### 28th U.S. Women's Amateur Public Links Championship

**Par:** 36-36-72  
**Yardage:** 6,159  
**Entries:** 753

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#### 1st Round 
**Friday, June 24**

- **50-65** Brittany Lang, McKinney, Texas  
- **56-73** Amber Jean Knaus, Koozlini Lake, Ind.  
- **73-75** Jenny Su, Fairfax, Va.  
- **74-73** Mine Harigae, Monterey, Calif.  
- **73-71** Angela Barrett, York, S.C.  
- **74-74** Janice Dyer, Starkville, Miss.  
- **71-73** Kari Stordahl, Prior Lake, Minn.  
- **72-76** Laura Daughton, Suffolk, Va.  
- **69-72** Caroling Choo, San Juan Capistrano, Calif.  
- **77-72** Erika Batzo, Columbus, S.C.  
- **70-75** Heaneho Lee, Los Angeles, Calif.  
- **72-76** Maria Galligano, Buenos Aires, Argentina  
- **71-70** In-Bee Park, Besse, N.Y.  
- **75-74** Tiffany Toomey, Gilbert, Ariz.  
- **70-75** Hoi Seng Kanho, Hong Kong, P.R. of China  
- **73-75** Leah Wise, Lehigh, Hawaii  
- **69-70** Stephanie Kong, Honolulu, Hawaii  
- **74-75** Stephanie Sopias, Houston, Texas  
- **72-74** Mayumi Miyama, Upland, Calif.  
- **73-74** Hannah Jen, San Diego, Calif.  
- **74-69** Ko-Chien Yeh, Taipei, Chinese Taipei  
- **73-75** Nialaeb Rambos, Aguascalientes, Mexico  
- **72-72** Tiffany Lu, Rowland Heights, Calif.  
- **72-76** Karla Kellie, Brush Prairie, Wash.  
- **70-70** Yin-Tsoeg, Taizhou, Chinese Taipei  
- **76-73** Megan Godfrey, Homewood, Ill.  
- **71-75** Ashley Leonard, Rocky Mount, N.C.  
- **77-70** Kelly Jacques, Longmont, Colo.  
- **71-72** Ashley Grid, Homestead, Md.  
- **74-76** Wendie Lom, San Francisco, Calif.  
- **70-76** Juuyoung Yang, Seoul, Korea  
- **75-73** Sara Brown, Tucson, Ariz.

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#### 2nd Round 
**Friday, June 28**

- **Lang** 5 and 4  
- **Su** 3 and 2  
- **Dyer** 2 and 1  
- **Doughtie** 6 and 5  
- **C. Chi** 4 and 2  
- **H. Lee** 4 and 3  
- **H. Lee** 21 holes  
- **L. Park** 1 up  
- **Wise** 4 and 3  
- **Kono** 3 and 2  
- **Jen** 5 and 3  
- **Jen** 2 and 1  
- **Jen** 2 and 1  
- **Yeh** 2 and 1  
- **Yeh** 2 and 1  
- **Kallan** 5 and 4  
- **Tseng** 7 and 6  
- **Tseng** 7 and 6  
- **Jacques** 4 and 2  
- **Jacques** 1 up  
- **Giler** 2 and 1  
- **Giler** 3 and 2  
- **Brown** 4 and 3

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#### Quaterfinals 
**Saturday, June 26**

- **Tseng** 22 holes

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#### Semifinal Round 
**Saturday, June 26**

- **Lang** 3 and 2

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#### Final 
Sunday, June 27

- **Ya-Ni Tseng**
  - Def.
- **Michelle Wie**, 1 up
### Complete Stroke-Play Results

