

**72nd U.S.  
Junior Amateur  
Championship  
  
Record Book**

**Inverness Club  
Toledo, Ohio**

## Michael Thorbjornsen Wins the 2018 Championship

Michael Thorbjornsen's semifinal match against Cameron Sisk wore on and continued into extra holes on Friday, a friendly face in his corner appeared in the gallery. It was Akshay Bhatia, who has known Thorbjornsen for years through the junior golf circuit and had come out to see if his close friend could pull through. He did, and it meant the two would be squaring off in Saturday's 36-hole final on Baltusrol Golf Club's Upper Course.

Fast forward to late Saturday afternoon. Thorbjornsen, who trailed Bhatia for most of their match before pulling ahead for the first and only time on the 32nd hole, struck a 42-foot birdie putt on the 36th hole to inside of 2 feet, and Bhatia, of Wake Forest, N.C., conceded and congratulated his close friend on his 1-up victory in the 71st U.S. Junior Amateur Championship.

"It feels amazing. Personally for myself I feel like this is probably the biggest junior event you can win and I somehow managed to win it," said Thorbjornsen, who, with the victory, earned a spot in the 119th U.S. Open Championship at Pebble Beach. "It just feels amazing because I haven't won a tournament in around just over a year now, so this is the perfect tournament for me to win."

Before his 21-hole affair with Sisk, the 16-year-old from Wellesley, Mass., had, by and large, made easy work of his opponents as he advanced through the match-play bracket, as his first four matches all ended before the 17th hole. It was clear in the early going on Saturday that this wasn't going to be one of those matches. His tee shot on the first hole of the day ended up under the lip of the right fairway bunker, leading to a bogey to start the day and a quick deficit. Another bogey after his approach shot on the par-4 fourth hole put him 2 down, and he three-putted from 10 feet on No. 6 to go 3 down.

Thorbjornsen trailed by 2 down through 18 holes, and after the match resumed at 12:30 p.m., things started to tighten up. On the 21st hole, Bhatia saw a 15-foot par putt lip out to have his lead trimmed to 1 up. After matching Bhatia's birdie putt on No. 22 with one of his own, Thorbjornsen squared things up on the following hole, when he stuck his approach shot from 130 yards to 7 feet and buried the putt. After Bhatia, also 16, briefly retook the lead on the 29th hole, Thorbjornsen took advantage of a big break when his tee shot on the 30th hole, which was headed well left, hit a tree and dropped in the fairway. He proceeded to hit his approach shot to 12 feet and convert the putt to square the match yet again.

It was on the 32nd hole when Thorbjornsen hit perhaps the most memorable shot of his victory, when he drove the green on the 302-yard par-4 32nd hole, leaving himself 24 feet for eagle. The putt, which broke hard left-to-right, just stayed out, but it was good enough for a conceded birdie and his

first lead of the match, which he did not relinquish. Bhatia had a 4-foot putt for birdie on the 35th hole that would have squared the match, but couldn't convert. His 45-foot birdie try from the front fringe on the 36th hole didn't go, opening the door for Thorbjornsen to cozy his putt up to concession range and clinch the title.

### NOTABLE

In addition to his U.S. Open exemption, Thorbjornsen also earns exemptions into the 2019 and 2020 U.S. Amateur. Bhatia earned an exemption into the 2018 U.S. Amateur, and is exempt into U.S. Open sectional qualifying in 2019. They are both exempt into the U.S. Junior Amateur for as long as they are age-eligible.

Over the course of 36 holes Saturday, Thorbjornsen won nines holes, Bhatia won eight holes, and 19 holes were halved.

With the usual match-play concessions, both Bhatia and Thorbjornsen recorded 36-hole scores of 2-over 144. Bhatia shot rounds of 72-72, while Thorbjornsen shot 75-69.

Thorbjornsen is the first Massachusetts resident to win the U.S. Junior Amateur. Brett Quigley, the 1987 champion who served as an on-course analyst for the Junior Amateur this week for Fox Sports, was born in the Bay State, but grew up in neighboring Rhode Island.

All match play rounds were held on Baltusrol's Upper Course, so Thorbjornsen joins Tony Manero (1936 U.S. Open), Kathy (Baker) Guadagnino (1985 U.S. Women's Open) and Jeff Quinney (2000 U.S. Amateur) as players to win on the Upper.

### QUOTABLE

Thorbjornsen on driving the green on the par-4 32nd, which ultimately squared the match:

"I was really feeling confident at that time with a nice little fade. If I hit a regular drive up 14 I'm pretty sure would've gone long, and long on that hole is absolutely dead. Earlier this week when they had the tees up on nine, I was alternating with baby cuts, maybe not full drives, but nice little cuts right into the green. I felt like if I could just do that, but just have a full swing, I could end up pretty close to the pin."

Thorbjornsen on who he would like to play a practice round with at the U.S. Open:

"Tiger Woods. That would be something really special. He's been my favorite player ever since I started watching golf or have even known about golf. As well as Brooks Koepka, just because I was supposed to play with him at the Junior Invitational [at Sage Valley], but he already found a foursome. I missed out on that."

## 71st U.S. Junior Amateur Championship

Qual. Score	First Round Wednesday, July 18	Second Round Thursday, July 19	Third Round Thursday, July 19	Quarterfinal Round Friday, July 20	Semifinal Round Friday, July 20
(133) Kelly Chin, Great Falls, Va.		Chinn 2 and 1	Bridgeman 20 holes	Wong 7 and 6	Hammer 2 and 1
(148) Trent Geritz, Towson, Md.		Bridgeman 2 and 1			
(144) Palmer Jackson, Murrysville, Pa.		Bridgeman 2 and 1	Wong 19 holes	Hammer 4 and 3	
(144) Jacob Bridgeman, Inman, S.C.					
(141) Shuai Ming Wong, Hong Kong, China		Wong 1 up	Hammer 4 and 3	Hammer 19 holes	
(146) Jake Beber-Frankel, Miami, Fla.					
(141) Jolo Timothy Magcalayo, Philippines		Magcalayo 1 up	Phillips 5 and 3	Hammer 19 holes	
(146) Jediah Morgan, Australia					
(137) Cole Hammer, Houston, Texas		Hammer 1 up	Phillips 5 and 3	Hammer 19 holes	
(147) Jackson Suber, Tampa, Fla.		Liu 2 up			
(143) Kaiwen Liu, People's Republic of China		Liu 2 up	Phillips 5 and 3	Hammer 19 holes	
(145) Nicolas Cassidy, Johns Creek, Ga.					
(137) Trent Phillips, Inman, S.C.		Phillips 4 and 3	Phillips 5 and 3	Hammer 19 holes	
(147) John Blair, Wauwatosa, Wis.					
(143) William Mouw, Chino, Calif.		Mouw 6 and 5	Phillips 5 and 3	Hammer 19 holes	
(145) Rayhan Thomas, India					
(136) Joseph Pagdin, England		Pagdin 4 and 3	Madariaga 2 and 1	Madariaga 5 and 4	
(147) Mauricio Figueroa, Mexico					
(143) Alejandro Madariaga, Mexico		Madariaga 4 and 3	Madariaga 2 and 1	Madariaga 5 and 4	
(144) Jonathan Griz, Hilton Head Island, S.C.					
(139) James Song, Rancho Santa Fe, Calif.		Song 3 and 2	Madariaga 5 and 4	Madariaga 5 and 4	
(147) Jeremy Sisson, Skaneateles, N.Y.					
(142) Kenan Poole, Raleigh, N.C.		Stirsman 2 and 1	Madariaga 5 and 4	Madariaga 5 and 4	
(146) Clay Stirsman, Carmel, Ind.					
(136) Yuki Moriyama, Japan		Moriyama 1 up	Moriyama 1 up	Bhatia 1 up	
(147) Joe Bultman, Shawnee, Kan.					
(143) Agustin Segundo Oliva Pinto, Argentina		Oliva Pinto 2 and 1	Moriyama 1 up	Bhatia 1 up	
(144) Tyler Isenhardt, Geneva, Ill.					
(138) Akshay Bhatia, Wake Forest, N.C.		Bhatia 6 and 5	Moriyama 1 up	Bhatia 1 up	
(147) Fulton Smith, Pinehurst, N.C.					
(142) James Imai, Brookline, Mass.		Newman 2 and 1	Bhatia 1 up	Bhatia 1 up	
(145) Hazen Newman, Las Vegas, Nev.					

