

**U.S. Senior
Amateur
Championship
67th
Record Book**

2022

Gene Elliott Wins the 2021 Championship

Gene Elliott finally owns that elusive USGA title. The 59-year-old from West Des Moines, Iowa, who has been one of the most accomplished amateur golfers in the post-World War II era not to have won a national championship, rallied to defeat Jerry Gunthorpe, 58, of Ovid, Mich., 1 up, in Thursday's 18-hole final of the 66th U.S. Senior Amateur Championship at the Country Club of Detroit.

Elliott, competing in his 36th USGA championship, never led until Gunthorpe failed to convert an 8-foot par putt on the 18th green. He now joins Chip Lutz and Paul Simson as the only players to have claimed the national senior titles of the U.S., Canada and Great Britain.

Earlier this summer, Elliott won the Senior Amateur Championship conducted by The R&A at Ganton Golf Club in England. He previously had won a pair of Canadian Senior Amateur titles, among his many accomplishments that also include victories in the prestigious Porter Cup and Terra Cotta Invitational as well as 15 Iowa state titles, three Iowa Amateurs among them.

He also joins Ed Updegraff (1981) as the only U.S. Senior Amateur champions from the state of Iowa.

Lately, the U.S. Senior Amateur has been claimed by players who have had distinguished careers, competitors such as Doug Hanzel (2013), Simson (2010, 2012), Lutz (2015), Sean Knapp (2017) and Jeff Wilson (2018). Elliott, the medalist in the 1999 U.S. Amateur who has competed in 15 U.S. Mid-Amateurs, fits into that category.

"That match was so tough that I am not sure, did I win?" said Elliott. "I guess it just hasn't sunk in yet. Just so much goes with that USGA title that maybe that's why I haven't won it in the past. It's just so important and so meaningful to win a USGA championship.

"I'm relieved. I'm very proud. I didn't do it by myself. I had a lot of help from a lot of different people, so it is a team win, really."

Gunthorpe was hoping to continue the Michigan mojo that began with Michigan State standout James Piot winning the U.S. Amateur at Oakmont (Pa.) Country Club nearly three weeks ago and carried through the Taylor Little League team's World Series championship in Williamsport, Pa., last Sunday. Right from the opening hole on another perfect weather day, Gunthorpe showed Elliott he was going to be a tough out, converting a 15-foot par putt to tie the hole.

It stayed close throughout with Elliott tying the match with a birdie on No. 7. Gunthorpe and Elliott swapped winning birdies on Nos. 9 and 10, and Elliott converted a 5-foot birdie on the 130-yard 13th after losing the previous hole with a bogey.

When Elliott missed a 2½-foot par putt on the 16th hole to go 1 down, it appeared Gunthorpe might be poised to put his name

on the trophy.

But a wayward drive to the right on the 524-yard, par-5 17th forced Gunthorpe to lay up, and his third shot came up 40 feet short of the flagstick. He left his birdie attempt 5 feet short and missed his par putt, and Elliott converted his 2-footer for par to tie the match.

Another drive to the right on the 421-yard closing hole left Gunthorpe with a tricky approach that had to carry the right-greenside bunker. He caught it flush and the ball caromed over the green. His recovery stopped 8 feet to the right of the flagstick. Elliott's approach found the middle of the green, and he coziered the 27-footer to within a foot for a conceded par.

When Gunthorpe failed to force the first extra-hole match in a U.S. Senior Amateur final in 18 years, hats came off and emotions flowed from both players.

"Maybe a little nerves there where I couldn't get the putter to release," said Gunthorpe of his two missed par putts on 17 and 18, his only two bogeys of the match. "I thought I put a good roll on [the long birdie attempt on 17]. Same thing with the second one [for par], but I might have missed my line just a little bit."

Elliott hugged his caddie, Adam Hanson, then had a long embrace with his wife, Dalena. He also was congratulated by his short-game coach, John Traub.

It capped off a memorable week for Elliott, who went through a gauntlet of tough opponents, beginning with fellow Iowan and 2013 U.S. Mid-Amateur champion Michael McCoy in the Round of 32, when he converted an 18-foot par putt to force extra holes. He defeated Hanzel, the top senior golfer in the World Amateur Golf Ranking®/WAGR® (Elliott is No. 2) in the Round of 16, Oakland Hills member and local favorite Tom Gieselman in the quarters and Craig Davis, who edged him in a playoff for the 2017 British Senior Amateur title, in the semifinals.

"We both played well. We both should hold our heads high. I said to him earlier, whether I won or lost I was probably going to cry. Just honored to be in the final."

And now with his name on a USGA trophy.

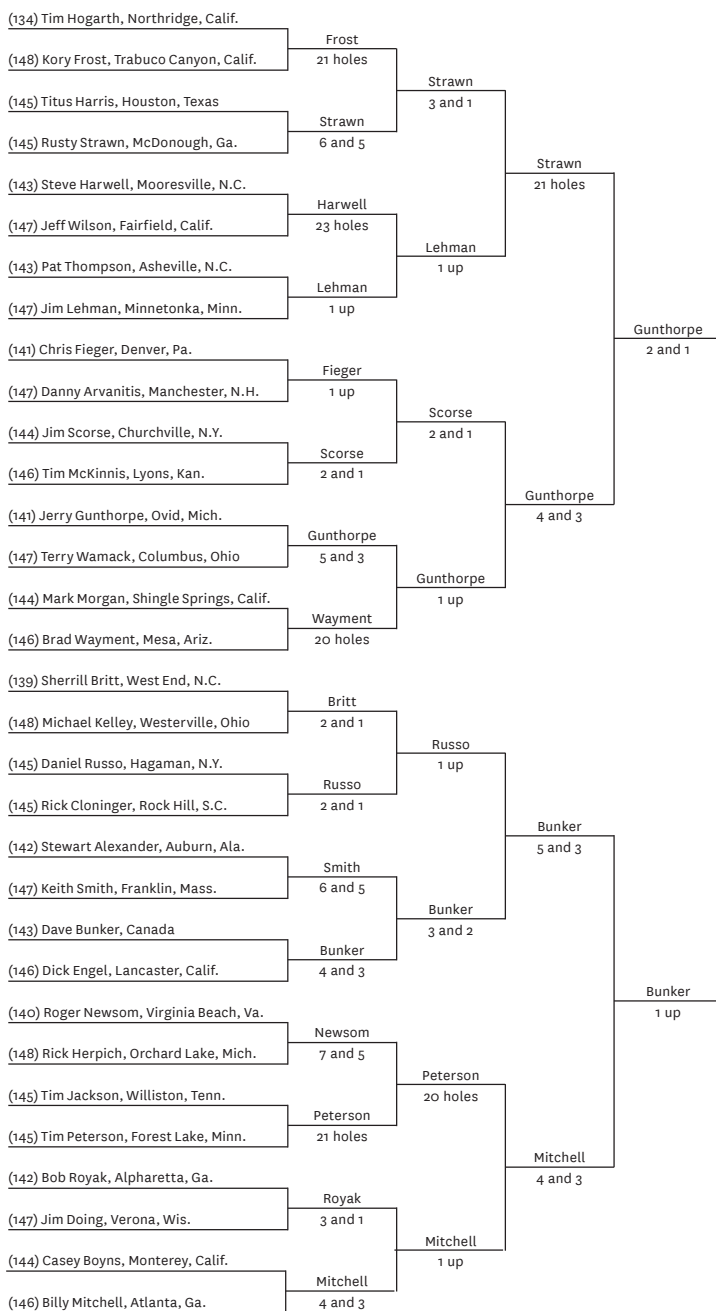
Notable

As the U.S. Senior Amateur champion, Gene Elliott will likely be paired in the 2022 U.S. Senior Open with reigning U.S. Senior Open champion Jim Furyk and reigning Senior British Open champion Stephen Dodd.

Michael McCoy, who is one of Elliott's closest friends and U.S. Amateur Four-Ball partner, emailed him on Wednesday night the clip of 1980 USA ice hockey coach Herb Brooks' speech to the team prior to the "Miracle on Ice" game against the Soviet Union. McCoy said he watched the speech on the eve of his 2013 U.S. Mid-Amateur final victory over Bill Williamson.

