

NATURE VALLEY INTERNATIONAL: 30 JUNE MEDIA NOTES

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SINGLES FINAL

Lukas Lacko (SVK) vs Mischa Zverev (GER)

17 Halle (Germany)

Grass R32

Mischa Zverev

Zverev Leads 1-0

6-4 6-4

Other Meetings

06 Germany F3 (Germany)

Hard R16

Mischa Zverev

6-2 6-4

07 Wroclaw CH (Poland)

Hard R32

Mischa Zverev

6-4 6-7(10) 7-6(5)

07 Istanbul CH (Turkey)

Hard F

Mischa Zverev

6-4 6-4

12 Doha Q (Qatar)

Hard Q1

Lukas Lacko

7-6(1) 6-3

13 Le Gosier CH (Guadeloupe)

Hard R32

Lukas Lacko

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Lacko 2018 Summary | 30 years old | World No. 94 | 2018: 7-7 | Tournament: 4-1 | 2nd Career Final

- Owns 0-1 record in ATP World Tour finals. Runner-up at 2012 Zagreb (l. to Youzhny).
- Defeated No. 1 seed and World No. 11 Schwartzman in Eastbourne 2R for biggest win of career (2-37 vs. Top 20).
- Meets [Q] Bonzi in Wimbledon 1R. With a win, would meet [1] Federer or Lajovic in Wimbledon 2R.
- Upset 2016 semi-finalist Raonic to reach Australian Open 2R (l. to Kicker).
- Also advanced to 2R at Auckland as LL (l. to Haase) and Sofia (l. to Kovalik after holding 1 MP).
- Qualified at Halle (l. to Kudla in 1R).
- Captured 12th ATP Challenger Tour title in 24th final at Glasgow, GBR (d. Vanni).
- Withdrew from Pune and Rotterdam qualifying due to illness.

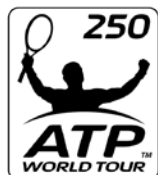
Zverev 2018 Summary | 30 years old | World No. 67 | 2018: 14-18 | Tournament: 5-2 | 3rd Career Final

- Owns 0-2 record in ATP finals. Runner-up at 2010 Metz as Q (l. to Simon) and 2017 Geneva as Q (l. to Wawrinka).
- Upset No. 7 seed and 2016 champion Johnson, as well as No. 3 seed Shapovalov en route to Eastbourne final.
- Meets Herbert in Wimbledon 1R. With 2 wins, could meet [2] Nadal in Wimbledon 3R.
- Entered Roland Garros with 0-6 tournament record and advanced to 3R (l. to Anderson).
- Along with A. Zverev, 1st brothers to reach Roland Garros 3R since Gene and Sandy Mayer in 1979.
- Defeated Pouille in 3rd-set TB to reach ATP Masters 1000 Monte-Carlo 3R (l. to Gasquet).
- Snapped 5-match singles losing streak with win over Kavcic at Marseille (l. to Khachanov in 2R).
- Advanced to Halle doubles final w/A. Zverev, losing rematch of 2017 final (l. to Kubot/Melo).
- Ended 11-match doubles losing streak at Miami w/A. Zverev (d. S. Gonzalez/Verdasco, l. to Marach/Pavic in 2R).

Nature Valley International	Lukas Lacko	Mischa Zverev
Aces	27	15
1st-Serve Percentage	63% (161 of 255)	65% (180 of 277)
1st-Serve Points Won	80% (128 of 161)	74% (133 of 180)
2nd-Serve Points Won	67% (63 of 94)	44% (43 of 97)
Service Games Won	89% (42 of 47)	81% (34 of 42)
Break Points Saved	62% (8 of 13)	68% (17 of 25)
1st-Serve Return Points Won	31% (63 of 201)	36% (65 of 180)
2nd-Serve Return Points Won	59% (58 of 99)	60% (76 of 126)
Return Games Won	24% (11 of 45)	40% (17 of 42)
Break Points Converted	34% (11 of 32)	44% (17 of 39)

BOLD: Leads all 28 players at Nature Valley International.

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SINGLES SEMI-FINALS AND DOUBLES FINAL

Lukas Lacko (SVK) vs [4] Marco Cecchinato (ITA)

First Meeting

Lacko 2018 Summary | 30 years old | World No. 94 | 2018: 6-7 | Tournament: 3-1 | 2 Career SFs

- Improved to 2-11 in ATP World Tour QFs. Seeking 2nd ATP World Tour final of career (also 2012 Zagreb).
- Defeated No. 1 seed and World No. 11 Schwartzman in Eastbourne 2R for biggest win of career (2-37 vs. Top 20).
- Captured 12th ATP Challenger Tour title in 24th final at Glasgow, GBR (d. Vanni).

