

54th U.S. Girls' Junior Championship

Qual. Score 1st Round Wednesday, July 24 2nd Round Wednesday, July 24 3rd Round Thursday, July 25 Quarterfinal Round Thursday, July 25 Semifinal Round Friday, July 26

(70-71) In-Bee Park, Seoul, Korea

(77-84) Sara Brown, Tucson, Ariz.

(82-74) Amanda McConnell, Grand Blanc, Mich.

(82-75) Laura Caniff, Russell, Ky.

(77-75) Heather Wright, Houston, Texas

(75-85) Courtney McCracken, Eagle, Idaho

(76-77) Stephanie Connelly, Pasadena, Md.

(79-80) Amanda Wilson, Hilo, Hawaii

(75-76) Minnie Choi, Fountain Valley, Calif.

(83-77) Jean Reynolds, Newnan, Ga.

(77-77) Mallorie Underwood, Montgomery, Texas

(80-78) Jennie Lee, Seoul, Korea

(74-77) Mallory Code, Tampa, Fla.

(83-77) Katherine Hoey, Rancho Cucamonga, Calif.

(79-75) Christie Reed, Coral Springs, Fla.

(81-77) Cindy Shin, Seoul, Korea

(74-74) Taylor Leon, Dallas, Texas

(81-80) Theresa Paik, Silver Springs, Md.

(76-79) Julieta Granada, Asunción, Paraguay

(77-80) Kimberly McCready, Placerville, Calif.

(78-74) Kim Shin, Shoreline, Wash.

(83-77) Michelle Wie, Honolulu, Hawaii

(77-76) Ashley Knoll, The Woodlands, Texas

(78-81) Kira-Ann Murashige, Hilo, Hawaii

(75-75) Paula Creamer, Pleasanton, Calif.

(78-83) Jillian Ferrante, Battle Ground, Wash.

(77-80) Ashley Rollins, Austin, Texas

(77-78) Blair Lamb, Flat Rock, N.C.

(75-77) Lorraine Ballerano, Myrtle Beach, S.C.

(82-78) C.J. Kim, Seoul, Korea

(78-75) Hannah Jun, San Diego, Calif.

(83-76) Jenny Suh, Fairfax, Va.

I. Park

7 and 5

Caniff

7 and 6

Wright

20 holes

Connelly

1 up

Reynolds

2 and 1

Underwood

2 and 1

Code

4 and 3

Reed

3 and 2

Leon

3 and 2

Granada

20 holes

K. Shin

19 holes

Knoll

4 and 3

Creamer

2 and 1

Rollins

4 and 2

C.J. Kim

19 holes

Jun

4 and 3

Jun

4 and 3

I. Park

4 and 3

Connelly

3 and 2

Reynolds

2 and 1

Code

2 and 1

Granada

3 and 2

Knoll

5 and 3

Creamer

5 and 3

Jun

4 and 3

I. Park

1 up

I. Park

22 holes

Reynolds

1 up

I. Park

20 holes

Jun

5 and 3

Jun

1 up

Par: 36-37-73

Yardage: 6,353

Entries: 870

FINAL
Saturday, July 27
In-Bee Park
def.
Jenni Tangtiphaiboonchai
4 and 3

July 22-27, 2002, Echo Lake Country Club, Westfield, N.J.