66th U.S. Senior Amateur Championship

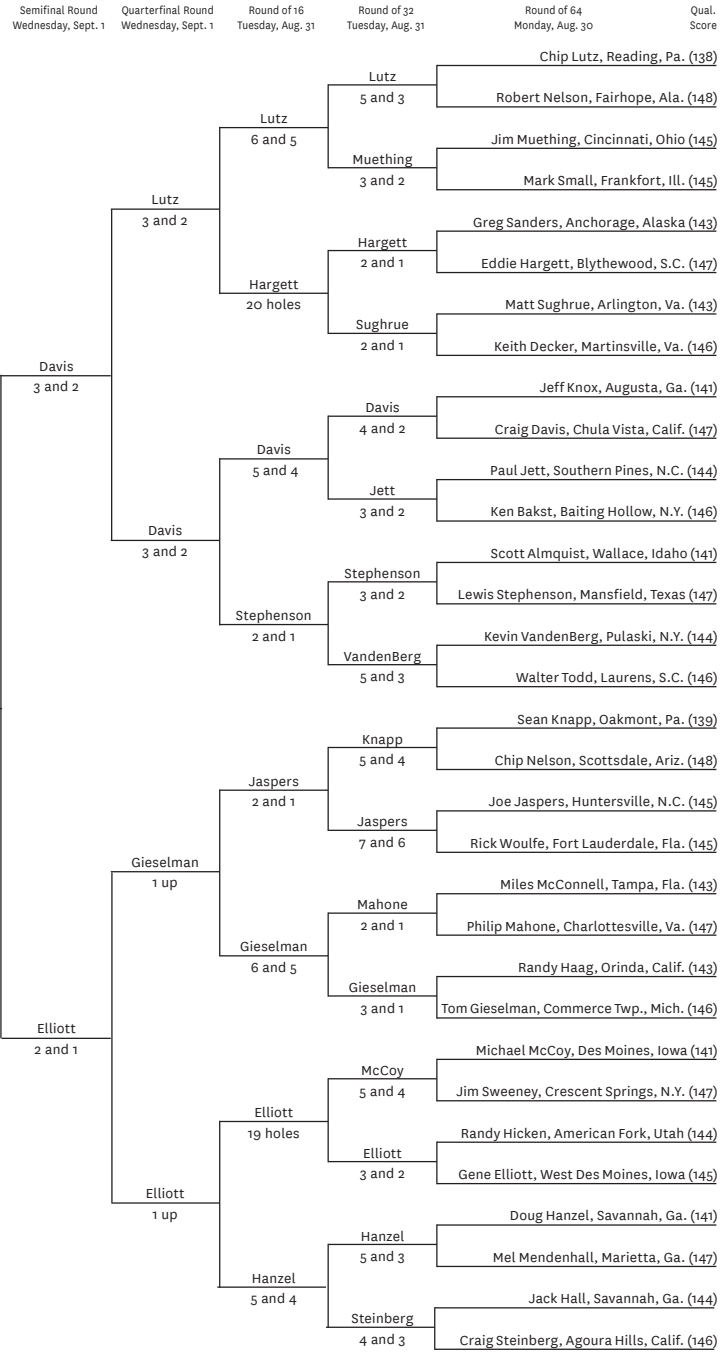
Qual. Score	Round of 64 Monday, Aug. 30	Round of 32 Tuesday, Aug. 31	Round of 16 Tuesday, Aug. 31	Quarterfinal Round Wednesday, Sept. 1	Semifinal Round Wednesday, Sept. 1
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Par: 36-36—72
Yardage: 6,901
Entries: 2,565

FINAL
 Thursday, Sept. 2
 Gene Elliott
 def.
 Jerry Gunthorpe,
 1 up

Aug. 28-Sept. 2, 2021, Country Club of Detroit, Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich.



Complete Stroke-Play Results

134	Tim Hogarth, Northridge, Calif., 69-65		
138	Chip Lutz, Reading, Pa., 68-70		
139	Sherrill Britt, West End, N.C., 71-68; Sean Knapp, Oakmont, Pa., 73-66		
140	Roger Newsom, Virginia Beach, Va., 69-71		
141	Scott Almquist, Wallace, Idaho, 68-73; Jeff Knox, Augusta, Ga., 68-73; Doug Hanzel, Savannah, Ga., 71-70; Michael McCoy, Des Moines, Iowa, 69-72; Jerry Gunthorpe, Ovid, Mich., 71-70; Chris Fieger, Denver, Pa., 69-72		
142	Stewart Alexander, Auburn, Ala., 74-68; Bob Royak, Alpharetta, Ga., 72-70		
143	Dave Bunker, Canada, 73-70; Greg Sanders, Anchorage, Alaska, 70-73; Randy Haag, Orinda, Calif., 73-70; Miles McConnell, Tampa, Fla., 69-74; Steve Harwell, Mooresville, N.C., 71-72; Pat Thompson, Asheville, N.C., 74-69; Matt Sughrue, Arlington, Va., 72-71		
144	Casey Boyns, Monterey, Calif., 73-71; Mark Morgan, Shingle Springs, Calif., 73-71; Jack Hall, Savannah, Ga., 69-75; Paul Jett, Southern Pines, N.C., 74-70; Kevin Vandenberg, Pulaski, N.Y., 71-73; Jim Scorse, Churchville, N.Y., 73-71; Randy Hicken, American Fork, Utah, 77-67		
145	Rick Woulfe, Fort Lauderdale, Fla., 75-70; Rusty Strawn, McDonough, Ga., 72-73; Gene Elliott, West Des Moines, Iowa, 74-71; Mark Small, Frankfort, Ill., 70-75; Tim Peterson, Forest Lake, Minn., 74-71; Joe Jaspers, Huntersville, N.C., 70-75; Jim Muething, Cincinnati, Ohio, 73-72; Rick Cloninger, Rock Hill, S.C., 74-71; Tim Jackson, Williston, Tenn., 73-72; Daniel Russo, Hagaman, N.Y., 72-73; Titus Harris, Houston, Texas, 75-70	146	Brad Wayment, Mesa, Ariz., 70-76; Craig Steinberg, Agoura Hills, Calif., 74-72; Dick Engel, Lancaster, Calif., 71-75; Tom Gieselman, Commerce Township, Mich., 76-70; Billy Mitchell, Atlanta, Ga., 73-73; Tim McKinnis, Lyons, Kan., 71-75; Ken Bakst, Baiting Hollow, N.Y., 70-76; Walter Todd, Laurens, S.C., 74-72; Keith Decker, Martinsville, Va., 73-73
		147	Jeff Wilson, Fairfield, Calif., 74-73; Craig Davis, Chula Vista, Calif., 72-75; Mel Mendenhall, Marietta, Ga., 79-68; Jim Sweeney, Crescent Springs, Ky., 74-73; Keith Smith, Franklin, Mass., 74-73; Jim Lehman, Minnetonka, Minn., 74-73; Danny Arvanitis, Manchester, N.H., 73-74; Terry Wamack, Columbus, Ohio, 73-74; Eddie Hargett, Blythewood, S.C., 74-73; Lewis Stephenson, Mansfield, Texas, 75-72; Philip Mahone, Charlottesville, Va., 76-71; Jim Doing, Verona, Wis., 74-73
		148	Robert Nelson, Fairhope, Ala., 74-74; Chip Nelson, Scottsdale, Ariz., 75-73; Kory Frost, Trabuco Canyon, Calif., 75-73; Rick Herpich, Orchard Lake, Mich., 76-72; Michael Kelley, Westerville, Ohio, 76-72