Cecchinato 2018 Summary | 25 years old | World No. 31 | 2018: 15-10 (Budapest Champion) | Tournament: 2-0

- Defeated 2016 champion Djokovic as World No. 72 to become lowest-ranked Roland Garros semi-finalist since No. 100 A. Medvedev in 1999 and 1st Italian Grand Slam semi-finalist since Barazzutti at 1978 Roland Garros.
- Rallied from 2 sets down vs. Copil in Roland Garros 1R and also beat Carreno Busta and Goffin en route to SF.
- Advanced to 1st ATP World Tour SF and final en route to 1st title at Budapest as LL (d. Seppi and Millman).

Mischa Zverev (GER) vs Mikhail Kukushkin (KAZ)

Zverev Leads 2-1

10 Zagreb (Croatia)	Hard	R32	Mikhail Kukushkin	6-4 6-3
17 Wimbledon (Great Britain)	Grass	R64	Mischa Zverev	6-1 6-2 2-6 3-6 6-4
18 ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells (U.S.A.)	Hard	R128	Mischa Zverev	6-3 4-6 6-1

Other Meetings

13 Furth CH (Germany)	Clay	R32	Mikhail Kukushkin	7-6(4) 4-6 6-4
13 Aptos CH (U.S.A.)	Hard	R32	Mischa Zverev	4-6 6-4 6-4

Zverev 2018 Summary | 30 years old | World No. 67 | 2018: 13-18 (1st SF) | Tournament: 4-2 | 2 Career Finals

- Appearing in 1st ATP World Tour SF since 2017 Metz. Seeking 3rd final overall and 1st since 2017 Geneva.
- Along with A. Zverev, 1st brothers to both reach Roland Garros 3R in singles since Gene and Sandy Mayer in 1979.

Kukushkin 2018 Summary | 30 years old | World No. 90 | 2018: 10-12 (1st SF) | Tournament: 4-5 | 1 Career Title

- Appearing in 1st ATP World Tour SF since 2017 Memphis. Seeking 4th final overall and 1st since 2015 Sydney.
- Captured 14th ATP Challenger Tour title in 21st final at Irving, USA (d. Berrettini).

[WC] Luke Bambridge (GBR)/Jonny O'Mara (GBR) vs Ken Skupski (GBR)/Neal Skupski (GBR)

First Tour-Level Meeting

Other Meeting

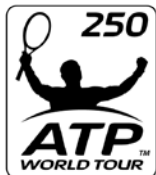
18 Surbiton CH (Great Britain)	Grass	F	Bambridge/O'Mara	7-6(11) 4-6 [10-7]
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- First All-British doubles final on ATP World Tour since 2012 Eastbourne (Fleming/Hutchins d. Delgado/K. Skupski).
- **Bambridge** and **O'Mara** are making tour-level debut as a team this week and will be WCs at Wimbledon as well.
- Wild cards upset No. 1 seeds and World No. 3 team Cabal/Farah 3-6 6-3 [10-5] in Eastbourne QF.
- Defeated Skupski/Skupski on grass earlier this month to win 1st Challenger title as a team at Surbiton, GBR.
- **K. Skupski** and **N. Skupski** are 11-4 this season and 30-34 overall. Brothers will also play together at Wimbledon.
- Neal won 1st ATP World Tour title at 2018 Montpellier with Ken (d. McLachlan/Nys). Ken owns 3 more ATP titles.
- Brothers have won 16 ATP Challenger Tour titles as a team, including 2018 Quimper, FRA (d. Gille/Vliegen).

POTENTIAL SINGLES FINALS

[4] Marco Cecchinato (ITA) vs Mischa Zverev (GER)
[4] Marco Cecchinato (ITA) vs Mikhail Kukushkin (KAZ)
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First Meeting
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Zverev Leads 1-0
First Tour-Level Meeting



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CENTRE COURT

Lukas Lacko (SVK) vs [WC] Cameron Norrie (GBR)

First Tour-Level Meeting

Lacko 2018 Summary | 30 years old | World No. 94 | 2018: 5-7 | Tournament: 2-1 | Seeks 2nd ATP SF--2012 Zagreb

- Defeated No. 1 seed and World No. 11 Schwartzman on Wednesday for biggest win of career (2-37 vs. Top 20).
- Captured 12th ATP Challenger Tour title in 24th final at Glasgow, GBR (d. Vanni).

Norrie 2018 Summary | 22 years old | Career-High No. 79 | 2018: 8-9 (Lyon SF) | Tournament: 3-1

- Advanced to 1st ATP World Tour QF and SF at Lyon (d. Isner, l. to Simon).
- Did not drop a set en route to Estoril title w/Edmund in ATP World Tour doubles debut (d. Koolhof/Sitak).
- Rallied from 2 sets down to beat Bautista Agut in Davis Cup debut (ESP d. GBR 3-1 in 1R).

Mikhail Kukushkin (KAZ) vs [2] Kyle Edmund (GBR)

First Meeting

Kukushkin 2018 Summary | 30 years old | World No. 90 | 2018: 9-12 (0 SFs) | Tournament: 3-5 | 1 Career Title

- Dropped just 5 games in 4 sets this week, beating [Q] de Minaur 6-1 6-2 in 1R and [6] Ferrer 6-2 6-0 in 2R.
- Lost to eventual finalists in QFs at Pune (l. to Anderson) and Lyon (l. to Simon).
- Captured 14th ATP Challenger Tour title at Irving, USA (d. Berrettini).

