

# 2026 American Family Insurance Championship



## Second-Round Notes

Saturday, June 6, 2026

TPC Wisconsin | Madison, Wisconsin

11th of 28 PGA TOUR Champions events in the 2026 Season

- **Course Setup:** Par 71 / 6,974 yards
- **Round 2 Scoring Average:** 60.763
- **Weather:** Mostly sunny with afternoon High of 86. Light winds NW at 3-8 mph.
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	Team	To Par	Scores
1	Darren Clarke/Ben Crane	-26	62-54—116
2	Cameron Percy/Greg Chalmers	-23	61-58—119
T3	Alex Cejka/Tim O'Neal	-22	63-57—120
	Jason Caron/Brett Quigley	-22	62-58—120
	Rory Sabbatini/Brian Gay	-22	60-60—120

## Things to Know

- **Format:** The American Family Insurance Championship is played in a two-man team format. Competing for a \$3 million purse, the winning team will share \$600,000 (\$300,000 per player).
  - **First Round:** Best Ball
  - **Second Round:** Scramble
  - **Final Round:** Best Ball

## Darren Clarke/Ben Crane, 62-54—116 (-29)

- Partnering up for the first time, Clarke and Crane carded the low 18-hole score in American Family Insurance Championship history (17-under 54). The pair birdied 17 of the 18 holes (all except No. 10) in the Scramble format.
  - Previous record: 56 (Steve Stricker/Mario Tiziani, 2025/R2/Scramble)
- Clarke, the 57-year-old American Family Insurance Championship defending co-champion, seeks his sixth win on PGA TOUR Champions (160th start).
  - Last win: 2025 American Family Insurance Championship with partner Thomas Bjørn (Bjørn is recovering from spinal surgery and not in the 2026 field).
  - Is making his fifth event appearance in Madison and second as a team event.
- Clarke looks to become the second two-time winner of the American Family Insurance Championship, joining Jerry Kelly (2019, 2021).
  - Note: The American Family Insurance Championship was an individual event from 2016 to 2024.
- Making his 10th start of the 2026 season, the Northern Ireland native has two top-10 finishes.
  - Best finish: T3 (Insperty Invitational)
- This is Clarke's second time leading after the second-round scramble format since American Family Insurance Championship's team format debut (2025).
  - Bettered his own 36-hole record score at this event by one stroke after carding 117 in 2025 alongside Bjørn.
- This marks Clarke's seventh time leading/co-leading entering the final round on PGA TOUR Champions (4-for-6)
  - Is 3-for-5 in 54-hole events, including last year's American Family Insurance Championship (Won)
- 50-year-old rookie Crane seeks his first win on PGA TOUR Champions since turning 50 on March 6 (eighth start).
  - Best finish: 2nd (Senior PGA Championship)
- This is Crane's first time leading/co-leading heading into the final round on PGA TOUR Champions.
- With a win, Crane would snap a winless streak of 11 years, 11 months and 29 days.

- Last win: 2014 FedEx St. Jude Classic; captured the title on June 8, 2014, one day shy of a 12 years since his last victory.
- Crane looks to become the fourth first-time winner of the 2026 season on PGA TOUR Champions and third consecutive event of a player accomplishing this feat.
  - Previous instances: Zach Johnson (James Hardie Pro Football Hall of Fame Invitational), Boo Weekley (Inspire Invitational), Scott Hend (Trophy Hassan II)

#### **Other Notes**

- The Australian duo of **Cameron Percy/Greg Chalmers** (2<sup>nd</sup>) shot 27 on the back nine on their way to 13-under 58, heading into the final round three strokes behind the leaders at 23-under. The pair teamed up at last year's American Family Insurance Championship, finishing T12.
  - 56-year-old Chalmers (55<sup>th</sup> start) and 52-year-old Percy (48<sup>th</sup> start) seek their respective first wins on PGA TOUR Champions.
- **Brian Gay/Rory Sabbatini**, are T3 after shooting 11-under 60, heading back into the Best Ball format at 22-under.
  - A win would mark both Sabbatini and Gay's first PGA TOUR Champions titles.
- Tournament host **Steve Stricker** and his partner **Mario Tiziani** sit T25 at 16-under 126.
- 18-hole leaders **Freddie Jacobson/Søren Kjeldsen** are T6 at 21-under after posting 62 in Saturday's Scramble format.