**Baltusrol Golf Club (Upper Course)**

Par: 35-36—71

Yardage: 7,280

**Stroke-Play Co-Host:**

**Baltusrol Golf Club (Lower Course)**

Par: 34-36—70

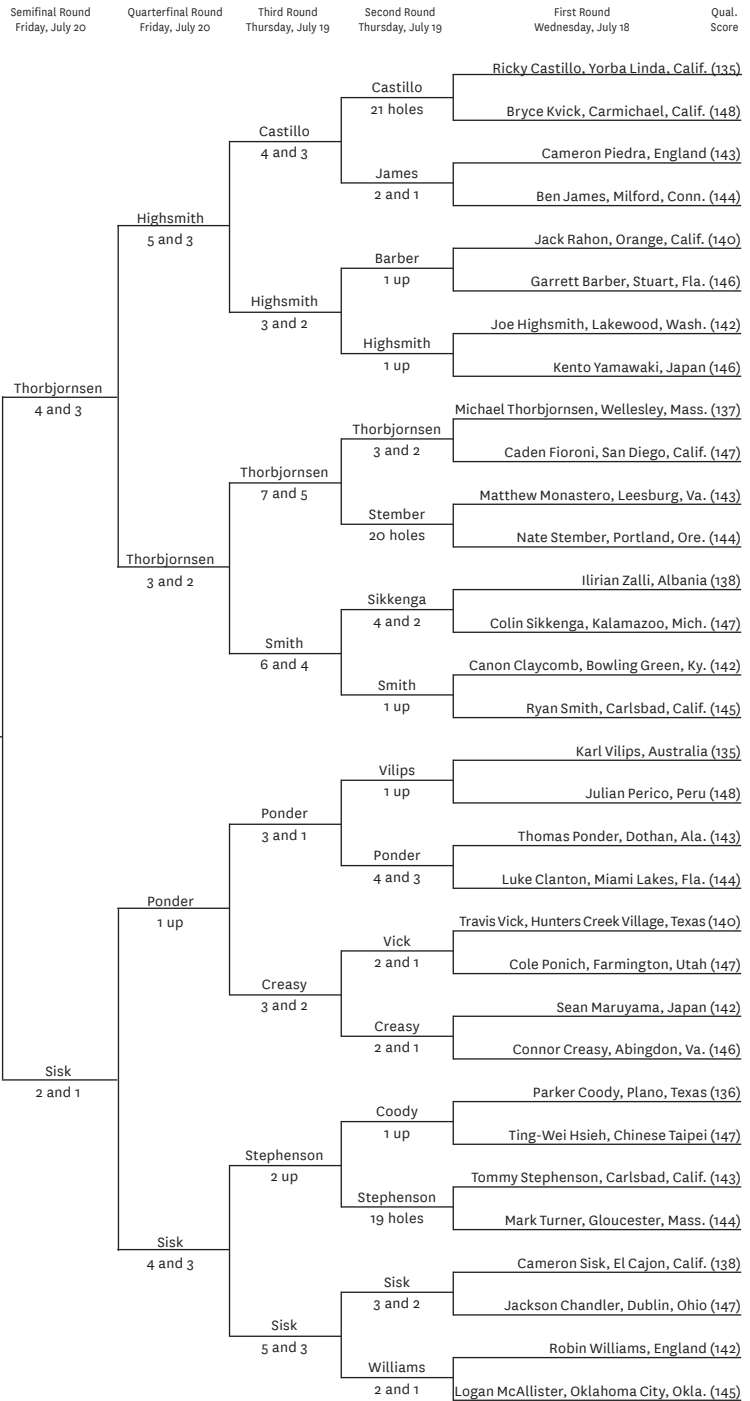
Yardage: 7,313

Entries: 3,693

Bhatia  
4 and 2

*FINAL*  
Saturday, July 21  
Michael Thorbjornsen  
def.  
Akshay Bhatia,  
1 up

July 16-21, 2018, Baltusrol Golf Club (Upper Course), Springfield, N.J.



## Complete Stroke-Play Results

133	Kelly Chinn, Great Falls, Va., 66uc-67lc	S.C., 72uc-72lc; Tyler Isenhardt, Geneva, Ill., 72lc-72uc; Mark Turner, Gloucester, Mass., 75lc-69uc; Nate Stember, Portland, Ore., 72lc-72uc	
135	Ricky Castillo, Yorba Linda, Calif., 67uc-68lc; Karl Vilips, Australia, 66uc-69lc	Nicolas Cassidy, Johns Creek, Ga., 70uc-75lc; Rayhan Thomas, India, 75uc-70lc; Ryan Smith, Carlsbad, Calif., 73lc-72uc; Logan McAllister, Oklahoma City, Okla., 72uc-73lc; Hazen Newman, Las Vegas, Nev., 71lc-74uc	
136	Joseph Padgin, England, 69uc-67lc; Yuki Moriyama, Japan, 71uc-65lc; Parker Coody, Plano, Texas, 70lc-66uc	145	Clay Stirrsman, Carmel, Ind., 75lc-71uc; Connor Creasy, Abingdon, Va., 73lc-73uc; Kento Yamawaki, Japan, 70lc-76uc; Jediah Morgan, Australia, 75uc-71lc; Jake Beber-Frankel, Miami, Fla., 73lc-73uc; Garrett Barber, Stuart, Fla., 72lc-74uc
137	Michael Thorbjornsen, Wellesley, Mass., 70lc-67uc; Cole Hammer, Houston, Texas, 69lc-68uc; Trent Phillips, Inman, S.C., 67lc-70uc	146	Julian Perico, Peru, 70lc-78uc (3, 4); *Bryce Kvick, Carmichael, Calif., 74uc-74lc (3, 5, 4); *Trent Geritz, Towson, Md., 80uc-68lc (3, 5, 3, 4, 5, 3)
138	Ilirian Zalli, Albania, 70lc-68uc; Cameron Sisk, El Cajon, Calif., 68uc-70lc; Akshay Bhatia, Wake Forest, N.C., 66lc-72uc	147	
139	James Song, Rancho Santa Fe, Calif., 68lc-71uc	148	
140	Travis Vick, Hunters Creek Village, Texas, 67uc-73lc; Jack Rahon, Orange, Calif., 69lc-71uc		
141	Shuai Ming Wong, Hong Kong, China, 69uc-72lc; Jolo Timothy Magcalayo, Philippines, 69lc-72uc		
142	Joe Highsmith, Lakewood, Wash., 73uc-69lc; Sean Maruyama, Japan, 69lc-73uc; Kenan Poole, Raleigh, N.C., 72 uc-70lc; James Imai, Brookline, Mass., 71uc-71lc; Robin Williams, England, 71lc-71uc; Canon Claycomb, Bowling Green, Ky., 73lc-69uc		
143	Kaiwen Liu, People's Republic of China, 71lc-72uc; Matthew Monastero, Leesburg, Va., 73lc-70uc; Tommy Stephenson, Carlsbad, Calif., 69lc-74uc; Agustin Segundo Oliva Pinto, Argentina, 72uc-71lc; Alejandro Madariaga, Mexico, 70uc-73lc; Thomas Ponder, Dothan, Ala., 72uc-71lc; Cameron Piedra, England, 71uc-72lc		
144	Palmer Jackson, Murrysville, Pa., 73uc-71lc; Jacob Bridgeman, Inman, S.C., 69uc-75lc; Ben James, Milford, Conn., 73lc-71uc; Luke Clanton, Miami Lakes, Fla., 72lc-72uc; Jonathan Griz, Hilton Head Island,		

