



# **U.S. Women's Amateur Public Links Championship**

**June 21-26, 2010**

**The Warren Golf Course at Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Ind.**



## **2009 U.S. Women's Amateur Public Links Champion**

*Jennifer Song*

### **U.S. Women's Amateur Public Links Championship Trophy**

The championship trophy was presented in 1977 by Robert F. Dwyer of Portland, Ore. Dwyer had been a member of the USGA Executive Committee from 1962 through 1974 and was a member of the Public Links Committee.

# 34th U.S. Women's Amateur Public Links Championship

June 21-26, 2010

The Warren Golf Course at Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Ind.

**Par:** 35-36—71  
**Yardage:** 6,096/6,133

**Golf Course Architects:** Bill Coore, Ben Crenshaw  
**Opened:** 1999

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## 2010 Conditions of Play

### Entries

Open to female amateur golfers who, since Jan. 1, 2010, have been bona fide public-course players and have not held privileges of any course that does not extend playing privileges to the general public, or privileges of any private club maintaining its own course and have a USGA Handicap Index not exceeding 18.4. A bona fide public-course player may hold incidental privileges of a course not open to the public when such privileges are provided by (1) an educational institution at which she is a student, or (2) a federal armed service of which she is a member or retired member, or (3) an industry by which she is employed or retired. Entries close May 12.

### Starting Field

156 players

### Schedule of Play

- Monday, June 21 – First round, stroke play (18 holes)
  - Tuesday, June 22 – Second round, stroke play (18 holes)
- After 36 holes, the field will be cut to the low 64 scorers, who will advance to match play.
- Wednesday, June 23 – First round, match play (18 holes)
  - Thursday, June 24 – Second round, match play (18 holes); Third round, match play (18 holes)
  - Friday, June 25 – Quarterfinals, match play (18 holes); Semifinals, match play (18 holes)
  - Saturday, June 26 – Final, match play (36 holes)

### Sectional Qualifying

18 holes stroke play, scheduled at 36 sites between May 18 – June 7.

### Exemptions from Sectional Qualifying

- Winners of the U.S. Women's Amateur Public Links Championship the last 10 years (2000-2009)
- Runners-up of the U.S. Women's Amateur Public Links Championship the last three years (2007-2009)
- Semifinalists of the U.S. Women's Amateur Public Links Championship the last two years (2008-2009)
- Quarterfinalists from the 2009 U.S. Women's Amateur Public Links Championship
- Any player who qualified for the 2010 U.S. Women's Open Championship
- From the 2009 U.S. Women's Open Championship, those returning scores for 72 holes
- Winners of the U.S. Women's Amateur Championship the last 15 years (1995-2009)
- Runners-up of the U.S. Women's Amateur Championship the last three years (2007-2009)
- Quarterfinalists from the 2009 U.S. Women's Amateur Championship
- From the U.S. Girls' Junior Championship, winners in 2008 and 2009 and the runner-up in 2009
- From the U.S. Women's Mid-Amateur Championship, winners in 2008 and 2009 and the runner-up in 2009
- From the USGA Senior Women's Amateur Championship, winners in 2008 and 2009 and the runner-up in 2009
- Playing members of the two most current USA and Great Britain and Ireland Curtis Cup Teams (2008 and 2010)
- Playing members of the two most current USA Women's World Amateur Teams (2006 and 2008)
- Playing members of the 2010 USA Women's Copa de las Americas Team
- Winner of the 2010 individual NCAA Division I Women's Golf Championship
- Winners of the Ladies' British Open Amateur Championship the last five years (2005-2009)
- Special exemptions as selected by the USGA

*Kimberly Kim, who lost in the championship final, was unable to add another victory to her USGA resume. In 2006, Kim became the youngest winner in the history of the U.S. Women's Amateur Championship.*



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## Song Wins the 2009 Championship

Jennifer Song, 19, of Ann Arbor, Mich., defeated Kimberly Kim, 17, of Hilo, Hawaii, 7 and 6, to win the 2009 U.S. Women's Amateur Public Links Championship at the 6,267-yard, par-72 Red Tail Golf Club in Devens, Mass.

With the usual match-play concessions, Song was nine under par for the 30 holes of the scheduled 36-hole match. Hitting tee shots in the 250-yard range, she never missed a fairway and missed hitting only five greens in regulation. Song, a business major in her sophomore year at the University of Southern California, said it was the best golf she has played in competition.

"Today, I was super hot," said Song, who was runner-up at the 2008 championship. "I can't believe I made a bunch of birdies and some of the putts were really hard. The speed was really crucial and I didn't expect to make them. I just said, 'Jen, get the speed right, and I'll be very happy.' They just dropped in and I'm so grateful."

No putt showed more skill than the downhill, right-breaking 12-footer she made at the 25th hole to go 7 up.

"At that point I thought, 'OK, you've got it, so don't change yourself. Stay in this attitude you had this whole week,'" said Song.

Song made 10 birdies in the final. Two were conceded, an 18-foot birdie putt on the 13th hole and a tap-in on the 26th hole. She made only one bogey in the match.

With a 5-up advantage after 18 holes, Song captured the par-3 23rd with a birdie to go 6 up. Kim birdied the par-4 24th hole to trim the margin to 5 up, but Song birdied the next two par-4 holes, the 25th and 26th, to again go 7 up. The match ended on the 30th green.


Kim was one under par, with the usual match-play concessions, with five birdies and four bogeys.

"I really tried hard to focus on my game, because she was having such a hot day," Kim said.

This was Song's first national championship title. She was runner-up in the 2009 NCAA Championship.