Edmund 2018 Summary | 23 years old | World No. 18 | 2018: 21-11 (Marrakech Finalist) | Tournament: 3-5

- Defeated [WC] Murray 6-4 6-4 on Wednesday after replacing him as No. 1 Brit on 5 March.
- Earned biggest win of career over No. 3 Dimitrov to become 4th Brit to reach Australian Open SF (l. to Cilic).
- Ended 0-5 start to career in SFs by reaching 1st ATP World Tour final at Marrakech (d. Gasquet, l. to Andujar).

COURT 1

[4] Marco Cecchinato (ITA) vs John Millman (AUS)

Cecchinato Leads 1-0

Cecchinato 2018 Summary | 25 years old | World No. 31 | 2018: 14-10 (Budapest Champion) | Tournament: 1-0

- Defeated 2016 champion Djokovic as World No. 72 to become lowest-ranked Roland Garros semi-finalist since No. 100 A. Medvedev in 1999 and 1st Italian Grand Slam semi-finalist since Barazzutti at 1978 Roland Garros.
- Rallied from 2 sets down vs. Copil in Roland Garros 1R and also beat Carreno Busta and Goffin en route to SF.
- Advanced to 1st ATP World Tour SF and final en route to 1st title at Budapest as LL (d. Seppi and Millman).

Millman 2018 Summary | 29 years old | World No. 62 | 2018: 11-10 (Budapest Finalist) | Tournament: 3-1

- Upset No. 14 Pouille and saved 3 MPs vs. Bedene to reach 1st ATP World Tour final at Budapest (l. to Cecchinato).
- Achieved career-high No. 58 in ATP Rankings on 14 May.
- Defeated countrymen for Challenger titles at Kyoto, JPN (d. Thompson) and Aix En Provence, FRA (d. Tomic).

Mischa Zverev (GER) vs [3] Denis Shapovalov (CAN)

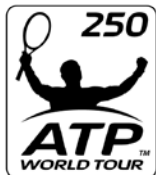
First Meeting

Zverev 2018 Summary | 30 years old | World No. 67 | 2018: 12-18 (1st QF) | Tournament: 3-2

- Entered Roland Garros with 0-6 tournament record and advanced to 3R (l. to Anderson).
- Along with A. Zverev, 1st brothers to reach Roland Garros 3R since Gene and Sandy Mayer in 1979.

Shapovalov 2018 Summary | 19 years old | World No. 26 | 2018: 19-15 (2 SFs) | Tournament: 1-0 | #NextGenATP

- At 19, youngest quarter-finalist and semi-finalist ever at ATP Masters 1000 Madrid (d. Raonic in 3R, l. to A. Zverev).
- Achieved career-high ranking 11 times -- peaking at No. 23 on 11 June and becoming No. 1 Canadian on 21 May.
- Reached Delray Beach SF (l. to Tiafoe), Miami 4R (d. Querrey, l. to Coric) and Rome 3R (d. Berdych, l. to Nadal).



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CENTRE COURT

Jared Donaldson (USA) vs [3] Denis Shapovalov (CAN)

Shapovalov Leads 1-0

Donaldson 2018 Summary | 21 years old | World No. 54 | 2018: 12-15 (Acapulco SF) | Tournament: 2-1

- Achieved career-high No. 48 on 5 March after reaching 1st ATP World Tour SF at Acapulco (l. to Anderson).
- Reached 3R at ATP Masters 1000 Miami (l. to Sousa).

Shapovalov 2018 Summary | 19 years old | World No. 26 | 2018: 18-15 (2 SFs) | Eastbourne Debut | #NextGenATP

- At 19, youngest quarter-finalist and semi-finalist ever at ATP Masters 1000 Madrid (d. Raonic in 3R, l. to A. Zverev).
- Achieved career-high ranking 11 times -- peaking at No. 23 on 11 June and becoming No. 1 Canadian on 21 May.

[WC] Andy Murray (GBR) vs [2] Kyle Edmund (GBR)

Murray Leads 2-0

Murray 2018 Summary | 31 years old | World No. 156 | 2018: 1-1 | Tournament: 3-1 (2006 QF) | 45 Career Titles

- Returned from hip injury following 11-month hiatus and lost 3-setter to Kyrgios in London/Queen's Club 1R.
- Fell to No. 157 in ATP Rankings on 11 June -- lowest since No. 164 on 18 July 2005.

Edmund 2018 Summary | 23 years old | World No. 18 | 2018: 20-11 (Marrakech Finalist) | Tournament: 2-5

- Earned biggest win of career over No. 3 Dimitrov to become 4th Brit to reach Australian Open SF (l. to Cilic).
- Achieved career-high No. 17 on 21 May. Became No. 1 Brit on 5 March, ending Murray's 12-year reign.