\* = in playoff

uc = Baltusrol Golf Club (Upper Course)

lc = Baltusrol Golf Club (Lower Course)

## Failed to Qualify

148	*Nathan Cogswell, Kent, Wash., 75lc-73uc (3, 5, 5, 3, 4, 5, 6); *Nathan Han, Somers, N.Y., 72uc-76lc (3, 5, 6); *William Draper, Oak Park, Calif., 73lc-75uc (3, 6); *Jacob Torres, Aiea, Hawaii, 76uc-72lc (3, 6); *Eric Doyle, San Diego, Calif., 70uc-78lc (5)	Woodruff, Huntersville, N.C., 77lc-77uc; Cameron Barzekoff, Las Vegas, Nev., 79lc-75uc; Brian Isztwan, Huntingdon Valley, Pa., 76lc-78uc	
149	Ty Griggs, Manteca, Calif., 76uc-73lc; Dillon Stewart, Fort Collins, Colo., 73lc-76uc; Graham Moody, Vancouver, Wash., 74uc-75lc; Kyo Morishita, Japan, 76uc-73lc; Peter Bowie, Northampton, Mass., 75lc-74uc; Justin Gums, Lodi, Calif., 72lc-77uc	155	Abhay Gupta, Concord, N.C., 79uc-76lc; Matthew Riedel, Houston, Texas, 75lc-80uc; Connor Asarch, Atlanta, Ga., 76lc-79uc; Christopher Kennedy, Aurora, Colo., 76lc-79uc; Aidan Thomas, Bernalillo, N.M., 77uc-78lc; Michael Winslow, Overland Park, Kan., 71uc-84lc; Shelden Barina, Mufreesboro, Tenn., 78lc-77uc; Ken Goforth, Birmingham, Ala., 79lc-76uc
150	Andy Mao, Johns Creek, Ga., 75uc-75lc; Peyton Callens, Canada, 75uc-75lc; Drew Warford, Snoqualmie, Wash., 74uc-76lc; Dillon Brown, Halifax, Mass., 76lc-74uc; Nick Willis, Cowpens, S.C., 76lc-74uc; Chandler McDowell, Canada, 75lc-75uc; Chase Sienkiewicz, Carmichael, Calif., 76lc-74uc; Jake Marvelli, Indianola, Iowa, 72lc-78uc	156	Angus McHolme, Elizabeth Township, Pa., 78uc-78lc; Ian Rivers, East Syracuse, N.Y., 74uc-82lc; Carson Griggs, Sand Springs, Okla., 78uc-78lc; Kevin Johnson, Bethesda, Md., 82uc-74lc; John Fischer, Waconia, Minn., 80lc-76uc
151	Luca Jezzeny, Furlong, Pa., 76uc-75lc; Alex Kyriacou, Suffern, N.Y., 76uc-75lc; Tyler Wilkes, Tampa, Fla., 79lc-72uc; T. Andrew DiPetrillo, Dover, Mass., 76lc-75uc; Conor Glennon, Republic of Ireland, 76uc-75lc; Fred Biondi, Brazil, 77uc-74lc; Drew Brockwell, Chesterfield, Va., 72lc-79uc	157	Grant Wilson, Bountiful, Utah, 77uc-80lc; Alejandro Gutierrez, Mexico, 78lc-79uc; Taehoon Song, Republic of Korea, 77lc-80uc; Jenson Rogenes, Dallas, Texas, 82lc-75uc
152	Johnathan Travale, Canada, 74uc-78lc; Ford Clegg, Mountain Brook, Ala., 77uc-75lc; Evan Woosley-Reed, Shelbyville, Tenn., 75uc-77lc; Clay Merchant, Noblesville, Ind., 78uc-74lc; Deven Ramachandran, Tiburon, Calif., 75uc-77lc; Nick Krueger, Spring Lake, Mich., 73lc-79uc; Kyle Chung, Canada, 77lc-75uc; Youssef Guezzale, La Jolla, Calif., 78lc-74uc; CM Mixon, Bowling Green, Ky., 76lc-76uc; Douglas Beney, Rye, N.Y., 76lc-76uc; Trey Rath, Powell, Ohio, 75lc-77uc	158	Campbell Kremer, Louisville, Ky., 79uc-79lc; Daniel Core, Canada, 83lc-75uc; Sam Batta, Watertown, S.D., 77lc-81uc; Jackson Lee, Menlo Park, Calif., 79uc-79lc; Justin Mathew, Rocky Hill, Conn., 80lc-78uc
153	Henry May, Edina, Minn., 76uc-77lc; Aaron Chen, Fremont, Calif., 75uc-78lc; Eugene Hong, Orlando, Fla., 76uc-77lc; Jud Langille, Ossining, N.Y., 79lc-74uc; Jack Vajda, Canton, Ga., 77uc-76lc; Jared Wilson, Columbiana, Ohio, 74uc-79lc; Andrew Rodriguez, Spring, Texas, 77lc-76uc; Luke Dossey, Austin, Texas, 76lc-77uc	159	Tyler Carroll, Carlsbad, Calif., 83uc-76lc; Peyton Billings, Fleming Island, Fla., 76uc-83lc; Josh McNulty, White Hall, Ark., 83lc-76uc
154	Wil Gibson, Jonesboro, Ark., 75uc-79lc; Luke Ludwig, Effingham, Ill., 77uc-77lc; Brett Roberts, Coral Springs, Fla., 77lc-77uc; Isaac Simmons, Huddleston, Va., 77lc-77uc; Oscar Zimmerman, Cincinnati, Ohio, 74uc-80lc; Seongyong (Terry) Yoon, Australia, 77uc-77lc; Ben	160	Francois Jacobs, League City, Texas, 80lc-80uc
		161	Tyler Gerbavits, Huntington, N.Y., 82ud-79lc; Samuel Salisbury, Green Valley, Ariz., 80uc-81lc; James Wiley, Raleigh, N.C., 83lc-78uc
		162	Jackson Tuthill, Frisco, Texas, 83lc-79uc; Rohan Reddy Aerrabolu, Plano, Texas, 81uc-81lc
		164	Justin Wingerter, Olathe, Kan., 83uc-81lc
		168	Sean Taylor, Westfield, N.J., 83uc-85lc
		169	Jonas Bicknese, Fruitland, Idaho, 84uc-85lc
		171	Jayson Kelian Iten, Switzerland, 87lc-84uc
		WD	John Driscoll III, Lake Mary, Fla., 74lc
		DQ	Brady Arnett, Woodbury, Minn., 74uc; William O'Neill, Morristown, N.J.

## Championship History

In 1948, the USGA inaugurated the U.S. Junior Amateur Championship to determine the best junior golfer in the United States and also to help junior golfers learn how to realize the most from the game, win or lose.

The Junior Amateur was hardly the first junior competition to attract a national field. The Western Junior had been established in 1914. In 1946, two more competitions appeared, each with a claim on the national title. One was sponsored by the U.S. Junior Chamber of Commerce, the other by the Hearst Newspapers.

The first U.S. Junior Amateur was played at the University of Michigan Golf Course and drew 495 entries. The starting field of 128 players was determined by sectional qualifying rounds at 41 sites. Dean Lind, of Rockford, Ill., was the first champion. Lind defeated Ken Venturi, of San Francisco, a future U.S. Open champion, in the final.

By 1963, entries had surged to 2,230, a record for the 13th consecutive year. At the time, there was no handicap limitation for entrants. That changed in 1964 when a handicap limit of 10 strokes was introduced. In 1999, the championship attracted a record 4,508 entries.

