

**32nd U.S.
Women's
Mid-Amateur
Championship
Record Book**

**Norwood Hills Country Club
St. Louis, Mo.**

Kelsey Chugg Wins the 2017 Championship

The first stroke-play round of her U.S. Women's Mid-Amateur Championship debut last Saturday didn't go so well for Kelsey Chugg.

That's not so well, as in a 13-over-par 85 on Champions Golf Club's Cypress Creek Course. As in a closing stretch of 7 over par on her final six holes that left her "crying a little bit" in her car. But she spoke with her coach, Lynsey Myers, afterward and rebounded with an even-par 72 on Sunday to earn the No. 50 seed for match play. Four days and six match-play victories later, she is the 31st U.S. Women's Mid-Amateur champion.

"I was pretty upset," recalled Chugg, 26, of Salt Lake City, Utah. "I was playing pretty well coming into this [championship] and I was mad at myself. My coach said, 'Just go practice; get your head in the game and get your tempo back.'"

From Sunday through Thursday, Chugg kept an incredibly even keel, never needing to play the 18th hole in any of her six wins. She defeated two of the three co-medalists (2015 champion Lauren Greenleaf and Marissa Mar) along the way and capped her charge with a 3-and-1 victory on Thursday over No. 56 seed Mary Jane Hiestand, 58, of Naples, Fla.

With her early stroke-play struggles a distant memory, Chugg was still in disbelief after her victory earned her a berth in the 2018 U.S. Women's Open at Shoal Creek – the first Women's Mid-Amateur champion to take advantage of that recently announced exemption.

"It's just been a crazy week – I can't believe I pulled it off," said Chugg, the membership director for the Utah Golf Association. "This is really exciting for me to be able to bring this home for Utah and the golf community there."

Chugg's victory dashed the hopes of Hiestand, who was bidding to become the oldest Women's Mid-Amateur champion by six years. Hiestand's run to the final was much more dramatic than Chugg's – it included a pair of 1-up wins on Tuesday and two 19-hole victories on Wednesday, including a semifinal win over No. 4 seed Shannon Johnson, last year's runner-up, when Hiestand converted a 48-foot birdie putt on the first extra hole.

"I knew she was a seasoned player, and I heard she was a really good putter," said Chugg of Hiestand, who was competing in her 43rd USGA championship. "She lived up to her name; on the first hole she drained a 24-footer for par, and it got to me."

Chugg gathered herself and won Nos. 2 and 3. The third hole, a 352-yard par 4, provided the biggest swing of the match, as Chugg looked to be in trouble when a poor chip left her with a par putt from 38 feet. Hiestand was on in two, and her putt from just outside Chugg's ball left her with a 4-footer for par. However, Chugg made hers and Hiestand missed, and Chugg had a lead she would never relinquish.

"She had a similar line to me [with her birdie putt], and I was like, I think I can make this," said Chugg. "[Caddie] Chris [Schuhmann] and I agreed on the line, and I just said, keep your head down and hit the putt, and it went right in the center."

Hiestand had chances on three consecutive holes from No. 7 to whittle her two-hole deficit, but every putt slid past the edge. Chugg cited her own up-and-down from a bunker on No. 7 that forced Hiestand to make birdie to win the hole. When she three-putted the par-4 10th hole for bogey as Chugg made a comfortable two-putt par, Hiestand was 3 down.

"I made nothing," said Hiestand, whose previous best USGA finish was the semifinal round in the 2013 U.S. Senior Women's Amateur. "All three of them were right over the edge of the hole. It's a putter's golf course and that's my game. For me not to make anything is amazing, but you have those days."

Hiestand slipped to 4 down after she missed the green long and left on the par-5 13th and made a bogey, while Chugg made a testing 5½-footer for par. Chugg suffered a couple of lapses on No. 14 (where a poor approach led to a double bogey) and No. 16 (she flew the green and failed to get up and down), but she closed out Hiestand on the 17th hole when her opponent three-putted and conceded Chugg's short par putt.

"I think I just lost focus for a second on No. 14," said Chugg, whose best previous finish in five USGA starts was the Round of 32 in the 2011 U.S. Women's Amateur Public Links. "I was just happy not to have to play another hole, because I was leaking oil a little bit."

"Kudos to her – she's a real solid player," said Hiestand. "She made everything today. That's what it takes to win a championship."

Chugg, who becomes the fifth player from Utah to win a USGA championship, was asked whether she might have snuck up on some of her opponents, most of whom might not have been acquainted with the former Weber State University player who has won the Utah Women's Amateur four times

