

**International Analysis  
2026 RBC Heritage**

**2026 Season**

<b>Wins by Country PGA TOUR This Season</b>		<b>Most Top 5s International Countries This Season</b>		<b>Most Top 10s International Countries This Season</b>	
	<b>Total</b>		<b>Total</b>		<b>Total</b>
United States	10	England	9	England	17
England	2	Australia	4	Australia	6
Colombia	1	Republic of Korea	3	Republic of Korea	6
Northern Ireland	1	Sweden	3	Japan	6
		Scotland	3	Germany	5

**Most Top 10s Without a Win  
International Countries This Season**

	<b>Total</b>
Australia	6
Republic of Korea	6
Japan	6
Germany	5

**Most Top 5s Without a Win  
International Countries This Season**

	<b>Total</b>
Australia	4
Republic of Korea	3
Sweden	3
Scotland	3

**2026 FedExCup International Storylines**

<b>Most International Player Inside Top 70 FedExCup Standings this Season</b>		<b>Most International Player Inside Top 50 FedExCup Standings this Season</b>		<b>Most International Player Inside Top 30 FedExCup Standings this Season</b>	
	<b>Total</b>		<b>Total</b>		<b>Total</b>
England	7	England	5	England	3
Canada	4	Australia	3	Australia	2
Australia	3	Japan	2	Japan	2
Republic of Korea	2	11 countries w/	1	7 countries w/	1
Japan	2				
Sweden	2				

**Most International Player Inside Top 10  
FedExCup Standings this Season**

	<b>Total</b>
England	1
Australia	1
Sweden	1
Scotland	1

**Highest Ranked International Players  
FedExCup This Season**

	<b>Rank</b>	<b>Country</b>
Matt Fitzpatrick	5 <sup>th</sup>	England
Rory McIlroy	7 <sup>th</sup>	Northern Ireland
Min Woo Lee	9 <sup>th</sup>	Australia
Justin Rose	12 <sup>th</sup>	England
Ludvig Åberg	13 <sup>th</sup>	Sweden

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### Event Recap (Since 1969)

Wins by Country RBC Heritage		Most Top 5s International Countries RBC Heritage		Most Top 10s International Countries RBC Heritage	
	Total		Total		Total
United States	43	Australia	18	Australia	33
Australia	4	England	14	South Africa	23
England	2	South Africa	11	England	19
South Africa	1	Germany	4	Canada	10
Sweden	1			Sweden	7
Zimbabwe	1				
Argentina	1				
Germany	1				
Northern Ireland	1				
Japan	1				
Chinese Taipei	1				

#### Most Top 10s Without a Win Intl. Countries RBC Heritage

#### Most Top 5s Without a Win Intl. Countries RBC Heritage

	Total		Total
Canada	10	Canada	3
Republic of Korea	6	Fiji	3
Ireland	4	Ireland	2
Slovakia	4	Austria	2

#### International Winners RBC Heritage

#### Finish Performance this Season United States vs International Players

	Country	Win Number		United States	International
<b>1977 Graham Marsh</b>	<b>Australia</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	Starts	971	658
<b>1984 Nick Faldo</b>	<b>England</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	Made Cut PCT	58.2%	59.7%
1985 Bernhard Langer	Germany	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Top 25 PCT	23.2%	24.5%
1988 Greg Norman	Australia	6 <sup>th</sup>	Top 10 PCT	9.2%	10.6%
1997 Nick Price	Zimbabwe	16 <sup>th</sup>	Top 5 PCT	4.6%	5.3%
<b>2001 José Coceres</b>	<b>Argentina</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	Win PCT	1.0%	0.6%
<b>2005 Peter Lonard</b>	<b>Australia</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>			
<b>2006 Aaron Baddeley</b>	<b>Australia</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>			
2012 Carl Pettersson	Sweden	5 <sup>th</sup>			
2013 Graeme McDowell	Northern Ireland	2 <sup>nd</sup>			
<b>2016 Branden Grace</b>	<b>South Africa</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>			
<b>2018 Satoshi Kodaira</b>	<b>Japan</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>			
<b>2019 C.T. Pan</b>	<b>Chinese Taipei</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>			
2023 Matt Fitzpatrick	England	2 <sup>nd</sup>			

### Tournament Headlines

- 29 international players in the field representing 16 different countries as of 1:06 am on 4/14/2026
- Eight international players have earned their first win at this event, tied for the most of any event on the PGA TOUR since 1977 (Wyndham Championship)
- Matt Fitzpatrick is the only international player in the field this week that has previously won this event
- International players have finished inside the Top 10 of the leaderboard in 10.6% of events this year compared to 9.2% for players from the United States

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### Matt Fitzpatrick (England)