In 1978, the USGA conducted the Junior Amateur over the South Course of the Wilmington (Del.) Country Club, while the Girls' Junior was being staged on the North Course. This was the first time the USGA conducted two national championships simultaneously at the same golf club.

The Junior Amateur is among the most difficult of all USGA championships to win due to two factors: the age limit and the tremendous number of fine young players who enter each year. Only one player, Tiger Woods, has won the Junior Amateur three times, winning in 1991, 1992 and 1993. Jordan Spieth, who first won in 2009, became the second player to claim more than one title when he won the 2011 championship. In fact, only seven players have reached the final at least twice: Mason Rudolph (1949, 1950), Eddie Pearce (1968, 1969), Mike Brannan (1971, 1973); Tim Straub (1982, 1983); Woods; Spieth; Jim Liu (2010, 2012); and Noah Goodwin (2016, 2017).

Woods, who was 15 years, 6 months and 28 days old when he won in 1991, was the youngest champion until 2010. At 14 years, 11 months and 15 days, Liu broke Woods' record by more than six months with his victory.

The Junior Amateur has another, more dubious, distinction. It is the only USGA championship for which Jack Nicklaus has been eligible that he did not win at least once. Nicklaus qualified for the championship five times; however, his best finish came in 1956, when he was a semifinalist.

The Junior Amateur remains today an educational opportunity as well as a competitive outlet. Pre-championship players' dinners have attracted guest speakers such as Francis Ouimet, Arnold Palmer, Johnny Miller and Annika Sorenstam, all willing to share their knowledge and experience with young players.

## Championship Results: 1948 to 2018

1948	(Aug. 11-14) <b>Dean Lind</b> d. <b>Kenneth Venturi</b> , 4 and 2; Univ. of Mich. G.C., Ann Arbor, Mich.; Entries: 495		Hills G. & C.C., Oklahoma City, Okla.; Medalist — 141, <b>Allen Brooks</b> ; Entries: 1,484
1949	(July 27-30) <b>Gay Brewer</b> d. <b>Mason Rudolph</b> , 6 and 4; Congressional C.C., Washington, D.C.; Entries: 416	1968	(July 30 – Aug. 3) <b>Eddie Pearce</b> d. <b>W.B. Harman Jr.</b> , 6 and 5; The Country Club, Brookline, Mass.; Medalist — 145, <b>Gary Koch</b> ; Entries: 1,599
1950	(July 19-22) <b>Mason Rudolph</b> d. <b>Charles Beville</b> , 2 and 1; Denver (Colo.) C.C.; Entries: 457	1969	(July 29 – Aug. 2) <b>Aly Trompas</b> d. <b>Eddie Pearce</b> , 3 and 1; Spokane (Wash.) C.C.; Medalist — 146, <b>Richard Monkman</b> ; Entries: 1,337
1951	(July 25-28) <b>K. Thomas Jacobs Jr.</b> d. <b>Floyd Addington</b> , 4 and 2; Univ. of Illinois G.C., Champaign, Ill.; Entries: 596	1970	(July 28 – Aug. 1) <b>Gary Koch</b> d. <b>Mike Nelms</b> , 8 and 6; Athens (Ga.) C.C.; Medalist — 141, <b>Mike Fambrough</b> ; Entries: 1,444
1952	(July 23-26) <b>Donald M. Bisplinghoff</b> d. <b>Eddie M. Meyerson</b> , 2 up; Yale G.C., New Haven, Conn.; Entries: 711	1971	(Aug. 3-7) <b>Mike Brannan</b> d. <b>Robert Steele</b> , 4 and 3; Manor C.C., Rockville, Md.; Medalist — 142, <b>Curtis Strange</b> ; Entries: 1,559
1953	(July 29 – Aug. 1) <b>Rex Baxter Jr.</b> d. <b>George Warren III</b> , 2 and 1; Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla.; Entries: 713	1972	(Aug. 1-5) <b>Robert T. Byman</b> d. <b>Scott Simpson</b> , 2 and 1; Brookhaven C.C., Dallas, Texas; Medalist — 144, <b>Robert T. Byman</b> ; Entries: 1,492
1954	(Aug. 4-7) <b>Foster Bradley Jr.</b> d. <b>Allen L. Geiberger</b> , 3 and 1; Los Angeles (Calif.) C.C. (North Course); Entries: 747	1973	(July 31 – Aug. 4) <b>Jack Renner</b> d. <b>Mike Brannan</b> , 20 holes; Singing Hills C.C., El Cajon, Calif.; Medalist — 139, <b>Robert Donald</b> ; Entries: 1,325
1955	(Aug. 3-6) <b>Billy J. Dunn</b> d. <b>William J. Seanor</b> , 3 and 2; Purdue Univ. G.C. (South Course), West Lafayette, Ind.; Entries: 805	1974	(July 23-27) <b>David Nevatt</b> d. <b>Mark Tinder</b> , 4 and 3; Brooklawn C.C., Bridgeport, Conn.; Medalist — 143, <b>Charles H. Beck Jr.</b> ; Entries: 1,453
1956	(Aug. 8-11) <b>Harlan Stevenson</b> d. <b>Jack D. Rule Jr.</b> , 3 and 1; Taconic G.C., Williamstown, Mass.; Entries: 996	1975	(July 29 – Aug. 2) <b>Brett Mullin</b> d. <b>Scott Templeton</b> , 2 and 1; Richland C.C., Nashville, Tenn.; Medalist — 140, <b>Gary Pinns</b> ; Entries: 1,898
1957	(July 17-20) <b>Larry Beck</b> d. <b>David C. Leon</b> , 6 and 5; Manor C.C., Rockville, Md.; Entries: 1,065	1976	(Aug. 3-7) <b>Madden Hatcher III</b> d. <b>Doug Clarke</b> , 3 and 2; Hiwan G.C., Evergreen, Colo.; Medalists — 144, <b>Andy Blossom</b> , <b>Robert Clampett</b> ; Entries: 1,957
1958	(July 30 – Aug. 2) <b>Gordon Baker</b> d. <b>R. Douglas Lindsay</b> , 2 and 1; Univ. of Minnesota G.C., St. Paul, Minn.; Entries: 1,117	1977	(July 26-30) <b>Willie Wood</b> d. <b>David Games</b> , 4 and 3; Ohio State Univ. G.C. (Scarlet Course), Columbus, Ohio; Medalist — 141, <b>Willie Wood</b> ; Entries: 2,039
1959	(Aug. 5-8) <b>Larry J. Lee</b> d. <b>Michael V. McMahon</b> , 2 up; Stanford Univ. (Calif.) G.C.; Entries: 1,365	1978	(Aug. 8-12) <b>Donald Hurter</b> d. <b>Keith Banes</b> , 21 holes; Wilmington C.C. (South Course), Wilmington, Del.; Medalist — 141, <b>Willie Wood</b> ; Entries: 2,019
1960	(Aug. 3-6) <b>William L. Tindall</b> d. <b>Robert L. Hammer</b> , 2 and 1; Milburn G. & C.C., Overland Park, Kan.; Entries: 1,445	1979	(July 31 – Aug. 4) <b>Jack Larkin</b> d. <b>Billy Tuten</b> , 1 up; Moss Creek G.C., Hilton Head Island, S.C.; Medalists — 148, <b>Nathaniel Crosby</b> , <b>Rick Fehr</b> ; Entries: 1,848
1961	(Aug. 2-5) <b>Charles S. McDowell</b> d. <b>Jay Sigel</b> , 2 up; Cornell Univ. G.C., Ithaca, N.Y.; Entries: 1,885	1980	(July 29 – Aug. 2) <b>Eric Johnson</b> d. <b>Bruce Soulsby</b> , 4 and 3; Pine Lake C.C., Orchard Lake, Mich.; Medalist — 139, <b>Ralden Chang</b> ; Entries: 1,694
1962	(Aug. 1-4) <b>James L. Wiechers</b> d. <b>James Sullivan</b> , 4 and 3; Lochmoor Club, Grosse Pointe Woods, Mich.; Entries: 2,090	1981	(July 28 – Aug. 1) <b>Scott Erickson</b> d. <b>Matt McCarley</b> , 4 and 3; Sunnyside C.C., Fresno, Calif.; Medalists — 144, <b>Mike Blewett</b> , <b>Jeff Combe</b> ; Entries: 1,516
1963	(July 31 – Aug. 3) <b>Gregg McHatton</b> d. <b>Richard Bland</b> , 4 and 3; Florence (S.C.) C.C.; Entries: 2,230	1982	(July 27-31) <b>Rich Marik</b> d. <b>Tim Straub</b> , 4 and 3; Crooked Stick G.C., Carmel, Ind.; Medalist — 144, <b>Tim Fleming</b> ; Entries: 1,701
1964	(July 28 – Aug. 1) <b>Johnny Miller</b> d. <b>Enrique Sterling Jr.</b> , 2 and 1; Eugene (Ore.) C.C.; Medalist — 139, <b>Johnny Miller</b> ; Entries: 1,583		
1965	(Aug. 3-7) <b>James Masserio</b> d. <b>Lloyd Liebler</b> , 3 and 2; Wilmington (Del.) C.C. (South Course); Medalists — 148, <b>Robert Barbarossa</b> , <b>Arthur Russell</b> ; Entries: 1,600		
1966	(Aug. 2-6) <b>Gary Sanders</b> d. <b>Ray Leach</b> , 2 up; California C.C., Whittier, Calif.; Medalist — 143, <b>Terry Jastrow</b> ; Entries: 1,464		
1967	(Aug. 1-5) <b>John T. Crooks</b> d. <b>Andy North</b> , 2 and 1; Twin		

