at the fifth, a short par 4, pulls the string, would kick that in for birdie.

[00:11:04.549]>>And this would be the run. He did this yesterday, made a whole bunch of birdies in a row on the front nine, so birdie at 5, how about this roll at 6?

[00:11:13.049]>>It had nowhere to go but right in the middle. Excellent read from the 23-year-old Gilligan with back-to-back birdies, and now it's 7, drove it in a divot.

[00:11:23.640]>>No issues, hit a really nice approach to this position, and Gilligan for 3 in a row, the kid is on fire once again.

[00:11:32.849]>>It's Merritt at the 3rd, kind of completely opposite spectrum of what you're seeing from Miles Russell with Troy Merritt, 40-year-old.

[00:11:41.530]>>His lone win on the Korn Ferry Tour came back in 2009, just his fourth start this season, but having a good week, not under par, right there.

[00:11:52.299]>>Over 5, Ben Kohles.

[00:11:59.000]>>Mentioned the cut number, just thinking about it.

[00:12:02.250]>>Oh, much better, much improved. Long range eagle for polls.

[00:12:12.809]>>Go back to 4, Merritt trying to get the 10 under par, put him in 3rd place alone if this can go.

[00:12:22.859]>>Hey, a couple putts dropping.

[00:12:27.880]>>Now Ishikawa.

[00:12:37.190]>>Yeah, OK, good spot, huh, yeah.

[00:12:41.520]>>in there.

[00:12:44.630]>>Over to 18, has been coming off that birdie at 17.

[00:12:52.799]>>Oh, there we go, dancing around it.

[00:12:57.070]>>With the Ishikawa.

[00:13:09.340]>>Mayor, it's gonna be

[00:13:11.440]>>Keeping a close eye on this one.

[00:13:14.859]>>Good attempt though

[00:13:17.609]>>There's Merritt, similar line to Ishikawa.

[00:13:27.299]>>Already seen 3 eagles here at the short par 4 in this second round.

[00:13:40.469]>>Ishikawa 2 putt birdie here at the 5th, it's a 9 under par.

[00:13:49.849]>>Merritt, a couple of feet away for the 2 putt birdie, get him to 11 under par.

[00:13:55.039]>>It works. So Merritt having himself a really, really nice second round after a 68 on Thursday.

[00:14:04.130]>>Back over to the par 5, Rio.

[00:14:09.789]>>Rolling it, really nice this week. Another birdie gets him to 10, he's just 1 off the lead.

[00:14:15.090]>>Thank

[00:14:16.700]>>Let's go back over to the 5th.

[00:14:18.969]>>Spencer Levin here at the short par 4, 1 over, so likely not gonna make it to the weekend, but potentially a highlight, potentially a highlight, sure, that's a highlight. Spencer, the great man, delivering here for the crowd.

[00:14:37.820]>>Back here at the Club Car Championship, Taylor Montgomery on the tee here at the 17th, seen some great shots here at the par 3 today.

[00:14:45.859]>>Montgomery just went off the lead.

[00:14:48.169]>>Get back there.

[00:14:49.760]>>He's a great iron player.

[00:14:52.000]>>Yeah, yeah, that's another great one, to see that, look at that limp flag, that's why.

[00:14:59.789]>>But at 7.

[00:15:01.859]>>Some of these players making a move up this leaderboard.

[00:15:06.690]>>Well, Sloan was part of the story in the Bahamas. Oh, just a kick in here to get it to 10 under.

[00:15:15.270]>>Mentioned Montgomery and that trusty putter this to tie the lead at 11 under.

[00:15:22.700]>>Yeah, that was always gonna drop. Montgomery moves to 4 under on his day.

[00:15:30.150]>>Back to the 7, told you about Roger Sloan's day, and this for 3 in a row, get to 9 under.

[00:15:37.700]>>On this Friday,

[00:15:42.169]>>But after a 71 in the opening round, Sloan now just went off the lead.

[00:15:49.830]>>Back over to 9.

[00:15:51.830]>>Hunter Eichhorn has this for birdie, really nice look, he's playing great as well at 9 under par.

[00:15:58.909]>>Alongside Roger Sloan, this group lighting it up, there we go.

[00:16:03.969]>>Finish your day off the right way.

[00:16:07.000]>>Really nice birdie, rare at the 9th.