The Final: Song vs K. Kim																		
HOLE	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
PAR	4	5	3	5	3	4	4	4	4	5	3	4	4	4	3	4	4	5
SONG	3	5	3	5	3	4	4	3	5	4	2	4	3	4	3	4	3	5
K. KIM	4	5	2	5	3	4	5	4	4	4	2	4	5	4	3	5	4	6
HOLE	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36
PAR	4	5	3	5	3	4	4	4	4	5	3	4	4	4	3	4	4	5
SONG	4	5	3	4	2	4	3	3	4	5	3	4						
K. KIM	4	5	3	4	3	3	4	4	4	5	3	4						

 - Won hole



## 2009 Championship Notes

### Leaders

Round 1 – Lizette Salas at 4-under-par 68, by one stroke over Alice Kim, Cydney Clanton, Kristen Hill and Sara-Maude Juneau. Round 2 – Stephanie Kono was stroke-play medalist at 6-under-par 138, by one stroke over Annie Park.

### Cut

At 8-over-par 152, with an 11-for-6 playoff for the remaining match-play spots.

### Weather

Rainy and windy with gusts to 25 mph on Monday with temperatures in the low 60s. Windy, with gusts to 20 mph, Tuesday with highs near 70 and scattered showers. Cooler, with temperatures near 60, and rainy Wednesday morning but clearing and warmer in the afternoon with highs near 70. Pleasant and partly sunny Thursday with temperatures near 80. Partly cloudy Friday morning with a few light scattered showers in the afternoon. High temperatures in the upper 70s with winds of 5-15 mph. Sunny and pleasant Saturday with a few clouds. Highs in the upper 70s with very light winds.

### Notes

None of the nine mid-amateurs (age 25 and older) survived the cut for match play, which came at 8-over-par 152 ... Medalist Stephanie Kono defeated Emily Powers in the first round and avoided the mythical medalist jinx. The medalists the previous two years, 2007 and 2008, lost in the first round ... Jisoo Park of Korea,

just 14 years old, advanced to the semifinals ... Casie Cathrea, 13, was the youngest quarterfinalist in history. She was one month younger than Michelle Wie, who went all the way to the winner's circle in 2003. Cathrea lost to eventual champion Jennifer Song in the quarterfinals ... USGA officials made an interesting decision for the quarterfinals, moving up the tee on the par-5 18th hole some 40 yards, which gave the players the choice of going for the green in two shots. A water hazard guarding the right side of the green made the dilemma more interesting ... Song was born in Ann Arbor, Mich., and has dual citizenship in the U.S. and Korea ... Kimberly Kim, one of the finalists, won the 2006 U.S. Women's Amateur at the age of 14, the youngest champion in history. She also was a member of the victorious 2008 USA Curtis Cup Team ... Leigh Klasse, 49, of St. Anthony, Minn., won a USGA gold medal as a member of the Minnesota squad that won the 2001 Women's State Team Championship.