1983	(Aug. 2-6) <b>Tim Straub</b> d. <b>John Mahon</b> , 1 up; Saucon Valley C.C. (Old Course), Bethlehem, Pa.; Medalist — 146, <b>Anthony Adams</b> ; Entries: 1,816	2000	(July 31 – Aug. 5) <b>Matthew Rosenfeld</b> d. <b>Ryan Moore</b> , 3 and 2; Pumpkin Ridge G.C. (Ghost Creek Course), North Plains, Ore.; Medalist — 138, <b>Matthew Rosenfeld</b> ; Entries: 3,692
1984	(July 31 – Aug. 4) <b>Doug Martin</b> d. <b>Brad Agee</b> , 4 and 2; Wayzata (Minn.) C.C.; Medalist — 145, <b>Doug Martin</b> ; Entries: 1,877	2001	(July 23-28) <b>Henry Liaw</b> d. <b>Richard Scott</b> , 2 and 1; Oak Hills C.C., San Antonio, Texas; Medalist — 132, <b>James Vargas</b> ; Entries: 3,794
1985	(July 23-27) <b>Charles Rymer</b> d. <b>Gregory Leshner</b> , 19 holes; Brookfield C.C., Clarence, N.Y.; Medalists — 146, <b>Michael Watson</b> , <b>John Tighe Jr.</b> ; Entries: 2,068	2002	(July 22-28) <b>Charlie Beljan</b> d. <b>Zac Reynolds</b> , 20 holes; Atlanta Athletic Club (Highlands Course), Duluth, Ga.; Medalists — 139, <b>Jarred Texter</b> , <b>Tarik Can</b> ; Entries: 3,827
1986	(July 22-26) <b>Brian Montgomery</b> d. <b>Nicky Goetze</b> , 2 and 1; Muirfield Village G.C., Dublin, Ohio; Medalist — 152, <b>Michael Schafer</b> ; Entries: 2,320	2003	(July 21-26) <b>Brian Harman</b> d. <b>Jordan Cox</b> , 5 and 4; Columbia C.C., Chevy Chase, Md.; Medalist — 137, <b>Sung Hoon Kang</b> ; Entries: 3,216
1987	(Aug. 4-8) <b>Brett Quigley</b> d. <b>Bill Heim</b> , 1 up; Singletree G.C., Edwards, Colo.; Medalist — 141, <b>Harry Rudolph Jr.</b> ; Entries: 2,349	2004	(July 19-24) <b>Sihwan Kim</b> d. <b>David Chung</b> , 1 up; The Olympic Club (Lake Course), San Francisco, Calif.; Medalist — 133, <b>Brian Harman</b> ; Entries: 3,184
1988	(July 26-30) <b>Jason Widener</b> d. <b>Brandon Knight</b> , 1 up; Yale Univ. G.C., New Haven, Conn.; Medalist — 140, <b>Brad Lehmann</b> ; Entries: 2,087	2005	(July 18-23) <b>Kevin Tway</b> d. <b>Bradley Johnson</b> , 5 and 3; Longmeadow (Mass.) C.C.; Medalist — 133, <b>Sam Saunders</b> ; Entries: 3,174
1989	(July 25-29) <b>David Duval</b> d. <b>Austin Maki</b> , 1 up; Singing Hills G. & C.C., El Cajon, Calif.; Medalists — 145, <b>Chris Edgmon</b> , <b>Jason Worth</b> , <b>Chris Riley</b> , <b>Brian Gay</b> ; Entries: 2,025	2006	(July 17-22) <b>Philip Francis</b> d. <b>Richard Lee</b> , 3 and 2; Rancho Santa Fe (Calif.) G.C.; Medalist — 136, <b>Arnond Vongvanij</b> ; Entries: 3,267
1990	(July 24-28) <b>Mathew Todd</b> d. <b>Dennis Hillman</b> , 1 up; Lake Merced G. & C.C., Daly City, Calif.; Medalist — 151, <b>Dennis Hillman</b> ; Entries: 2,051	2007	(July 23-28) <b>Cory Whitsett</b> d. <b>Anthony Paolucci</b> , 8 and 7; Boone Valley G.C., Augusta, Mo.; Medalist — 136, <b>Seung Yul Noh</b> ; Entries: 3,106
1991	(July 23-28) <b>Tiger Woods</b> d. <b>Brad Zwetschke</b> , 19 holes; Bay Hill Club, Orlando, Fla.; Medalist — 140, <b>Tiger Woods</b> ; Entries: 2,198	2008	(July 21-26) <b>Cameron Peck</b> d. <b>Evan Beck</b> , 10 and 8; Shoal Creek, Shoal Creek, Ala.; Medalist — 139, <b>Jorge Fernandez Valdes</b> ; Entries: 3,148
1992	(July 28 – Aug. 1) <b>Tiger Woods</b> d. <b>Mark Wilson</b> , 1 up; Wollaston G.C., Milton, Mass.; Medalist — 143, <b>Tiger Woods</b> ; Entries: 2,250	2009	(July 20-25) <b>Jordan Spieth</b> d. <b>Jay Hwang</b> , 4 and 3; Trump National G.C. (Old and New Courses), Bedminster, N.J.; Medalist — 143, <b>Jordan Spieth</b> ; Entries: 2,916
1993	(July 27-31) <b>Tiger Woods</b> d. <b>Ryan Armour</b> , 19 holes; Waverley C.C., Portland, Ore.; Medalist — 140, <b>Ted Oh</b> ; Entries: 2,388	2010	(July 19-24) <b>Jim Liu</b> d. <b>Justin Thomas</b> , 4 and 2; Egypt Valley C.C., Ada, Mich.; Medalist — 134, <b>Curtis Thompson</b> ; Entries: 2,830
1994	(July 26-30) <b>Terry Noe</b> d. <b>Andy Barnes</b> , 2 up; Echo Lake C.C., Westfield, N.J.; Medalist — 139, <b>Michael Henderson</b> ; Entries: 2,694	2011	(July 18-23) <b>Jordan Spieth</b> d. <b>Chelso Barrett</b> , 6 and 5; Gold Mountain G.C. (Olympic Course), Bremerton, Wash.; Medalist — 135, <b>Beau Hossler</b> ; Entries: 2,734
1995	(July 25-29) <b>D. Scott Hailes</b> d. <b>James Driscoll</b> , 1 up; Fargo (N.D.) C.C.; Medalist — 143, <b>Jeremy Anderson</b> ; Entries: 2,990	2012	(July 16-21) <b>Andy Hyeon Bo Shim</b> d. <b>Jim Liu</b> , 4 and 3; Golf Club of New England, Stratham, N.H.; Medalists — 141, <b>Jim Liu</b> , <b>Nicolas Echavarria</b> , <b>Shintaro Ban</b> ; Entries: 2,941
1996	(July 23-28) <b>Shane McMenamy</b> d. <b>Charles Howell</b> , 19 holes; Forest Highlands G.C., Flagstaff, Ariz.; Medalist — 138, <b>Bryce Molder</b> ; Entries: 3,498	2013	(July 22-27) <b>Scottie Scheffler</b> d. <b>Davis Riley</b> , 3 and 2; Martis Camp Club, Truckee, Calif.; Medalist — 136, <b>Jim Liu</b> ; Entries: 2,860
1997	(July 22-26) <b>Jason Allred</b> d. <b>Trevor Immelman</b> , 1 up; Aronimink G.C., Newtown Square, Pa.; Medalist — 140, <b>Ryan Hybl</b> ; Entries: 4,012	2014	(July 21-26) <b>William Zalatoris</b> d. <b>Davis Riley</b> , 5 and 3; The Club at Carlton Woods (Nicklaus Course), The Woodlands, Texas; Medalists — 137, <b>Sean Crocker</b> , <b>Sam Horsfield</b> ; Entries: 3,328
1998	(July 21-25) <b>James Oh</b> d. <b>Aaron Baddeley</b> , 1 up; Conway Farms G.C., Lake Forest, Ill.; Medalist — 135, <b>Aaron Baddeley</b> ; Entries: 4,088	2015	(July 20-25) <b>Philip Barbaree</b> d. <b>Andrew Orischak</b> , 37 holes; Colleton River Plantation Club (Dye Course), Bluffton, S.C.; Medalist — 138, <b>Brandon Mancheno</b> ; Entries: 3,184
1999	(July 27-31) <b>Hunter Mahan</b> d. <b>Camilo Villegas</b> , 4 and 2; Country Club of York (Pa.); Medalist — 134, <b>Sonny Nimkhum</b> , Entries: \$4,508		