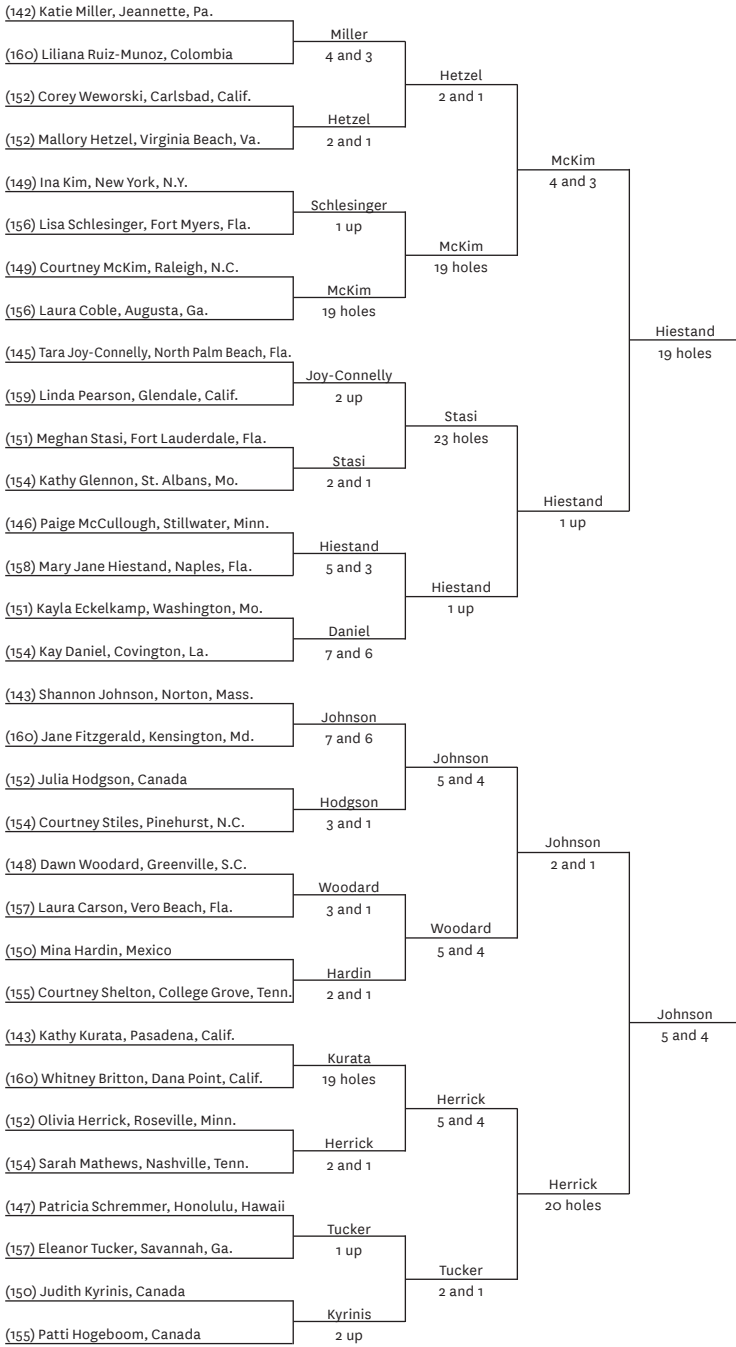
"It's funny – on Tuesday when I was going to play Lauren Greenleaf, [two-time champion] Julia Potter's fiancé, Kiel [Bob] told me, 'That's going to be a tough match – but she doesn't know who she's up against,'" said Chugg. "That gave me some confidence, him telling me that."

A little confidence – along with that post-round discussion with her coach on Saturday – helped earn Chugg the Mildred Prunaret Trophy and a spot in the U.S. Women's Open.

The USGA relocated this championship from Quail Creek Country Club in Naples, Fla., to Champions Golf Club due to extensive flood damage from Hurricane Irma. The Women's Mid-Amateur was originally scheduled to be played Oct. 7-12.