### 33rd U.S. Women's Amateur Public Links Championship

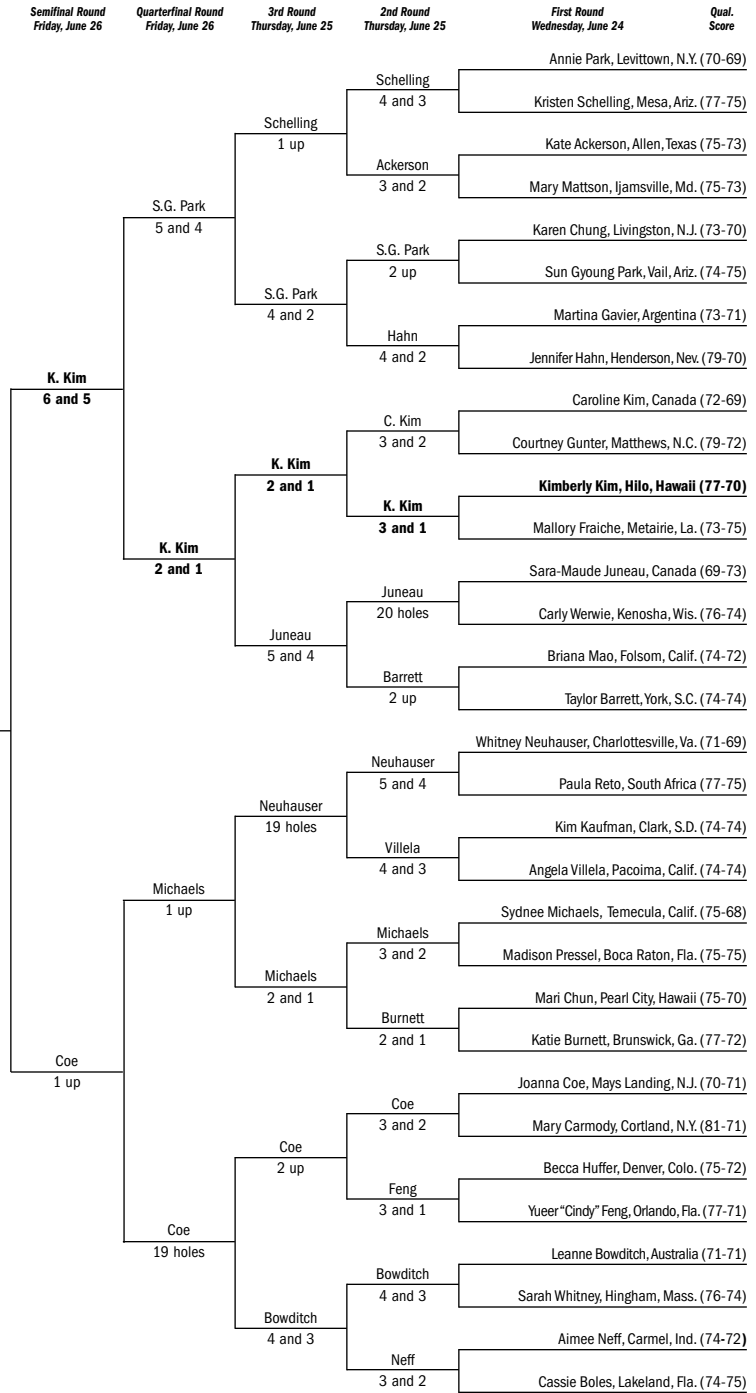


Qual. Score	1st Round Wednesday, June 24	2nd Round Thursday, June 25	3rd Round Thursday, June 25	Quarterfinal Round Friday, June 26	Semifinal Round Friday, June 26
(70-68) Stephanie Kono, Honolulu, Hawaii		Kono			
(74-78) Emily Powers, Quincy, Ill.		4 and 3			
(75-73) Caroline Powers, Bowling Green, Ohio			Kono		
(78-70) Tiffany Lua, Rowland Heights, Calif.		Lua	2 and 1		
		3 and 1			
(69-74) Kristen Hill, Weston, Fla.		Hill		J. Park	
(72-77) Nikki Koller, Lewisburg, Ky.		1 up		1 up	
(72-71) Sara Grantham, Wilsonville, Ala.			J. Park		
(80-69) Jisoo Park, Korea		J. Park	19 holes		
		21 holes			
(68-74) Lizette Salas, Azusa, Calif.		Salas			J. Park
(76-75) Kristina Nhim, Buena Park, Calif.		2 and 1			1 up
(74-73) Kayla Mortellaro, Phoenix, Ariz.			Salas		
(73-75) Stefanie Kenoyer, Lighthouse Point, Fla.		Kenoyer	2 and 1		
		2 and 1			
(69-73) Cydney Clanton, Concord, N.C.		Clanton		Clanton	
(77-73) Miki Ueoka, Lihue, Hawaii		2 up		1 up	
(73-73) Simone Hoey, Rancho Cucamonga, Calif.			Clanton		
(74-74) Candace Schepperle, Birmingham, Ala.		Hoey	4 and 3		
		3 and 2			
(71-70) Brittany Altomare, Shrewsbury, Mass.		Altomare			Song
(75-77) Pennapa Pulsawath, Thailand		2 and 1			2 and 1
(75-73) Ellen Mueller, Bartlesville, Okla.			Altomare		
(77-71) Ashley Medders, Alma, Ga.		Mueller	3 and 2		
		3 and 1			
<b>(71-72) Jennifer Song, Ann Arbor, Mich.</b>		<b>Song</b>		<b>Song</b>	
(73-77) Junthima Gulyanamitta, W. Lafayette, Ind.		<b>2 and 1</b>		<b>1 up</b>	
(72-73) Kristina Merkle, Honolulu, Hawaii			<b>Song</b>		
(74-75) Alexandra Stewart, Peoria, Ariz.		Stewart	<b>5 and 4</b>		
		2 and 1			
(69-72) Alice Kim, Walnut, Calif.		A. Kim		<b>Song</b>	
(76-76) Gennifer Mendez, North Port, Fla.		19 holes		<b>4 and 3</b>	
(74-73) Seo Hee Moon, Mukilteo, Wash.			A. Kim		
(72-76) Victoria Park, Korea		V. Park	5 and 4		
		1 up			
(73-70) Glory Jooyoung Yang, Korea			Cathrea		
(80-70) Sarah Brown, Lopatcong Township, N.J.		Brown	2 and 1		
(74-71) Casie Cathrea, Livermore, Calif.					
(73-76) Kamryn Ruffin, Pryor, Okla.		Cathrea	1 up		
		3 and 2			

**Par: 36-36-72**  
**Yardage: 6,267**  
**Entries: 678**

**FINAL**  
 Saturday, June 27  
 Jennifer Song  
 def.  
 Kimberly Kim,  
 7 and 6

June 22-27, 2009, Red Tail Golf Club, Devens, Mass.



## Complete Stroke-Play Results

- 138 Stephanie Kono, Honolulu, Hawaii, 70-68  
 139 Annie Park, Levittown, N.Y., 70-69  
 140 Whitney Neuhauser, Charlottesville, Va., 71-69  
 141 Alice Kim, Walnut, Calif., 69-72; Brittany Altomare, Shrewsbury, Mass., 71-70; Caroline Kim, Canada, 72-69; Joanna Coe, Mays Landing, N.J., 70-71  
 142 Cydney Clanton, Concord, N.C., 69-73; Leanne Bowditch, Austalia, 71-71; Lizette Salas, Azusa, Calif., 68-74; Sara-Maude Juneau, Canada, 69-73  
 143 Glory Jooyoung Yang, Korea, 73-70; Jennifer Song, Ann Arbor, Mich., 71-72; Karen Chung, Livingston, N.J., 73-70; Kristen Hill, Weston, Fla., 69-74; Sara Grantham, Wilsonville, Ala., 72-71; Sydnee Michaels, Temecula, Calif., 75-68  
 144 Martina Gavier, Argentina, 73-71  
 145 Casie Cathrea, Livermore, Calif., 74-71; Kristina Merkle, Honolulu, Hawaii, 72-73; Mari Chun, Pearl City, Hawaii, 75-70  
 146 Aimee Neff, Carmel, Ind., 74-72; Briana Mao, Folsom, Calif., 74-72; Simone Hoey, Rancho Cucamonga, Calif., 73-73  
 147 Becca Huffer, Denver, Colo., 75-72; Kayla Mortellaro, Phoenix, Ariz., 74-73; Kimberly Kim, Hilo, Hawaii, 77-70; Seo Hee Moon, Mukilteo, Wash., 74-73  
 148 Angela Villela, Pacoima, Calif., 74-74; Ashley Medders, Alma, Ga., 77-71; Candace Schepperle, Birmingham, Ala., 74-74; Caroline Powers, Bowling Green, Ohio, 75-73; Ellen Mueller, Bartlesville, Okla., 75-73; Kate Ackerson, Allen, Texas, 75-73; Kim Kaufman, Clark, S.D., 74-74; Mallory Fraiche, Metairie, La., 73-75; Mary Mattson, Ijamsville, Md., 75-73; Stefanie Kenoyer, Lighthouse Point, Fla., 73-75; Taylor Barrett, York, S.C., 74-74; Tiffany Lua, Rowland Heights, Calif., 78-70; Victoria Park, Korea, 72-76; Yueer "Cindy" Feng, Orlando, Fla., 77-71  
 149 Alexandra Stewart, Peoria, Ariz., 74-75; Cassie Boles, Lakeland, Fla., 74-75; Jennifer Hahn, Henderson, Nev., 79-70; Jisoo Park, Korea, 80-69; Kamryn Ruffin, Pryor, Okla., 73-76; Katie Burnett, Brunswick, Ga., 77-72; Nikki Koller, Lewisburg, Ky., 72-77; Sun Gyoung Park, Vail, Ariz., 74-75  
 150 Carly Werwie, Kenosha, Wis., 76-74; Junthima Gulyanamitta, West Lafayette, Ind., 73-77; Madison Pressel, Boca Raton, Fla., 75-75; Miki Ueoka, Lihue, Hawaii, 77-73; Sarah Brown, Lopatcong Township, N.J., 80-70; Sarah Whitney, Hingham, Mass., 76-74  
 151 Courtney Gunter, Matthews, N.C., 79-72; Kristina Nhim, Buena Park, Calif., 76-75  
 152 \*Mary Carmody, Cortland, N.Y., 81-71 (4); \*Kristen Schelling, Mesa, Ariz., 77-75 (5); \*Paula Reto, South Africa, 77-75 (5); \*Pennapa Pulsawath, Thailand, 75-77 (5); \*Gennifer Mendez, North Port, Fla., 76-76 (5); \*Emily Powers, Quincy, Ill., 74-78 (6,5,5)