[00:16:12.390]>>You might have a leader getting to 12, 13, 14 under, James, at one point, unfortunately for a lot of those players making that push up the board, cooling off, Roger Sloan, that 63, really nice run of golf there, and this is what the players expected, they expected it to get a little firmer and faster as the week went on with these windy conditions, but,

[00:16:30.979]>>John Pak did not think he would have a one shot lead by the time he teed off today, considering the scores we saw early in round one.

[00:16:40.239]>>Tell you some veteran names, Jason. I mean, Taylor Montgomery, we mentioned the 6 runner-up finishes in his career on the Korn Ferry Tour Ryo Ishikawa right there, Troy Merritt playing some solid golf. You got Jeff Overton at 8 under par, of course, Jeremy Gandon won here last season. I mean, there are some big names, an international board as well, chasing Pak as of now. Roger Sloan, round of the day, 9 under today.

[00:17:06.458]>>Considering, playing on conditional status, he's one of those wily veterans that you talked about, Shane.

[00:17:12.790]>>Hayden Springer, continuing from his form at round one, and Chez Reavie, there's another veteran that we're seeing on this leaderboard, so, a course that lends itself to a lot of different games. Couple of amateurs right there in the top 20 of the leaderboard, including the seventeen-year-old Miles Russell.

[00:17:34.380]>>3rd round coverage of the Club Car Championship at The Landings Golf & Athletic Club.

[00:17:39.959]>>From one of the great cities in our country, Savannah, Georgia, the Savannah River, close, some 300 miles right next to Savannah, goes by Augusta as well. It's kind of Georgia golf season right now. We always love kicking things off here at the Club Car championship. The golf course immaculate this week. Korn Ferry Tour player.

[00:17:59.805]>>There's Love coming through. Chesson Hadley joined the coverage a day ago, talked about the hospitality of the landings and the membership, and they show up over the weekend, support the Korn Ferry Tour. Club Car always does a great job with this event. A little cooler on this Saturday, was 75 or so first two rounds, and of course there's always.

[00:18:23.030]>>Extra spectators, maybe didn't pay to watch the golfers.

[00:18:27.680]>>How about some highlights for you earlier today. We'll start at 17. Drew Nesbitt, the 30-year-old Canadian, played in his first full season on the Korn Ferry tour. Don't blink. This 7 iron from 181. Nothing but the bottom cocktails for Drew. He's kind of made everything in this third round. He's made a double, and he's made a hole-in-one, and somebody's gonna win a Club Car for that ace.

[00:18:53.670]>>We'll go to the final grouping. Blades Brown, the 18-year-old looking to become the youngest winner in Korn Ferry Tour history. This kid is off to a ridiculous start on this Saturday, burning his 1st 3 holes, that at the 5th, so 4 under through 5. Blades moving up the leaderboard, ties the lead at 15 under. Davis Lamb, the 28-year-old coming off his career low round a day ago.

[00:19:18.560]>>Nice start to his Saturday that at the 5th, deciding to lay up off the tee. Beautiful wedge in there close, he'd make that for birdie.

[00:19:27.250]>>So now a whole bunch of guys at 15 under our 36 hole leader, Hawks, slow start, this at the par 5, beautiful roll would get him to 16 under par. So now he has the outright lead for a moment, but you gotta fight off these teenagers these days in professional.

[00:19:42.459]>>Professional golf blades at 7, middle of the fairway, very balanced golf swing, and the kid can get in a groove on the golf course. We've seen it on the Korn Ferry Tour, we've seen it on the PGA TOUR, and Blades would roll that in for another birdie.

[00:19:59.770]>>And Amelia, especially from 144 yards in, to the, the, it turns in from an opportunity to now just battling,

[00:20:10.760]>>100%. This golf ball needed to be hole high or long or ramblin ended up being, you just miss your contact slightly. The ball gets up in the air and with that short yardage in, you're likely going to get plugged in these bunkers that have a lot of sand. Fortunately though, this ball remained out of the bunker after the first shot, and this chip is pretty simple.

[00:20:36.810]>>John.

[00:20:38.180]>>OK, it's like he'll walk away with.

[00:20:41.040]>>Just a bogey

[00:20:44.290]>>To the 10th, Utah Sugora, 24-year-old.

[00:20:49.770]>>From Japan.