Failed to Qualify

149	Robin Bradbury, Berthoud, Colo., 73-76; Elso Caponi, Oviedo, Fla., 73-76; Richard Kerper, Oldsmar, Fla., 75-74; Ken Kinkopf, Jupiter, Fla., 78-71; Joe Palmer, Norwalk, Iowa, 73-76; Terry Werner, Dyer, Ind., 76-73; Buddy Bryant, Pee Wee Valley, Ky., 76-73; Preston Edmondson, Morrisville, N.C., 75-74; John Sajevic, Fremont, Neb., 75-74; Joe Roeder, Marlton, N.J., 77-72; Pat Dougherty, North Wales, Pa., 74-75; John Pierce, San Antonio, Texas, 75-74	156	Scott Briggs, Burlington, Iowa, 80-76; Dave Ryan, Taylorville, Ill., 76-80; Vance Welch, Scaggsville, Md., 75-81; David Pfeil, St. Louis, Mo., 81-75; Blake Gibson, Yukon, Okla., 76-80
150	Gordy McKeown, Little Rock, Ark., 74-76; Scott Anderson Sr., Bakersfield, Calif., 75-75; John McClure, Los Angeles, Calif., 74-76; Edward Parnell, Altamonte Springs, Fla., 76-74; Doug Stiles, Athens, Ga., 74-76; Frank Vana, Boxford, Mass., 74-76; Timothy Rypien, Spokane, Wash., 73-77	157	Jim Reynolds, Denver, Colo., 74-83; Mike Hooper, Fairfield, Conn., 80-77; Joe Shaktman, Coral Springs, Fla., 78-79; Patrick Mohan, Elkhart, Ind., 74-83; Ken Peacock, Brandon, Miss., 80-77; Brian Westveer, Charlotte, N.C., 78-79; Jim Volpenhein, Cincinnati, Ohio, 78-79; Neal Barfield, Dallas, Texas, 80-77; Nick Raffaele, Spicewood, Texas, 80-77; Steven Galing, Burke, Va., 78-79
151	Gianluca Bolla, Italy, 75-76; Neil Moore, Redondo Beach, Calif., 79-72; Mike Arnold, Mooresville, N.C., 76-75; Jim Ihm, Peosta, Iowa, 77-74; Mike McKenna, Danvers, Mass., 77-74; Dean Godek, Feeding Hills, Mass., 71-80; Steve Gollhofer, Knoxville, Tenn., 74-77; David Ortego, Spring, Texas, 76-75; Jon Kosier, Argyle, Texas, 74-77; Arthur Sellinger, Fort Worth, Texas, 76-75; Rick Lloyd, Sandy, Utah, 73-78	158	Michael Staskus, Los Altos, Calif., 78-80; John Foster, Woodstock, Ga., 80-78; Anton Salome, Socorro, N.M., 80-78
152	Donald Burns, Jamesville, N.Y., 74-78; John Fisher, Opelika, Ala., 75-77; Chris Chocola, Harbor Springs, Mich., 79-73; Bob Rolston, Hopkins, Minn., 78-74; William Winter II, Portland, Ore., 73-79	159	Steve Rogers, Bowling Green, Ky., 77-82; Ronald Kilby, Lakeway, Texas, 79-80; Dana Nelson, Salt Lake City, Utah, 75-84
153	Mark Gardiner, Ramstein AF Europe, 78-75; Iain MacDonald, Fullerton, Calif., 73-80; Jeff Wright, San Francisco, Calif., 75-78; Kenneth Coutant, Dallas, Texas, 80-73	160	Mark Eriksen, Clarkston, Mich., 82-78; Bob Johnston, Emmerson, N.J., 82-78
154	Scott Cuppett, Vista, Calif., 76-78; Andrew Fogarty, Naples, Fla., 77-77; Gary Ellis, Norwalk, Iowa, 79-75; Andy Gabelman, Barrington, Ill., 72-82; Bryan Norton, Overland Park, Kan., 79-75; Dan Harding, Wellesley, Mass., 79-75; Richard Holland, Bethesda, Md., 76-78; Bart Goodwin, Flower Mound, Texas, 80-74	161	Don Reycroft, Chandler, Ariz., 80-81; Glenn Hogle, Seattle, Wash., 81-80; Toshi Hirata, Japan, 81-80; Lee Kolquist, Geneva, Ill., 81-80; Glenn Smeraglio, Newtown, Pa., 80-81
155	Bill Fowler, Lakewood, Colo. 78-77; Darin Eddy, Marshfield, Mass., 75-80; Paul Simson, Raleigh, N.C., 78-77; Tore Carlson, Katonah, N.Y., 77-78	162	Darryl Osler, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla., 83-79
		163	Tony Padilla, Sacramento, Calif., 80-83; Tom Lefebvre, Upper Saddle River, N.J., 83-80
		164	Robert Polk, Parker, Colo., 81-83; Fred Ridley, Tampa, Fla., 85-79; James Starnes, Fort Myers, Fla., 80-84; Scott Spielmann, Mount Prospect, Ill., 79-85; Vince Price, Portland, Ore., 84-80
		165	Dave Clarke, Steubenville, Ohio, 83-82
		166	Tommy Reynolds, Sioux Falls, S.D., 83-83
		171	Kevin Hubbs, Denham Springs, La., 85-86
		DQ	Steve Vernasco, Fort Wayne, Ind., 77; Jim Murphy, Crestwood, Ky., 83

Championship History

The remarkable growth of senior golf prompted the USGA to establish the Senior Amateur Championship in 1955. Many senior golf associations had been founded on the local, state and regional levels, proving that the competitive instinct among golfers was not diminished by age.

In 1955, the notion of a tournament only for seniors was not a new one. Fifty years earlier, The Apawamis Club in Rye, N.Y., had started the oldest senior competition still in existence, which led directly to the formation of the U.S. Senior Golf Association, a private organization not linked to the USGA.

Apawamis extended invitations to golfers 60 years of age and older. When the response was not overwhelming, the age minimum was dropped to 55 to gather a representative field. Thus was the definition of a senior amateur golfer established.

The U.S. Senior Golf Association conducted a fine tournament, but membership in the organization was limited, and a long waiting list developed. Because there was no single event open to all senior amateurs, the USGA was asked to start a true national championship. The Senior Amateur was added to the schedule in 1955. Entries were open to golfers age 55 and over who had handicaps not over 10 strokes.

The addition of the U.S. Senior Amateur gave the USGA exactly twice as many championships as it had conducted before World War II, when there were just four: the Amateur, Open and Women's Amateur, started in 1895, and the Amateur Public Links (1922). From World War II until 1955, the USGA added four more: the Junior Amateur (1948), the Girls' Junior (1949), the Women's Open (1953) and the Senior Amateur (1955). The USGA now conducts 14 national championships for individuals, 10 of which are strictly for amateurs.

The first U.S. Senior Amateur at Belle Meade Country Club in Nashville, Tenn., drew 370 entries from 30 states and the District of Columbia. J. Wood Platt, 56, the eight-time Philadelphia Amateur champion, defeated George Studinger of San Francisco, 5 and 4, in the final.

In 1959, J. Clark Espie, who also won in 1957, became the Senior Amateur's first two-time champion. Lewis W. Oehmig, a record six-time finalist, is the only three-time winner (1972, 1976, 1985).

Since 1994, O. Gordon Brewer, Bill Shean Jr., Kemp Richardson and Paul Simson have won multiple titles. Richardson's father, John, won the 1987 Senior Amateur, making them the first father/son duo to win USGA championships. Brothers Stan and Louis Lee also won Senior Amateur titles in 2007 and 2011, respectively. George "Buddy" Marucci Jr., the runner-up to Tiger Woods in the 1995 U.S. Amateur, won the 2008 championship. In 2007 and 2009, Marucci captained the USA Walker Cup Teams to victory.

Senior Amateur contestants may ride in carts, a concession not allowed when the championship was first played. Traditionalists, who believed walking was vital to a valid national title, finally gave in because the championship is played in the fall, when it is difficult to obtain caddies. Carts have been allowed since 1963.

In 2020, the U.S. Senior Amateur was canceled due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Championship Results: 1955 to 2021