\* = in playoff

### Failed to Qualify

- 152 \*Ember Schuldt, Sterling, Ill., 76-76 (6,5,6); \*Samantha Sommers, Minneapolis, Minn., 78-74 (6,6); \*Stacey Kim, Columbus, Ga., 74-78 (6,5,8); \*Kay Hoey, Rancho Cucamonga, Calif., 79-73 (9); \*Nicole Morales, South Salem, N.Y., 78-74 (7)  
 153 Janine Fellows, Houston, Texas, 76-77; Sarah Bradley, New Zealand, 77-76; Stephanie Arcala, Oceanside, Calif., 79-74  
 154 Ashley Smith, Plymouth, Mich., 79-75; Gianna Misenhelter, Overland Park, Kan., 73-81; Lynn Simmons, Phoenix, Ariz., 76-78; Michelle Mathwick, Greenfield, Wis., 74-80; Shannon Yocum, Palos Verdes, Calif., 78-76  
 155 Alexa Kim, Canada, 78-77; Christy Fogerty, San Diego, Calif., 78-77; Cyd Okino, Honolulu, Hawaii, 78-77; Erika Oldenkamp, Hinsdale, Ill., 79-76; Kristin Paulson, Ottumwa, Iowa, 73-82; Natalie Brehm, Mt. Pleasant, Mich., 76-79; Sydney Cox, Edmond, Okla., 79-76; Tiffany Lim, San Jose, Calif., 77-78  
 156 Kendra Hanson, Forest City, Iowa, 77-79; Kimberly Johnson, San Diego, Calif., 81-75; Margaux Sheehan, Anchorage, Alaska, 79-77; McKenzie Jackson, Uniontown, Ohio, 79-77; Michelle Piyapattara, Corona, Calif., 80-76; Rachel Blum, Jacksonville, Fla., 80-76; Reiko Fujii, Honolulu, Hawaii, 84-72; Thushashini Selvaratnam, Sri Lanka, 78-78  
 157 Allyssa Ferrell, Edgerton, Wis., 78-79; Katrina Hegge, Seattle, Wash., 80-77; Taylor Schmidt, Canada, 77-80  
 158 Alexandra Buelow, Palm City, Fla., 82-76; Gianna Digrazia, Addison, Ill., 76-82; Hannah Suh, San Jose, Calif., 79-79; Hanule Seo, St. Louis, Mo., 80-78; Kelsey Vines, Saint George, Utah, 81-77; Martine De Gannes, Trinidad & Tobago, 78-80; Sarah Almond, Albemarle, N.C., 83-75; Victoria Choi, Canada, 83-75  
 159 Amy Otteson, Wilson, N.C., 78-81; Brittany Weddell, Buzzards Bay, Mass., 82-77; Daria Cummings, Monroe, Conn., 78-81; Kelly Fuchik, Tulsa, Okla., 79-80; Kristin Tan, Seattle, Wash., 80-79; Lynda Kwon, North Wales, Pa., 78-81; Samantha Forneck, Northern Cambria, Pa., 83-76  
 160 Ashley Cox, Oxford, Ala., 82-78; Casey Kennedy, Venice, Fla., 79-81; Colleen Estes, Cary, N.C., 80-80; Nicole Scola, Westerly, R.I., 80-80; Stephanie Hwang, Rockwall, Texas, 83-77  
 161 Deborah Martinez, Mexico, 80-81; Echo Thatcher, Salt Lake City, Utah, 84-77; Jessica Alexander, Riverview, Fla., 80-81; Kara Spence, Hampton, Va., 86-75  
 162 Amber Ward, Westminster, Colo., 83-79; Jennifer Gartin, Port St. Lucie, Fla., 82-80  
 163 Christine Meier, Rochester Hills, Mich., 85-78; Jill Hardy, Canada, 81-82; Lindsay Danielson, Osceola, Wis., 84-79  
 164 Jade Bollinger, Wellington, Fla., 87-77; Laura Deleonardis, Flower Mound, Texas, 84-80; Marina Karamanis, Barrington, Ill., 85-79; Marion Maney-McInerney, Dedham, Mass., 80-84  
 165 Anna Kim, Canada, 82-83; Bethany Leclair, Scottsdale, Ariz., 88-77; Brittany Bomar, Anchorage, Alaska, 84-81; Leigh Klasse, St. Anthony, Minn., 89-76  
 167 Lisanne Schmidt, Grantham, N.H., 82-85; Sharon Shin, West Linn, Ore., 82-85  
 168 Sadie Palmer, Stansbury Park, Utah, 84-84; Sammi Smith, Louisville, Ky., 88-80; Whitney Rhodes, Staunton, Va., 88-80  
 169 Kalea Heu, Wailuku, Hawaii, 87-82; Maggie Weder, Greenville, N.C., 83-86  
 170 Jennifer Delgadillo, El Paso, Texas, 84-86; Tiffany Robbins, Fort Mill, S.C., 84-86; Victoria Kidder, Boston, Mass., 83-87  
 171 Meghan Martinek, Tempe, Ariz., 94-77  
 172 Amanda Henry, Russell Springs, Ky., 81-91; Samantha Stewart, Peoria, Ariz., 82-90; Shannon Abarra, Wailuku, Hawaii, 85-87  
 173 Whitney Whaley, Bloomington, Ind., 84-89  
 174 Amanda Vogt, Des Moines, Iowa, 90-84; Jamie Yam, San Diego, Calif., 96-78  
 175 Rynae Baca, Wasilla, Alaska, 91-84  
 177 Natalie Guidry, Temecula, Calif., 98-79; Paige Osterloo, Rapid City, S.D., 87-90  
 181 Kaitlyn Mardeusz, Novi, Mich., 94-87  
 184 Hannah Bachman, Springfield, Ill., 91-93  
 DQ Kristini Cain, Marion, Ind., 81