COURT 1

[1] Diego Schwartzman (ARG) vs Lukas Lacko (SVK)

First Meeting

Schwartzman 2018 Summary | 25 years old | Career-High No. 11 | 2018: 22-13 | Tournament: 0-3 | Grass: 0-6

- Won 2nd ATP title at Rio de Janeiro (d. Verdasco) and reached 2nd Grand Slam QF at Roland Garros (l. to Nadal).
- Highest-ranked player to stand 5-foot-7 or shorter since 5-foot-6 Solomon was No. 10 on 27 July 1981.

Lacko 2018 Summary | 30 years old | World No. 94 | 2018: 4-7 | Tournament: 1-1 | Owns 1-37 record vs. Top 20

- Upset 2016 semi-finalist Raonic to reach Australian Open 2R (l. to Kicker).
- Captured 12th ATP Challenger Tour title in 24th final at Glasgow, GBR (d. Vanni).

[LL] Jay Clarke (GBR) vs [WC] Cameron Norrie (GBR)

First Meeting

Clarke 2018 Summary | 19 years old | World No. 236 | 2018: 1-1 | Tournament: 1-0 | #NextGenATP

- Made ATP World Tour debut at London/Queen's Club as WC (l. to Querrey in 1R).
- Advanced to Challenger QFs at San Luis Potosi, MEX (l. to Sakamoto) and Sarasota, USA as Q (l. to Bagnis).

Norrie 2018 Summary | 22 years old | Career-High No. 79 | 2018: 7-9 (Lyon SF) | Tournament: 2-1

- Advanced to 1st ATP World Tour QF and SF at Lyon (d. Isner, l. to Simon).
- Rallied from 2 sets down to beat Bautista Agut in Davis Cup debut (ESP d. GBR 3-1 in 1R).

OUTER COURTS

[4] Marco Cecchinato (ITA) vs Denis Istomin (UZB)

[7] Steve Johnson (USA) vs Mischa Zverev (GER)

John Millman (AUS) vs [5] Leonardo Mayer (ARG)

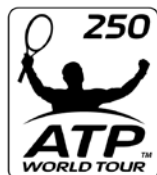
[6] David Ferrer (ESP) vs Mikhail Kukushkin (KAZ)

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Zverev Leads 1-0

Mayer Leads 1-0

Ferrer Leads 7-1



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CENTRE COURT

Gilles Simon (FRA) vs [5] Leonardo Mayer (ARG)

Simon Leads 2-0

Simon 2018 Summary | 33 years old | World No. 53 | 2018: 19-13 | Tournament: 13-7 (2013 Finalist) | 13 ATP Titles

- Beat [3] Bautista Agut in 2R, [1] Cilic in SF and [2] Anderson in final to win 13th ATP title at Pune (1st since 2015).
- Led 6-3, 4-2 with 2 break points for 5-2 in 2nd set before falling to Thiem in Lyon final.

Mayer 2018 Summary | 31 years old | World No. 36 | 2018: 14-14 | Tournament: 4-3 (2009, 2015 QF) | 2 ATP Titles

- Reached QFs at Buenos Aires (d. Fognini, l. to Monfils) and Sao Paulo (d. Elias after saving 2 MPs, l. to Cuevas).
- Improved to 2-29 vs. Top 10 players by beating Anderson in 3rd-set TB at London/Queen's Club (l. to Tiafoe in 2R).

[WC] Cameron Norrie (GBR) vs [Q] Daniel Brands (GER)

First Meeting

Norrie 2018 Summary | 22 years old | Career-High No. 79 | 2018: 6-9 (Lyon SF) | Tournament: 1-1 (2017 2R)

- Advanced to 1st ATP World Tour QF and SF at Lyon (d. Isner, l. to Simon).
- Broke into Top 100 of ATP Rankings on 28 May and achieved career-high No. 79 on 11 June.
- Rallied from 2 sets down to beat Bautista Agut in Davis Cup debut (ESP d. GBR 3-1 in 1R).

Brands 2018 Summary | 30 years old | World No. 316 | 2018: 0-0 (Season Debut) | Eastbourne Main Draw Debut

- Defeated World No. 15 Sock in qualifying 1R. Appearing in 1st ATP World Tour main draw since 2017 Gstaad.
- Fell to No. 431 in ATP Rankings on 26 February -- lowest since No. 488 on 26 February 2007.

COURT 1

[7] Steve Johnson (USA) vs Daniil Medvedev (RUS)

Medvedev Leads 3-0

Johnson 2018 Summary | 28 years old | World No. 42 | 2018: 17-12 | Tournament: 6-2 (2016 Champion)

- Defeated 5 countrymen to become 1st back-to-back champion at Houston since Roddick in 2001-02 (d. Sandgren).
- Advanced to SFs at Delray Beach (d. Raonic in 2R, l. to Gojowczyk) and Geneva (l. to Fucsovics).