31st U.S. Women's Mid-Amateur Championship

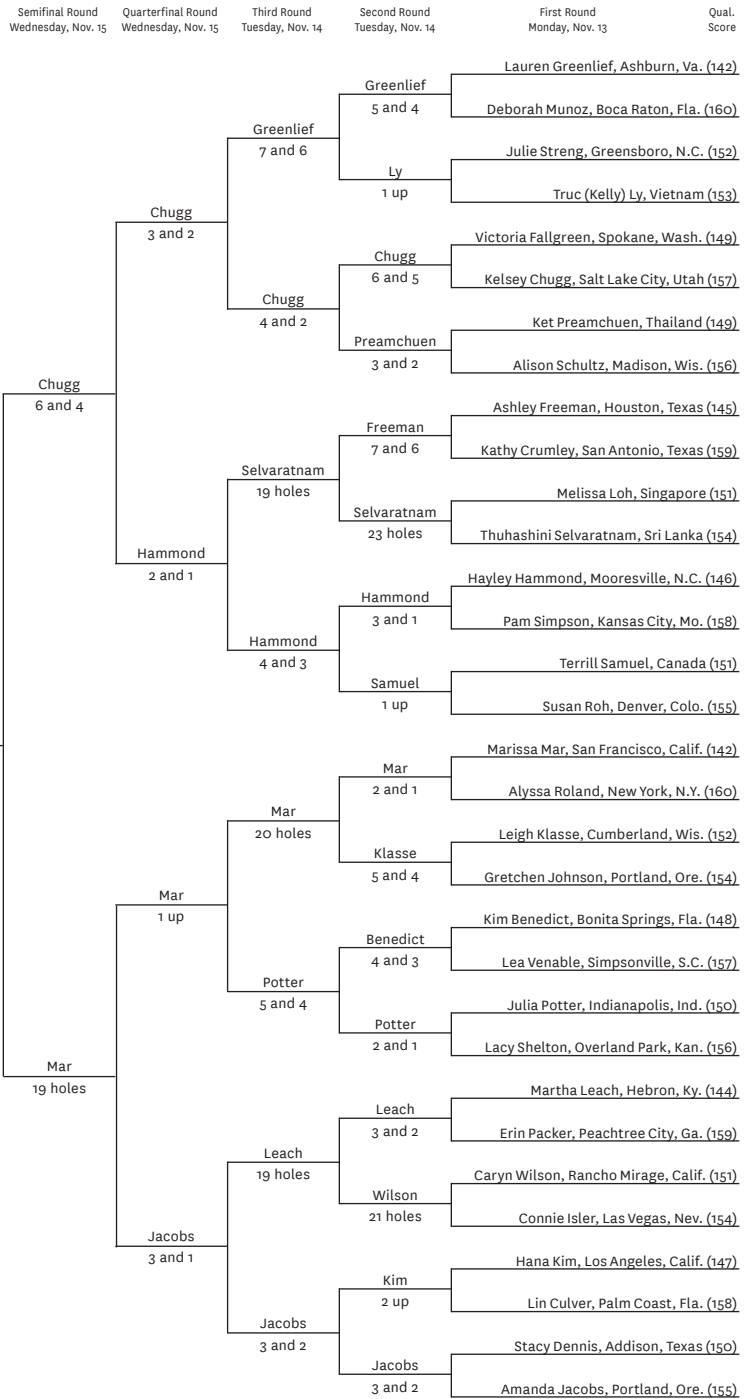
Qual. Score First Round Monday, Nov. 13 Second Round Tuesday, Nov. 14 Third Round Tuesday, Nov. 14 Quarterfinal Round Wednesday, Nov. 15 Semifinal Round Wednesday, Nov. 15



Par: 36-36—72
Yardage: 6,022
Entries: 427

FINAL
 Thursday, Nov. 16
 Kelsey Chugg
 def.
 Mary Jane Hiestand,
 3 and 1

Nov. 11-16, 2017, Champions Golf Club (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas



Complete Stroke-Play Results

142	Katie Miller, Jeannette, Pa., 69-73; Lauren Greenlief, Ashburn, Va., 74-68; Marissa Mar, San Francisco, Calif., 72-70	153	Truc (Kelly) Ly, Vietnam, 76-77
143	Shannon Johnson, Norton, Mass., 69-74; Kathy Kurata, Pasadena, Calif., 72-71	154	Gretchen Johnson, Portland, Ore., 76-78; Courtney Stiles, Pinehurst, N.C., 78-76; Sarah Mathews, Nashville, Tenn., 81-73; Connie Isler, Las Vegas, Nev., 79-75; Thuhashini Selvaratnam, Sri Lanka, 83-71; Kathy Glennon, St. Albans, Mo., 73-81; Kay Daniel, Covington, La., 74-80
144	Martha Leach, Hebron, Ky., 73-71	155	Susan Roh, Denver, Colo., 77-78; Amanda Jacobs, Portland, Ore., 79-76; Patti Hogeboom, Canada, 80-75; Courtney Shelton, College Grove, Tenn., 77-78
145	Ashley Freeman, Houston, Texas, 73-72; Tara Joy-Connelly, North Palm Beach, Fla., 72-73	156	Lacy Shelton, Overland Park, Kan., 80-76; Allison Schultz, Madison, Wis., 78-78; Laura Coble, Augusta, Ga., 84-72; Lisa Schlesinger, Fort Myers, Fla., 76-80
146	Paige McCullough, Stillwater, Minn., 73-73; Hayley Hammond, Mooresville, N.C., 74-72	157	Kelsey Chugg, Salt Lake City, Utah, 85-72; Lea Venable, Simpsonville, S.C., 81-76; Laura Carson, Vero Beach, Fla., 81-76; Eleanor Tucker, Savannah, Ga., 79-78
147	Hana Kim, Los Angeles, Calif., 74-73; Patricia Schremmer, Honolulu, Hawaii, 76-71	158	Lin Culver, Palm Coast, Fla., 80-78; Pam Simpson, Kansas City, Mo., 81-77; Mary Jane Hiestand, Naples, Fla., 79-79
148	Dawn Woodard, Greenville, S.C., 77-71; Kim Benedict, Bonita Springs, Fla., 73-75	159	Linda Pearson, Glendale, Calif., 82-77; Kathy Crumley, San Antonio, Texas, 82-77; Erin Packer, Peachtree City, Ga., 82-77
149	Victoria Fallgren, Spokane, Wash., 76-73; Ina Kim, New York, N.Y., 71-78; Courtney McKim, Raleigh, N.C., 75-74; Ket Preamchuen, Thailand, 70-79	160	*Whitney Britton, Dana Point, Calif., 83-77 (3); *Jane Fitzgerald, Kensington, Md., 78-82 (4, 4); *Alyssa Roland, New York, N.Y., 83-77 (4, 5, 4); *Liliana Ruiz-Munoz, Colombia, 83-77 (4, 5, 5, 4); *Deborah Munoz, Boca Raton, Fla., 81-79 (4, 5, 5, 4)
150	Julia Potter, Indianapolis, Ind., 77-73; Mina Hardin, Mexico, 78-72; Judith Kyrinis, Canada, 76-74; Stacy Dennis, Addison, Texas, 77-73		
151	Terrill Samuel, Canada, 77-74; Kayla Eckelkamp, Washington, Mo., 76-75; Meghan Stasi, Fort Lauderdale, Fla., 76-75; Melissa Loh, Singapore, 74-77; Caryn Wilson, Rancho Mirage, Calif., 77-74		
152	Olivia Herrick, Roseville, Minn., 76-76; Julia Hodgson, Canada, 79-73; Leigh Klasse, Cumberland, Wis., 73-79; Julie Streng, Greensboro, N.C., 75-77; Corey Weworski, Carlsbad, Calif., 78-74; Mallory Hetzel, Virginia Beach, Va., 78-74		