Stephanie Kono was the stroke-play medalist, but was eliminated in the round of 16.

## Championship History

In April 1977, when entries for the first U.S. Women's Amateur Public Links Championship began to trickle in, there was concern.

Would the first national championship ever staged for women who play the country's public courses attract enough players to fill the field? Did it justify the effort to set up 27 qualifying sites around the country?

By May, the trickle of entries had become a steady stream. When the June deadline for entries arrived and the results were tallied, the astonishing reality was that this championship had attracted a field of 686 players — more than the combined fields of the 1977 Women's Amateur, Women's Open, Senior Women's Amateur and Girls' Junior.

The entry figure was amazing for several reasons. First, this was a new championship that would need time to build interest. Second, some states didn't even have organizations to assist women public-course players, conduct sectional qualifying or raise funds, and the 686 entries were drawn from only 24 states.

The 1977 championship was played on the East Course of Yahara Hills Golf Course in Madison, Wis. Kelly Fuiks, 19, of Phoenix, Ariz., was the first champion. In fact, for the first four years, the championship was the personal property of two outstanding players. Fuiks won again in 1978 before turning professional. Lori Castillo won in 1979 and 1980, and at one time held or shared every individual record in the championship.

Castillo won 11 consecutive matches before losing in the second round in 1981.

The championship received a boost when Castillo was selected as a member of the 1980 USA Curtis Cup Team. By that year, the Women's Amateur Public Links

was regarded as a highly competitive arena for some of the best amateurs in the country. Since then, Heather Farr, Danielle Ammaccapane, Cindy Schreyer, Tracy Kerdyk, Pearl Sinn, Tracy Hanson, Amy Fruhwirth, Jill McGill, Jo Jo Robertson, Annie Thurman (Young), Michelle Wie, Tiffany Joh and Mina Harigae, all WAPL champions, also have been named to Curtis Cup Teams.

Pearl Sinn accomplished a unique double in 1988 when she won the Women's Amateur as well as the Women's Amateur Public Links. When she repeated as WAPL champion in 1989, she and Curtis Strange, who won the U.S. Open, were the only two to repeat as USGA champions that year. Jennifer Song also won both titles in 2009.

McGill also achieved the double win. She was the holder of the 1993 U.S. Women's Amateur title when she won the 1994 Women's Amateur Public Links Championship.

In 2003, Wie became the youngest winner of an "adult" USGA championship at the age of 13.

The championship also was noteworthy because of its team trophy, which was captured a record five times by teams from Phoenix, Ariz., and Murietta, Calif. The team championship was discontinued following the 2008 championship.

In 2002, the final was played over 36 holes for the first time. In 2005, a Handicap Index limit of 18.4 was established.



*Thirteen-year-old Casie Cathrea advanced to the quarterfinals, where she lost to eventual champion Jennifer Song.*