Medvedev 2018 Summary | 22 years old | World No. 59 | 2018: 15-12 | Tournament: 3-2 (2017 SF) | 1 ATP Title

- Earned 7 victories to capture 1st ATP World Tour title at Sydney as 21-year-old Q (d. de Minaur).
- Win over 18-year-old de Minaur marked youngest ATP final since Nadal, 20, vs. Djokovic, 19, at 2007 Indian Wells.

Nicolas Jarry (CHI) vs Mischa Zverev (GER)

First Meeting

Jarry 2018 Summary | 22 years old | World No. 66 | 2018: 16-11 (Sao Paulo Final) | Eastbourne Debut | 0-1 on grass

- Earned 4 wins in 3 sets to reach 1st ATP World Tour singles final at Sao Paulo (l. to Fognini in 3 sets).
- Achieved career-high No. 59 in ATP Rankings on 21 May after qualifying at Rome (l. to Schwartzman in 1R).

Zverev 2018 Summary | 30 years old | World No. 67 | 2018: 10-18 (0 QFs) | Tournament: 1-2 (2017 2R)

- Entered Roland Garros with 0-6 tournament record and advanced to 3R (l. to Anderson).
- Along with A. Zverev, 1st brothers to reach Roland Garros 3R since Gene and Sandy Mayer in 1979.

COURT 2

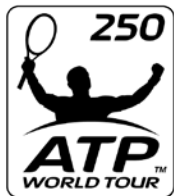
Mikhail Kukushkin (KAZ) vs [Q] Alex de Minaur (AUS)

[Q] Roberto Quiroz (ECU) vs Lukas Lacko (SVK)

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10 THINGS TO WATCH IN EASTBOURNE

- 1) **Grass 250s:** The last stops on the road to Wimbledon are on the lawns of Eastbourne and Antalya. At the Nature Valley International, three-time Grand Slam champions **Andy Murray** and **Stan Wawrinka** will continue their comebacks from right hip and left knee surgeries respectively.
- 2) **Round 2:** Murray played his first match in more than 11 months last week at London/Queen's Club. He'll seek his first win in more than 11 months this week after losing to **Nick Kyrgios** on 19 June. Murray's only previous appearance at the Nature Valley International came as a 19-year-old at 2006 Nottingham. Four weeks later, he earned his first Davis Cup singles win in Eastbourne.
- 3) **Wild Ones:** After falling outside the Top 150 on 11 June, Murray and Wawrinka are wild card entries in Eastbourne this week. That was a good thing to be last year, when wild cards **Novak Djokovic** and **Gael Monfils** met in the championship match. Djokovic defeated Monfils 6-3, 6-4.
- 4) **Breakout Year:** No. 1 Brit **Kyle Edmund** reached his first Grand Slam semi-final at the Australian Open, first ATP World Tour final at Marrakech and first ATP Masters 1000 quarter-final at Madrid. Edmund has attained a new career-high ranking seven times in 2018, peaking at No. 17 on 21 May.
- 5) **In Sync:** Edmund's rise up the rankings has coincided with **Denis Shapovalov's**. The 19-year-old has hit a new career-high ranking 11 times in 2018, passing **Milos Raonic** as the No. 1 Canadian on 21 May. Though Shapovalov is in his second full season as a pro, he has already faced Edmund five times on tour. Shapovalov, the 2016 Wimbledon junior champion, is 3-2 against Edmund.
- 6) **Grass Stains:** **Diego Schwartzman** is the top seed after reaching a career-high No. 11 on 11 June. Schwartzman is the highest-ranked player to stand 5-foot-7 or shorter since 5-foot-6 **Harold Solomon** was No. 10 on 27 July 1981. However, the Argentine is 0-6 lifetime on grass.
- 7) **Suddenly Seeded:** **Marco Cecchinato** is seeded following his run at Roland Garros, where he upset Djokovic to become the first Italian Grand Slam semi-finalist in 40 years. The 25-year-old Cecchinato's only match on grass was a 6-2, 6-2, 6-0 loss to **Kei Nishikori** at 2017 Wimbledon.
- 8) **Former Champions:** Three past champions of the Nature Valley International are in the 2018 field, though only one of them won the title in Eastbourne. **Steve Johnson** (2016) and **Denis Istomin** (2015) reigned in Nottingham, while **Andreas Seppi** (2011) won the championship in Eastbourne.
- 9) **Daddy David:** Former World No. 3 **David Ferrer** became a father on 4 May. In anticipation of his son's birth, the 36-year-old Spaniard withdrew from Monte-Carlo, Barcelona, Estoril and Madrid. Ferrer is 0-3 since then, including a loss from two sets up against **Jaume Munar** at Roland Garros.
- 10) **Staying Power:** Since turning pro in 2010, **Robert Farah** has played doubles almost exclusively with Colombian countryman **Juan Sebastian Cabal**. Persistence has paid off in 2018 with career-high rankings for both Cabal and Farah, as well as the pair's first ATP Masters 1000 title in Rome.