[00:20:56.420]>>Ripping it in, beautiful roll there.

[00:21:03.839]>>Lamb got off to a great start today, was 3 under through 5, has cooled off a bit, trying to drop just 1 here at 10.

[00:21:15.189]>>OK.

[00:21:19.819]>>After that excellent approach.

[00:21:23.199]>>That's a nice birdie, 29 year old rookie on the Korn Ferry tour.

[00:21:31.069]>>Go up to the 12th, Ryo Ishikawa.

[00:21:35.640]>>Talking about young superstars, Shane.

[00:21:44.449]>>When you're out of position, you get a bad break like Bramlet, you just have to stay patient. Everyone's going to have a setback on this golf course with how challenging the wind is playing. Focus on good speed in this putt. It's going to be quick breaking left to right. If it goes in, it's a bonus. If not, there's some scorable holes coming up.

[00:22:20.349]>>It'd be just his 2nd bogey of the week.

[00:22:23.579]>>Clean the first two days.

[00:22:26.660]>>In a hole where, I mean, you circle it in the book as an opportunity at the start of the week and,

[00:22:32.930]>>This is not where you wanna walk off dropping a shot.

[00:22:38.660]>>Weird kick off the back of the bunker for Blades Brown off the tee, so this to save his bar, remain tied for the lead.

[00:22:49.339]>>Man, that has to move right.

[00:22:52.239]>>It'll be interesting to see how he resets after getting a couple of bad breaks and.

[00:22:58.030]>>Walking away with a bogey here.

[00:23:19.560]>>a shot. Hayes to go 2nd, just getting that little more intel. Yeah.

[00:23:29.040]>>The hottest

[00:23:30.599]>>Score on the course.

[00:23:33.469]>>Currently, we've had a couple of guys finish at shooting 5 under in this blustery, difficult day.

[00:23:40.339]>>I'll stare at Docherty and.

[00:23:43.560]>>And a couple of guys still with progress of their round, Cooper Dossey.

[00:23:48.430]>>And

[00:23:50.010]>>John right here, this would be a.

[00:23:52.709]>>Bonus at the tough par 3.

[00:24:04.260]>>Wife Demi on the bag, per usual.

[00:24:09.180]>>That'll be disappointing

[00:24:11.329]>>2nd bogey of his day.

[00:24:16.670]>>Yeah, nice to see Lamb back on the Korn Ferry Tour, played 25 events back in 2024, really struggled in his first full season, 16 missed cuts. PGA TOUR America's last year to get his card back, finished third on the points list out there, unofficial victory last year as well in a shortened event.

[00:24:34.250]>>He's an impressive player out of Notre Dame.

[00:24:43.890]>>It's good if it gets there. Good if it gets there, what a putt.

[00:24:52.420]>>Zooming around the 13th green.

[00:24:54.810]>>It's gonna be demanding for these players in this final grouping to save par.

[00:25:05.760]>>Straight back into the breeze, it wasn't too difficult.

[00:25:10.689]>>

[00:25:15.869]>>Chipping straight downwind and off a tight lie, good contact is imperative. Paul has missed the last 5 greens and made every up-and-down. Boy, he bladed, hit the stick. How about that break? Break of the century.

[00:25:30.569]>> Bramlett

[00:25:32.260]>>I mean, you talk about an opportunity if this goes in, somebody else struggling.

[00:25:39.040]>>Well, Bramlett's had good speed on the greens. This shouldn't have a ton of movement. Early on it's gonna go right.

[00:25:58.130]>>Looking putt, how about it, rattles it in the back, and Bramlett taking advantage of one of the more difficult holes here at the landings.

[00:26:10.010]>>So now, Bramlett gets to 13 under, Pak gonna have to make this, or he'll drop back to 15 under.

[00:26:28.000]>>A Little shy there, he would've saw Bramlett's putt very quick on top, especially going towards the back of this green.

[00:26:42.500]>>It was a tricky chip for lamb left at the green because it was on an upslope and into the wind. When you have a big drop off behind the hole, it's hard to get yourself to land it all the way there. Just didn't have enough rollout to get in a more comfortable range. I also don't see a lot of break in this. Very important to put down your intended line, not peek at it.

[00:27:12.290]>>Yeah.

[00:27:16.390]>>2 bogeys and a birdie in this final grouping.