- The 2023 Champion is set to make his 12<sup>th</sup> appearance at this event
- One of 34 players to have improved their rank in Greens in Regulation, Proximity to the Hole & SG: Approach the Green from 2025 to 2026
- Fitzpatrick has had 86.36% of his rounds in his last six starts at this event under par in comparison to 31.25% in the first five starts
- Has had 63.16% of his total rounds under par, third highest percentage of any event in his PGA TOUR Career (min 20 rds played)

#### Approach the Green Comparison PGA TOUR Last 2 Seasons

	2025	2026
Greens in Regulation	103rd	2nd
Proximity to Hole	T133	T5
SG: Approach the Green	T76	7th

*34 total players have improved in all three categories*

#### Event Comparison First 5 v Last 6 Starts RBC Heritage

	First 5	Last 6
Scoring Avg	70.63	<b>68.41</b>
PCT of RDs in 60s	31.25	<b>59.09</b>
PCT of RDs Under Par	31.25	<b>86.36</b>
Birdie or Better Avg	3.50	<b>4.41</b>
Best Finish	T14	<b>WON (2023)</b>

#### Highest PCT of RDs Under Par in an Event PGA TOUR Career

	Under Par/ Total	PCT
AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am	19/25	76.00%
WGC-HSBC Champions	14/20	70.00%
<b>RBC Heritage</b>	<b>24/38</b>	<b>63.16%</b>
FedEx St. Jude Championship	12/20	60.00%
THE PLAYERS Championship	18/30	60.00%

*min 20 rds played*

### Tommy Fleetwood (England)

- Is set to make his 7<sup>th</sup> appearance at this event (Best Finish: 7<sup>th</sup> in 2025)
- Fleetwood has four Top 10 finishes on the PGA TOUR This Season, tied for the second most of any player thru the first 14 events of the season (*Jake Knapp has the most with 5*)
- Has six consecutive rounds under par, the sixth longest active streak of any player at this event
- Of the 10 rounds Fleetwood has played over the weekend at this event only one had not been under par (Final RD in 2023, Even)

#### Longest Active Streak of Rounds Under Par RBC Heritage

	Total
Brian Harman	15
Scottie Scheffler	12
Russell Henley	11
Justin Thomas	9
Daniel Berger	7
<b>Tommy Fleetwood</b>	<b>6</b>

#### Highest Driving Accuracy PCT PGA TOUR Career

	Rank	PCT
2024	11 <sup>th</sup>	69.22
<b>2026*</b>	<b>9<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>67.56</b>
2025	35 <sup>th</sup>	65.37
2017-18	49 <sup>th</sup>	64.98
2018-19	73 <sup>rd</sup>	64.02

*\*on track for best rank in PGA TOUR Career*

#### Week v Weekend Comparison RBC Heritage Career

	Week	Weekend
Total Rounds	12	10
Scoring Avg	69.25	<b>68.70</b>
PCT of RDs Inside Top 10	25.00	<b>50.00</b>
PCT of RDs Under Par	58.33	<b>90.00</b>
Birdie or Better Avg	3.92	<b>4.40</b>

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### Sepp Straka (Austria)

- Is set to make his 7<sup>th</sup> appearance at this event (Best Finish: T3 in 2022)  
Has improved his rank in Strokes Gained: Around-the-Green in each of the last two consecutive seasons
- Straka has played 51.61% of his rounds under par in Signature Events and Majors in his PGA TOUR Career

#### Strokes Gained: Around-the-Green Rank Improv. PGA TOUR Last 3 Seasons

	Rank
2026	T59
2025	119 <sup>th</sup>
2024	172 <sup>nd</sup>

#### Regular v Signature Events/Majors PGA TOUR since 2024

	Regular Events	Sig. Events/Majors
Rounds Played	89	93
Scoring Avg	69.45	70.63
PCT of RDs in the 60s	46.07	37.63
PCT of RDs Under Par	62.92	51.61
Best Finish	WON	WON
	<i>WON - 2025 The American Express &amp; 2024 Truist Championship</i>	

### Min Woo Lee (Australia)

- Is set to make his 3<sup>rd</sup> appearance at this event (Best Finish: T61 in 2025)
- Improved his Driving Accuracy PCT rank from last season (159<sup>th</sup>) to this season (40<sup>th</sup>), marking the second largest rank improvement of any player in the time span
- Has played 76.67% of his rounds under pa this season, marking the fourth highest percentage of any player with 30 or more rounds played this season (*74 players meet this criteria*)

#### Largest Driving Accuracy Rank Improvement PGA TOUR Last 2 Seasons

	2025	2026	Improv.
Cameron Young	167 <sup>th</sup>	12 <sup>th</sup>	+155
<b>Min Woo Lee</b>	<b>159<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>40<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>+119</b>
Rory McIlroy	177 <sup>th</sup>	79 <sup>th</sup>	+98
Xander Schauffele	158 <sup>th</sup>	T69	+89
Jake Knapp	157 <sup>th</sup>	T69	+88