WHO TO WATCH THIS WEEK

SINGLES

SEED	PLAYER	W-L	BEST TOURNAMENT FINISH
1	Diego Schwartzman (ARG)	0-3	2015-2017 1st Round
2	Kyle Edmund (GBR)	2-5	2013, 2016 2nd Round
3	Denis Shapovalov (CAN)	0-0	Debut
4	Marco Cecchinato (ITA)	0-0	Debut
5	Leonardo Mayer (ARG)	4-3	2009, 2015 Quarter-finals
6	David Ferrer (ESP)	0-2	2015 2nd Round
7	Steve Johnson (USA)	6-2	2016 Champion

*No. 8 seed Marton Fucsovics (HUN) withdrew due to a hip injury.

QUALIFIERS (4)

Matteo Berrettini (ITA)
Daniel Brands (GER)
Alex de Minaur (AUS)
Roberto Quiroz (ECU)

OLDEST PLAYER

David Ferrer (ESP)
36 years, 2 months

YOUNGEST PLAYER

Denis Shapovalov (CAN)
19 years, 2 months

LUCKY LOSER (1)

Jay Clarke (GBR)

WILD CARDS (3)

Andy Murray (GBR)
Cameron Norrie (GBR)
Stan Wawrinka (SUI)

TOP COUNTRY BREAKDOWN

Great Britain 4, United States 4,
Italy 3, Argentina 2, Australia 2,
Germany 2

DOUBLES

SEED	TEAM	W-L	BEST TOURNAMENT FINISH
1	Juan Sebastian Cabal (COL) Robert Farah (COL)	0-4 0-3	2013-2016 1st Round 2013, 2015-2016 1st Round
2	Ivan Dodig (CRO) Rajeev Ram (USA)	3-2 0-1	2016 Finalist 2015 1st Round
3	Raven Klaasen (RSA) Michael Venus (NZL)	0-1 0-2	2015 1st Round 2016-2017 1st Round
4	Mike Bryan (USA) Jamie Cerretani (USA)	11-0 0-1	2002-2003, 2017 Champion 2009 1st Round

PAST FINALISTS

SINGLES (since 2011)

YEAR	CHAMPION	FINALIST	SCORE
2017	Novak Djokovic (SRB)	Gael Monfils (FRA)	6-3 6-4
2016	Steve Johnson (USA)	Pablo Cuevas (URU)	7-6(5) 7-5
2015	Denis Istomin (UZB)	Sam Querrey (USA)	7-6(1) 7-6(6)
2014	Feliciano Lopez (ESP)	Richard Gasquet (FRA)	6-3 6-7(5) 7-5
2013	Feliciano Lopez (ESP)	Gilles Simon (FRA)	7-6(2) 6-7(5) 6-0
2012	Andy Roddick (USA)	Andreas Seppi (ITA)	6-3 6-2
2011	Andreas Seppi (ITA)	Janko Tipsarevic (SRB)	7-6(5) 3-6 5-3 ret.

BOLD: Player in 2018 Nature Valley International singles draw.

DOUBLES (since 2002)

YEAR	CHAMPION	FINALIST	SCORE
2017	Bob Bryan/ Mike Bryan	Rohan Bopanna/Andre Sa	6-7(4) 6-4 [10-3]
2016	Dominic Inglot /Daniel Nestor	Ivan Dodig /Marcelo Melo	7-5 7-6(4)
2015	Chris Guccione/Andre Sa	Pablo Cuevas/David Marrero	6-2 7-5
2014	Treat Huey/ Dominic Inglot	Alexander Peya/Bruno Soares	7-5 5-7 [10-8]
2013	Alexander Peya/Bruno Soares	Colin Fleming/Jonathan Marray	3-6 6-3 [10-8]
2012	Colin Fleming/Ross Hutchins	Jamie Delgado/ Ken Skupski	6-4 6-3
2011	Jonathan Erlich/Andy Ram	Grigor Dimitrov/ Andreas Seppi	6-3 6-3
2010	Mariusz Fyrstenberg/ Marcin Matkowski	Colin Fleming/ Ken Skupski	6-3 5-7 [10-8]
2009	Mariusz Fyrstenberg/ Marcin Matkowski	Travis Parrott/Filip Polasek	6-4 6-4
2008	Bruno Soares/Kevin Ullyett	Jeff Coetzee/Jamie Murray	6-2 7-6(5)
2007	Eric Butorac/Jamie Murray	Josh Goodall/Ross Hutchins	4-6 6-3 [10-5]
2006	Jonathan Erlich/Andy Ram	Igor Kunitsyn/Dmitry Tursunov	6-3 6-2
2005	Jonathan Erlich/Andy Ram	Simon Aspelin/Todd Perry	4-6 6-3 7-5
2004	Paul Hanley/Todd Woodbridge	Rick Leach/Brian MacPhie	6-4 6-3
2003	Bob Bryan/ Mike Bryan	Joshua Eagle/Jared Palmer	7-6(3) 4-6 7-6(4)
2002	Mike Bryan /Mark Knowles	Donald Johnson/Jared Palmer	0-6 7-6(3) 6-4

BOLD: Player in 2018 Nature Valley International doubles draw.