| 135 | Brittany Lang, McKinney, Texas, 70-65 |
| 137 | Jessica Pearson, Winnetonka, Ill., 71-66 |
| 138 | Courtney Mahon, Tepakua, Kau., 70-68 |
| 140 | Ya-Ming Tseng, Taipei, Chinese Taipei, 70-70 |
| 141 | Carling Cho, San Juan Capistrano, Calif., 69-72; In-Bee Park, Eustis, Fla., 71-70; Angela Park, Torrance, Calif., 74-67; Michelle Wo, Honolulu, Hawaii, 70-71 |
| 142 | Jamie Park, Rancho Cucamonga, Calif., 70-72 |
| 143 | Kwan-Chih Lu, Taipei, Chinese Taipei, 73-70; Katie Kimney, Jacksonvile Beach, Fla., 74-65; Ko Chien Yeh, Taipei, Chinese Taipei, 74-69; Gabby Wedding, Wilmington, Ohio, 71-72; Ashley Grier, Hagerstown, Md., 71-72 |
| 144 | Sharmeen Ogg, Charlotte, N.C., 74-70; Tiffany Lua, Rowland Heights, Calif., 72-72; Taylor Bennett, York, S.C., 73-71; Kaye Stendahl, Pitzer Lake, Minn., 73-73; Kwan-Pi Chen, Taipei, Chinese Taipei, 74-70 |
| 145 | Sang Lee, Incunca, Venice, Fla., 72-74; Kristen Campos, Mesa, Ariz., 73-72; Hoi Ning Eva Yee, Hong Kong, People's Rep. of China, 70-75; Hwee Sian Lim, Los Angeles, Calif., 70-75; Melissa Martin, Altamonte, Calif., 75-70; Jooyoung Yang, Seoul, Korea, 70-75 |
| 146 | Christine Yang, Bridgerton, Pa., 72-74; Shannon Johnson, Sierra Falls, S.D., 71-79; Jenny Sui, Fairfax, Va., 73-75; Ashley Leonard, Rocky Mount, N.C., 71-75; Selaina Henderson, Apple Valley, Calif., 76-70; Meyumi Matoyama, Littleton, Colo., 72-74 |

| 147 | Hannah Jun, San Diego, Calif., 73-74; Kiley Jacques, Longmont, Colo., 77-70; Lauren Hunt, Little River, S.C., 76-71; Leigh Masso, St. Thomas, Minn., 75-72; Uma Nath, Monterey, Calif., 74-73; Laura Crawford, Lancaster, S.C., 72-75; Sara Shin, Chuluota, Fla., 71-76 |
| 148 | Lauren Doughtie, Suffoik, Va., 72-76; Janet Dyer, Silverville, Miss., 74-74; Violeta Petremone, Aguaclara, Mexico, 73-75; Notiko Nakazaki, Honomu Park, Ill., 74-74; Tiffany Chudy, Miramar, Fla., 75-73; Wanda Liebig, San Francisco, Calif., 74-74; Marie Galloges, Buenos Aires, Argentina, 72-76; Leanne Wou, Honolulu, Hawaii, 73-75; Karla Kallan, Brooksville, Wash., 72-76; Kari Lee, Paramus, N.J., 77-71; Lisa Melsen, Bloomington, Minn., 74-74; Anna Cio, Ul-San, Korea, 77-72; Sara Brown, Tuscan, Ariz., 75-73 | 149 | Erena Kunsoka, Redondo Beach, Calif., 75-73 |
| 150 | Kansas Gooden, Huntsburng, Va., 75-74; Megan Goedhey, Homewood, Ill., 76-73; Amber Joan Kus, Koons Lake, Ind., 76-73; Stephanie Gordan, Houston, Texas, 74-75; Beretta Broderick, Richmond, Mo., 73-76; Silka Battle, Columbia, S.C., 77-72; Brooke Goodwin, Fuyuga-Vanina, N.C., 75-71; Nicole Hage, Korel Springs, Ariz., 74-75; Masahiro Kline, Encinitas, Calif., 76-73; Hose-Ching Lu, Taipei, Chinese Taipei, 74-75; Tiffany Taylor, Albert, Ariz., 75-74 |