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- 2016 (July 18-23) **Min Woo Lee** d. **Noah Goodwin**, 2 and 1; The Honors Course, Ooletwah, Tenn.; Medalist — 136, **Travis Vick**; Entries: 3,157
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- 2017 (July 17-22) **Noah Goodwin** d. **Matthew Wolff**, 1 up; Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan.; Medalist — 132, **Austin Eckroat**; Entries: 3,774
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- 2018 (July 16-21) **Michael Thorbjornsen** d. **Akshay Bhatia**, 1 up; Baltursol G.C. (Upper Course), Springfield, N.J.; Medalist — 133, **Kelly Chinn**; Entries: 3,693
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• Record qualifying score (2001, 2017)

§ Record entry (1999)

## Records

### Age

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

14/11/15 **Jim Liu**, 2010  
 15/6/28 **Tiger Woods**, 1991  
 15/7/20 **Sihwan Kim**, 2004

#### Youngest Competitor

12/2/15 **Matthew Pierce Jr.**, 2001  
 12/10/6 **Verner Stanley Jr.**, 1952  
 12/10/13 **Kevin Na**, 1996

#### Youngest to Advance to Match Play (since 1990)

13/3/6 **Jonathan Moore** (first round, match play), 1998  
 13/7/10 **D.J. Trahan** (first round, match play), 1994  
 13/10/29 **David Flynn** (first round, match play), 2006

#### Youngest Finalists

**Sihwan Kim** (15) vs. **David Chung** (14), 2004  
**Cory Whitsett** (15) vs. **Anthony Paolucci** (14), 2007  
**Jordan Spieth** (15) vs. **Jay Hwang** (16), 2009

### Course

#### Longest Course

7,740 yards **Martis Camp Club**, Truckee, Calif., 2013

#### Shortest Course

6,337 yards **Purdue Univ. G.C. (South Course)**, West Lafayette, Ind., 1955

#### Most Times Host Site

2 **Manor C.C.**, Rockville, Md., 1957, 1971  
 2 **Wilmington (Del.) C.C. (South Course)**, 1965, 1978  
 2 **Yale Univ. G.C.**, New Haven, Conn., 1952, 1988  
 2 **Singing Hills G.C.**, El Cajon, Calif., 1973, 1989

### Entries

#### Largest

4,508 (1999)

#### Smallest

416 (1949)

### Champions

#### Most Victories

3 **Tiger Woods** (1991, 1992, 1993)  
 2 **Jordan Spieth** (2009, 2011)

#### Consecutive Victories

3 **Tiger Woods** (1991, 1992, 1993)

#### Most Times in Final

3 **Tiger Woods** (1991, 1992, 1993)

#### Longest Span Between Victories

2 years **Jordan Spieth** (2009, 2011)

#### Champion After Being Runner-Up Previous Year

**Mason Rudolph** (1950)  
**Tim Straub** (1983)  
**Noah Goodwin** (2017)

### Match Play

#### Fewest Match-Play Holes Needed By Champion (18-hole final, 1964-2004)

87 **Tiger Woods**, Wollaston G.C., Milton, Mass., 1992  
 89 **Matthew Rosenfeld**, Pumpkin Ridge G.C. (Witch Hollow and Ghost Creek), North Plains, Ore., 2000  
 90 **Gary Koch**, Athens (Ga.) C.C., 1970

#### Fewest Match-Play Holes Needed By Champion (36-hole final, 2005-present)

108 **Cameron Peck**, Shoal Creek, Shoal Creek, Ala., 2008  
 108 **Jordan Spieth**, Gold Mountain G.C. (Olympic Course), Bremerton, Wash., 2011

#### Most Match-Play Holes Needed By Champion (36-hole final, 2005-present)

122 **Philip Barbaree**, Colleton River Plantation Club (Dye Course), Bluffton, S.C., 2015  
 120 **Kevin Tway**, Longmeadow (Mass.) C.C., 2005  
 118 **Jordan Spieth**, Trump National G.C. (Old and New Courses), 2009  
 118 **Min Woo Lee**, The Honors Course, Ooltewah, Tenn., 2016

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

9 and 8 **Donald M. Bisplinghoff** d. **Eric Jonas**, fourth round,

- Yale Univ. G.C., New Haven, Conn., 1952
- 9 and 8 **Ronald L. Wright** d. **Gary E. Allen**, first round, Stanford (Calif.) Univ. G.C., 1959
- 9 and 8 **Richard Meissner** d. **John Diesing Jr.**, second round, Lochmoor Club, Grosse Pointe Woods, Mich., 1962
- 9 and 8 **Wes Gilliland** d. **Brian E. Butler**, first round, The Country Club, Brookline, Mass., 1968
- 9 and 8 **Jack Renner** d. **Jim Russell**, first round, Brookhaven C.C., Dallas, Texas, 1972
- 9 and 8 **Mitch Allenspatch** d. **Michael Frey**, second round, Ohio State Univ. G.C., (Scarlet Course), Columbus, Ohio, 1977

#### Largest Winning Margin, Semifinals

- 7 and 6 **Richard Scott** d. **Andrew Dresser**, Oak Hills C.C., San Antonio, Texas, 2001