1955	(Sept. 26 – Oct. 1) J. Wood Platt d. George Studinger , 5 and 4; Belle Meade C.C., Nashville, Tenn.; Medalist — 72, Martin M. Issler ; Entries: 370	1970	(Sept. 21-26) Gene Andrews d. James Ferrie , 1 up; California G.C. of San Francisco, South San Francisco, Calif.; Medalist — 147, Bruce N. McCormick ; Entries: 683
1956	(Aug. 20-25) Frederick J. Wright d. J. Clark Espie , 4 and 3; Somerset C.C., St. Paul, Minn.; Medalist — 72, Weller Noble ; Entries: 282	1971	(Sept. 20-25) Tom Draper d. Ernest Pieper Jr. , 3 and 1; Sunnybrook G.C., Plymouth Meeting, Pa.; Medalist — 148, Robert E. Cochran ; Entries: 655
1957	(Sept. 30 – Oct. 5) J. Clark Espie d. Frederick J. Wright , 2 and 1; Ridgewood (N.J.) C.C. (West and Center nines); Medalist — 73, Thomas M. Green Jr. ; Entries: 349	1972	(Sept. 18-23) Lewis W. Oehmig d. Ernest Pieper Jr. , 20 holes; Sharon G.C., Sharon Center, Ohio; Medalist — 145, William Hyndman III ; Entries: 617
1958	(Sept. 29 – Oct. 4) Thomas C. Robbins d. John W. Dawson , 2 and 1; Monterey Peninsula C.C., Pebble Beach, Calif.; Medalist — *71, (Dunes Course), J. Clark Espie ; Entries: 370	1973	(Sept. 17-22) William Hyndman III d. Harry Welch , 3 and 2; Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill.; Medalists — 147, Sam Friedman , William Hyndman III ; Entries: 633
1959	(Oct. 5-10) J. Clark Espie d. J. Wolcott Brown , 3 and 1; Memphis (Tenn.) C.C.; Medalists — 73, J. Wolcott Brown , George Dawson ; Entries: 391	1974	(Sept. 23-28) Dale Morey d. Lewis W. Oehmig , 4 and 2; Harbour Town G.L., Hilton Head Island, S.C.; Medalist — 144, Ed Tutwiler ; Entries: 743
1960	(Sept. 19-25) Michael Cestone d. David Rose , 20 holes; Oyster Harbors Club, Osterville, Mass.; Medalist — 74, S.S. Rockey ; Entries: 517	1975	(Sept. 22-27) William F. Colm d. Stephen Stimac , 4 and 3; Carmel Valley G. & C.C., Carmel, Calif.; Medalist — 143, William Hyndman III ; Entries: 737
1961	(Oct. 2-7) Dexter H. Daniels d. Col. William K. Lanman Jr. , 2 and 1; Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla.; Medalist — 74, Joseph Morrill Jr. ; Entries: 481	1976	(Sept. 20-25) Lewis W. Oehmig d. John Richardson , 4 and 3; Cherry Hills C.C., Englewood, Colo.; Medalist — 145, Ed Tutwiler ; Entries: 833
1962	(Oct. 1-6) Merrill L. Carlsmith d. Willis H. Blakely , 4 and 2; Evanston G.C., Skokie, Ill.; Medalists — 72, James M. Johnson , Henry L. Robison , William S. Terrell ; Entries: 525	1977	(Sept. 19-24) Dale Morey d. Lewis W. Oehmig , 4 and 3; Salem C.C., Peabody, Mass.; Medalist — 143, Dale Morey ; Entries: 789
1963	(Oct. 7-12) Merrill L. Carlsmith d. William D. Higgins , 3 and 2; Sea Island G.C., St. Simons Island, Ga.; all match play; Entries: 494	1978	(Oct. 2-7) Keith K. Compton d. John Kline , 1 up; Pine Tree G.C., Boynton Beach, Fla.; Medalist — 143, William Stewart ; Entries: 930
1964	(Oct. 5-10) William D. Higgins d. Edward Murphy , 2 and 1; Waverley C.C., Portland, Ore.; Medalist — 150, A.L. "Jim" Miller ; Entries: 357	1979	(Sept. 17-22) William C. Campbell d. Lewis W. Oehmig , 2 and 1; Chicago G.C., Wheaton, Ill.; Medalists — 143, Dale Morey , William C. Campbell ; Entries: 1,023
1965	(Oct. 4-9) Robert B. Kiersky d. George Beechler , 19 holes; Fox Chapel G.C., Pittsburgh, Pa.; Medalist — 149, Curtis Person Sr. ; Entries: 448	1980	(Sept. 15-20) William C. Campbell d. Keith K. Compton , 3 and 2; Virginia Hot Springs G. & T.C. (Cascades Course), Hot Springs, Va.; Medalist — 147, William C. Campbell ; Entries: 1,000
1966	(Sept. 26 – Oct. 1) Dexter H. Daniels d. George Beechler , 1 up; Tucson (Ariz.) National G.C.; Medalist — 143, Curtis Person Sr. ; Entries: 449	1981	(Sept. 21-26) Edgar R. Updegraff d. Dale Morey , 2 and 1; Seattle (Wash.) G.C.; Medalist — 148, Edgar R. Updegraff ; Entries: 952
1967	(Sept. 25-30) Ray Palmer d. Walter D. Bronson , 3 and 2, Shinnecock Hills G.C., Southampton, N.Y.; Medalists — 153, J. Wolcott Brown , David Goldman , Ray Palmer ; Entries: 563	1982	(Oct. 4-9) Alton Duhon d. Edgar R. Updegraff , 2 up; Tucson (Ariz.) C.C.; Medalist — 142, Roger McManus ; Entries: 1,104
1968	(Sept. 23-28) Curtis Person Sr. d. Ben Goodes , 2 and 1; Atlanta (Ga.) C.C.; Medalist — 146, John C. Tullio ; Entries: 674	1983	(Sept. 19-24) William Hyndman III d. Richard Runkle , 1 up; Crooked Stick G.C., Carmel, Ind.; Medalist — 148, Edgar R. Updegraff ; Entries: 1,102
1969	(Sept. 15-20) Curtis Person Sr. d. David Goldman , 1 up; Wichita (Kan.) C.C.; Medalist — 146, David Goldman ; Entries: 576	1984	(Sept. 17-22) Robert Rawlins d. Richard Runkle , 19 holes; Birmingham (Mich.) C.C.; Medalist — 144, William C. Campbell ; Entries: 1,159
		1985	(Sept. 30 – Oct. 5) Lewis W. Oehmig d. Ed Hopkins , 20 holes; Wild Dunes B. & R.C., Isle of Palms, S.C.; Medalist — 143, Ed Hopkins ; Entries: 1,345