### Failed to Qualify

| 135 | Amanda Wilson, Hilo, Hawaii, 78-72; Beth Allen, San Diego, Calif., 78-72; Megan Stodder, Sacramento, Calif., 78-74; Hagen Weiracba, Pambroke Pines, Fla., 75-75; Brittney LinCoone, Seminole, Fla., 74-76; Tarah McNaughton, Brownston, Pa., 74-76; Amanda Gaudin, Claremore, Okla., 77-73; Christine Hentschel, Las Vegas, Nev., 75-75; Ashley Sholes, Hamilton, Ont., Canada, 74-76 |
| 151 | Jenna Dor, Lima, Ohio, 78-74; Mary Carter, Medio City, Mexico, 80-76; Amanda Maahs, Picayune, Miss., 75-76 |
| 152 | Allison Stewart, Verminion, S.D., 77-76; Angela Daykin, Thunder Bay, Ont., Canada, 73-78; Whitney Usoro, Hilo, Hawaii, 75-77; Leanne Ownes, Coosan, Iowa, 76-76; Casey Cari, Luminton, Texas, 73-75; Julia Best, Buildev, Texas, 77-76; Annie Schuessler, Las Vegas, Nev., 73-73; Kelly Scheub, Guilder, Colo., 76-77 |
| 153 | Kali Quick, Nanua, Idaho, 76-75; Lacey Jones, Inidel, Okla., 78-75; Laura Mengelige, Dover, Pa., 76-79; Miki Uchko, Uiloe, Hawaii, 80-70; Kathryn Dellefsean, Eagan, Minn., 74-79 |
| 154 | Caroline Kin, Port Coquitlam, B.C., Canada, 78-76; Kelly Husted, Stanford, Calif., 81-73; Keaton Kennedy, Silver City, N.M., 80-74; Julia Hutt, Passadomo, Md., 78-74; Kylee Pulley, Kokoona, Ind., 78-75; Alysson Hatcher, Wheeling, W.Va., 77-75; Morgan O'Shan, Carmel, Ind., 78-78 |
| 155 | Lesley Stracks, Washington, D.C., 78-77; Elizabeth Schrots, Lockport, Ill., 80-75; Cheryl Jones, Phoenix, Ariz., 79-76 | 156 | Lynsey Myers, Ogden, Utah, 81-75; Maggie Farganes, Mocater, Calif., 77-79; Sarah Tiller, Nampa, Idaho, 80-76; Yorone Cho, Temple City, Calif., 78-78; Bidet Emanou, Alamosa, Colo., 79-77; Katie Myers, Faribault, Minn., 73-81 |
| 157 | Jereje Wells, Bemid Park, Pa., 77-80; Emily Hendricks, Pawsweke, WIs., 73-84; Maggie Leof, Bridewell, Wis., 73-84 | 159 | Heidi Lone, Kien Smyrna Beach, Fla., 77-82 |
| 160 | Stacey Windus, Woodbury, Minn., 77-83; Darla Cummings, Monroe, Conn., 75-84; Crystal Marks, Chillicothe, La., 77-85; Ashley Anest, Littolon, Colo., 81-79 |
| 161 | Maggie Ward, Rochester, N.Y., 78-83; Jessica Smith, LaValle, Ky., 82-79; Kelly Bouchard, Grand Rapid, Mich., 80-81 |

| 162 | Jennifer Ackerson, Allen, Texas, 80-83; Nancy Kornari, Austin, Texas, 82-81; Devon Neveil, Helena, Mont., 83-80; Josey Edwards, Willard, Mo., 86-76 |
| 164 | Kelli Nelson, Pahetan, Hawaii, 82-81; Whitney Walpo, Hatfied, Mass., 82-82; Lisa Kramer, Prairie Village, Kan., 87-84; Heidi Kin, Sandy, Utah, 85-84; Shimer Warrin, Lomia, Mich., 88-84; Sandy Young, Ovington, Md., 86-86 |
| 166 | Cynthia Bowler, Stewartstown, Pa., 82-83; Pana Young, Wesley Chapel, Fla., 84-81 | 167 | Stefanie Aiston, Saguas, Calif., 89-77 |
| 168 | Billthay Hayes, Bozoian, Mont., 86-81 | 169 | Rachel Thomas, Lomia, Mich., 86-87 |
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 this, 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. Secondly, 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 at Yahara Hills Golf Course (East 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. Fuikis 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. Miss 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 Parr, Danielle Ammaccapane, Cindy Schreyer, Tracy Kerdyk, Pearl Sinn, Tracy Hanson, Amy Fruhwirth, Jill McGill, Jo Jo Robertson and Michelle Wie, 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.

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.