#### Largest Winning Margin, Final

- 10 and 8 **Cameron Peck** d. **Evan Beck**, Shoal Creek, Shoal Creek, Ala., 2008
- 8 and 7 **Cory Whitsett** d. **Anthony Paolucci**, Boone Valley G.C., Augusta, Mo., 2007
- 8 and 6 **Gary Koch** d. **Mike Nelms**, Athens C.C., Athens, Ga., 1970

#### Longest 18-Hole Match

- 28 holes **Michael W. Eiserman** d. **Patrick Honeycutt**, first round, Milburn G. & C.C., Overland Park, Kan., 1960
- 26 holes **Casey Wittenberg** d. **Daniel Im**, third round, Atlanta Athletic Club, Duluth, Ga., 2002
- 25 holes **Forrest Fezler** d. **Robert Goldman**, first round, Twin Hills G. & C.C., Oklahoma City, Okla., 1967
- 25 holes **Arthur E. Burke III** d. **Richard Adams**, first round, The Country Club, Brookline, Mass., 1968

#### Longest 18-Hole Final Match (1948-2004)

- 21 holes **Donald Hurter** d. **Keith Banes**, Wilmington (Del.) C.C. (South Course), 1978
- 20 holes **Jack Renner** d. **Mike Brannan**, Singing Hills C.C., El Cajon, Calif., 1973
- 20 holes **Charlie Beljan** d. **Zac Reynolds**, Atlanta Athletic Club, Duluth, Ga., 2002

#### Longest 18-Hole Final Match (2005-present)

- 37 holes **Philip Barbaree** d. **Andrew Orischak**, Colleton River Plantation (Dye Course), Bluffton, S.C., 2015

#### Largest Comeback, Final (36 Holes)

- 5 down **Andy Hyeon Bo Shim** d. **Jim Liu**, 4 and 3, Golf Club of New England, Stratham, N.H., 2012
- 5 down **Philip Barbaree** d. **Andrew Orischak**, 37 holes, Colleton River Plantation Club (Dye Course), Bluffton, S.C., 2015
- 4 down **Noah Goodwin** d. **Matthew Wolff**, 1 up, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017

#### Longest Semifinal Match

- 22 holes **Austin Maki** d. **Alan Bratton**, Singing Hills G. & C.C., El Cajon, Calif., 1989
- 21 holes **Davis Riley** d. **Sam Horsfield**, The Club at Carlton Woods (Nicklaus Course), The Woodlands, Texas, 2014
- 21 holes **Michael Thorbjornsen** d. **Cameron Sisk**, Baltusrol G.C. (Upper Course), Springfield, N.J., 2018
- 20 holes **Robert L. Hammer** d. **Sherman Finger III**, Milburn G. & C.C. (Upper Course), Overland Park, Kan., 1960
- 20 holes **Lloyd Liebler** d. **Gary Bennett**, Wilmington (Del.) C.C. (South Course), 1965
- 20 holes **John T. Crooks** d. **Tim Taylor**, Hills G. & C.C., Oklahoma City, Okla., 1967
- 20 holes **Brad Zwetschke** d. **Mark Slawter**, Bay Hill Club, Orlando, Fla., 1991
- 20 holes **Anthony Paolucci** d. **Sean Brannan**, Boone Valley G.C., Augusta, Mo., 2007
- 20 holes **Cameron Peck** d. **Dominic Bozzelli**, Shoal Creek, Shoal Creek, Ala., 2008
- 20 holes **Noah Goodwin** d. **John Pak**, The Honors Course, Ooltewah, Tenn., 2016

#### Longest Quarterfinal Match

- 22 holes **Richard Scott** d. **Spencer Levin**, Oak Hills C.C., San Antonio, Texas, 2001
- 21 holes **Donald Hurter** d. **Jay Delsing**, Wilmington (Del.) C.C. (South Course), 1978
- 21 holes **Ronald Whittaker** d. **Joon Lee**, Yale Univ. G.C., New Haven, Conn., 1988
- 21 holes **Charlie Beljan** d. **Brian Harman**, Atlanta Athletic Club (Highlands Course), Duluth, Ga., 2002
- 21 holes **David Chung** d. **Jamie Lovemark**, Longmeadow (Mass.) C.C., 2005
- 21 holes **Kevin Tway** d. **Tim McKenney**, Longmeadow (Mass.) C.C., 2005
- 20 holes **Kevin Wentworth** d. **Bill Wood**, Brookfield C.C., Clarence, N.Y., 1985
- 20 holes **Andrew Barnes** d. **Charles Howell**, Echo Lake C.C., Westfield, N.J., 1994
- 20 holes **Andrew Dresser** d. **Kevin Silva**, Oak Hills C.C., San Antonio, Texas, 2001
- 20 holes **Phillip Francis** d. **Sihwan Kim**, Rancho Santa Fe (Calif.) G.C., 2006
- 20 holes **Matthew Scobie** d. **Maverick McNealy**, Golf Club of New England, Stratham, N.H., 2012
- 20 holes **John Augenstein** d. **Sam Horsfield**, Martis Camp Club, Truckee, Calif., 2013

#### Most Extra-Hole Matches in Championship (Overall)

- 16 Yale G.C., New Haven, Conn., 1952
- 16 Purdue University G.C. (South Course), West Lafayette, Ind., 1955
- 13 Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla., 1953
- 13 Taconic G.C., Williamstown, Mass., 1956
- 13 Lochmoor Club, Grosse Pointe Woods, Mich., 1962

#### Most Extra-Hole Matches in Championship (Stroke-Play Era, Since 1964)

12 Richland G.C., Nashville, Tenn., 1975  
 12 Forest Highlands G.C., Flagstaff, Ariz., 1996  
 11 4 times

## Stroke Play

### Lowest Score, 9 Holes

29 **Eric Bae**, second nine, second round, The Club at Carlton Woods (Nicklaus Course), The Woodlands, Texas, 2014  
 29 **Yuki Moriyama**, first nine, second round, Baltusrol G.C. (Lower Course), Springfield, N.J., 2018  
 30 **James Vargas**, second nine, first round, Oak Hills C.C., San Antonio, Texas, 2001  
 30 **John Popeck**, second nine, first round, Longmeadow (Mass.) C.C., 2005  
 30 **Jorge Fernandez Valdes**, second nine, first round, Shoal Creek, Shoal Creek, Ala., 2008  
 30 **Justin Thomas**, second nine, second round, Egypt Valley C.C., Ada, Mich., 2010  
 30 **Sean Crocker**, first nine, second round, The Club at Carlton Woods (Nicklaus Course), The Woodlands, Texas, 2014  
 30 **Won Jun Lee**, first nine, first round, The Honors Course, Ooltewah, Tenn., 2016  
 30 **Kaito Onishi**, first nine, first round, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017  
 31 **Eddie Lee**, second nine, first round, Pumpkin Ridge G.C. (Ghost Creek), North Plains, Ore., 2000  
 31 **Brian Harman**, second nine, first round, The Olympic Club (Lake Course), San Francisco, Calif., 2004  
 31 **Tommy Chunghao Mou**, front nine, second round, Rancho Santa Fe G.C., Rancho Santa Fe, Calif., 2006  
 31 **Gavin Hall**, first nine, second round, Egypt Valley C.C., Ada, Mich., 2010  
 31 **Gavin Hall**, second nine, second round, Egypt Valley C.C., Ada, Mich., 2010  
 31 **Davis Womble**, second nine, first round, Egypt Valley C.C., Ada, Mich., 2010  
 31 **Wilson Bateman**, second nine, second round, Egypt Valley C.C., Ada, Mich., 2010  
 31 **Jordan Spieth**, first nine, second round, Egypt Valley C.C., Ada, Mich., 2010  
 31 **Joshua Sedeno**, second nine, first round, The Club at Carlton Woods (Nicklaus Course), The Woodlands, Texas, 2014  
 31 **Travis Vick**, second nine, first round, The Honors Course, Ooltewah, Tenn., 2016  
 31 **Wei Wei Gao**, first nine, first round, The Honors Course, Ooltewah, Tenn., 2016  
 31 **Brandon Mancheno**, first nine, first round, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017  
 31 **Ricky Castillo**, first nine, first round, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017  
 31 **Garrick Higgo**, first nine, second round, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017