* = in a playoff

Failed to Qualify

160	*Kristine Rohrbaugh, Herndon, Va., 77-83 (4, 5, 5, 7); *Maggie Leef, Merton, Wis., 82-78 (5); *Kelly Wilson, El Dorado Hills, Calif., 78-82 (5)	170	Becky Neal, Mansfield, Texas, 84-86; Jamie Zook, Colorado Springs, Colo., 86-84; Kerry Lareau, Little Rock, Ark., 87-83
161	Anna Morales, Austin, Texas, 80-81; Amy Loughney, Jersey City, N.J., 81-80; Staci Creech, Bangor, Maine, 85-76; Susan West, Tuscaloosa, Ala., 76-85; Julie Harrison, Baton Rouge, La., 81-80; Tracy Welch, Winchester, Mass., 86-75	171	Susan Sardi, Skillman, N.J., 88-83; Deb Jackson, Johns Creek, Ga., 89-82; Stephenie Harris, New York, N.Y., 83-88; Elizabeth Corcoran, Boston, Mass., 88-83; Katie Dwyer, New York, N.Y., 86-85
162	Annette Gaiotti, Park City, Utah, 80-82; Erin Back, Georgetown, Ky., 83-79; Janet Moore, Centennial, Colo., 82-80; Hilary Hall, Republic of Ireland, 79-83; Callie Kemmer, Washington, D.C., 78-84	172	Meghan Trainor, Charlotte, N.C., 88-84; Ericka Diaz, Mexico, 82-90; Ana Gloria Chavez, Mexico, 88-84; Meg Cavanaugh, Northbrook, Ill., 88-86
163	Ampi Diaz, Mexico, 81-82; Patricia Cornett, Mill Valley, Calif., 85-78; Pamela Kuong, Wellesley Hills, Mass., 84-79; Rachel Smith, Mansfield, Texas, 83-80	174	Anita Venner, Vero Beach, Fla., 86-88
164	Meghan Perry, Wilmington, Del., 80-84; Kareen Markle, Meridian, Idaho, 83-81; Karen Siegel, Maple Glen, Pa., 78-86; Carlia Canto, Marysville, Mich., 83-81; Carol Davies, Garrett Park, Md., 81-83; Jennifer Udd, Naples, Fla., 80-84; Sherry Wright, Oxnard, Calif., 85-79; M.K. Thanos-Zordani, Palm Desert, Calif., 83-81; Katrin Wolfe, Johnstown, Pa., 85-79	175	Marcela Coghlan, Mexico, 83-92
165	Catherine Elliott, Philadelphia, Pa., 85-80; Shirley Vaughn, Canton, Ohio, 88-77; Sarah Matin, Winter Garden, Fla., 84-81; Molly Dorans, Firestone, Colo., 83-82; Jillian Braverman, Newport Beach, Calif., 86-79	176	Kaitlyn Mardeusz, Detroit, Mich., 88-88
166	Daniela Okino, Elk Grove, Calif., 82-84; Stacy Quilling, Birmingham, Ala., 89-77; Kristen Mulenburg, Alameda, Calif., 87-79	178	Alison Bassetto, Naperville, Ill., 92-86
167	Krissy Martin, Louisville, Ky., 81-86; Danielle Davis, St. Simons, Ga., 79-88; Tiffany Maurycy, Denver, Colo., 84-83; Kim Keyer-Scott, Bonita Springs, Fla., 87-80; Jirapon Carlson, Thailand, 84-83; Andrea Nelson, Palm City, Fla., 82-85	181	Laura Beth Yates, Birmingham, Ala., 90-91
168	Brittany Roberts, Denver, Colo., 88-80; Megan Godfrey, Chicago, Ill., 83-85; Patty Moore, Pinehurst, N.C., 85-83; Whitney Frykman, Seattle, Wash., 80-88	182	Amy Gierlak, Edinboro, Pa. 92-90
169	Alison Reifers Cress, Jupiter, Fla., 86-83; Elizabeth Payne, Flossmoor, Ill., 85-84; Donna Tepper, Grosse Pointe Park, Mich., 85-84; Marie Burns, Dallas, Texas, 83-86; Jamie Hoffmann, Escondido, Calif., 85-84		

Championship History

The U.S. Women's Mid-Amateur Championship began in 1987 as a result of a need determined by an ad hoc committee headed by Dena Nowotny, a member of the USGA Women's Committee.