1986	(Sept. 15-20) R.S. "Bo" Williams d. John Harbottle , 3 and 2; Interlachen C.C., Edina, Minn.; Medalist — 149, William Hyndman III ; Entries: 1,362		
1987	(Sept. 15-20) John Richardson d. James Kite Jr. , 5 and 4; Saucon Valley C.C. (Old Course), Bethlehem, Pa.; Medalist — 145, John Richardson ; Entries: 1,485		
1988	(Sept. 19-24) Clarence Moore d. Bud Stevens , 5 and 4; Milwaukee (Wis.) C.C.; Medalists — 148, John Harbottle , Richard Goerlich Jr. ; Entries: 1,440		
1989	(Sept. 18-23) R.S. "Bo" Williams d. Joe Simpson , 19 holes; Lochinvar G.C., Houston, Texas; Medalist — 147, Frank Tenfel ; Entries: 1,508		
1990	(Oct. 15-20) Jackie Cummings d. Bobby Clark , 3 and 2; Desert Forest C.C., Carefree, Ariz.; Medalist — 150, William Godden ; Entries: 1,658		
1991	(Sept. 16-21) Bill Bosshard d. Morris Beecroft , 5 and 4; Crystal Downs C.C., Frankfort, Mich.; Medalists — 150, Clarence Moore , Morris Beecroft ; Entries: 1,724		
1992	(Oct. 19-24) Clarence Moore d. Robert Harris , 6 and 4; The Loxahatchee Club, Jupiter, Fla.; Medalists — 151, John Procter , Bob Hullender ; Entries: 2,058		
1993	(Sept. 18-23) Joe Ungvary d. Jerry Nelson , 7 and 6; Farmington C.C., Charlottesville, Va.; Medalist — 136, John Harbottle ; Entries: 2,275		
1994	(Sept. 19-24) O. Gordon Brewer d. Bob Hullender , 5 and 4; The Champions G.C., Nicholasville, Ky.; Medalist — 141, Bob Hullender ; Entries: 2,046		
1995	(Sept. 27 - Oct. 2) James Stahl Jr. d. Rennie Law , 2 and 1; Prairie Dunes C.C., Hutchinson, Kan.; Medalist — 141, William Erwin ; Entries: 2,069		
1996	(Sept. 7-12) O. Gordon Brewer d. Heyward Sullivan , 2 up; Taconic G.C., Williamstown, Mass.; Medalist — 141, Bob Wernick ; Entries: 2,131		
1997	(Sept. 20-25) Cliff Cunningham d. Ed Bartlett , 5 and 3; Atlantic G.C., Bridgehampton, N.Y.; Medalists — 146, Bill Heldmar , Edward Fletcher ; Entries: 2,140		
1998	(Sept. 12-17) Bill Shean Jr. d. William King , 5 and 3; Skokie C.C., Glencoe, Ill.; Medalist — 144, Jim Gibbons ; Entries: 2,149		
1999	(Oct. 2-7) Bill Ploeger d. Gary Menzel , 3 and 2; Portland (Ore.) G.C.; Medalist — 143, Joel Hirsch ; Entries: 2,026		
2000	(Sept. 23-29) Bill Shean Jr. d. Richard Van Leuvan , 2 and 1; Charlotte (N.C.) C.C.; Medalist — 144, Marvin "Vinny" Giles III ; Entries: 2,265		
2001	(Sept. 8-13) Kemp Richardson d. Bill Ploeger , 2 and 1; Norwood Hills C.C., St. Louis, Mo.; Medalist — 142, Joe Cadle ; Entries: 2,242		
2002	(Sept. 28 - Oct. 3) Greg Reynolds d. Mark Bemowski , 4 and 3; Timuquana C.C., Jacksonville, Fla.; Medalist — 139, Billy Clagett ; Entries: 2,357		
2003	(Sept. 6-11) Kemp Richardson d. Frank Abbott , 19 holes; The Virginian G.C., Bristol, Va.; Medalist — 137, Robert Kulp ; Entries: 2,252		
2004	(Oct. 9-14) Mark Bemowski d. Greg Reynolds , 4 and 3, Bel-Air C.C., Los Angeles, Calif.; Medalist — 144, Ronald Vannelli ; Entries: 2,420		
2005	(Sept. 17-22) Mike Rice d. Mark Bemowski , 1 up, The Farm G.C., Rocky Face, Ga.; Medalist — 134, Billy Clagett ; Entries: 2,498		
2006	(Sept. 16-21) Mike Bell d. Tom McGraw , 1 up, Victoria National G.C., Newburgh, Ind.; Medalists — 143, Bill Leonard , Paul Simson ; Entries: 2,448		
2007	(Sept. 1-6) Stan Lee d. Sam Farlow , 4 and 3, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan.; Medalist — 137, Steve Bogan ; Entries: 2,255		
2008	(Sept. 20-25) George "Buddy" Marucci Jr. d. George Zahringer , 2 up; Shady Oaks C.C., Fort Worth, Texas; Medalist — 140, Paul Simson ; Entries: 2,393		
2009	(Sept. 12-17) Marvin "Vinny" Giles III d. John Grace , 1 up; Beverly C.C., Chicago, Ill.; Medalists — 140, Paul Simson , Patrick Tallent ; Entries: 2,182		
2010	(Oct. 2-7) Paul Simson d. Patrick Tallent , 2 and 1; Lake Nona G. & C.C., Orlando, Fla.; Medalist — 140, Patrick Tallent ; Entries: 2,287		
2011	(Sept. 10-15) Louis Lee d. Philip Pleat , 1 up; Kinloch G.C., Manakin-Sabot, Va.; Medalist — 139, Paul Simson ; Entries: 2,162		
2012	(Sept. 29 - Oct. 4) Paul Simson d. Curtis Skinner , 4 and 3; Mountain Ridge C.C., West Caldwell, N.J.; Medalist — 136, Jim Holtgrieve ; Entries: 2,260		
2013	(Sept. 21-26) Doug Hanzel d. Pat O'Donnell , 3 and 2; Wade Hampton G.C., Cashiers, N.C.; Medalist — 138, Chip Lutz ; Entries: 2,352		
2014	(Sept. 13-18) Patrick Tallent d. Bryan Norton , 2 and 1; Big Canyon C.C., Newport Beach, Calif.; Medalist — 137, Alan Fadel ; Entries: 2,252		
2015	(Sept. 26 - Oct. 1) Chip Lutz d. Tom Brandes , 5 and 3; Hidden Creek G.C., Egg Harbor Township, N.J.; Medalist — 138, Randal Lewis ; Entries: 2,381		
2016	(Sept. 17-22) Dave Ryan d. Matthew Sughrue , 2 up; Old Warson C.C., St. Louis, Mo.; Medalist — 138, Tim Jackson ; Entries: 2,382		

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- 2017 (Aug. 26-31) **Sean Knapp** d. **Paul Simson**, 2 and 1; The Minikahda Club, Minneapolis, Minn.; Medalist — 138, **David Brown**; Entries: 2,395
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- 2018 (Aug. 25-30) **Jeff Wilson** d. **Sean Knapp**, 2 and 1; Eugene (Ore.) C.C.; Medalists — 139, **Gregory Condon**, **Jeff Wilson**; Entries: 2,381
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- 2019 (Aug. 24-29) **Bob Royak** d. **Roger Newsom**, 1 up; Old Chatham G.C., Durham, N.C.; Medalists — 142, **Dean Channell**, **Doug Hanzel**, **Michael McCoy**; Entries: 2,466
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- 2020 No Championship: COVID-19 pandemic
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- 2021 (Aug. 28-Sept. 2) **Gene Elliott** d. **Jerry Gunthorpe**, 1 up; C.C. of Detroit, Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich.; Medalist — -134, **Tim Hogarth**; Entries: §2,565
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* Record qualifying score, 18 holes (1958)

• Record qualifying score, 36 holes (2005, 2021)

§ Record entry (2021)

Records

Age

Oldest Champion

69/4/25	Lewis W. Oehmig, 1985
67/8/30	William Hyndman III, 1983
66/8/13	Marvin "Vinny" Giles III, 2009
66	John Richardson, 1987

Youngest Champion (years/months/days)

55/0/5	Stan Lee, 2007
55/2/0	Louis Lee, 2011
55/2/16	Jeff Wilson, 2018
55/3/18	Bill Bosshard, 1991

Oldest Qualifier for Championship

76/7/20	Marvin "Vinny" Giles III (76-76, failed to qualify), 2019
75/10/10	Andy Andreola (79-87, failed to qualify), 1994
75/7/21	Marvin "Vinny" Giles III (81-78, failed to qualify), 2018
75/1/20	Mike Rice (78-74, failed to qualify), 2015
75/1/4	Moot Thomas (85-84, failed to qualify), 2005

Oldest Medalist

71	A.L. "Jim" Miller, 1964
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Champions

Most Victories

3	Lewis W. Oehmig (1972, 1976, 1985)
2	J. Clark Espie (1957, 1959)
2	Dexter H. Daniels (1961, 1966)
2	Merrill L. Carlsmith (1962, 1963)
2	Curtis Person Sr. (1968, 1969)
2	William Hyndman III (1973, 1983)
2	Dale Morey (1974, 1977)
2	William C. Campbell (1979, 1980)
2	R.S. "Bo" Williams (1986, 1989)
2	Clarence Moore (1988, 1992)
2	O. Gordon Brewer (1994, 1996)
2	Bill Shean Jr. (1998, 2000)
2	Kemp Richardson (2001, 2003)
2	Paul Simson (2010, 2012)

Most Consecutive Victories

2	Merrill L. Carlsmith (1962, 1963)
2	Curtis Person Sr. (1968, 1969)
2	William C. Campbell (1979, 1980)

Most Times in Final

6	Lewis W. Oehmig (1972, 1974, 1976, 1977, 1979, 1985)
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Winners of U.S. Senior Amateur and U.S. Amateur (2)

William C. Campbell (1979, 1980 Senior Amateur; 1964 Amateur)
Marvin "Vinny" Giles III (2009 Senior Amateur; 1972 Amateur)

Winner of U.S. Senior Amateur and U.S. Amateur Public Links (1)

Gene Andrews (1970 Senior Amateur; 1954 Amateur Public Links)

Winner of U.S. Senior Amateur, U.S. Amateur and British Amateur (1)

Marvin "Vinny" Giles III (2009 Senior Amateur; 1972 Amateur; 1975 British Amateur)
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Winners of U.S. Senior Amateur, British Seniors Amateur and Canadian Men's Senior Amateur (3)

*Paul Simson (2010, 2012 U.S. Senior Amateur; 2006, 2008, 2010 British Seniors Amateur; 2010 Canadian Men's Senior Amateur)
Chip Lutz (2015 U.S. Senior Amateur; 2011, 2012, 2016 British Seniors Amateur; 2011, 2012 Canadian Men's Senior Amateur)
Gene Elliott (2021 U.S. Senior Amateur; 2021 British Seniors Amateur; 2017, 2019 Canadian Men's Senior Amateur)
<i>*won all three championships in same year</i>

Brother Champions

Stan Lee (2007) and Louis Lee (2011)