31 **Joshua Armstrong**, first nine, second round, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017  
 31 **Matthew Wolff**, first nine, second round, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017  
 31 **Teddy Tetak**, first nine, second round, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017

### Lowest Score, 18 Holes

62 **Gavin Hall**, second round, Egypt Valley C.C., Ada, Mich., 2010  
 63 **Brandon Mancheno**, first round, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017  
 64 **Joe Monte**, first round, Longmeadow (Mass.) C.C., 2005  
 64 **Travis Vick**, first round, The Honors Course, Ooltewah, Tenn., 2016  
 65 **J.C. Deacon**, first round, Country Club of York (Pa.), 1999  
 65 **Scotty Campbell**, first round, Oak Hills C.C., San Antonio, Texas, 2001  
 65 **James Vargas**, first round, Oak Hills C.C., San Antonio, Texas, 2001  
 65 **Sam Saunders**, second round, Longmeadow (Mass.) C.C., 2005  
 65 **Jorge Fernandez Valdes**, first round, Shoal Creek, Shoal Creek, Ala., 2008  
 65 **Chandler Eaton**, second round, Colleton River Plantation Club (Dye Course), Bluffton, S.C., 2015  
 65 **Cole Hammer**, first round, The Honors Course, Ooltewah, Tenn., 2016  
 65 **Kaito Onishi**, first round, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017  
 65 **Cole Ponich**, first round, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017  
 65 **Teddy Tetak**, second round, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017  
 65 **Yuki Moriyama**, second round, Baltusrol G.C. (Lower Course), Springfield, N.J., 2018

### Lowest Score, 36 Holes

132 **James Vargas**, Oak Hills C.C., San Antonio, Texas, 2001 (medalist)  
 132 **Austin Eckroat**, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017 (medalist)  
 133 **Brian Harman**, The Olympic Club (Lake Course), San Francisco, Calif., 2004 (medalist)  
 133 **Sam Saunders**, Longmeadow (Mass.) C.C., 2005 (medalist)  
 133 **Kelly Chinn**, Baltusrol G.C. (Upper and Lower Courses), Springfield, N.J., 2018 (medalist)  
 134 **Sonny Nimkhum**, Country Club of York (Pa.), 1999 (medalist)  
 134 **Curtis Thompson**, Egypt Valley C.C., Ada, Mich., 2010 (medalist)  
 134 **Brandon Mancheno**, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017  
 134 **Cole Ponich**, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017

**Most Times Medalist**

2	<b>Willie Wood</b> (1977, 1978)
2	<b>Tiger Woods</b> (1991, 1992)
2	<b>Jim Liu</b> (2012, 2013)

**Most Players to Tie for Medalist**

4	<b>Chris Edgmon, Jason Worth, Chris Riley and Brian Gay</b> , Singing Hills G. & C.C., El Cajon, Calif., 1989
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**Most Competitors in Playoff**

15	Longmeadow (Mass.) C.C. (for nine places), 2005
14	Atlanta Athletic Club (Highlands Course), Duluth, Ga. (for eight places), 2002
13	The Honors Course, Ooletwah, Tenn. (for seven places), 2016

**Lowest Stroke-Play Cut****(Since stroke play/match play format added in 1964)**

146 (6-over)	Country Club of York (Pa.), 1999
146 (6-over)	Longmeadow (Mass.) C.C., 2005
148 (6-over)	Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017
148 (7-over)	Baltusrol G.C. (Upper and Lower Courses), Springfield, N.J., 2018
149 (5-over)	Egypt Valley C.C., Ada, Mich., 2010
149 (5-over)	The Club at Carlton Woods (Nicklaus Course), The Woodlands, Texas, 2014

**Highest Stroke-Play Cut****(Since stroke play/match play format added in 1964)**

165 (21-over)	Muirfield Village G.C., Dublin, Ohio, 1986
165 (21-over)	Lake Merced G. & C.C., Daly City, Calif., 1990
163 (19-over)	Ohio State University G.C. (Scarlet Course), Columbus, Ohio, 1977
163 (19-over)	Crooked Stick G.C., Carmel, Ind., 1982
162 (18-over)	The Country Club, Brookline, Mass., 1968

**Lowest 36-Hole Medalist Score**

132	<b>James Vargas</b> , Oak Hills C.C., San Antonio, Texas, 2001
132	<b>Austin Eckroat</b> , Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017
133	<b>Brian Harman</b> , The Olympic Club (Lake Course), San Francisco, Calif., 2004
133	<b>Sam Saunders</b> , Longmeadow (Mass.) C.C., 2005
133	<b>Kelly Chinn</b> , Baltusrol G.C. (Upper and Lower Courses), Springfield, N.J., 2018

**Highest 36-Hole Medalist Score**

152	<b>Michael Schafer</b> , Muirfield Village G.C., Dublin, Ohio, 1986
151	<b>Dennis Hillman</b> , Lake Merced G. & C.C., Daly City, Calif., 1990

148	<b>Nathaniel Crosby and Rick Fehr</b> , Moss Creek G.C., Hilton Head Island, S.C., 1965
148	<b>Robert Barbarossa and Arthur Russell</b> , Wilmington (Del.) C.C. (South Course), 1979

**Miscellaneous****Holes-In-One (15)**

<b>Terry Thomas</b> , 165-yard 14th hole, Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla., 1953
<b>Lloyd S. Monroe</b> , 175-yard 5th hole, Taconic G.C., Williamstown, Mass., 1956
<b>Terry Hurst</b> , 187-yard 4th hole, Lochmoor Club, Grosse Pointe, Mich., 1962
<b>Brian Gay</b> , 158-yard 11th hole, Singletree G.C., Edwards, Colo., 1987
<b>Ben Taylor</b> , 171-yard 17th hole, Wollaston G.C., Milton, Mass., 1992
<b>Brady Stockton</b> , 152-yard 7th hole, Fargo (N.D.) C.C., 1995
<b>Chanin Puntawong</b> , 181-yard 7th hole, Atlanta Athletic Club, Duluth, Ga., 2002
<b>Andrew DiBitetto</b> , 212-yard 4th hole, Columbia C.C., Chevy Chase, Md., 2003
<b>Sam Saunders</b> , 132-yard 4th hole, Longmeadow (Mass.) C.C., 2005
<b>Cory Whitsett</b> , 144-yard 7th hole, Rancho Santa Fe (Calif.) G.C., 2006
<b>David Lee</b> , 169-yard 16th hole, Egypt Valley C.C., Ada, Mich., 2010
<b>Wei Wei Gao</b> , 209-yard 3rd hole, The Honors Course, Ooltewah, Tenn., 2016
<b>Kaito Onishi</b> , 130-yard 10th hole, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017
<b>Tyler Jones</b> , 190-yard, 14th hole, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2017
<b>Luke Ludwig</b> , 176-yard, 15th hole, Baltusrol G.C. (Upper Course), Springfield, N.J., 2018

**Double Eagles (1)**

<b>Travis Vick</b> , 540-yard 8th hole (3-iron), Baltusrol G.C. (Upper Course), Springfield, N.J., 2018
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**Most Times Played in Championship**

5	<b>John Konsek</b> , 1953-57
5	<b>Jack Nicklaus</b> , 1953-57
5	<b>Robert Kirouac</b> , 1956-60
5	<b>Travis Whisman</b> , 1995-99
5	<b>James Vargas</b> , 1997-2001
5	<b>Jim Liu</b> , 2009-13
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