**MASTER SCRIPT – THE CUT**

**PGA TOUR ORIGINALS**

**COLD OPEN:**

ANNC: KEEGAN BRADLEY TAPS IT IN TO BECOME THE BMW CHAMPION! WITH FIST PUMPS TO THE SKY AND THE MOUNTAINS OF COLORADO KEEGAN BRADLEY IS CROWNED THE KING OF CASTLE PINES.

**TITLES:**

VO: WELCOME TO PGA TOUR THE CUT.

**TOP OF SHOW SCRIPT:**

PAUL HODOWANIC

LOWER: Staff Writer, PGA TOUR

"Only the top 50 have made it here. This is really about who's going to make it to East Lake for that final week, the top 30 make it, 20 are cut. I'm looking at 1 2 Scottie Scheffler and Xander Schauffele and looking at those bubble guys. Altitude is going to be a big thing, a test of both skill and stamina this week.

STEVEN COX

LOWER: Tournament Official, PGA TOUR

There's no doubt that playing at 6,000 feet the golf ball travels a lot further. It's going to take them a little time to adjust

STEPHEN COX: This is the first time in PGA TOUR history where we've played on a golf course more than 8,000 yards. Anytime you start having yardage up in there alarm bells start going off It'll be interesting to see how they adapt,

STEPHEN COX: I think we're positioned for what could be a really exciting four days of golf.

**TOMMY FLEETWOOD**

PAUL HODOWANIC: It's a big tournament for Tommy 31st in the FedEx Cup, the last one that wouldn't make East Lake // he's had an up and down year. It hasn't been the steadiest of seasons and he's looking for that first win that hasn't come yet, great opportunity here, this is a ball strikers course and that's what Tommy is known for. This is a great opportunity as any....

TOMMY FLEETWOOD: Continuing a great work ethic right till the very last day of the season is something that I pride myself on.

TOMMY FLEETWOOD: When you get to that point in the season, the very best players, have a freshness and a determination to still compete rather than being tired and it's coming towards the end.

TOMMY FLEETWOOD: When I look back, I'll be proud of giving other people something to aspire to. I might be taking them longer than they thought as well. The consistency that I've had over the years is something that I'm very happy with but all of my other achievements are yet to come.

**FRIDAY COVERAGE**

PAUL HODOWANIC: Course record for Adam Scott. Just a number we did not see out there yesterday. And frankly, I'm not sure if I saw out there at all this week with how thick the rough is.

PAUL HODOWANIC: Getting through that top 50, he mentioned that was a big, weight off the shoulders. He feels like he's playing free, feels like he's playing more aggressive now.

ADAM SCOTT: It's fun to shoot a low round. I mean, it's been a long time. I can't remember the last time I shot a 63. It feels good to go low that I still got that in me. So hopefully there's one more this week.

FAN NAT: Captain, my captain. Keegan!

CAMERON MORFIT: We just had an exciting cart ride to the 16th tee but not nearly as exciting Keegan was doing

PAUL HODOWANIC: Three birdies in a row up to 11 under, two back right now of Adam Scott. He's very young in his Ryder Cup captaincy but I think it's really galvanized him.

CAMERON MORFIT: He did say that it was so important to to get into that top 30 and be in the signature events for 2025.

PAUL HODOWANIC: He's number 50th entering the week. The last guy that got in.

KEEGAN BRADLEY: It's such a difference this week than last week. Game feels really good. I feel really comfortable. It just like, feels like I'm playing a regular event middle of the season, which is a nice relief.

KEEGAN BRADLEY: I just have basically hit every shot the way I want it this week. Even that drive 18 I hit really well. Just the wind got it a little bit.

PAUL HODOWANIC: Right now projected number ten in the Fedex Cup even with a runner up finish, that's how quickly things can flip.

PAUL HODOWANIC Not going to be four in a row, but

CAMERON MORFIT: Easy tap-in for par

RADIO ANNCR: A couple of tough lies in the rough there at 18.

KEEGAN BRADLEY: I tried to stay really calm because I knew that was a really tough shot. And leaving it short was way better than leaving it long. So, you know, I left it in a good spot to get it up and in for bogey.

CAMERON MORFIT: This is going to set up a potentially exciting weekend between Adam Scott and Keegan Bradley.

KEEGAN BRADLEY: Adam is world class Hall of Fame type player and I'm excited to go out in the final group and play with him tomorrow. He's a guy that I've always admired and looked up to and watched as a kid.