[00:27:24.660]>>Back at 14, Davis Lamb.

[00:27:32.869]>>Gotta be perfect with your yardie chip. Oh, how about that kick? Uh, I'll take that one, yes, the anti-blades brown bounce there, kick straight forward.

[00:27:43.319]>>See if you can take advantage of the break, now Bramlett.

[00:27:47.880]>>80 yards for Bramlet. Yeah, there's about 3 paces beyond the flags. You need to be accurate. This won't have as much spin either.

[00:28:03.180]>>Needs to get a similar kick to lamb.

[00:28:05.920]>>And he did springboard.

[00:28:09.670]>>Go up to the 15th, Ryo Ishikawa just been kind of a wild day.

[00:28:17.630]>>So that double at 10, birdie at 12, birdie at 14, rolling that in at 15.

[00:28:24.359]>>Bramlett, he had just less than 250 yards and has the firepower to get on the green, but had the discipline to know, I just need to lay up and hit a good wedge shot. This putt, got to keep it inside the hole and have enough pace to it.

[00:29:04.209]>>That's just a smart professional birdie right there from Joseph Bramlett back-to-back.

[00:29:10.750]>>Really good look here for Lamb.

[00:29:16.189]>>And the wind has just died down as well, making this putt a little less intimidating.

[00:29:30.089]>>This golf ball's kind of sitting down in the rough, so difficult to judge how it's going to come out.

[00:29:39.300]>>There we go, finally a birdie for Pak.

[00:29:43.160]>>I'd say he judged it perfectly, Amelia.

[00:29:47.400]>>Now Bramlett

[00:29:56.609]>>Only 118.

[00:30:01.069]>>There we go.

[00:30:04.800]>>Now Bramlett for his 3rd birdie in his last 4 holes.

[00:30:11.060]>>There we go. How about Joseph Bramlett and the late run on this Saturday.

[00:30:18.290]>>Here's Goodwin at the 18.

[00:30:25.449]>>Nice finish. Noah got off that great start, 65 on Thursday.

[00:30:32.599]>>Now Joseph Bramlett. So much of putting is getting into that flow. It's just a prime example of how putting is really an art. It's not so much a science. The moment you start making some putts, you just get a little more relaxed. The cup feels a little bit bigger. You start seeing the lines, and that's what Bramlett 's been able to do on this back nine, in addition to two quality shots here on 16 and 17.

[00:31:04.050]>>Oh boy, that was straight shoved off the blade.

[00:31:09.579]>>He's just made 2 of that length in the past 3 holes as well, he's looked great.

[00:31:19.000]>>Definitely deliberate in his pre-shot routine, every single shot he's hit today.

[00:31:26.329]>>Even on this short one.

[00:31:44.969]>>Oh my goodness, you almost felt that coming, James. You just look too rigid. That's.

[00:31:51.099]>>Robotic and.

[00:31:53.930]>>Stood over it for a long time, that is a nasty 3 putt.

[00:32:00.000]>>And all the momentum was like, right out the window.

[00:32:10.369]>>Up to 18. This is the 6th shot for Ryo Ishikawa tee shot in the penalty area, 3rd shot in the penalty area.

[00:32:18.810]>>All that work you put in over the last few holes.

[00:32:23.839]>>You have to hold that for double, yeah, that one to stay 5 back if you could get that to go.

[00:32:30.859]>>Ryo now for his double.

[00:32:37.739]>>Well,

[00:32:39.469]>>About how the hole is gone for Ishikawa.

[00:32:43.689]>>Three doubles here and 1 other at the par 5 18th playing downwind. How about Ishikawa shoots 37 on the back nine with a double at 10 and a triple at 18.

[00:32:58.910]>>Back here at 18, awkward for Blades Brown. It'd be tough to get this all the way to the hole location, 50 yard shot here.

[00:33:08.329]>>Really difficult to get the speed with it, that's loved it, he just loved it, that is so good, excellent.

[00:33:18.510]>>Now

[00:33:19.810]>>Infante.

[00:33:23.569]>>See if he can finish off his Saturday with a good birdie, and he does really nice.

[00:33:29.839]>>29 year old from Germantown, Maryland.

[00:33:37.339]>>Now for Blades Brown, a putt to tie for the lead, put himself in the final grouping come tomorrow.