Semifinal Round Friday, July 26	Quarterfinal Round Thursday, July 25	3rd Round Thursday, July 25	2nd Round Wednesday, July 24	1st Round Wednesday, July 24	Qual. Score
				Catalina Marin, Bucaramanga, Colombia (74-72)	
			Martin 6 and 5	Astrid Gulesserian, Buenos Aires, Argentina (82-79)	
		Martin 1 up	Martin 4 and 3	Allison Martin, Bakersfield, Calif. (77-79)	
				Eleanor Tucker, Wilson, N.C. (81-76)	
	Martin 20 holes			Brittany Lincicome, Seminole, Fla. (75-77)	
		Lincicome 2 and 1	Lincicome 6 and 4	Songyi Yi, Kang Joo, Korea (80-80)	
			Vargas 6 and 4	Eileen Vargas, Ibagu�, Colombia (76-77)	
				Sydney Burfison, Salinas, Calif. (79-80)	
	Martin 1 up			Morgan Pressel, Boca Raton, Fla. (78-73)	
			Pressel 4 and 3	Carling Coffing, Middletown, Ohio (81-79)	
		Pressel 7 and 6	Leonard 8 and 6	Elyn Leonard, Zionsville, Ind. (79-76)	
				Jacqueline Concolino, Orlando, Fla. (75-83)	
	J. Park 21 holes		J. Park 3 and 2	Jane Park, Beaumont, Calif. (76-75)	
				Alejandra Diaz, Guadalajara, Mexico (78-82)	
		J. Park 21 holes	Lang 6 and 4	Brittany Lang, McKinney, Texas (75-79)	
				Anna Grzebien, Narragansett, R.I. (79-80)	
				Irene Cho, La Habra, Calif. (77-69)	
			Cochran 19 holes	Amie Cochran, Torrance, Calif. (78-83)	
		Cochran 3 and 2	A. Kim 4 and 3	Alejandra Llaneza, Mexico City, Mexico (77-78)	
				Alice Kim, Los Angeles, Calif. (81-76)	
		Cochran 1 up		Nicole Hage, Coral Springs, Fla. (79-73)	
			Hage 5 and 4	Tiffany Joh, San Diego, Calif. (79-81)	
		E. Park 6 and 4		Eom Ji Park, Seoul, Korea (79-74)	
			E. Park 3 and 1	Margaret Shirley, Roswell, Ga. (80-79)	
				Chris Brady, Apex, N.C. (73-77)	
			Brady 1 up	Mandy Goins, Frankfort, Ky. (84-77)	
		Brady 5 and 3	Blumenherst 2 up	Amanda Blumenherst, Ft. Wayne, Ind. (79-76)	
				Sukjin-Lee Wuesthoff, Incheon City, Korea (83-75)	
				Jennifer Tangiphalboontana, Long Beach, Calif. (76-76)	
			Tangiphalboontana 3 and 2	Jennifer Hong, Windermere, Ind. (79-81)	
		Tangiphalboontana 19 holes		Tiffany Tavee, Gilbert, Ariz. (78-76)	
			Tavee 2 up	Amber Prange, Noblesville, Ind. (78-81)	
Tangiphalboontana 2 and 1					

Girls Jr.