The Women's Mid-Amateur, the USGA's 13th championship, was created to provide a national competitive arena for amateurs age 25 and older.

By 1987, it had become increasingly difficult for female amateur golfers beyond college to compete equitably with their collegiate counterparts, for whom golf was nearly a full-time vocation. One must go back to 1973 and Carol Semple Thompson to find the last career amateur to win the U.S. Women's Amateur.

As with any new championship, there was initial concern with the level of entries. In this case, women amateurs responded with enthusiasm. The first championship attracted 320 entries, only 29 fewer than the number that had entered the 1987 Women's Amateur a few weeks earlier.

The starting field of 135 players was determined by sectional qualifying. The first Women's Mid-Amateur was played at Southern Hills Country Club in Tulsa, Okla., and was won by Cindy Scholefield, 27, of Malibu, Calif.

The Women's Mid-Amateur has been the setting for a number of noteworthy finals. In 1989, Robin Weiss, of Palm Beach Gardens, Fla., defeated Page Marsh Lea on the 22nd hole. In 1990, despite the tremendous pressure of competing on her home course as a crowd favorite, Carol Semple Thompson, 41, of Sewickley, Pa., defeated Marsh Lea, 3 and 1, at the Allegheny Country Club, where Semple Thompson had learned the game.

Two women have won the Women's Mid-Amateur on four occasions. In 2011, Ellen Port, of St. Louis, Mo., captured her fourth championship title with a 2-and-1 victory over 2009 champion Martha Leach at Bayville Golf Club in Virginia Beach, Va. Having previously won in 1991, 1993 and 2000, Port's 11-year span between victories broke the record of seven years, set by Thompson in 1997.

The following year, Meghan Stasi, of Oakland Park, Fla., won her fourth Women's Mid-Amateur, taking a 6-and-5 victory over Liz Waynick at Briggs Ranch Golf Club in San Antonio, Texas. She won back-to-back titles in 2006 and 2007 under her maiden name of Bolger, and also took the victory in 2010.

Sarah LeBrun Ingram, of Nashville, Tenn., in 1994 became the first player to take consecutive Women's Mid-Amateur championships. She had previously won in 1991 and 1993.