[00:34:04.349]>>That is such a nice up and in.

[00:34:07.760]>>The 18 year old tied for the lead for the moment.

[00:34:17.158]>>And John Pak can be looking for a 2nd career win on the Korn Ferry Tour tomorrow. Blades Brown in that final grouping, trying to win at the age of 18, has put himself in an excellent position to do so.

[00:34:37.199]>>Final round coverage of the Club Car Championship at The Landings Golf & Athletic Club.

[00:34:44.010]>>One of the great cities here in the US, Savannah, Georgia, founded back in 1733, 1st planned city in the United States.

[00:34:55.050]>>And one of the great places if you want to play some golf, go get some grub downtown.

[00:35:00.000]>>All the fun and more, and right now the focus for the field and these final groupings trying to close out.

[00:35:08.030]>>One of the better events on the Korn Ferry Tour each and every season. Club Car does such a great job of promo, promoting this event.

[00:35:16.179]>>Community comes out each and every year. The golf course in exceptional shape and the weather has been perfect all week long. Winds up over the weekend, much like yesterday, gusts of some 15, 20 MPH.

[00:35:31.469]>>Just want to see blades put a confident stroke here and that's what you're thinking about as a player after you've had a couple 3 putts, a short birdie miss, Hit it down your intended line.

[00:35:43.209]>>Just like that

[00:35:45.580]>>Wonderful role from Brown.

[00:35:52.169]>>12?

[00:36:00.000]>>Just nowhere to land it here.

[00:36:03.469]>>Almost over the back of the green pass hole high there, didn't have the avenue to fly it on top, especially with that wind direction and,

[00:36:12.050]>>Just keeps leaving himself in these awkward positions.

[00:36:22.429]>>OK

[00:36:23.709]>> Bramlett, that one is gonna race by.

[00:36:31.229]>>And John Pak just gonna have to lean on that putter once again.

[00:36:45.060]>>Now, that is gonna be another drop shot.

[00:36:49.860]>>And for the first time this week, Pak's going to be looking up at a name on this leaderboard.

[00:37:01.360]>>Bramlett big putt, trying to save his par, it's gonna run out of steam quickly, just caught up with him. He's played good enough off the tee to be a, a huge factor in this final round, and fortunately just not taking advantage of those iron shots.

[00:37:21.659]>>His first putts as we see Pak.

[00:37:24.610]>>Cleaning up here

[00:37:27.899]>>Go back to 14.

[00:37:30.080]>>235 hole for lamb straight into the teeth. The chip down there is the bowl on the left side. That's the bailout.

[00:37:38.629]>>And it's not a bad up and in as long as you get a good lie. Easy to get a little divot with a lot of chips coming from that area.

[00:37:48.399]>>It's gotta be enough

[00:37:51.020]>>The rest of the line there.

[00:37:54.080]>>And a really nice shot. How about that?

[00:37:58.580]>>I knew it was there. I just wanted to see what was gonna land.

[00:38:03.860]>>Hawk, quick in there for a second.

[00:38:10.989]>>220 for Pak.

[00:38:13.810]>>It's about 195 to clear the front part of the green.

[00:38:21.209]>>So

[00:38:23.419]>>Oh, what a shot.

[00:38:26.919]>>Not ideal for his ball flight, he took that over the middle of the lake.

[00:38:37.520]>>Back here in Savannah, a lot of characters lurking.

[00:38:42.540]>>On this back nine

[00:38:44.810]>>Trying to win this club car championship.

[00:38:49.959]>>I have 3 opportunities for Eagle here at this final group.

[00:38:58.629]>>Come on.

[00:39:00.909]>>Wonderful touch.

[00:39:03.419]>>Great view of what he had in front of him, almost a double breaker from the initial 3 4 ft.

[00:39:13.719]>>Brown and Pak both a shot back at the moment.

[00:39:21.870]>>Looks like they're both going to decide to go with wedge shots, Pak off a severe downslope. So this is going to generate a lot of speed as soon as it lands on the putting surface.

[00:39:30.899]>>Had to chip in on this back nine a day ago.

[00:39:34.139]>>He had my eyes to make that.

[00:39:38.229]>>It's a straightforward chip shot.

[00:39:43.919]>>Plas.

[00:40:00.310]>>Tripping all the way down to the steel for this one, but.