CAMERON MORFIT: And then you have a young guy, Ludvig Aberg who is 4 back. Ludvig could go low tomorrow and lock it up at the top.

PAUL HODOWANIC: Should be fun!

**COMCAST BUSINESS IMPOSSIBLE SHOT**

INTL VO: PGA TOUR - THE CUT, IMPOSSIBLE SHOTS.

DURING THE SECOND ROUND OF THE BMW CHAMPIONSHIP, LUDVIG ABERG CHARGED UP THE LEADERBOARD WITH IMPOSSIBLE SHOT MAKING...

ANNC ABERG and I Just did the calculations back to sea level still about a 245 yard shot what a shot there!

HE CLIMBED INTO THE HE CLIMBED INTO THE HUNT WITH 8 BIRDIES AND AN EAGLE ON THE DAY!

ANNC ABERG 14:3: how about the day he's had, look at that scorecard, jumps right into the mix, share of 2nd.

**SHANE LOWRY FEATURE**

CAMERON: "Shane Lowry he's really fun to watch. He hit another good shot, he's got that merriment in his eyes and the joy in his game, when he's laughing and has that fun sense of humor...

**SATURDAY SET UP:**

Celia Palermo: There’s just so much buzz in the air during the FedEx Cup playoffs, players from all different standpoints, either in their career or in the FedEx Cup. Come back on camera when she says: “You see a lot of emotion, when a player makes a big putt on a Saturday or Sunday because they know it can literally be one shot that makes the difference between them continuing their play-off journey, whether it was to make it here to Denver, or to find themselves in Atlanta at East Lake which is the ultimate goal.”

Celia Palermo: “Interesting leaderboard right now with Adam Scott with the three-shot lead, his next closest chaser is Keegan Bradley, did not expect to see those guys at the top. It’s a matter of if Adam Scott can back up that 63 and keep the momentum going. And Keegan Bradley gosh it would be great to see him get to Atlanta…”

Celia Palermo: “It’s great to be out here for the third round of the BMW championship. I couldn’t wait to get to Castle Pines GC, it looked great on TV from back homeI’m stoked to meet up with my guys Cameron and Paul and see what we can get into…”

Celia Palermo: Surprising to see Xander and Scottie not a factor at this point in the tournament.

Paul Hodowonic SOT: “It’s weird for them not to be in it but they still got time and 36 holes to get back in it.”

Cameron Morfit SOT “I think it’s a malfunctioning scoreboard...that cannot be true.

Celia Palermo SOT: We’ve talked about the elevation, the altitude, we haven’t talked about this wind…what do you think the guys are going to have to deal with out there today…?

Cameron Morfit SOT: “It’s tougher today and it’s going to be interesting to see how these guys approach it…the wind, the altitude, the barometric pressure…it’s going to make their heads explode”

Celia Palermo SOT: Let’s see how they do with all those factors. Let’s have a great Saturday fellas”

**SATURDAY TOURNAMENT ACTION:**

Celia Palermo SOT: “I know you’ve been following Tommy Fleetwood since the beginning of the week: 72 in round one, 69 bogey free in the second round he’s moving in the top 30”

Paul Hodowonick SOT: “I think he’s going to be hovering around that bubble the whole way, unless he shoots a monster number // I think he’s going to be one of those guys on the back nine tomorrow where every shot counts, every putt is going to have stakes // if he can keep it alive this week he might have a shot next week. //

Celia SOT: We’ll have to see how he finishes up…

Paul SOT “The leaders have stalled on moving day and that’s given so many other guys a chance at this (we can show b-roll of them here if needed) Xander is suddenly in this, Wyndham Clark is suddenly in this, and that’s because Scott is struggling and Bradley and Aberg aren’t taking advantage of these opportunities. We’re going to have a packed leaderboard on Sunday when it felt like yesterday one of these guys might run away with it. It’s now a tight contest.”

Celia Palermo: “We’ve talked so much this week about just how the FedEx cup standings are shifting by the minute. The guy who talks to the players is Tom Alter, VP of Communications. I’m going to talk to him right now” “Do you expect to see a lot of shifts in the FedEx Cup standings on Sunday?”

TOM ALTER: Right now it’s only three players projected in, and three players projected out.

Keegan Bradley, Adam Scott. They are at the top of the leaderboard and they need a lot of points looking the leaderboard there are 8 or 9 players who need to get into the top 30 so tomorrow is going to be crazy town…”

VO INTL: THE CUT PRESENTS, RAPID RECOVERY.

