



TOURNAMENT of CHAMPIONS

2026 Hilton Grand Vacations Tournament of Champions

Lake Nona Golf & Country Club | Orlando, Fla. | Jan. 29 – Feb. 1, 2026

Partial Third-Round Notes

Jan. 31, 2026

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Course Setup: 36-36—72, 6,424 yards
Scoring Average: R1: 71.462; R2: 71.846; R3: 73.34
 (as of Saturday evening with 8 players left to finish)
Weather: Mostly cloudy skies throughout the day with westerly winds increasing with gusts above 30 mph. High temperatures in the upper 50s midday before gradually falling to the low 40s after sunset.
Race to CME Globe Points: 500 (winner)
Purse: \$2.1 million (winner's prize, \$315,000)
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The third round will resume and the final round concurrently will begin at 10 a.m. on Sunday, Feb. 1. The final round will be split tees in groups of three from 10-11:39 a.m.

- LPGA players who have finished will be grouped together according to their third-round result.
- The two players still to finish on the front nine will be playing in the final group off No. 10.
- The six players who need to finish on the back nine will be playing in the last two groups off No. 1 tee, paired based upon the order they complete Round 3.
- Celebrities will be paired together in the first seven pairings off No. 10 and will only play 9 holes on Sunday.

LEADERBOARD

	Player	To par	Score
1	Nelly Korda	-13	68-71-64 – 203
2	Amy Yang	-10 (thru 16)	68-69 – 137
T3	Youmin Hwang	-8 (thru 16)	71-67 – 138
T3	Lydia Ko	-8 (thru 15)	69-67 – 136

COMPETITION HIGHLIGHTS

- Play for Round 3 was suspended at 4:18 p.m. due to unplayable conditions on No. 17 and due to continued high winds through sunset, play did not resume

- Eight players have not finished their third round including **Amy Yang, Youmin Hwang, Lydia Ko, Nasa Hataoka, Lottie Woad, A Lim Kim, Yuka Saso, Moriya Jutanugarn**
- 1st: **Nelly Korda** shot a 64 on Saturday
 - Had an eagle, seven birdies and one bogey
 - The eagle was on No. 3 when she holed out from the fairway
 - Hit 10/14 fairways, 14/18 greens in regulation with 25 putts
 - Currently has the most birdies of any player in the field at 16 over her three rounds
 - Is the lowest round of the week across the field
 - Is her lowest round since a 63 at The ANNIKA driven by Gainbridge at Pelican in 2025
 - Is her lowest round at the Hilton Grand Vacations Tournament of Champions since the 2021 when she shot a 64 at Four Seasons Golf and Sports Club (Tranquilo Golf Course)
 - Is her lowest round at Lake Nona Golf & Country Club, 65 last season
 - With a current scoring average of 73.34 for the third round (with 8 players left to finish), Korda was 9.34 strokes better than the field
- 2nd: **Amy Yang** sits three shots behind Korda with two holes left in her third round
 - Had four birdies and one bogey on Saturday before the horn blew
- Defending champion **A Lim Kim** is currently tied for 10th
 - Is three-over par with one hole left in her third round
- **Aaron Hicks** leads the celebrity field with 104 points in the Modified Stableford format
 - Has two holes left to complete in his third round
 - Two-time winner Mardy Fish trails closely behind with 103 points with two holes remaining in R3

WITH A WIN

Nelly Korda

- Would earn her 16th LPGA Tour win
 - Would be her first since The ANNIKA driven by Gainbridge at Pelican in 2024 (1 year, 2 months, 15 days)
- Would be the first time she won in a season debut since joining the Tour in 2017
- Would be the 28th different American with 16 or more wins on the LPGA Tour
- Would be the first American to win the Hilton Grand Vacations Tournament of Champions since Danielle Kang in 2022
- Would be the second event that both Nelly and **Jessica Korda** have won
 - Jessica won the Hilton Grand Vacations Tournament of Champions in 2021
 - Jessica also won the 2012 Women's Australian Open and Nelly won the event in 2019
- Would likely move to No. 8 on the All-Time Career Money List, surpassing **Amy Yang**
- Would be the first American to win an official event on the LPGA Tour since **Jennifer Kupcho** (2025 ShopRite LPGA powered by Wakefern)

Amy Yang

- Would be her seventh LPGA Tour win
 - Would be her first victory since the 2024 KPMG Women's PGA Championship
- Would be the first time she won in a season debut since joining the Tour in 2008

- Would be the third player from the Republic of Korea to win the Hilton Grand Vacations Tournament of Champions joining **Eun-Hee Ji** (2019) and **A Lim Kim** (2025)
- Would be the 11th player from the Republic of Korea with seven or more LPGA Tour wins
- Would be the first player from the Republic of Korea to win on the LPGA Tour since Sei Young Kim (2025 BMW Ladies Championship)

A LOOK AT THE LEADER

CATEGORY	Nelly Korda
2026 Race to CME Globe Rank	N/A
2026 LPGA Tour Wins	0
2026 LPGA Tour Top 10s	0
2026 Official Season Earnings	\$0
Career LPGA Tour Wins	15
Career Official LPGA Tour Top 10s	75
Career Official Money	\$16.1 M

ABOUT THE LEADER

Rolex Rankings No. 2 Nelly Korda

- Eighth start at the Hilton Grand Vacations Tournament of Champions
 - Six previous top-10 finishes including a runner-up finish in 2025
- First start of the 2026 season
- Joined the LPGA Tour in 2017
 - Has 15 wins including two major championships
 - Won seven times in 2024
 - Won the Rolex Player of the Year and Rolex ANNIKA Major Award in 2024
 - Four-time U.S. Solheim Cup Team member
 - Two-time Olympian representing the United States
- Has three wins on the Ladies European Tour
- Graduated from the Epson Tour in 2016

TOURNAMENT SCORING RECORDS

18 holes: 60, Jessica Korda (R3, 2021)

36 holes: 129, Danielle Kang (2021)

54 holes: 192, Danielle Kang (2021)

72 holes: 260, Jessica Korda (2021 and Danielle Kang (2021)

QUOTABLES

Nelly Korda (1st, -13) on how great of a round she had despite the conditions

“Yeah, I’m sure it’ll hit me in a little bit. Kind of when you’re out there you’re so focused on being present and focusing in on the shot that it hasn’t really hit me like how well I played or the score that I shot because in a sense you’re almost in survival mode, especially the last holes. 15, 16, 17, 18, they’re brutal once you get a little bit exposed. Mentally I was already preparing for that. I knew it was going to be tough on those holes, especially the wind kind of coming from the north. But, yeah, just very proud of myself. And more the mental side for being really committed to my lines. It is really easy, especially on a golf course like this with so many

run-offs, to start doubting yourself. So just really proud of myself and Jason for committing to the lines and really dialing into specific numbers."

Brooke Henderson (5, -7) on how pleased she was with her round

"Yeah, very pleased to shoot 6-under. It was really fun to make a bunch of birdies. I felt like I was hitting it really well and Brit was doing a really good job of calculating distances and giving me the right yardage and the right clubs to hit, so it was really fun. I hit a lot of greens and gave myself a lot of opportunities, and it was nice to see some putts roll in."

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