Complete Stroke Play Results

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| <p>141 In-Bee Park, Eustis, Fla., 70-71</p> <p>146 Catalina Marin, Colombia, 74-72; Irene Cho, La Habra, Calif., 77-69</p> <p>148 Taylor Leon, Dallas, Texas, 74-74</p> <p>150 Chris Brady, Apex, N.C., 73-77; Paula Creamer, Pleasanton, Calif., 75-75</p> <p>151 Jane Park, Oak Valley, Calif., 76-75; Minnie Choi, Fountain Valley, Calif., 75-76; Morgan Pressel, Boca Raton, Fla., 78-73; Mallory Code, Tampa, Fla., 74-77</p> <p>152 J Tangiphaibootana, Long Beach, Calif., 76-76; Nicole Hage, Coral Springs, Fla., 79-73; Lorraine Ballerano, Myrtle Beach, S.C., 75-77; Brittany Lincicome, Seminole, Fla., 75-77; Heather Wright, Houston, Texas, 77-75; Kim Shin, Shoreline, Wash., 78-74</p> <p>153 Eom Ji Park, Canada, 79-74; Hannah Jun, San Diego, Calif., 78-75; Ashley Knoll, The Woodlands, Texas, 77-76; Eileen Vargas, Colombia, 76-77; Stephanie Connelly, Pasadena, Md., 76-77</p> <p>154 Tiffany Tavee, Gilbert, Ariz., 78-76; Christie Reed, Coral Springs, Fla., 79-75; Brittany Lang, McKinney, Texas, 75-79; Mallorie Underwood, Montgomery, Texas, 77-77</p> <p>155 Amanda Blumenherst, Fort Wayne, Ind., 79-76; Blair Lamb, Flat Rock, N.C., 77-78; Alejandra Lianeza, Mexico, 77-78; Julieta Granada, Paraguay, 76-79; Elyn Leonard, Zionsville, Ind., 79-76</p> | <p>156 Amanda McConnell, Grand Blanc, Mich., 82-74; Allison Martin, Bakersfield, Calif., 77-79</p> <p>157 Laura Caniff, Russell, Ky., 82-75; Alice Kim, Los Angeles, Calif., 81-76; Eleanor Tucker, Wilson, N.C., 81-76; Ashley Rollins, Austin, Texas, 77-80; Kimberly McCready, Placerville, Calif., 77-80</p> <p>158 Sukjin-Lee Wuesthoff, Toms River, N.J., 83-75; Jennie Lee, Huntington Beach, Calif., 80-78; Jacqueline Concolino, Orlando, Fla., 75-83; Cindy Shin, Coppell, Texas, 81-77</p> <p>159 Amanda Wilson, Hilo, Hawaii, 79-80; Anna Grzeblen, Narragansett, R.I., 79-80; Jenny Suh, Fairfax, Va., 83-76; Margaret Shidey, Roswell, Ga., 80-79; Sydney Burlison, Salinas, Calif., 79-80; Kira-Ann Murashige, Hilo, Hawaii, 78-81; Amber Prange, Noblesville, Ind., 78-81</p> <p>160 Michelle Wie, Honolulu, Hawaii, 83-77; Courtney McCracken, Eagle, Idaho, 75-85; Songyi Yi, San Diego, Calif., 80-80; Jean Reynolds, Newnan, Ga., 83-77; C.J. Kim, Diamond Bar, Calif., 82-78; Jennifer Hong, Windermere, Ind., 79-81; Alejandra Diaz, Mexico, 78-82; Carling Coffing, Middletown, Ohio, 81-79; Tiffany Joh, San Diego, Calif., 79-81; Katherine Hoey, Rancho Cucamonga, Calif., 83-77</p> <p>161 *Jillian Ferrante, Battle Ground, Wash., 78-83; *Mandy Goins, Frankfort, Ky., 84-77; *Theresa Paik, Silver Springs, Md., 81-80; *Annie Cochran, Torrance, Calif., 78-83; *Astrid Gulesserian, Argentina, 82-79; *Sara Brown, Tucson, Ariz., 77-84</p> |
| <h3>Failed to Qualify</h3> | |
| <p>161 *Stephanie Kono, Honolulu, Hawaii, 76-85; *Ki-Shui Liao, Hong Kong, China, 81-80; *Eva Hoi Ning Yoe, Hong Kong, China, 83-78; *Megan Grehan, Mamaroneck, N.Y., 78-83; *Hannah Hoch, Turlock, Calif., 80-81; *Michelle Jarman, Wilmington, N.C., 80-81</p> <p>162 Tara Chappell, Carmel, Calif., 78-84; Whitney Simons, Aiken, S.C., 82-80; Elizabeth Dotson, White Bluff, Tenn., 79-83; Jenna Winokur, Wall, N.J., 84-78</p> <p>163 Jeana Dahl, Fargo, N.D., 78-85; Laura Cross, Midlothian, Texas, 84-79; Katie Trachok, Upper St. Clair, Pa., 83-80</p> <p>164 Eloise Vicencio, Fremont, Calif., 81-83; So-Hyun Park, Seoul, Korea, 78-86; Stefanie Page, The Woodlands, Texas, 87-77; Tiffany Woods, Escondido, Calif., 80-84; Brianna Broderick, Richmond, Mo., 85-79</p> <p>165 Pamela Ontiveros, Gomez Palacio, Mexico, 84-81; Kelly Burke, Golden, Colo., 83-82; Emily Hoepfer, Kansas City, Mo., 79-86</p> <p>166 Daniela Ronderos, Bogota, Colombia, 80-86; Maggie Noel, Houston, Texas, 82-84; Jessica Shin, Mahkato, Minn., 86-80; Brittany Willborg, Waconia, Minn., 83-83; Brooke Todare, Paradise Valley, Ariz., 80-86; Jane Lee, Rancho Palos Verdes, Calif., 79-87; Kathryn Tewell, Greenwood, Ind., 84-82</p> <p>167 Jessica Huss, Atascadero, Calif., 81-86; Seema Sadekar, Toronto, Ont., Canada, 79-88; Christina Jones, Jensen</p> | <p>Beach, Fla., 80-87; Taylor Bunnell, Germantown, Tenn., 83-84; Samantha Milosh, Aliquippa, Pa., 83-84; Blythe Worley, Greenville, N.C., 87-80; Whitney Wade, Glasgow, Ky., 86-81; Grace Kim, Midland, Ga., 82-85</p> <p>168 Amanda Costner, Claremore, Okla., 87-81; Heather Rose, Chillicothe, Ohio, 85-83; Kelly Robb, Concord, Mass., 80-88; Julia Huh, Pasadena, Md., 84-84; Stephanie Wavro, Baytown, Texas, 84-84</p> <p>169 Joy Juskowich, Morgantown, W.Va., 85-84; Jenna Pearson, Wheaton, Ill., 85-84; Haley Brown, Austin, Texas, 88-81; Tamara Campbell, Lawton, Okla., 85-84; Mayule Tomimbang, Manila, Philippines, 87-82; Lindsay Anderson, El Paso, Texas, 82-87; Esther Choe, La Quinta, Calif., 84-85; Carly Hunt, Berwyn, Pa., 79-90</p> <p>170 Samantha Trask, Napa, Calif., 84-86; Rachel Schwartz, San Jose, Calif., 83-87; Taylor Siebert, Selma, Calif., 85-85; Tia Gannon, Hilton Head Island, S.C., 87-83; Jessica Hauser, Germantown, N.C., 86-84; Lisa Kajihara, Makawao, Hawaii, 86-84; Madeleine Lovette, Johnstown, Pa., 85-85; Jui Wightman, Chicopee, Mass., 84-86; Brooke Alexander, Alpharetta, Ga., 87-83</p> <p>171 Regina Rodriguez, Fort Morgan, Colo., 88-83; Renee Skidmore, Everett, Wash., 90-81; Amy Wang, Kirkland, Wash., 88-83</p> <p>172 Sommer Scholl, Riverside, Calif., 84-88; Christina Schams,</p> |