#### Highest PCT of Rounds Under Par PGA TOUR This Season

	Under Par/Total	PCT
Matt Fitzpatrick	27/32	84.38
Jacob Bridgeman	29/36	80.56
Jake Knapp	24/30	80.00
<b>Min Woo Lee</b>	<b>23/30</b>	<b>76.67</b>
Sahith Theegala	29/38	76.32

*min 30 rds played*

### Ludvig Åberg (Sweden)

- Is set to make his 3<sup>rd</sup> appearance at this event (Best Finish: T10 in 2024)
- Åberg has played 75% of his rounds under par in his last four starts this season in comparison to 66.67% in his first four starts
- Has improved his Strokes Gained: Around-the-Green rank from last season (T129) to this season (13<sup>th</sup>), marking the second largest improvement of any player in this category in the time span

#### First 4 v Last 4 Event Comparison PGA TOUR This Season

	First 4	Last 4
Scoring Avg	69.75	<b>69.56</b>
PCT of RDs Under Par	66.67	<b>75.00</b>
Birdie or Better Avg	5.25	4.69
Missed CUT PCT	50.00	<b>0.00</b>
Best Finish	T20	<b>T3</b>

#### Largest SG: Around-the-Green Rank Improvement PGA TOUR Last 2 Seasons

	2025	2026	Improv
Michael Thorbjornsen	159 <sup>th</sup>	34 <sup>th</sup>	+125
<b>Ludvig Åberg</b>	<b>T129</b>	<b>13<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>+116</b>
Akshay Bhatia	162 <sup>nd</sup>	49 <sup>th</sup>	+113
Viktor Hovland	138 <sup>th</sup>	33 <sup>rd</sup>	+105
Nicolai Højgaard	T166	64 <sup>th</sup>	+102

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### Robert MacIntyre (Scotland)

- Is set to make his 3<sup>rd</sup> appearance at this event (Best Finish: T59 in 2021)
- Has improved his Driving Accuracy PCT rank in each of the last two consecutive seasons
- Has back-to-back Top 10 finishes at THE PLAYERS Championship & Valero Texas Open this season. In his last 43 starts MacIntyre has had 13 top 10 finishes which is seven more than in his first 42 starts on TOUR where had had 6
  - Two of those Top 10 finishes include wins at the 2024 RBC Canadian Open & 2024 Genesis Scottish Open

#### Driving Accuracy PCT Rank Improvement PGA TOUR Last 3 Seasons

	Rank
2026	29 <sup>th</sup>
2025	77 <sup>th</sup>
2024	153 <sup>rd</sup>

#### Top 10 Finishes PGA TOUR Career Comparison

	Total
First 42 Events	6
<b>Last 43 Events</b>	<b>13</b>
<i>had back-to-back Top 10 Finishes at THE PLAYERS &amp; Valero Texas Open this season</i>	

### Jason Day (Australia)

- Is set to make his 9<sup>th</sup> appearance at this event (Best Finish: T9 in 2011)
- Has seven consecutive opening rounds of par or better at this event, the sixth longest active streak at this event since 2008
- Has improved his Greens in Regulation rank in each of the last two consecutive seasons, marking the sixth largest rank improvement of any player in this time span

#### Longest Active Streak of Opening RDs Par or Better RBC Heritage since 2008

	Total
Matt Kuchar	12
Patrick Cantlay	8
Matt Fitzpatrick	8
Billy Horschel	8
Webb Simpson	8
<b>Jason Day</b>	<b>7</b>

#### Greens in Regulation Rank Improvement PGA TOUR Last 3 Seasons

	Rank
2026	T18
2025	T121
2024	164 <sup>th</sup>
<i>*6<sup>th</sup> largest improvement over last 2 seasons</i>	

### Viktor Hovland (Norway)

- Is set to make his 4<sup>th</sup> appearance at this event (Best Finish: T13 in 2025)
- Has had 16 events in his PGA TOUR Career where he has played all four rounds in the 60s, 2025 RBC Heritage
- Has improved his rank in Strokes Gained: Around-the-Green in each of the last two consecutive seasons. Also marks the fourth largest rank improvement in this category over the last two seasons

#### Last 5 Events With all Four Rounds in the 60s PGA TOUR

	Finish
2025 BMW Championship	T7
<b>2025 RBC Heritage</b>	<b>T13</b>
2024 Genesis Scottish Open	T46
2024 PGA Championship	3 <sup>rd</sup>
2023 TOUR Championship	WON

#### Stroke Gained: Around-the-Green Rank Improvement PGA TOUR Last 3 Seasons

	Rank
2026	33 <sup>rd</sup>
2025	138 <sup>th</sup>
2024	180 <sup>th</sup>
<i>*4<sup>th</sup> largest improvement over last 2 seasons</i>	