VO: LAST YEAR AT THE BMW CHAMPIONSHIP VIKTOR HOVLAND CAME TO THE 14TH TEE JUST ONE OFF THE LEAD.

14.1 NATS: Viktor Hovland downhill very narrow fairway, trying to hit a little stinger fade out there but it's not fading...

14.2 NATS: Really had to chop it out can't see his shoes, oh Ian it was a terrible lie and he landed it in the exact spot he needed to, what a shot.

14.3 NATS: Just 18 inches away taps that in.

WITH THE BIRDIE – HIS 7TH OF 10 ON THE DAY – HOVLAND PULLED EVEN WITH THE LEADERS...BEFORE CLOSING WITH A 9-UNDER PAR 61 AND A TWO-STROKE VICTORY!

18.3 NATS: Up to the moment! Viktor Hovland at his absolute best.

**SUNDAY SET UP WITH KEVIN KISNER:**

Celia Palermo: “We are headed out to the TV compound // this week we’re spending time with Kevin Kisner. I’m excited to hear his perspective as someone who is still playing on the PGA TOUR…

KISNER: “I do a lot of course prep on what I think is going to happen // but what I noticed is whatever you prepare for you don’t know what’s going to happen! //

 NATs: “This ball is going to end up 30 yards off the green Dan” or TC IN 12:49:59 “This hole location is just treacherous I told you on the pre game and miss long and brutal putt”

Kisner “For sure I want to be the most knowledgeable guy of the golf course and the players and I want to be on top of that.

Kisner: Really putt for him there he hasn’t made much and hope it builds momentum for him” Knowing the players and being a TOUR player is huge because I’ve been to all these courses I know what they’re going through and I know what today feels like because I’ve done it.”

 Kisner: The wind is going to pick up like yesterday, the greens will get firmer, makes it harder to control and the altitude. I’ve talked to so many guys who say they don’t love that first tee shot. it’ll be interesting to see who’s feeling the best about their tee shot on the first tee.

**LEADERS ON THE BACK NINE:**

ANNC BUBBLE THOMAS IN: “If Noren misses this putt for par Justin Thomas would be back inside the top 30.”

CELIA: “Alex Noren misses. He needed to make that to get to East Lake. PAUL He’s out.”

 “Justin Thomas gets in.”

ANNC WHOS GONNA COME OUT ON TOP: “Who’s gonna come out on top in the final round at the BMW?”

CELIA: “Sam Burns quietly put together a 65 today, had a great reaction as he actually almost holed out from the bunker on 18…

ANNC BURNS LIP OUT: “What a shot for Burns. He’s the man in the clubhouse at 11-under.”

CELIA: “We’ll have to wait and see what happens this afternoon as he heads to the clubhouse but he is more than comfortable heading to East Lake.”

PAUL “How will Adam Scott respond?”

ANNC SCOTT 3 BOGEYS: “3 bogeys in a row for Adam Scott.”

ANNC BRADLEY HIS CHAMPIONSHIP: “Unless Bradley slips up here this is his Championship.”

ANNC BRADLEY LEADS BY 1: “Drops a shot but still the leader by 1. Long way from over.”

 “One-shot lead over Sam Burns right now.”

BRADLEY PRESSER:“It's one of those moments when you realize you can hit these shots in contention when it matters most. // [0:02:59] That 5-iron was as pure of a golf shot as I've ever hit…”

ANNC BRADLEY HAVE A DAY: “Oh! Have a day Keegan.”

BRADLEY PRESSER: For me it was the shot of the tournament and a shot that I'll remember forever.”

ANNC BRADLEY WIN: “Keegan Bradley takes the BMW again!”

 “Keegan Bradley gets it done and is loving this! What an amazing victory for Keegan Bradley he made it here by 17 points over Tom Kim and look what he just did, picked up his 17th PGA TOUR victory. CELIA: I have goosebumps.”

ANNC BRADLEY WIN “Last man into Castle Pines and he heads to East Lake the

**SHOW WRAP:**

Celia SOT: "Keegan Bradley earns his 7th win on the PGA TOUR at the BMW Championship. Cameron what do you think?"

Cameron 18:26:04: "He is really comfortable in the mountain West and he showed it."

Celia: What about you?

Paul: He moves to 9th now in the president cup standings // 18:26:16: Could he play? That's what I'm interested in. Celia: Cameron we've had fun with you in Denver. Paul and I are headed to hot lanta.