[00:40:05.419]>>That's pretty good there.

[00:40:07.800]>>more of a breaker

[00:40:10.149]>>For Brown.

[00:40:12.129]>>Carry it an extra 6 inches and straightens up there.

[00:40:20.060]>>Looks like it's going to bounce left early and then.

[00:40:27.189]>>Trouble off the tee for Gilligan.

[00:40:32.409]>>This leaderboard has been close all week. It's going to come down to the wire. So these short putts just feel extra big.

[00:40:42.179]>>It's very important to keep the rhythm in your putting stroke on these short ones. Naturally, you can, it can get a little bit tense in the hands and it's easy to get quick. Just because it's a short putt doesn't mean you shouldn't be focused on the speed.

[00:40:59.929]>>Go.

[00:41:02.169]>>First birdie from the group.

[00:41:10.610]>>No issues there.

[00:41:13.939]>>Davis Lamb continuing.

[00:41:16.989]>>His great play in this final round, on a bogey on the card.

[00:41:22.649]>>And Pak

[00:41:27.159]>>Really delicate pitch shot down the hill, gonna get to 17 under.

[00:41:30.800]>>And it will remain very, very tight atop this leaderboard.

[00:41:43.469]>>Talk so much about Blades Brown and the journey to this point at just 18 years of age.

[00:41:49.350]>>Started playing golf at the age of 10, AJGA Rolex Junior Player of the Year back in 2024, a 16-year-old at the USA Amateur in 2023.

[00:42:02.899]>>Qualified for match play at the Western AM a couple of years ago, losing to Ian Gilligan, who we have watched a lot today, in the first round of match play, Gilligan went on to win.

[00:42:13.669]>>That prestigious amateur title.

[00:42:24.520]>>I like seeing that from him, good confident stroke.

[00:42:28.939]>>Just blasted it a bit through the break but.

[00:42:32.429]>>And he knows he wants to to take this title, there's no steering it to the house for Blades Brown.

[00:42:43.790]>>But 18 is a must make. He's gonna have any chance of winning this tournament.

[00:42:53.280]>>And unfortunately, his run's gonna run a little short.

[00:43:06.199]>>Oh, no.

[00:43:09.510]>>Just when you felt like you had a bit of the momentum in this final grouping.

[00:43:15.330]>>D cell and a missed low.

[00:43:21.959]>>That's the first major blemish we've really seen, where nerves have affected his his stroke here.

[00:43:38.439]>>Usually so solid, from short range to.

[00:43:46.620]>>So Gilligan is some.

[00:43:49.530]>>8 ft for his par. Yeah, walking it in, big step in a big week. Open with 62, gonna be his 4th top 10 of the season.

[00:43:59.739]>>And for Brown right here, right now, lean on a part of the game that you believe is the best.

[00:44:08.080]>>I.

[00:44:09.189]>>Did we see lose a tree in there.

[00:44:12.120]>>In the background there, it's all happening here for the final group. A lot of no idea, we all turned around uh behind the green to see what happened there.

[00:44:21.419]>>OK.

[00:44:22.919]>>Reset now for brown.

[00:44:25.870]>>I think this has to go.

[00:44:31.300]>>You would think so at a player made his longest putt of the day on 11.

[00:44:37.199]>>Uh

[00:44:39.570]>>That one.

[00:44:41.120]>>Grace is well by and now gonna have to grind once again. He's missed a short putt back at 15.

[00:44:50.120]>>You're quickly starting to see the possibility of of Lamb having his putt to take a 3 shot lead over both of these guys in the final group here.

[00:45:06.260]>>First things first, blades brown, this is a must make par save.

[00:45:14.979]>>Well, I love that Blades was aggressive with his birdie putt. He knows what he needs to do. Pretty much needs to close out with birdies down the stretch.

[00:45:28.280]>>And another 3 putt, 4th of the day for Brown.

[00:45:33.860]>>It's just a little bit of adrenaline leaving his body.

[00:45:38.739]>>Starting to lose a little focus here.

[00:45:43.330]>>I feel like now it's on Pak's shoulders likely has got to get this up-and-down. I agree. right at it. You got it.

[00:45:55.419]>>Straight downwind, it's very difficult to control your yardage. 123 yards, but you really only have 3 or 4 paces between the front of the green and the flag.