Championship Results: 1987 to 2017

1987	(Oct. 10-15) Cindy Scholefield d. Pat Cornett-Iker , 6 and 5; Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla.; Medalist — 157, Anne Quast Sander ; Entries: 320	2003	(Oct. 11-16) Amber Marsh d. Shannon Ogg , 3 and 2; Long Cove Club, Hilton Head, S.C.; Medalist — 142, Robin Burke ; Entries: 532
1988	(Oct. 8-13) Martha Lang d. Mary Hanyak , 4 and 3; Amelia Island (Fla.) Plantation; Medalist — 148, Anne Quast Sander ; Entries: 346	2004	(Sept. 10-15) Corey Weworski d. Virginia Grimes , 5 and 4; Holston Hills C.C., Knoxville, Tenn.; Medalist — 146, Tobi Probst ; Entries: 425
1989	(Oct. 7-12) Robin Weiss d. Page Marsh Lea , 22 holes; The Hills of Lakeway G.C., Lakeway, Texas; Medalist — 150, Carol Semple Thompson ; Entries: 289	2005	(Sept. 10-15) Mary Ann Lapointe d. Kerry Postillion , 1 up; Shadow Hawk G.C., Richmond, Texas; Medalist — 142, Kerry Postillion ; Entries: 418
1990	(Sept. 19 – Oct. 4) Carol Semple Thompson d. Page Marsh Lea , 3 and 1; Allegheny C.C., Sewickley, Pa.; Medalists — 149, Sally Krueger , Carol Semple Thompson ; Entries: 354	2006	(Oct. 21-26) Meghan Bolger d. Thushashini Selvaratnam , 5 and 4; Old Waverly G.C., West Point, Miss.; Medalist — 142, Dawn Woodard ; Entries: 455
1991	(Sept. 21-26) Sarah LeBrun Ingram d. Martha Lang , 6 and 5; Desert Highlands G.C., Scottsdale, Ariz.; Medalist — 143, Andrea Dornin ; Entries: 394	2007	(Sept. 29 – Oct. 4) Meghan Bolger d. Kerry Postillion , 1 up; Desert Forest G.C., Carefree, Ariz.; Medalist — 144, Dawn Woodard ; Entries: 483
1992	(Oct. 10-15) Marion Maney-McInerney d. Carol Semple Thompson , 19 holes; Old Marsh G.C., Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.; Medalist — 142, Robin Weiss ; Entries: 452	2008	(Sept. 6-11) Joan Higgins d. Lynn Simmons , 1 up; Barton Hills C.C., Ann Arbor, Mich.; Medalist — 142, Wendi Patterson-Golden ; Entries: 410
1993	(Aug. 9-14) Sarah LeBrun Ingram d. Mary Burkhardt , 2 and 1; Rochester (Minn.) G. & C.C.; Medalist — 141, Carol Semple Thompson ; Entries: 461	2009	(Oct. 3-8) Martha Leach d. Laura Coble , 3 and 2; Golden Hills G. & T.C., Ocala, Fla.; Medalists — 146, Meghan Stasi , Mina Hardin , Jennifer Lucas , Laura Ladden ; Entries: 411
1994	(Sept. 10-15) Sarah LeBrun Ingram d. Marla Jemsek , 2 and 1; Tacoma (Wash.) C. & G.C.; Medalist — 144, Robin Weiss ; Entries: 356	2010	(Sept. 25-30) Meghan Stasi d. Carol Robertson , 2 up; Wichita (Kan.) C.C.; Medalist — 146, Ellen Port ; Entries: 364
1995	(Sept. 18-23) Ellen Port d. Brenda Corrie Kuehn , 3 and 1; Essex County Club, Manchester-by-the-Sea, Mass.; Medalist — 146, Brenda Corrie Kuehn ; Entries: 397	2011	(Sept. 17-22) Ellen Port d. Martha Leach , 2 and 1; Bayville G.C., Virginia Beach, Va.; Medalist — 146, Brenda Pictor ; Entries: 390
1996	(Sept. 24-29) Ellen Port d. Kerry Postillion , 2 and 1; Mission Hills C.C. (Dinah Shore Course), Rancho Mirage, Calif.; Medalist — 145, Brenda Corrie Kuehn ; Entries: 515	2012	(Oct. 6-11) Meghan Stasi d. Liz Waynick , 6 and 5; Briggs Ranch G.C., San Antonio, Texas; Medalist — 142, Dawn Woodard ; Entries: 405
1997	(Sept. 18-23) Carol Semple Thompson d. Leslie Shannon , 2 and 1; Atlantic City C.C., Northfield, N.J.; Medalist — 143, Kerry Postillion ; Entries: 450	2013	(Oct. 5-10) Julia Potter d. Margaret Shirley , 19 holes; Biltmore Forest C.C., Asheville, N.C.; Medalist — 143, Julia Potter ; Entries: 420
1998	(Oct. 5-9) Virginia Grimes d. Robin Weiss , 4 and 3; Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas; Medalist — 142, Mary Ann Lapointe ; Entries: 469	2014	(Sept. 6-11) Margaret Shirley d. Julia Potter , 5 and 3; Harbour Tree G.C., Noblesville, Ind.; Medalist — 142, Margaret Shirley ; Entries: 349
1999	(Oct. 2-7) Alissa Herron d. Leland Beckel , 1 up; Cherokee Town & C.C., Atlanta, Ga.; Medalist — 146, Pat Milton ; Entries: 515	2015	(Oct. 3-8) Lauren Greenlief d. Margaret Shirley , 2 and 1; Squire Creek C.C., Choudrant, La.; Medalist — 144, Casey Ward ; Entries: 327
2000	(Oct. 3-8) Ellen Port d. Anna Schultz , 3 and 2; Big Canyon C.C., Newport Beach, Calif.; Medalist — 147, Ellen Port ; Entries: 533	2016	(Sept. 10-15) Julia Potter d. Shannon Johnson , 2 and 1; The Kahkwa Club, Erie, Pa.; Medalist — 145, Shannon Johnson , Julia Potter ; Entries: 370
2001	(Oct. 6-11) Laura Shanahan d. Mina Hardin , 4 and 3; Fox Run G.C., Eureka, Mo.; Medalist — 147, Ellen Port ; Entries: 517	2017	(Nov. 11-16) Kelsey Chugg d. Mary Jane Hiestand , 3 and 1; Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas; Medalist — 142, Katie Miller , Lauren Greenlief , Marissa Mar ; Entries: 427
2002	(Sept. 21-26) Kathy Hartwiger d. Ellen Port , 2 up; Eugene (Ore.) C.C.; Medalists — 150, Taffy Brower , Ellen Port , Lara Tennant ; Entries: 488		

• Record qualifying score (1993)

§ Record entry (2000)

Records

Age

Youngest Champion (years/months/days)

25/0/25	Lauren Greenlief, 2015
25/3/26	Sarah LeBrun Ingram, 1991
25/11/21	Julia Potter, 2013

Oldest Champion

52/1/1	Joan Higgins, 2008
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Champions

Most Victories

4	Ellen Port (1995, 1996, 2000, 2011)
4	Meghan Stasi (2006, 2007, 2010, 2012)

Consecutive Victories

2	Sarah LeBrun Ingram (1993, 1994)
2	Ellen Port (1995, 1996)
2	Meghan Stasi (2006, 2007)

Winner of Women's Amateur and Women's Mid-Amateur (1)

Carol Semple Thompson (1973 Women's Amateur; 1990, 1997 Women's Mid-Amateur)

Longest Span Between Victories

11 years	Ellen Port (2000, 2011)
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Entries

Largest

533 (2000)

Smallest

289 (1989)