ATP RANKING POINTS AND PRIZE MONEY

Nature Valley International	W	F	SF	QF	R16	R32
Singles Ranking Points	250	150	90	45	20	0
Singles Prize Money (€)	117,930	62,115	33,650	19,170	11,295	6,690
Doubles Ranking Points	250	150	90	45	0	---
Doubles Prize Money (€)	35,380	18,830	10,210	5,840	3,420	---

FEDEX ATP HEAD2HEADS: MONDAY FIRST-ROUND SINGLES MATCHES

CENTRE COURT

Andreas Seppi (ITA) vs Denis Istomin (UZB)

11 Sydney (Australia)	Hard	R32	Andreas Seppi	6-1 6-0
11 Kitzbühel (Austria)	Clay	R32	Andreas Seppi	6-2 6-2
12 ATP Masters 1000 Rome (Italy)	Clay	R64	Andreas Seppi	6-4 3-6 6-3
12 Wimbledon (Great Britain)	Grass	R128	Denis Istomin	6-7(2) 6-4 3-6 6-3 8-6
13 Australian Open (Australia)	Hard	R64	Andreas Seppi	7-6(4) 5-7 6-7(3) 7-6(3) 6-2
13 Wimbledon (Great Britain)	Grass	R128	Andreas Seppi	7-6(6) 7-6(3) 5-7 3-6 6-3
13 US Open (U.S.A.)	Hard	R32	Denis Istomin	6-3 6-4 2-6 3-6 6-1
14 Dusseldorf (Germany)	Clay	QF	Denis Istomin	6-3 6-4
15 Australian Open (Australia)	Hard	R128	Andreas Seppi	5-7 6-3 2-6 6-1 6-4
16 Sydney (Australia)	Hard	R32	Andreas Seppi	6-4 4-6 6-2

Seppi Leads 7-3

- Seppi 2018 Summary** | 34 yrs old | World No. 43 | 16-14 in 2018 | 19-8 at event (**2011 Champion**) | 3 Career Titles
- 2011 Nature Valley International titlist also made final in 2012 (l. to Roddick) and semifinals in 2006, 2013, and 2016 (beat both No. 45 Murray and No. 65 Wawrinka during 2006 run).
 - Reached Halle QF last week (def. Berrettini and F. Mayer, l. to eventual champion Coric).
 - Advanced to SFs at Rotterdam as LL (d. A. Zverev in 2R, l. to Federer) and Budapest (l. to Cecchinato).
 - Reached Australian Open 4R for 4th time (d. Karlovic 9-7 in 5th, l. to Edmund). Fell to 0-6 in Grand Slam 4R overall.
 - Entered Australian Open after capturing 8th ATP Challenger Tour title at Canberra, AUS (d. Fucsovics).
 - Qualified and advanced to ATP Masters 1000 Monte-Carlo 3R (l. to Nishikori).
 - Appeared in 52nd straight Grand Slam main draw at Roland Garros (l. to Gasquet in 1R).

Istomin 2018 Summary | 31 yrs old | World No. 91 | 9-10 in 2018 | 16-7 at event (**2015 Champion**) | 2 Career Titles

- 2015 Nature Valley International champion also reached semi-finals in 2010 and 2014.
- Made Stuttgart QF on grass (def. Kohlschreiber and F. Mayer, l. to Pouille); fell in Halle qualifying to Bachinger.
- Advanced to Brisbane QF (d. Dzumhur and Donaldson, ret. vs. Harrison due to left hip strain).
- Reached 2R at Australian Open (l. to Edmund), Sofia (l. to Troicki) and Miami (l. to Carreno Busta).
- Led Bautista Agut 2 sets to 1 before falling to Spaniard in Roland Garros 1R.
- Withdrew from ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells due to shoulder injury.

[WC] Stan Wawrinka (SUI) vs [WC] Andy Murray (GBR)