## Championship Results: 1977 to 2009

### 18-Hole Final (1977-2001)

- 1977 (June 29 – July 3) **Kelly Fuiks** d. **Kathy Williams**, 1 up; Yahara Hills G.C., Madison, Wis.; Medalist – 149, **Diana Schwab**; Entries: 686
- 1978 (June 28 – July 2) **Kelly Fuiks** d. **Diana Schwab**, 5 and 4; Myrtlewood G.C. (Palmetto Course), Myrtle Beach, S.C.; Medalists – 151, **Jeanne Hartman**, **Kathy Williams**; Entries: 658
- 1979 (June 27 – July 1) **Lori Castillo** d. **Becky Pearson**, 2 up; Braemar G.C., Edina, Minn.; Medalists – 152, **Kelly Fuiks**, **Lauri Merten**; Entries: 695
- 1980 (June 25-29) **Lori Castillo** d. **Pam Miller**, 2 and 1; Center Square (Pa.) G.C.; Medalist – 148, **Lori Castillo**; Entries: 728
- 1981 (June 24-28) **Mary Enright** d. **Lauri Merten**, 3 and 1; Emerald Valley G.C., Creswell, Ore.; Medalist – 152, **Kay Cornelius**; Entries: 686
- 1982 (June 23-27) **Nancy Taylor** d. **Kerri Clark**, 2 and 1; Alvamar G.C., Lawrence, Kan.; Medalist – 148, **Alicia Ogrin**; Entries: 760
- 1983 (June 22-26) **Kelli Antolock** d. **Nancy Taylor**, 1 up; Ala Wai G.C., Honolulu, Hawaii; Medalist – 143, **Penny Hammel**; Entries: 1,008
- 1984 (June 20-24) **Heather Farr** d. **Kristie Kolacny**, 3 and 2; Meadowbrook G.C., Rapid City, S.D.; Medalist – 144, **Heather Farr**; Entries: 834
- 1985 (June 19-23) **Danielle Ammaccapane** d. **Kristie Kolacny**, 6 and 5; Flanders Valley G.C. (Red and Blue nines), Flanders, N.J.; Medalist – 145, **Danielle Ammaccapane**; Entries: 878
- 1986 (June 18-22) **Cindy Schreyer** d. **Victoria Goetze**, 3 and 2; SentryWorld G.C., Stevens Point, Wis.; Medalist – 142, **Danielle Ammaccapane**; Entries: 1,085
- 1987 (June 24-28) **Tracy Kerdyk** d. **Pearl Sinn**, 4 and 3; Cog Hill G. & C.C. (No. 4 Course), Lemont, Ill.; Medalist – 148, **Pearl Sinn**; Entries: 952
- 1988 (June 22-26) **Pearl Sinn** d. **Tami Jo Henningsen**, 2 and 1; Page Belcher G.C., Tulsa, Okla.; Medalist – 141, **Lee Ann Hammack**; Entries: 1,052
- 1989 (June 21-25) **Pearl Sinn** d. **Kelli Akers**, 2 and 1; Indian Canyon G.C., Spokane, Wash.; Medalist – 141, **Michelle Estill**; Entries: 1,020
- 1990 (June 20-24) **Cathy Mockett** d. **Barbara Blanchar**, 5 and 4; Hyland Hills G.C., Westminster, Colo.; Medalist – 146, **Debbie Eckroth**; Entries: 920
- 1991 (June 19-23) **Tracy Hanson** d. **Carri Wood**, 1 up; Birdwood G.C., Charlottesville, Va.; Medalist – 140, **Tracy Hanson**; Entries: 891
- 1992 (June 24-28) **Amy Fruhwirth** d. **Sara Evens**, 3 and 1; Haggin Oaks G.C., Sacramento, Calif.; Medalist – 141, **Heather Hughes**; Entries: 1,062
- 1993 (June 23-27) **Connie Masterson** d. **Holly Reynolds**, 1 up; Jackson Hole G. & T.C., Jackson, Wyo.; Medalists – 148, **Cristie Kerr**, **Holly Reynolds**, **Carri Wood**; Entries: 980
- 1994 (June 22-26) **Jill McGill** d. **Heidi Voorhees**, 6 and 4; Tam O'Shanter G.C. (Hills Course), Canton, Ohio; Medalist – 137, **Jill McGill**; Entries: 899
- 1995 (June 21-25) **Jo Jo Robertson** d. **Elizabeth Drambour**, 3 and 1; Hominy Hill G.C., Colts Neck, N.J.; Medalist – 144, **Jenny Lee**; Entries: 856
- 1996 (June 19-23) **Heather Graff** d. **Lauri Berles**, 5 and 4; Spencer T. Olin Community G.C., Alton, Ill.; Medalist – 142, **Elise Kimm**; Entries: 839
- 1997 (June 18-22) **Jo Jo Robertson** d. **Angie Yoon**, 3 and 2; Center Square (Pa.) G.C.; Medalist – 144, **Heather Graff**; Entries: 831
- 1998 (June 24-28) **Amy Spooner** d. **Natalie Wong**, 2 and 1; Kapalua (Hawaii) G.C. (Bay Course); Medalist – 148, **Elisha Au**; Entries: 1,075



*Kristen Schelling watches her missed birdie attempt during the second round of match play.*

- 1999 (June 22-27) **Jody Niemann** d. **Sue Billek Nyhus**, 1 up; Santa Ana G.C., Santa Ana Pueblo, N.M.; Medalist – 137, **Jenna Daniels**; Entries: 858
- 2000 (July 4-9) **Catherine Cartwright** d. **Russamee Gulyanamitta**, 3 and 1; Legacy G.L., Aberdeen, N.C.; Medalists – 140, **Catherine Cartwright**, **Russamee Gulyanamitta**; Entries: 745
- 2001 (June 19-24) **Candie Kung** d. **Missy Farr-Kaye**, 2 up; Kemper Lakes G.C., Long Grove, Ill.; Medalist – 141, **Candie Kung**; Entries: 668

**36-Hole Final (2002-Present)**

- 2002 (June 18-23) **Annie Thurman** d. **Hwanhee Lee**, 6 and 5; Sunriver (Ore.) Resort (Meadow Course); Medalist – 142, **Jessica Reese**; Entries: 702
- 2003 (June 17-22) **Michelle Wie** d. **Virada Nirapathpongorn**, 1 up; Ocean Hammock G.C., Palm Coast, Fla.; Medalist – 141, **Virada Nirapathpongorn**; Entries: 697
- 2004 (June 22-27) **Ya-Ni Tseng** d. **Michelle Wie**, 1 up; Golden Horseshoe G.C. (Green Course), Williamsburg, Va.; Medalist – •135, **Brittany Lang**; Entries: 753

- 2005 (July 11-16) **Eun Jung Lee** d. **Tiffany Chudy**, 37 holes; Swope Memorial G.C., Kansas City, Mo.; Medalists – 136, **Angela Park**, **Mari Chun**; Entries: 769
- 2006 (June 20-25) **Tiffany Joh** d. **Kimberly Kim**, 6 and 5; Walking Stick G.C., Pueblo, Colo.; Medalists – 137, **Hannah Jun**, **Mina Harigae**; Entries: 710
- 2007 (June 18-23) **Mina Harigae** d. **Stephany Fleet**, 4 and 3; Kearney Hill G.L., Lexington, Ky.; Medalist – 137, **Tiffany Lua**; Entries: 735
- 2008 (June 16-21) **Tiffany Joh** d. **Jennifer Song**, 2 and 1; Erin Hills G.C., Erin, Wis.; Medalists – 144, **Lizette Salas**, **Katie Kemper**; Entries: 678
- 2009 (June 22-27) **Jennifer Song** d. **Kimberly Kim**, 7 and 6; Red Tail G.C., Devens, Mass.; Medalist – 138, **Stephanie Kono**; Entries: 678

- Record qualifying score (2004)
- § Record entry (1986)



Jisoo Park advanced to the quarterfinals at only 14 years of age.