Match Play

Largest Margin of Victory

9 and 8	Ellen Port d. Sue Churchich, first round, Fox Run G.C., Eureka, Mo., 2001
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9 and 8	Thuhashini Selvaratnam d. Brenda Williams, third round, Holston Hills C.C., Knoxville, Tenn., 2004
9 and 7	Ellen Port d. Marianne Towersey, third round, Big Canyon C.C., Newport Beach, Calif., 2000
9 and 7	Kathy Hartwiger d. Kate Grace, first round, Holston Hills C.C., Knoxville, Tenn., 2004
9 and 7	Liz Waynick d. Mary Jane Hiestand, second round, Briggs Ranch G.C., San Antonio, Texas, 2012
8 and 7	Pat Cornett-Iker d. Tamara Bowman, second round, Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla., 1987
8 and 7	Carolyn Creekmore d. Robin Weiss, second round, Mission Hills C.C., Rancho Mirage, Calif., 1996
8 and 7	Susan Marchese d. Elizabeth Haines, first round, Cherokee Town & C.C., Atlanta, Ga., 1999
8 and 7	Lesley Stracks d. Mary Ann Lapointe, first round, Fox Run G.C., Eureka, Mo., 2001
8 and 7	Thuhashini Selvaratnam d. Alicia Kapheim, first round, Holston Hills C.C., Knoxville, Tenn., 2004
8 and 7	Ann Pohira d. Joan Garety, first round, Old Waverly G.C., West Point, Miss., 2006

Largest Margin of Victory, Final

6 and 5	Cindy Scholefield d. Pat Cornett-Iker, Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla., 1987
6 and 5	Sarah LeBrun Ingram d. Martha Lang, Desert Highlands G.C., Scottsdale, Ariz., 1991
6 and 5	Meghan Stasi d. Liz Waynick, Briggs Ranch G.C., San Antonio, Texas, 2012

Longest Match

24 holes	Tanna Lee d. Mary Jane Anderson, first round, Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla., 1987
24 holes	Carolyn Creekmore d. Laura Ladden, second round, Desert Forest G.C., Carefree, Ariz., 2007
23 holes	Lynn Anderson d. Mina Hardin, first round, Atlantic City C.C., Northfield, N.J., 1997
23 holes	Sylvia Kim d. Dana Harrity, second round, Mission Hills C.C., Rancho Mirage, Calif., 1996
23 holes	Kathy Hartwiger d. Andrea Kraus, first round, Fox Run G.C., Eureka, Mo., 2001
23 holes	Shawn Farmer d. Wendi Golden, first round, Bayville G.C., Virginia Beach, Va., 2011
23 holes	Kathy Kurata d. Christy Larrimore, third round, Bayville G.C., Virginia Beach, Va., 2011
23 holes	Thuhashini Selvaratnam d. Melissa Loh, first round, Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas, 2017
23 holes	Meghan Stasi d. Tara Joy-Connelly, second round, Champions G.C., Houston, Texas, 2017

Longest Match, Final

22 holes	Robin Weiss d. Page Marsh Lea, The Hills of Lakeway G.C., Lakeway, Texas, 1989
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- 19 holes **Marion Maney-McInerney d. Carol Semple Thompson**, Old Marsh G.C., Palm Beach Gardens, Fla., 1992
- 19 holes **Julia Potter d. Margaret Shirley**, Biltmore Forest C.C., Asheville, N.C., 2013

Most Match-Play Victories

- 58 **Ellen Port** (58-16; 1989-2012)
- 56 **Carol Semple Thompson** (56-21; 1987-2009)
- 45 **Meghan Stasi** (45-8; 2006-2017)
- 43 **Martha Leach** (43-27; 1988-2017)
- 40 **Robin Burke** (40-23; 1989-2016)
- 38 **Virginia Derby Grimes** (38-12; 1993-2011)
- 38 **Mina Hardin** (38-22; 1995-2017)
- 31 **Patricia Cornett** (31-20; 1987-2017)
- 28 **Kathy Hartwiger** (28-12; 1996-2010)
- 28 **Robin Weiss Donnelly** (28-14; 1987-2016)
- 26 **Carolyn Creekmore** (26-19; 1989-2016)
- 26 **Kerry Postillion** (26-15; 1994-2017)
- 26 **Corey Weworski** (26-18; 1999-2017)
- 25 **Laura Coble** (25-13; 1999-2017)

Most Consecutive Match-Play Victories

- 14 **Ellen Port**, 1995-97
- 13 **Meghan (Bolger) Stasi**, 2006-08
- 12 **Sarah LeBrun Ingram**, 1993-94
- 11 **Martha Leach**, 2009-11
- 11 **Julia Potter**, 2013-14
- 11 **Margaret (Shirley) Starosto**, 2014-15

Most Times in Championship

- 29 **Martha Leach** (1988-2017)
- 26 **Patricia Cornett** (1987-2017)
- 23 **Ellen Port** (1989-2012)
- 23 **Carol Semple Thompson** (1987-2009)
- 23 **Robin Burke** (1989-2016)
- 23 **Mina Hardin** (1995-2017)
- 22 **Carolyn Creekmore** (1989-2016)
- 22 **Mary Jane Hiestand** (1987-2017)
- 22 **Corey Weworski** (1994-2017)

Most Times to Advance to Match Play

- 28 **Martha Leach** (1988-2017)
- 23 **Carol Semple Thompson** (1987-2009)
- 23 **Robin Burke** (1989-2016)
- 22 **Mina Hardin** (1995-2017)
- 20 **Ellen Port** (1989-2012)
- 20 **Patricia Cornett** (1987-2017)

