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Wednesday Pre-Tournament Notes

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PRE-TOURNAMENT AVAILABILITY HIGHLIGHTS

Rolex Rankings No. 2 Jeeno Thitikul

Transcript

Thitikul on being back in Asia for the fall swing

"But the golf events, I mean, I love China. I love Chinese food. I think to eat as much Chinese food should be my goal this week. I mean, golf-wise it's kind of second tier. I've been trying to enjoy. I just went back to Thailand last week. I love this period of golf because we are in Asia and I was home. I feel like playing Asia is my favorite part of the year, so we're trying to enjoy that."

Rolex Rankings No. 6 Ruoning Yin

Transcript

Yin on being back in her home country and earning medals at the 2026 Asian Games

"I think it's just like going home. It was a great honor to claim medals during the Asian Games. Also very happy and very delighted playing in front of home fans. It's always good to start something new, but I think this is the very beginning for Chinese golf."

Rolex Rankings No. 9 Sei Young Kim

Transcript

Kim on staying competitive throughout her whole career

"I think I still love to compete young generation, and then we play last tournament and it was great to compete with Ronni. I got a lot from the young players, so it's good motivation from them. So I used to compete more with older player but it feels different; but now it's more the tougher to reach the win. So yeah, now I more the working hard than when I was younger, but, yeah, I just do my best until the end my career. That's what I want to do."

[Rolex Rankings No. 37 Celine Boutier](#)[Transcript](#)

Boutier on the Buick LPGA Shanghai starting the fall Asia swing

"Yeah, it's always an fun to get started in Shanghai. This tournament has kind of been improved year after year, so it's been fun to see how it's improved every year, how big it's become and how much fan support we have now. I think it's just a great way to also start out the Asian Swing. It's fun for people to visit also outside of just the golf course. This year's golf course is also a really good challenge, so I think it just gets us ready for the rest of the few events in Asia."

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