Father-Son Champions

John Richardson (1987, father) and Kemp Richardson (2001, 2003, son)
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Longest Span Between Victories

10 years	William Hyndman III (1973, 1983)
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Course

Longest Course

7,130 yards	Old Chatham G.C., Durham, N.C., 2019
7,061 yards	Old Warson C.C., St. Louis, Mo., 2016

Shortest Course

6,236 yards	Monterey Peninsula C.C. (Dunes Course), Pebble Beach, Calif., 1958
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Entries

Largest

2,565 (2021)
2,498 (2005)
2,466 (2019)

Smallest

282 (1956)

Match Play

Largest Margin of Victory

8 and 7 **Christopher A. Carr** d. **J. Wood Platt**, first round, Ridgewood (N.J.) C.C. (West and Center nines), 1957
8 and 7 **George Dawson** d. **Dewey P. Bowen**, first round, Memphis (Tenn.) C.C., 1959
8 and 7 **Eugene Belleville** d. **O.M. Masters**, first round, Sea Island G.C., St. Simons Island, Ga., 1963
8 and 7 **Dr. Gene Taano** d. **Jay Gaines**, first round, Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill., 1973
8 and 7 **R.S. "Bo" Williams** d. **Richard Mosman**, second round, Interlachen C.C., Edina, Minn., 1986
8 and 7 **Frederick Kask** d. **Dick Christensen**, first round, The Loxahatchee Club, Jupiter, Fla., 1992
8 and 7 **Bob Housen** d. **James Kite**, quarterfinals, The Champions G.C., Nicholasville, Ky., 1994
8 and 7 **Joe Ungvary** d. **Lou Clinton**, second round, Prairie Dunes C.C., Hutchinson, Kan., 1995
8 and 7 **Paul Simson** d. **Brian Sachs**, first round, Victoria National G.C., Newburgh, Ind., 2006
8 and 7 **Paul Royak** d. **Kenneth Coutant**, first round, Old Chatham G.C., Durham, N.C., 2019
8 and 6 **George Haggarty** d. **Henry L. Moore**, second round, Evanston G.C., Skokie, Ill., 1962
8 and 6 **Ernest Pieper Jr.** d. **Jack House**, quarterfinals, Sunnybrook G.C., Plymouth Meeting, Pa., 1971
8 and 6 **Merle Getten** d. **David Goldman Sr.**, first round, Carmel Valley G. & C.C., Carmel, Calif., 1975
8 and 6 **Paul Severin** d. **A.M. Walker**, first round, Pine Tree G.C., Boynton Beach, Fla., 1978
8 and 6 **William C. Campbell** d. **Robert Willits**, semifinals, Chicago G.C., Wheaton, Ill., 1979
8 and 6 **Lew Oehmig** d. **Robert Clarke**, third round, Birmingham (Mich.) C.C., 1984
8 and 6 **Mike Rice** d. **Jack Vardaman**, semifinals, The Farm G.C., Rocky Face, Ga., 2005
8 and 6 **Jerry Greenbaum** d. **Eddie Bass**, first round, Victoria National G.C., Newburgh, Ind., 2006
8 and 6 **Mike Bell** d. **Rene Williams**, first round, Victoria National G.C., Newburgh, Ind., 2006

Largest Margin of Victory, Final

7 and 6 **Joe Ungvary** d. **Jerry Nelson**, Farmington C.C.,

Charlottesville, Va., 1993
6 and 4 **Clarence Moore** d. **Robert Harris**, The Loxahatchee Club, Jupiter, Fla., 1992

Largest Margin of Victory, Semifinal

8 and 6 **William C. Campbell** d. **Robert Willits**, Chicago G.C., Wheaton, Ill., 1979
8 and 6 **Mike Rice** d. **Jack Vardaman**, The Farm G.C., Rocky Face, Ga., 2005
7 and 6 **Frederick J. Wright** d. **James S. Manion**, Somerset C.C., St. Paul, Minn., 1956
7 and 6 **Alton Duhon** d. **Dick Giddings**, Tucson (Ariz.) C.C., 1982
6 and 5 **George Studinger** d. **Ewing Watkins**, Belle Meade C.C., Nashville, Tenn., 1955
6 and 5 **James Kite Jr.** d. **George Holland**, Saucon Valley C.C., Bethlehem, Pa., 1987
6 and 5 **Bob Hullender** d. **Bob Housen**, The Champions G.C., Nicholasville, Ky., 1994
6 and 5 **Bill Ploeger** d. **Curtis Wagner**, Portland (Ore.) G.C., 1999

Largest Margin of Victory, Quarterfinal

8 and 7 **Bob Housen** d. **James Kite Jr.**, The Champions G.C., Nicholasville, Ky., 1994
8 and 6 **Ernest Pieper Jr.** d. **Jack House**, Sunnybrook G.C., Plymouth Meeting, Pa., 1971
7 and 5 **Raymond Palmer** d. **Alan Howard**, Ridgewood (N.J.) C.C. (West and Center nines), 1957
7 and 5 **Roger McManus** d. **Ralph Bogart**, Seattle (Wash.) G.C., 1981
6 and 5 **John W. Dawson** d. **Harold B. Ryder**, Monterey Peninsula G.C., Pebble Beach, Calif., 1958
6 and 5 **Ben Goodes** d. **Henry L. Robison**, Atlanta (Ga.) C.C., 1968
6 and 5 **Ernest Pieper Jr.** d. **Dick Giddings**, Sharon G.C., Sharon Center, Ohio, 1972
6 and 5 **Morris Beecroft** d. **Joe Simpson**, Crystal Downs C.C., Frankfort, Mich., 1991
6 and 5 **Rennie Law** d. **Bill Bosshard**, Prairie Dunes C.C., Hutchinson, Kan., 1995
6 and 5 **Patrick Tallent** d. **Michael Turner**, Wade Hampton G.C., Cashiers, N.C., 2013
6 and 5 **Steven Liebler** d. **Kevin Cahill**, Hidden Creek G.C, Egg Harbor Township, N.J., 2015
6 and 5 **Bob Royak** d. **Walter Todd**, Old Chatham G.C., Durham, N.C., 2019

Largest Margin of Victory, Round of 16 Match

8 and 6 **Lew Oehmig** d. **Robert Clarke**, Birmingham (Mich.) C.C., 1984
7 and 6 **Col. William K. Lanman Jr.** d. **C.E. Spurlin**, Sea Island G.C., St. Simons Island, Ga., 1963
7 and 6 **John Jacobs III** d. **Ronald Moore**, Saucon Valley C.C. (Old Course), Bethlehem, Pa., 1987
7 and 6 **Jerry Nelson** d. **Rennie Law**, Taconic G.C., Williamstown, Mass., 1996

7 and 6 **Greg Reynolds** d. **Steven Hakes**, Bel Air C.C., Los Angeles, Calif., 2004

Longest Match

27 holes **Egon F. Quittner** d. **Maurice R. Smith**, first round, Sea Island G.C., St. Simons Island, Ga., 1963
 25 holes **Walter Dowell** d. **Knox Young Jr.**, first round, Atlanta (Ga.) C.C., 1968
 25 holes **Frank Tenfel** d. **William Ludwig**, first round, Saucon Valley C.C. (Old Course), Bethlehem, Pa., 1987
 25 holes **Rick Woulfe** d. **Christopher Veitch**, first round, Lake Nona G. & C.C., Orlando, Fla., 2010
 24 holes **J. Clark Espie Jr.** d. **Larry E. Stage**, second round, Memphis (Tenn.) C.C., 1959
 24 holes **Anthony Cullinane** d. **John Harbottle**, second round, Farmington C.C., Charlottesville, Va., 1993
 24 holes **Bob Hullender** d. **Harcourt Kemp**, quarterfinals, The Champions G.C., Nicholasville, Ky., 1994
 24 holes **Richard Van Leuvan** d. **E. Thomas Jung**, semifinals, Charlotte (N.C.) C.C., 2000
 23 holes **John E. Lehman** d. **Webster Wilder**, first round, Tucson (Ariz.) National Nona G.C., 1966
 23 holes **John Kline** d. **Ed Tutwiler**, semifinals, Pine Tree G.C., Boynton Beach, Fla., 1978
 23 holes **Don Kelly** d. **Milo Novotny**, first round, Lochinvar G.C., Houston, Texas, 1989
 23 holes **John Harbottle** d. **Wendell Kop**, first round, Farmington C.C., Charlottesville, Va., 1993
 23 holes **William King** d. **Bill Gundersen**, first round, Portland (Ore.) G.C., 1999
 23 holes **Bill Shean Jr.** d. **Stephen Beckett**, first round, Timuquana C.C., Jacksonville, Fla., 2002
 23 holes **Donald Marsh** d. **Mark Bemowski**, second round, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2007
 23 holes **Steve Harwell** d. **Jeff Wilson**, first round, C.C. of Detroit, Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich., 2021

