

## Ninth USGA Women's State Team Championship Results

October 4-6, 2011

The Landings Club (Palmetto Course), Savannah, Ga.

Par. 36-36-72 • Yardage: 6,067 • Entries: 51

Position		Rd. 1	Rd. 2	Rd. 3	Total
1	<b>GEORGIA</b> .....	<b>153</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>448</b>
	Rachel Dai, Suwanee .....	75	67	72	214
	Laura Coble, Augusta .....	78	79	77	234
	Amira Alexander, Alpharetta .....	80	80	79	239
T2	<b>TENNESSEE</b> .....	<b>149</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>450</b>
	Calle Nielson, Nashville .....	69	74	72	215
	Jennifer Lucas, Knoxville .....	80	75	80	235
	Maggie Scott, Charleston .....	84	89	87	260
	<b>TEXAS</b> .....	<b>146</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>450</b>
	Anna Schultz, Rockwall .....	72	75	80	227
	Mina Hardin, Fort Worth .....	79	76	73	228
	Robin Burke, Houston .....	74	79	84	237
4	<b>MARYLAND</b> .....	<b>143</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>451</b>
	Elyse Smidinger, Crofton .....	68	72	79	219
	Andrea Kraus, Baltimore .....	78	83	76	237
	Lisa Schlesinger, Laytonsville .....	75	81	86	242
5	<b>MISSISSIPPI</b> .....	<b>154</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>456</b>
	Virginia Grimes, Meridian .....	73	72	76	221
	Cissy Gallagher, Greenwood .....	81	78	79	238
	Renee Chastain, Brandon .....	84	86	76	246
6	<b>FLORIDA</b> .....	<b>155</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>458</b>
	Tovie St. Louis, West Palm Beach .....	78	78	74	230
	Meghan Stasi, Oakland Park .....	81	78	73	232
	Wendi Golden, Bradenton .....	77	80	81	238
7	<b>NEW JERSEY</b> .....	<b>155</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>461</b>
	Kuriko Tsukiyama, West New York .....	78	76	74	228
	Cindy Ha, Demarest .....	77	72	84	233
	Scotland Preston, Mountainside .....	80	83	84	247
8	<b>HAWAII</b> .....	<b>153</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>466</b>
	Ciera Min, Hilo .....	75	76	78	229
	Hana Furuichi, Honolulu .....	78	77	82	237
	Allisen Corpuz, Honolulu .....	78	78	NC	NC
T9	<b>MINNESOTA</b> .....	<b>160</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>467</b>
	Leigh Klasse, St. Anthony .....	86	72	77	235
	Olivia Lansing, St. Paul .....	78	81	77	236
	Kristen Wagner, Minneapolis .....	82	85	80	247
	<b>NEW YORK</b> .....	<b>162</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>467</b>
	Annie Park, Levittown .....	74	76	71	221
	Danielle Fuss, Rochester .....	88	78	80	246
	Teresa Cleland, Syracuse .....	90	83	81	254

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T11	<b>SOUTH CAROLINA</b> .....	149	159	160	468	
	Dawn Woodard, Greer .....	73	77	76	226	
	Lea Venable, Simpsonville .....	76	85	85	246	
	Lea Anne Brown, Mt. Pleasant .....	87	82	84	253	
	<b>CALIFORNIA</b> .....	155	153	160	468	
	Lynne Cowan, Davis .....	74	80	81	235	
	Joan Higgins, Glendora .....	81	78	79	238	
	Sharon Park, Irvine .....	81	75	83	239	
13	<b>ARIZONA</b> .....	156	157	157	470	
	Thuhashini Selvaratnam, Tempe .....	80	78	78	236	
	Mikayla Harmon, Gilbert .....	77	81	79	237	
	Kimberly Eaton, Tempe .....	79	79	90	248	
	T14	<b>NORTH CAROLINA</b> .....	158	160	153	471
		Pat Brogden, Garner .....	76	80	72	228
Patty Moore, Charlotte .....		83	80	81	244	
Debbie Adams, Asheville .....		82	82	81	245	
	<b>CONNECTICUT</b> .....	159	156	156	471	
	Mia Landegren, Bridgewater .....	76	79	75	230	
	Ellie Dutch, Moodus .....	83	77	81	241	
	Debbie Johnson, Stamford .....	95	81	87	263	
16	<b>OREGON</b> .....	163	154	155	472	
	Brie Stone, Veneta .....	80	77	79	236	
	Lara Tennant, Portland .....	84	77	76	237	
	Monica Vaughn, Reedsport .....	83	78	82	243	
17	<b>OKLAHOMA</b> .....	164	146	163	473	
	Ellen Mueller, Bartlesville .....	77	73	79	229	
	Kathy West, Tulsa .....	88	73	84	245	
	Leigh Ann Fore, Tulsa .....	87	89	85	261	
T18	<b>PENNSYLVANIA</b> .....	157	159	158	474	
	Noreen Mohler, Bethlehem .....	80	76	72	228	
	Alexandra Frazier, West Conshohocken .....	77	83	89	249	
	Lisa McGill, Philadelphia .....	82	83	86	251	
	<b>KANSAS</b> .....	165	155	154	474	
	Lacy Shelton, Overland Park .....	85	78	73	236	
	Shelly McCalla, Topeka .....	81	77	85	243	
	Alex Beury, Benton .....	84	92	81	257	
20	<b>PUERTO RICO</b> .....	156	157	162	475	
	Maria Torres, San Juan .....	72	78	76	226	
	Paola Robles, Aguadilla .....	84	79	86	249	
	Rebekah Alfond, Dorado .....	93	97	103	293	
21	<b>ALABAMA</b> .....	157	162	158	477	
	Suzanne Stanley, Decatur .....	75	82	79	236	
	Linda Jeffery, Millbrook .....	82	81	83	246	
	Gabi Oubre, Mobile .....	87	81	79	247	
22	<b>SOUTH DAKOTA</b> .....	163	156	159	478	
	Julie Jansa, Sioux Falls .....	80	80	79	239	
	Maggie Murphy, Sioux Falls .....	83	76	84	243	
	Karla Murra, Sioux Falls .....	85	80	80	245	