## U.S. WAPL Team Championship: 1977 to 2008

Date	Winner	Score	Site	Entry
1977 (June-July)	Phoenix, Ariz.	472	Yahara Hills G.C., Madison, Wis.	21
1978 (June-July)	Miami, Fla.	459	Myrtlewood G.C. (Palmetto Course), Myrtle Beach, S.C.	20
1979 (June-July)	Chicago, Ill.	461	Braemar G.C., Edina, Minn.	18
1980 (June)	Chicago, Ill.	459	Center Square (Pa.) G.C.	21
1981 (June)	Phoenix, Ariz.	473	Emerald Valley G.C., Creswell, Ore.	20
1982 (June)	Portland, Ore.	476	Alvamar G.C., Lawrence, Kan.	22
1983 (June)	Chicago, Ill.	297	Ala Wai G.C., Honolulu, Hawaii	28
1984 (June)	Athens, Ga.	308	Meadowbrook G.C., Rapid City, S.D.	32
1985 (June)	Phoenix, Ariz.	300	Flanders Valley G.C. (Red & Blue nines), Flanders, N.J.	31
1986 (June)	Phoenix, Ariz.	309	SentryWorld G.C., Stevens Point, Wis.	31
1987 (June)	Miami, Fla.	303	Cog Hill G. & C.C. (No. 4 Course), Lemont, Ill.	30
1988 (June)	Tulsa, Okla.	291	Page Belcher G.C., Tulsa, Okla.	32
1989 (June)	Phoenix, Ariz.	288	Indian Canyon G.C., Spokane, Wash.	33
1990 (June)	Albuquerque, N.M.	305	Hyland Hills G.C., Westminster, Colo.	§36
1991 (June)	Spokane, Wash.	290	Birdwood G.C., Charlottesville, Va.	§36
1992 (June)	Sacramento, Calif.	289	Haggin Oaks G.C. Sacramento, Calif.	30
1993 (June)	Cocoa Beach, Fla.	304	Jackson Hole G. & T.C., Jackson, Wyo.	35
1994 (June)	Miami, Fla.	289	Tam O'Shanter G.C., Canton, Ohio	32
1995 (June)	Los Angeles, Calif.	293	Hominy Hill G.C., Colts Neck, N.J.	31
1996 (June)	Murrieta, Calif.	285	Spencer T. Olin Community G.C., Alton, Ill.	33
1997 (June)	Murrieta, Calif.	298	Center Square (Pa.) G.C.	31
1998 (June)	Miami, Fla.	304	Kapalua (Hawaii) G.C. (Bay Course)	34
1999 (June)	Bonita, Calif.	286	Santa Ana G.C., Santa Ana Pueblo, N.M.	34
2000 (July)	Murrieta, Calif.	283 •	Legacy G.L., Aberdeen, N.C.	29
2001 (June)	Honolulu, Hawaii	302	Kemper Lakes G.C., Long Grove, Ill.	32
2002 (June)	Sacramento, Calif.	293	Sunriver (Ore.) Resort (Meadow Course)	32
2003 (June)	Murrieta, Calif.	291	Ocean Hammock C.C., Palm Coast, Fla.	32
2004 (June)	Bolingbrook, Ill.	284	Golden Horseshoe G.C. (Green Course), Williamsburg, Va.	34
2005 (July)	Conyers, Ga.	285	Swope Memorial G.C., Kansas City, Mo.	35
2006 (June)	Murrieta, Calif.	*287	Walking Stick G.C., Pueblo, Colo.	35
2007 (June)	Glendale, Mo.	290	Kearney Hill G.L., Lexington, Ky.	36
2008 (June)	Richardson, Texas	290	Erin Hills G.C., Erin, Wis.	37

\* Won hole in playoff with San Jose, Calif. (2006)

• Record team total (2000)

§ Record entry (1990, 1991)

## Records

### Age

#### Oldest Champion (years/months/days)

23 – Amy Fruhwirth, 1992

#### Youngest Champion

13 – Michelle Wie, 2003

#### Youngest Competitor

10/3/9 – Allisen Corpuz, 2008

10/8/23 – Michelle Wie, 2000

### Champions

#### Most Championships Won

2 – Kelly Fuiks (1977, 1978)

2 – Lori Castillo (1979, 1980)

2 – Pearl Sinn (1988, 1989)

2 – Jo Jo Robertson (1995, 1997)

2 – Tiffany Joh (2006, 2008)



*Joanna Coe pumps her fist after saving par during her quarterfinal victory over Sydnee Michaels.*

#### Most Consecutive Championships Won

2 – Kelly Fuiks (1977, 1978)

2 – Lori Castillo (1979, 1980)

2 – Pearl Sinn (1988, 1989)

#### Most Times in Final Match

3 – Pearl Sinn (1987, 1988, 1989)

#### Most Times Runner-Up

2 – Kristie Kolacny (1984, 1985)

2 – Kimberly Kim (2006, 2009)

#### Longest Span Between Victories

2 years – JoJo Robertson (1995, 1997); Tiffany Joh (2006, 2008)

### Course

#### Longest Course

6,453 yards – Santa Ana G.C., Santa Ana Pueblo, N.M., 1999

#### Shortest Courses

5,802 yards – Tam O'Shanter G.C. (Hills Course), Canton, Ohio, 1994

5,802 yards – Kapalua (Hawaii) G.C. (Bay Course), 1998

#### Most Often Host Club

2 – Center Square (Pa.) G.C. (1980, 1997)