Longest Match, Final

20 holes **Michael Cestone** d. **David Rose**, Oyster Harbors Club, Osterville, Mass., 1960
 20 holes **Lewis W. Oehmig** d. **Ernest Pieper Jr.**, Sharon G.C., Sharon Center, Ohio, 1972
 20 holes **Lewis W. Oehmig** d. **Ed Hopkins**, Wild Dunes B. & R.C., Isle of Palms, S.C., 1985
 19 holes **Robert B. Kiersky** d. **George Beechler**, Fox Chapel G.C., Pittsburgh, Pa., 1965
 19 holes **Robert Rawlins** d. **Richard Runkle**, Birmingham (Mich.) C.C., 1984
 19 holes **R.S. "Bo" Williams** d. **Joe Simpson**, Lochinvar G.C., Houston, Texas, 1989
 19 holes **Kemp Richardson** d. **Frank Abbott**, The Virginian G.C., Bristol, Va., 2003

Longest Match, Semifinal

24 holes **Richard Van Leuvan** d. **E. Thomas Jung**, Charlotte (N.C.) C.C., 2000
 23 holes **John Kline** d. **Ed Tutwiler**, Pine Tree G.C., Boynton

Beach, Fla., 1978

21 holes **Tom Brandes** d. **Steven Liebler**, Hidden Creek G.C., Egg Harbor Township, N.J., 2015
 21 holes **Bob Royak** d. **Jeff Wilson**, Old Chatham G.C., Durham, N.C., 2019
 20 holes **Lewis W. Oehmig** d. **William Hyndman III**, Sharon G.C., Sharon Center, Ohio, 1972
 20 holes **O. Gordon Brewer** d. **Dick Siderowf**, The Champions G.C., Nicholasville, Ky., 1994
 19 holes **Gene Andrews** d. **Ernest Piper Jr.**, California G.C. of San Francisco, South San Francisco, Calif., 1970
 19 holes **Lewis M. Oehmig** d. **William Hyndman III**, Salem C.C., Peabody, Mass., 1977
 19 holes **Robert Rawlins** d. **Alton Duhon**, Birmingham (Mich.) C.C., 1984
 19 holes **Heyward Sullivan** d. **Joel Hirsch**, Taconic G.C., Williamstown, Mass., 1996
 19 holes **William King** d. **Dan Pierre**, Skokie C.C., Glencoe, Ill., 1998
 19 holes **Matthew Sughrue** d. **Kevin Cahill**, Old Warson C.C., St. Louis, Mo., 2016

Longest Match, Quarterfinal

24 holes **Bob Hullender** d. **Harcourt Kemp**, The Champions G.C., Nicholasville, Ky., 1994
 22 holes **Col. William K. Lanman Jr.** d. **Franklin G. Clement**, Evanston G.C., Skokie, Ill., 1962
 22 holes **William D. Higgins** d. **J. Wolcott Brown**, Fox Chapel G.C., Pittsburgh, Pa., 1965
 21 holes **Michael Cestone** d. **J. Wolcott Brown**, Oysters Harbors Club, Osterville, Mass., 1960
 21 holes **Tom Draper** d. **Truman Connell**, Sunnybrook G.C., Plymouth Meeting, Pa., 1971
 21 holes **Richard Giddings** d. **W.W. Sezna**, Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill., 1973
 21 holes **Alton Duhon** d. **Leo Spooner**, Birmingham (Mich.) C.C., 1984
 21 holes **Clifford Davis** d. **Stan Fischer**, Portland (Ore.) G.C., 1999
 21 holes **Frank Vana** d. **John Pierce**, The Minikahda Club, Minneapolis, Minn., 2017

Longest Match, Round of 16

24 holes **J. Clark Espie Jr.** d. **Larry E. Stage**, Memphis (Tenn.) C.C., 1959
 22 holes **Egon F. Quittner** d. **John W. Roberts**, Monterey Peninsula C.C., Pebble Beach, Calif., 1958
 22 holes **K.K. Compton** d. **Henry Edwards**, Carmel Valley G. & C.C., Carmel, Calif., 1975
 21 holes **Col. William K. Lanman Jr.** d. **H. Gordon Adkins**, Evanston G.C., Skokie, Ill., 1962
 21 holes **Gene Andrews** d. **Robert E. Cochran**, California G.C. of San Francisco, South San Francisco, Calif., 1970
 21 holes **Robert Hoff** d. **Roger Hurd**, Chicago G.C., Wheaton, Ill., 1979
 21 holes **Jerry Nelson** d. **Jack Hesler**, Farmington C.C., Charlottesville, Va., 1993
 21 holes **Gary Menzel** d. **Kenneth Forster**, Charlotte (N.C.) C.C.,

21 holes	2000 Michael Dunsmore d. Wayne Wright , Old Warson C.C., St. Louis, Mo., 2016
21 holes	Rusty Strawn d. Jim Lehman , C.C. of Detroit, Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich., 2021

Fewest Match-Play Holes Needed By Champion (1955-1982)

73	Lewis W. Oehmig , Cherry Hills C.C., Englewood, Colo., 1976
75	Frederick J. Wright , Somerset C.C., St. Paul, Minn., 1956
76	J. Wood Platt , Belle Meade C.C., Nashville, Tenn., 1955
76	Edgar R. Updegraff , Seattle (Wash.) G.C., 1981

Most Match-Play Holes Needed By Champion (1955-1982)+

92	Lewis W. Oehmig , Sharon G.C., Sharon Center, Ohio, 1972
91	Curtis Person Sr. , Atlanta (Ga.) C.C., 1968
88	Gene Andrews , California Golf Club of San Francisco, South San Francisco, Calif., 1970

+Merrill L. Carlsmith needed 110 holes in 1963 when champion played seven rounds

Fewest Match-Play Holes Needed By Champion (1983-present)

76	Mike Bell , Victoria National G.C., Newburgh, Ind., 2006 (second-round match was forfeited)
86	Clarence Moore , Milwaukee (Wis.) C.C., 1988
89	Paul Simson , Mountain Ridge C.C., West Caldwell, N.J., 2012 (quarterfinal was conceded following 10 holes)
91	R.S. "Bo" Williams , Interlachen C.C., Edina, Minn., 1986

Most Match-Play Holes Needed By Champion (1983-present)

112	Lewis W. Oehmig , Wild Dunes B. & R.C., Isle of Palms, S.C., 1985
108	Marvin "Vinny" Giles III , Beverly G.C., Chicago, Ill., 2009
104	William Hyndman III , Crooked Stick G.C., Carmel, Ind., 1983
103	O. Gordon Brewer , The Champions G.C., Nicholasville, Ky., 1994
103	Dave Ryan , Old Warson C.C., St. Louis, Mo., 2016

Most Extra-Hole Matches, Championship

13	The Farm G.C., Rocky Face, Ga., 2005
11	The Loxahatchee Club, Jupiter, Fla., 1992
11	Norwood Hills C.C., St. Louis, Mo., 2001
11	Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2007
11	Lake Nona G. & C.C., Orlando, Fla., 2010
11	Hidden Creek G.C., Egg Harbor Township, N.J., 2015
11	Old Warson C.C., St. Louis, Mo., 2016

Most Match-Play Victories

38	Lewis W. Oehmig (38-15; 1972-1990)
37	William Hyndman III (37-12; 1971-1987)
34	Paul Simson (34-11; 2006-2021)
28	Chip Lutz (28-10; 2010-2021)
24	Greg Reynolds (24-8; 2002-2013)
23	O. Gordon Brewer (23-6; 1994-2002)
23	Merrill L. Carlsmith (23-7; 1961-1975)
23	Marvin "Vinny" Giles III (23-13; 1998-2019)