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23	<b>MASSACHUSETTS</b> .....	<b>159</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>480</b>
	Tara Joy-Connelly, Pembroke .....	77	82	78	237
	Pam Kuong, Wellesley .....	82	79	82	243
	Kristen MacDonald, Billerica .....	83	83	82	248
24	<b>WISCONSIN</b> .....	<b>155</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>481</b>
	Maggie Leef, Brookfield .....	75	78	82	235
	Rheba Mabie, Wausau .....	80	81	85	246
	Katie Falk, Milwaukee .....	86	87	88	261
25	<b>INDIANA</b> .....	<b>166</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>484</b>
	Kristi Trotter, Greenwood .....	83	81	77	241
	Julie Carmichael, Indianapolis .....	88	81	79	248
	Nina Whalen, Indianapolis .....	83	96	89	268
T26	<b>MICHIGAN</b> .....	<b>169</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>485</b>
	Stacy Slobodnik-Stoill, Haslett .....	83	77	77	237
	Natalie Brehm, Mt. Pleasant .....	86	83	82	251
	Kim Kester, Ada .....	90	80	86	256
	<b>WASHINGTON</b> .....	<b>154</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>485</b>
	Leslie Folsom, Seattle .....	76	80	86	242
28	<b>KENTUCKY</b> .....	<b>159</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>487</b>
	Beverly Games, Elizabethtown .....	81	80	82	243
	Laura Patrick, Russell .....	78	87	81	246
	Martha Leach, Hebron .....	81	85	82	248
29	<b>COLORADO</b> .....	<b>167</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>489</b>
	Allie Johnston, Castle Rock .....	83	76	79	238
	Mary Doyen, Denver .....	84	85	85	254
	Laurie Steenrod, Aurora .....	86	82	90	258
T30	<b>LOUISIANA</b> .....	<b>160</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>492</b>
	Kay Daniel, Covington .....	78	82	83	243
	Julie Harrison, Baton Rouge .....	84	81	86	251
	Elise Bradley, Mandeville .....	82	88	86	256
	<b>UTAH</b> .....	<b>158</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>492</b>
	Julie McMullin, Park City .....	80	83	83	246
32	<b>IOWA</b> .....	<b>166</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>496</b>
	Lisa Meshke, West Des Moines .....	81	80	78	239
	Jenny Graeser, Cedar Falls .....	85	87	88	260
	Julie Bush, Cedar Rapids .....	88	84	90	262
33	<b>NEBRASKA</b> .....	<b>167</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>499</b>
	J.C. Weaver, Grand Island .....	81	81	82	244
	Susan Marchese, Omaha .....	86	82	87	255
	Jane Pohman, Omaha .....	92	92	93	277
34	<b>OHIO</b> .....	<b>158</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>501</b>
	Suzi Spotleson, Canton .....	74	87	74	235
	Cathy Jefferson, Centerville .....	87	89	93	269
	Lynn Thompson, Cincinnati .....	84	91	94	269