### Entries

#### Largest

1,085 (1986)

#### Smallest

658 (1978)

### Match Play

#### Largest Winning Margin, 18-Hole Match

9 and 7 – Lori Castillo d. Ginger Fulton, second round, Center Square (Pa.) G.C., 1980

9 and 7 – Danielle Ammaccapane d. Tina Becker, first round, SentryWorld G.C., Stevens Point, Wis., 1986

- 9 and 7 – **Sunny Oh** d. **Jessica Reese**, first round, Sunriver (Ore.) Resort (Meadows Course), 2002
- 9 and 7 – **Kimberly Kim** d. **Mina Harigae**, quarterfinals, Walking Stick G.C., Pueblo, Colo., 2006
- 8 and 7 – **Alicia Ogrin** d. **Susan Thompson**, first round, Alvamar G.C., Lawrence, Kan., 1982
- 8 and 7 – **Tracy Hanson** d. **Nicole Jeray**, quarterfinals, Birdwood G.C., Charlottesville, Va., 1991
- 8 and 7 – **Sheila Luginbuel** d. **Gina Glodowski**, first round, Indian Canyon G.C., Spokane, Wash., 1989

#### **Largest Winning Margin, Final (18 Holes)**

- 6 and 5 – **Danielle Ammaccapane** d. **Kristie Kolacny**, Flanders Valley G.C. (Red and Blue nines), Flanders, N.J., 1985
- 6 and 4 – **Jill McGill** d. **Heidi Voorhees**, Tam O'Shanter G.C., Canton, Ohio, 1994
- 5 and 4 – **Kelly Fuiks** d. **Diana Schwab**, Myrtlewood G.C. (Palmetto Course), Myrtle Beach, S.C., 1978
- 5 and 4 – **Cathy Mockett** d. **Barbara Blanchar**, Hyland Hills G.C., Westminster, Colo., 1990

#### **Largest Winning Margin, Final (36 Holes)**

- 7 and 6 – **Jennifer Song** d. **Kimberly Kim**, Red Tail G.C., Devens, Mass., 2009
- 6 and 5 – **Annie Thurman** d. **Hwanhee Lee**, Sunriver (Ore.) Resort (Meadows Course), 2002
- 6 and 5 – **Tiffany Joh** d. **Kimberly Kim**, Walking Stick G.C., Pueblo, Colo., 2006

#### **Longest Match**

- 26 holes – **Connie Masterson** d. **Sara Evens**, quarterfinals, Jackson Hole G. & T., Jackson, Wyo., 1993
- 26 holes – **Jennifer Tannehill** d. **Thuhashini Selvaratnam**, second round, Kemper Lakes G.C., Long Grove, Ill., 2001
- 23 holes – **Jill McGill** d. **Erin O'Neil**, semifinals, Tam O'Shanter G.C., Canton, Ohio, 1994

#### **Longest Final Match**

- 37 holes – **Eun Jung Lee** d. **Tiffany Chudy**, Swope Memorial G.C., Kansas City, Mo., 2005
- 36 holes – **Michelle Wie** d. **Virada Nirapathpongporn**, 1 up, Ocean Hammock G.C., Palm Coast, Fla., 2003
- 36 holes – **Ya-Ni Tseng** d. **Michelle Wie**, 1 up; Golden Horseshoe G.C. (Green Course), Williamsburg, Va., 2004

## Stroke Play

#### **Lowest Score, 18 Holes**

- 65 – **Brittany Lang**, second round, Golden Horseshoe G.C. (Green Course), Williamsburg, Va., 2004
- 66 – **Heather Hughes**, first round, Haggin Oaks G.C., Sacramento, Calif., 1992

- 66 – **Jill McGill**, second round, Tam O'Shanter G.C., Canton, Ohio, 1994
- 66 – **Jessica Reese**, second round, Sunriver (Ore.) Resort (Meadows Course), 2002
- 66 – **Jenna Pearson**, second round, Golden Horseshoe G.C. (Green Course), Williamsburg, Va., 2004
- 66 – **Angela Park**, first round, Swope Memorial G.C., Kansas City, Mo., 2005
- 66 – **Hannah Jun**, first round, Walking Stick G.C., Pueblo, Colo., 2006

#### **Lowest Medalist Score, 36 Holes**

- 135 – **Brittany Lang**, Golden Horseshoe G.C. (Green Course), Williamsburg, Va., 2004
- 136 – **Angela Park** and **Mari Chun**, Swope Memorial G.C., Kansas City, Mo., 2005
- 137 – **Jill McGill**, Tam O'Shanter G.C., Canton, Ohio, 1994
- 137 – **Jenna Daniels**, Santa Ana G.C., Santa Ana Pueblo, N.M., 1999
- 137 – **Jenna Pearson**, Golden Horseshoe G.C. (Green Course), Williamsburg, Va., 2004
- 137 – **Hannah Jun**, Walking Stick G.C., Pueblo, Colo., 2006
- 137 – **Mina Harigae**, Walking Stick G.C., Pueblo, Colo., 2006
- 137 – **Tiffany Lua**, Kearney Hill G.L., Lexington, Ky., 2007

#### **Most Times Medalist**

- 2 – **Danielle Ammaccapane** (1985, 1986)

## Miscellaneous

#### **Holes-In-One**

- Andrea Meeker**, second round, stroke play, 17th hole, Kapalua (Hawaii) G.C. (Bay Course), 1998
- Tiffany Joh**, second round, match play, 2nd hole, Kearney Hill G.L., Lexington, Ky., 2007
- Simone Hoey**, first round, match play, 5th hole, Red Tail G.C., Devens, Mass., 2009
- Mary Matson**, second round, stroke play, 15th hole, Red Tail G.C., Devens, Mass., 2009

#### **Double Eagle**

- Cindy Skilton**, first round, stroke play, Ocean Hammock G.C., Palm Coast, Fla., 2003