Stroke Play**Lowest Score, 18 Holes**

65	Bill Zylstra , first round, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2007
65	Tim Hogarth , second round, C.C. of Detroit, Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich., 2021
66	Bob Kulp , first round, The Virginian G.C., Bristol, Va., 2003
66	Billy Claggett , first round, The Farm G.C., Rocky Face, Ga., 2005
66	Steve Bogan , first round, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2007
66	Stan Kinsey , first round, Mountain Ridge C.C., West Caldwell, N.J., 2012
66	Tim Jackson , first round, Big Canyon C.C., Newport Beach, Calif., 2014
66	Tom Brandes , second round, Big Canyon C.C., Newport Beach, Calif., 2014
66	Chris Hall , second round, Big Canyon C.C., Newport Beach, Calif., 2014
66	Sean Knapp , second round, C.C. of Detroit, Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich., 2021
67	Mark Bemowski , first round, The Virginian G.C., Bristol, Va., 2003
67	Paul Simson , second round, Beverly C.C., Chicago, Ill., 2009
67	Brady Exber , second round, Wade Hampton G.C., Cashiers, N.C., 2013
67	Tim Jackson , second round, Old Warson C.C., St. Louis, Mo., 2016
67	Steven Liebler , second round, Old Warson C.C., St. Louis, Mo., 2016
67	Gregory Condon , first round, Eugene (Ore.) C.C., 2018
67	Randy Hicken , second round, C.C. of Detroit, Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich., 2021

Lowest Score, 36 Holes

134	Billy Claggett (66-68), The Farm G.C., Rocky Face, Ga., 2005 (medalist)
134	Tim Hogarth (69-65), C.C. of Detroit, Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich., 2021 (medalist)
136	John Harbottle (68-68), Farmington C.C., Charlottesville, Va., 1993 (medalist)
136	Jim Holtgrieve (68-68), Mountain Ridge C.C., West

	Caldwell, N.J., 2012 (medalist)
137	Bob Kulp (66-71), The Virginian G.C., Bristol, Va., 2003 (medalist)
137	Steve Bogan (66-71), Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2007 (medalist)
137	Stan Kinsey (66-71), Mountain Ridge C.C., West Caldwell, N.J., 2012
137	Alan Fadel (70-67), Big Canyon C.C., Newport Beach, Calif., 2014 (medalist)

Most Times Medalist

4	William Hyndman III (1972, 1973, 1975, 1986)
4	Paul Simson (2006, 2008, 2009, 2011)
3	William C. Campbell (1979, 1980, 1984)

Most Competitors in Playoff

15	Hidden Creek G.C., Egg Harbor Township, N.J. (for 13 places), 2015
14	Eugene (Ore.) C.C. (for 13 places), 2018
13	The Loxahatchee Club, Jupiter, Fla. (for 11 places), 1992
13	Wade Hampton G.C., Cashiers, N.C. (for six places), 2013

Longest Playoff to Qualify to Match Play

5 holes, From 13 players, Mike Peck d. Kimble Cater for 64th spot, Wade Hampton G.C., Cashiers, N.C., 2013

Lowest Stroke-Play Cut

(since stroke play/match play format added in 1964)

148 (4-over)	C.C. of Detroit, Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich., 2021
149 (5-over)	Big Canyon C.C., Newport Beach, Calif., 2014
149 (7-over)	Mountain Ridge C.C., West Caldwell, N.J., 2012
151 (11-over)	Farmington C.C., Charlottesville, Va., 1993
151 (9-over)	The Virginian G.C., Bristol, Va., 2003
151 (9-over)	Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2007
151 (9-over)	Beverly C.C., Chicago, Ill., 2009
151 (7-over)	Kinloch G.C., Manakin-Sabot, Va., 2011
151 (9-over)	Hidden Creek G.C., Egg Harbor Township, N.J., 2015
151 (9-over)	Old Warson C.C., St. Louis, Mo., 2016

Highest Stroke-Play Cut

(since stroke play/match play format added in 1964)

167 (23-over)	Crooked Stick G.C., Carmel, Ind., 1983
163 (23-over)	Fox Chapel G.C., Pittsburgh, Pa., 1965
163 (23-over)	Shinnecock Hills G.C., Southampton, N.Y., 1967
163 (21-over)	Harbour Town G.L., Hilton Head Island, S.C., 1974
163 (17-over)	Interlachen C.C., Edina, Minn., 1986

163 (19-over)	Desert Forest C.C., Carefree, Ariz., 1990
163 (23-over)	Crystal Downs C.C., Frankfort, Mich., 1991

Lowest 36-Hole Medalist Score

134	Billy Clagett (66-68), The Farm G.C., Rocky Face, Ga., 2005
134	Tim Hogarth (69-65), C.C. of Detroit, Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich., 2021
136	John Harbottle (68-68), Farmington C.C., Charlottesville, Va., 1993
136	Jim Holtgrieve (68-68), Mountain Ridge C.C., West Caldwell, N.J., 2012

Highest 36-Hole Medalist Score

153	J. Wolcott Brown, David Goldman and Ray Palmer , Shinnecock Hills G.C., Southampton, N.Y., 1967
151	Bob Hullender and John Procter , The Loxahatchee Club, Jupiter, Fla, 1992

Miscellaneous**Most Times Runner-Up**

3	Lewis W. Oehmig (1974, 1977, 1979)
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Brothers in Match

2011	Louis Lee defeated his brother Stan Lee in 19 holes in the quarterfinal round at Kinloch G.C. in Manakin-Sabot, Va.
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Golfers with Disabilities

Frank Culpepper, 60, qualified in 1994 despite losing the lower portion of his right arm 40 years earlier. He used a self-designed prosthesis that clamped to the golf club.

Corbin Cherry, 57, qualified in 1996 despite playing on an artificial left leg. He was wounded while serving as a Chaplain in the Vietnam War. He also made the field for the 1994 U.S. Senior Open.

Holes-In-One (20)

Eugene Brown, 6th hole, Waverley C.C., Portland, Ore., 1964

George Trainor, 16th hole, California G.C., San Francisco, Calif., 1970

Robert S. Johnson, 7th hole, Harbour Town G.L., Hilton Head Island, S.C., 1974

Richard Stackhouse, 16th hole, Wild Dunes B. & R.C., Isle of Palms, S.C., 1985

Ira Templeton, 16th hole, Wild Dunes B. & R.C., Isle of Palms, S.C., 1985

Joe Simpson, 5th hole, Interlachen C.C., Edina, Minn., 1986

Donald Cole, 11th hole, Crystal Downs C.C., Frankfort, Mich., 1991

William King, 6th hole, Farmington C.C., Charlottesville, Va., 1993

James Fitzgerald, 10th hole, Prairie Dunes C.C., Hutchinson,

Kan., 1995

Bill Ploeger, 14th hole, Taconic G.C., Williamstown, Mass., 1996

Stan Fischer, quarterfinals, match play, 17th hole, Portland (Ore.) G.C., 1999

Bill Ploeger, second hole, The Virginian G.C., Bristol, Va., 2003

Steve Bogan, first round, stroke play, 10th hole, Bel-Air C.C., Los Angeles, Calif., 2004

Mike Jonsen, second round, stroke play, 11th hole, Victoria National G.C., Newburgh, Ind., 2006

Kim Schwencke, first round, match play, 10th hole, Flint Hills National G.C., Andover, Kan., 2007

Jeff Burda, first round, stroke play, 13th hole, Lake Nona G. & C.C., Orlando, Fla., 2010

Corliss J. Nelson, first round, stroke play, 4th hole, Lake Nona G. & C.C., Orlando, Fla., 2010

Cy Kilgore, first round, stroke play, 5th hole, 185 yards, 3-hybrid, Kinloch G.C., Manakin-Sabot, Va., 2011

Tom Brandes, first round, match play, 7th hole, 217 yards, 3-hybrid, Kinloch G.C., Manakin-Sabot, Va., 2011

Dave Ryan, third round, match play, 14th hole, 270 yards, driver, Old Warson C.C., St. Louis, Mo., 2016

Double Eagle (1)

Dave Ryan, third round, match play, 14th hole, 270 yards, driver (tee shot), Old Warson C.C., St. Louis, Mo., 2016

Champion and Stroke-Play Medalist (since 1964)

Ray Palmer (1967)

William Hyndman III (1973)

Dale Morey (1977)

William C. Campbell (1979, 1980)

Edgar R. Updegraff (1981)

John Richardson (1987)

Jeff Wilson (2018)