05 SUI vs. GBR WG PO (Switzerland)	Clay	RR	Stan Wawrinka	6-3 7-6(5) 6-4
06 ATP Masters 1000 Miami (U.S.A.)	Hard	R128	Stan Wawrinka	7-5 3-6 6-4
08 Doha (Qatar)	Hard	F	Andy Murray	6-4 4-6 6-2
08 Marseille (France)	Hard	R16	Andy Murray	3-6 7-6(5) 6-1
08 ATP Masters 1000 Rome (Italy)	Clay	R32	Stan Wawrinka	6-2 7-6(5)
08 ATP Masters 1000 Canada (Canada)	Hard	R16	Andy Murray	6-2 0-6 6-4
08 US Open (U.S.A.)	Hard	R16	Andy Murray	6-1 6-3 6-3
09 Wimbledon (Great Britain)	Grass	R16	Andy Murray	2-6 6-3 6-3 5-7 6-3
10 US Open (U.S.A.)	Hard	R32	Stan Wawrinka	6-7(3) 7-6(4) 6-3 6-3
11 ATP Masters 1000 Shanghai (China)	Hard	R16	Andy Murray	6-4 3-6 6-3
12 London Olympics (Great Britain)	Grass	R64	Andy Murray	6-3 6-3
12 Tokyo (Japan)	Hard	QF	Andy Murray	6-2 3-6 6-2
13 ATP Masters 1000 Monte Carlo (Monaco)	Clay	R16	Stan Wawrinka	6-1 6-2
13 US Open (U.S.A.)	Hard	QF	Stan Wawrinka	6-4 6-3 6-2
15 ATP Finals (Great Britain)	Hard	RR	Stan Wawrinka	7-6(4) 6-4
16 Roland Garros (France)	Clay	SF	Andy Murray	6-4 6-2 4-6 6-2
16 ATP Finals (Great Britain)	Hard	RR	Andy Murray	6-4 6-2
17 Roland Garros (France)	Clay	SF	Stan Wawrinka	6-7(6) 6-3 5-7 7-6(3) 6-1

Murray Leads 10-8

Wawrinka 2018 Summary | 33 years old | World No. 225 | 5-8 in 2018 | 0-2 at event (2006-07 1R) | 16 Career Titles

- At London/Queen's Club last week, def. Norrie in 1R before losing to Querrey in 2R.
- Lost 1R at Roland Garros to Garcia-Lopez in 5 sets, as previous year's runner-up.
- Reached Australian Open 2R in return following 2 left knee surgeries in August (d. Berankis, l. to Sandgren).
- Advanced to Sofia SF as substitute for injured Dimitrov (l. to Basic).
- Fell to eventual champion Fucsovics as 2-time defending champion in Geneva QF.
- Retired in Marseille 2R vs. Ivashka and withdrew from Indian Wells, Miami and Madrid due to left knee injury.

Murray 2018 Summary | 31 years old | World No. 156 | 0-1 in 2018 | 2-1 at event (2006 QF) | 45 Career Titles

- In only previous Nature Valley International appearance, fell in 2006 QF to Seppi.
- Returned to ATP World Tour last week after nearly one full year of inactivity – dropped 1R match at London/Queen's Club to Kyrgios in 3 sets.
- Had been inactive since 2017 Wimbledon QF loss to Querrey due to right hip injury.
- Underwent right hip surgery by Dr. John O'Donnell on 8 January in Melbourne, AUS.
- Passed by Edmund in ATP Rankings on 5 March, ending reign as No. 1 Brit since 10 July 2006.

COURT 1

Gilles Muller (LUX) vs John Millman (AUS)

15 Stockholm (Sweden)	Hard	R16	Gilles Muller	7-5 6-3
16 Australian Open (Australia)	Hard	R64	John Millman	4-6 6-4 6-2 4-6 7-5
18 Sydney (Australia)	Hard	R16	Gilles Muller	7-6(5) 6-4

Muller Leads 2-1

[6] David Ferrer (ESP) vs [Q] Matteo Berrettini (ITA)

First Meeting

COURT 2

Jared Donaldson (USA) vs Taylor Fritz (USA)

Other Meeting

15 Sacramento CH (U.S.A.)

Hard F

Taylor Fritz

First Tour-Level Meeting

6-4 3-6 6-4

[LL] Jay Clarke (GBR) vs Ryan Harrison (USA)

First Meeting

FEDEX ATP HEAD2HEADS: REMAINING FIRST-ROUND SINGLES MATCHES

[Q] Roberto Quiroz (ECU) vs Lukas Lacko (SVK)

First Meeting

[WC] Cameron Norrie (GBR) vs [Q] Daniel Brands (GER)

First Meeting

Gilles Simon (FRA) vs [5] Leonardo Mayer (ARG)

15 ATP Masters 1000 Shanghai (China)

Hard R32

Gilles Simon

15 Stockholm (Sweden)

Hard R16

Gilles Simon

Simon Leads 2-0

6-7(0) 6-4 6-2

6-2 6-4

[7] Steve Johnson (USA) vs Daniil Medvedev (RUS)

17 Eastbourne (Great Britain)

Grass QF

Daniil Medvedev

17 Washington (U.S.A.)

Hard

R32

Daniil Medvedev

18 ATP Masters 1000 Indian Wells (U.S.A.)

Hard

R128

Daniil Medvedev

Medvedev Leads 3-0

6-3 2-6 6-3

3-6 6-4 7-6(1)

7-6(0) 6-4

Nicolas Jarry (CHI) vs Mischa Zverev (GER)

First Meeting

Mikhail Kukushkin (KAZ) vs [Q] Alex de Minaur (AUS)

Other Meeting

17 Brisbane Q (Australia)

Hard Q1

Alex de Minaur

First Tour-Level Meeting

6-4 7-6(7)