[00:46:16.459]>>There we go, beautiful. Opportunity.

[00:46:22.030]>>For Pak.

[00:46:27.129]>>Now Lamb, see what he can do to answer.

[00:46:31.979]>>Oh. From 106, this needs to go a little. It went and it is awesome. What a shot from Davis Lamb.

[00:46:42.810]>>He has showed us over and over how comfortable he is in in this situation.

[00:46:48.689]>>I mean, you know, 2 yards over the, the penalty area there and he covers it by 1.

[00:46:57.209]>>Blade's mom Rhonda earlier today, and she said the only thing that Blades can do is just maintain the consistent level of play, and that's what he's been able to do.

[00:47:09.050]>>3rd at Puerto Rico Open playing earlier in January, The American Express in that final group, he's been able to develop so much experience at a young age. It's been very impressive to watch him play today.

[00:47:28.600]>>I like it. I like it. I like.

[00:47:33.929]>>Creative, well executed, gonna be a great finish for Blades Brown, struggled with the putter today.

[00:47:40.729]>>That is a professional birdie at the last big tee shot.

[00:47:45.179]>>And well executed pitch shot for the 18 year old.

[00:47:49.810]>>And most likely 3rd alone, that's gonna be his best result on the Korn Ferry Tour this season.

[00:47:57.030]>>He'll learn a lot from today, yes, he's had those experiences playing with Scottie Scheffler, finishing 3rd in the PGA TOUR, but.

[00:48:05.699]>>This is what he needs at a young young age.

[00:48:19.939]>>Even par on this championship Sunday, good way to finish and now all the pressure on the shoulders and the hands of a man that has rolled it so well today, so many par saves for John Pak, needs this to go for birdie.

[00:48:50.949]>>Oh, just skirts by the right edge.

[00:48:54.110]>>And Davis Lamb, now 2 putts away from his first win on the Korn Ferry tour.

[00:49:02.679]>>Just couldn't get one more to go.

[00:49:07.080]>>He fought hard

[00:49:08.800]>>Considering how he played, especially his back nine.

[00:49:14.199]>>And now Davis Lamb, who has been the most steady of this final group in bogey-free on this Sunday, 2 putts away from a Savannah win and a monumental moment in his professional journey.

[00:49:39.929]>>Just needed one, birdie to close.

[00:49:44.120]>>Lamb joins the ranks of winners on the Korn Ferry tour.

[00:50:02.479]>>I do.

[00:50:05.000]>>All in all, a 68 for Davis Lamb.

[00:50:10.199]>>Dream of that putt on the last, not all the time, you think you need to, you poured that in. And how about some of the putts, James, down the stretch? Well, considering you never won on the Korn Ferry Tour, you've never had a top 10, and you come out and you miss only 4 greens and 2 fairways. At the start of the day, the story was all Blades Brown, can he get it done? John Pak, can he get his 2nd win? It wasn't about Davis Lamb.

[00:50:35.129]>>But he showed us exactly what he could do, especially the close of those last 4 holes, very impressive from a man that was looking just to get inside the top 10 for the first time.

[00:50:47.030]>>Now projected 3rd on the points list is Davis Lamb. What a week. What a Sunday, and what a victory. Davis, your champion, he's down with Amelia.

[00:50:58.989]>>Thank you, Shane. A lot of celebration going on here because Davis, you're a Korn Ferry Tour winner for the very first time under that pressure. What did you prove to yourself today?

[00:51:12.699]>>I mean so much. I, uh, you know, I missed here at 2nd stage two years ago, um.

[00:51:20.979]>>Uh, it's just been a journey back. I never gave up. What's been the hardest part of the journey?

[00:51:28.879]>>Uh, trust in yourself. I know I'm good enough to win. I know all that, but you know, if you don't see it happen, you can't be sure. So to get that validation is unbelievable. Well, it was a bogey-free 68 to win by 2. Davis, congratulations and enjoy the celebrations.

[00:51:47.600]>>Typically is emotional when you win for the first time at this level, James, that is.

[00:51:52.959]>>Exactly what you wanna do, flawless on this Sunday, and what a way to do it.

[00:52:01.199]>>Ian Holt up top, and how about Davis Lamb now, who's all the way to 3rd on the points list. I think we saw it right there with an emotional presser alongside Amelia there that it hasn't come easy for him.