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35	<b>NEW MEXICO</b> .....	<b>163</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>502</b>
	Shania Berger, Socorro .....	81	84	84	249
	Lara Davis, Albuquerque .....	82	79	95	256
	Nancy Romero, Albuquerque .....	96	85	92	273
36	<b>ILLINOIS</b> .....	<b>165</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>503</b>
	Tanya Olson, Naperville .....	82	81	90	253
	Char McLearn, McHenry .....	88	88	81	257
	Laura Carson, Lake Bluff .....	83	86	90	259
37	<b>IDAHO</b> .....	<b>171</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>506</b>
	Kareen Markle Meridian .....	82	87	81	250
	Karen Darrington Boise .....	89	91	82	262
	Shawna Ianson, Boise .....	98	85	92	275
38	<b>VIRGINIA</b> .....	<b>162</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>507</b>
	Mimi Hoffman, Springfield .....	82	83	87	252
	Shelley Savage, Alexandria .....	80	88	87	255
	Boodie McGurn, Richmond .....	87	88	91	266
39	<b>NEVADA</b> .....	<b>167</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>513</b>
	Lisa Stanley, Reno .....	84	85	86	255
	Robin McNesby, Henderson .....	87	87	88	262
	Karen Hoppe, Carson City .....	83	92	89	264
40	<b>MAINE</b> .....	<b>168</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>516</b>
	Emily Bouchard, Saco .....	79	84	83	246
	Mary Brandes, Falmouth .....	89	88	93	270
	Laurie Hyndman, Cumberland .....	96	93	100	289
41	<b>ARKANSAS</b> .....	<b>174</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>517</b>
	Tanna Richard, Fort Smith .....	86	86	86	258
	Brenda Carr, Bentonville .....	93	84	87	264
	Rosetta Parks, Lowell .....	88	100	90	278
T42	<b>WYOMING</b> .....	<b>173</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>518</b>
	Miranda Bandemer, Laramie .....	89	86	88	263
	Sarah Bowman, Parkman .....	84	89	85	258
	Mary Smith, Sheridan .....	94	86	95	275
	<b>WEST VIRGINIA</b> .....	<b>177</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>518</b>
	Kimberly Eaton, Shepherdstown .....	86	89	85	260
	Caroline Ramsey, Bridgeport .....	91	85	88	264
	Nicolle Flood-Sawczyn, Morgantown .....	94	91	82	267
44	<b>DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA</b> .....	<b>173</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>519</b>
	Maggie Brady, Washington .....	88	90	85	263
	Shelley Gaffin, Washington .....	85	92	87	264
	Deborah Klein, Washington .....	93	85	86	264
45	<b>DELAWARE</b> .....	<b>175</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>529</b>
	Sandy Scitti, Selbyville .....	89	87	87	263
	Angie Whitley Coleman, New Castle .....	86	93	91	270
	Carolyn R. Henry, Middletown .....	99	89	95	283
46	<b>RHODE ISLAND</b> .....	<b>181</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>540</b>
	Judy Davis, Rumford .....	89	88	94	271
	Marisa White, Wakefield .....	92	89	93	274
	Kibbe Reilly, Providence .....	98	90	89	277



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T47	<b>MISSOURI</b> .....	<b>183</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>541</b>
	Stephany Powell, Springfield .....	88	95	87	270
	Barbara Blankenship, Centertown .....	95	88	101	284
	Janis Clemens, Sedalia .....	104	88	95	287
	<b>VERMONT</b> .....	<b>179</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>541</b>
	Holly Reynolds, Morrisville .....	86	78	91	255
49	<b>MONTANA</b> .....	<b>180</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>550</b>
	Sue Peterson, Glendive .....	85	89	89	263
	Sue Matson, Laurel .....	95	94	98	287
	Sabie Hamilton, Colstrip .....	99	97	107	303
	<b>ALASKA</b> .....	<b>187</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>555</b>
	Terri McAngus, Eagle River .....	90	86	81	257
50	Jamie Berge, Anchorage .....	97	100	101	298
	Susan Gatewood, Anchorage .....	117	102	104	323
	<b>NORTH DAKOTA</b> .....	<b>198</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>590</b>
	Theresa Burns, Bismarck .....	102	98	87	287
51	Mary Adams, Grand Forks .....	97	106	101	304
	Sharon Lipsh, Grafton .....	101	108	109	318

## Championship History

The USGA Women's State Team Championship, in 1995, like the men's version, grew out of the celebration of the Association's Centennial and was fashioned after the biennial World Amateur Team Championship.

Each state was invited to send its three best players, and 43 states sent women's teams to compete for the new title at the Lake Buena Vista (Fla.) Club. State associations were given the option to choose their teams by any method, with one restriction: college players were ineligible because of NCAA bylaws. The NCAA rule states that a player may only play in an international team match when that team is sponsored by the national governing body, such as the Curtis Cup, or the Women's World Amateur Team Championship. Any infraction of that rule means the college player is faced with being declared ineligible for the remainder of the season and the following season.

As a result, the field for the Women's State Team Championship was made up almost entirely of mid-amateur and senior players. Some states used a point system to select the three-woman team. Others used the top finishers in their state championships or conducted qualifying tournaments. A few states employed a selection committee to determine team members.

Just as in the Women's World Amateur Team Championship, the Women's State Team Championship format meant that only the best two scores of each state's three players were counted on each of three days.

The winning team in the inaugural championship was from Pennsylvania and was made up of Liz Haines, of Gladwyne, Judy Oliver, of Sewickley, and Carol Sempie Thompson, also of Sewickley. Oliver and Thompson have both played for the United States of America in the Curtis Cup Match. The competition was close, as Pennsylvania's score of 442 edged the Texas team by only one stroke.

While no individual prizes were awarded, Toni Wiesner, of Fort Worth, Texas, and Lancy Smith, of Snyder, N.Y., recorded the lowest individual scores. Each scored 219 for 54 holes, three over par.

The first Women's State Team Championship proved to be such a popular competition that the decision was made to conduct the championship every two years.