	Chandler, Ariz., 87-85; Christine Yum, Manila, Philippines, 90-82; Alexis Rather, Tupelo, Miss., 89-83; Kylene Pulley, Kokomo, Ind., 83-89; Elizabeth Reid, Calgary, Alberta, Canada, 85-87; Jaclyn Burch, Wildwood, Mo., 84-88	176	Courtney Sullivan, Gresham, Ore., 88-88; Alexandria Buelow, Palm City, Fla., 87-89; Lauren Motyl, New Bedford, Mass., 87-89
173	Natalie Todd, Woodinville, Wash., 88-85; Vanessa Brockett, Los Angeles, Calif., 87-86; Ayumi Hori, Honolulu, Hawaii, 83-90; Lauren Mielbrecht, Gulf Stream, Fla., 87-86; Kristen Svicarovich, Hillsboro, Ore., 83-90	177 178	Heidi Kim, Sandy, Utah, 91-86 Gabby Dimora, Auburn, N.Y., 88-90; Michelle Grilli, Pikesville, Md., 84-94; Kelly Weisgarber, Fargo, N.D., 86-92; Alexis Edwards, Oakley, Calif., 89-89
175	Lauren Espinosa, Irving, Texas, 92-83; Marie Bos, Orlando, Fla., 85-90; Chelsea Bach, Roscoe, Ill., 85-90; Allison Walshe, Galway, Ireland, 91-84; Eunice Yum, Torrance, Calif., 87-88; Nichole De Gennaro, Tucson, Ariz., 88-87	180 181 182 183 185	Taylor Barrett, York, S.C., 90-90 Caleigh Philo, Vero Beach, Fla., 88-93 Elli Brown, Meridian, Idaho, 90-92 Noel Larson, Clarion, Pa., 94-89 Nicole Mackey, Shueville, Iowa, 94-91

* = in playoff

Championship History

The U.S. Girls' Junior Championship was established in 1949, one year after the U.S. Junior Amateur Championship. Philadelphia (Pa.) Country Club, one of the oldest golf courses in the nation, was the host club for the USGA's newest championship. The Club's Bala Course had been constructed in 1891, three years before the birth of the USGA.

The inaugural Girls' Junior drew a starting field of 28 girls from 17 states, although 10 of the players were from the Philadelphia area.

More impressive than the size of the field or the styles of play was the wonderful spirit and sportsmanship the contestants brought to the game, and their complete lack of pretense.

The first champion, Marlene Bauer, 15, came all the way from Los Angeles to win her first national golf title. While golf for girls, beyond the club level, was still a novelty, Marlene had been encouraged by her father, a golf professional, since the age of three. Her victory in the first Girls' Junior was the springboard for a long and distinguished career.

The championship has also helped launch the careers of such outstanding players as Mickey Wright, who won in 1952, and later captured four U.S. Women's Open championships, and JoAnne Gunderson Carner, who won the first of her eight USGA titles in the 1956 Girls' Junior. Nancy Lopez won in 1972 and 1974, interrupted in 1973 by Amy Alcott, who went on to win the Women's Open in 1980.

Considering the brevity and time limitations on a junior golf career, Hollis Stacy's record of three consecutive Girls' Junior Championships, from 1969 to 1971, is among the most remarkable accomplishments in USGA history. Hollis, however, never made it easy. The final matches of her first two championships went 18 holes. In her last victory, in 1971, Hollis needed four-under-par golf to eventually defeat Amy Alcott at the 19th hole. From the third through the 17th hole, neither player made a bogey; between them they made nine birdies. The match is regarded as one of the finest in USGA history.

With her last victory, Stacy became only the seventh golfer to win USGA championships in three successive years. She later won the Women's Open Championship in 1977, 1978, and 1984.