Most Match-Play Holes Needed to Win the Championship

- 108 **Corey Weworski**, Holston Hills C.C., Knoxville, Tenn., 2004

Fewest Match-Play Holes Needed to Win the Championship

- 81 **Cindy Scholefield**, Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla., 1987

Most Extra-Hole Matches, Championship

- 13 **Champions G.C.** (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas, 2017
- 11 **Holston Hills C.C.**, Knoxville, Tenn., 2004
- 10 **Long Cove Club**, Hilton Head, S.C., 2003
- 10 **Bayville G.C.**, Virginia Beach, Va., 2011

Stroke Play

Lowest Score, 18 Holes

- 68 **Dawn Woodard**, first round, Shadow Hawk G.C., Richmond, Texas, 2005
- 68 **Lauren Greenlief**, second round, Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas, 2017
- 69 **Andrea Dornin**, second round, Desert Highlands G.C., Scottsdale, Ariz., 1991
- 69 **Robin Weiss**, first round, Old Marsh G.C., Palm Beach Gardens, Fla., 1992
- 69 **Kerry Postillion**, first round, Atlantic City C.C., Northfield, N.J., 1997
- 69 **Brenda Corrie Kuehn**, first round, Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas, 1998
- 69 **Linda Olsen**, first round, Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas, 1998
- 69 **Mina Hardin**, second round, Golden Hills G. & T.C., Ocala, Fla., 2009
- 69 **Dawn Woodard**, first round, Briggs Ranch G.C., San Antonio, Texas, 2012
- 69 **Julia Potter**, first round, Biltmore Forest C.C., Asheville, N.C., 2013
- 69 **Margaret Shirley**, second round, Harbour Trees G.C., Noblesville, Ind., 2014
- 69 **Shannon Johnson**, first round, Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas, 2017
- 69 **Katie Miller**, first round, Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas, 2017

Lowest Score, 36 Holes

- 141 **Carol Semple Thompson**, Rochester (Minn.) G. & C.C., 1993 (medalist)
- 142 **Mary Ann Lapointe**, Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas, 1998 (medalist)
- 142 **Robin Weiss**, Old Marsh G.C., Palm Beach Gardens, Fla., 1992 (medalist)
- 142 **Kerry Postillion**, Shadow Hawk G.C., Richmond, Texas, 2005 (medalist)
- 142 **Dawn Woodard**, Old Waverly G.C., West Point, Miss., 2006 (medalist)

- 142 **Wendi Patterson-Golden**, Barton Hills C.C., Ann Arbor, Mich., 2008 (medalist)
- 142 **Dawn Woodard**, Briggs Ranch G.C., San Antonio, Texas, 2012 (medalist)
- 142 **Margaret Shirley**, Harbour Trees G.C., Noblesville, Ind., 2014 (medalist)
- 142 **Katie Miller**, Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas, 2017 (co-medalist)
- 142 **Lauren Greenlief**, Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas, 2017 (co-medalist)
- 142 **Marissa Mar**, Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas, 2017 (co-medalist)
- 143 **Andrea Dornin**, Desert Highlands G.C., Scottsdale, Ariz., 1991 (medalist)
- 143 **Leslie Shannon**, Old March G.C., Palm Beach Gardens, Fla., 1992
- 143 **Kerry Postillion**, Atlantic City C.C., Northfield, N.J., 1997 (medalist)
- 143 **Brenda Corrie Kuehn**, Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas, 1998
- 143 **Kathy Hartwiger**, Barton Hills G.C., Ann Arbor, Mich., 2008
- 143 **Julia Potter**, Biltmore Forest C.C., Asheville, N.C., 2013 (medalist)
- 143 **Shannon Johnson**, Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas, 2017
- 143 **Kathy Kurata**, Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas, 2017

Most Times Medalist

- 4 **Ellen Port** (2000, 2001, 2002, 2010)

Miscellaneous

Sisters in Match

- 1994 **Page Marsh Lea** defeated her sister **Amber Marsh**, 2 and 1, in the second round at Tacoma (Wash.) G. & C.C.
- 1995 **Page Marsh Lea** defeated her sister **Amber Marsh**, 3 and 1, in the first round at Essex County Club, Manchester-by-the-Sea, Mass.

Recent Holes-in-One (7)

- Kathleen Prieve**, second round, stroke play, 7th hole (with 6-iron), Eugene C.C., Eugene, Ore., 2002
- Marilyn Hardy**, first round, stroke play, 13th hole (with pitching wedge), Long Cove Club, Hilton Head, S.C., 2003
- Tobi Probst**, first round, stroke play, 8th hole (with 6-iron), Long Cove Club, Hilton Head, S.C., 2003
- Stacy Dennis**, first round, stroke play, 9th hole (with 7-iron), Biltmore Forest C.C., Asheville, N.C., 2013
- Marilyn Hardy**, first round, match play, 9th hole (with 6-iron), Biltmore Forest C.C., Asheville, N.C., 2013
- Julie Streng**, first round, match play, 9th hole (with 6-iron), Biltmore Forest C.C., Asheville, N.C., 2013
- Tara Joy-Connelly**, second round, stroke play, 12th hole (with 4-hybrid), Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas, 2017