

U.S. Amateur Championship

123rd

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2023

Sam Bennett Wins the 2022 Championship

Nobody would have questioned Sam Bennett had he chosen not to return to Texas A&M University for a fifth year of eligibility. An All-American who finished tied for 49th in this year's U.S. Open, Bennett had all of the recommended credentials to enter the play-for-pay ranks.

But he didn't feel the timing was right. He wanted to graduate. He wanted to mature a bit more, and he enjoys being around his Aggie teammates. That explains why he chose to stick around College Station, Texas, this summer after the Arnold Palmer Cup in early July rather than chase titles on the summer amateur circuit.

Turns out to have been a great decision.

Bennett, the No. 3 player in the World Amateur Golf Ranking®/WAGR®, capped off a brilliant week in the 122nd U.S. Amateur Championship at The Ridgewood Country Club with a hard-fought, 1-up victory over Georgia Southern fifth-year senior Ben Carr in Sunday's 36-hole championship match. The 22-year-old who grew up on a nine-hole course in Madisonville, Texas, joins the likes of Bob Jones, Jack Nicklaus, Phil Mickelson and Tiger Woods on the Havemeyer Trophy.

Bennett was already exempt into next year's U.S. Open at The Los Angeles Country by reaching the title match, but by winning, he can play as a professional, something he said he plans to do after the NCAA Championships in Arizona next spring.

"It means everything," said Bennett, who had Texas A&M coach Brian Kortan on his bag. "It's a dream come true. It doesn't even feel real looking at all these people on the 18th green at Ridgewood. I don't even know what I'm saying right now. But it means a lot to hold that trophy. I'm sure tonight I'll take a peek at all the names, but I know Tiger Woods' name is on it three times, and to put my name beside him, I know it's something pretty special."

Bennett's daunting road to the championship match was well documented, as he played the Nos. 13, 27, 10, 9 and 8 players in the WAGR to set up the match with No. 70 Carr, his lowest-ranked opponent. Although Bennett built as much as a 5-up lead, Carr's indefatigable spirit made sure this would not be a runaway victory.

Two 60-foot-plus birdies on the 23rd and 24th holes – a putt and a chip-in – helped spur a rally and charged up the gallery of some 2,000 spectators, many rooting for the underdog.

"I started to climb back into the match the second 18," said Carr, of Columbus, Ga. "I was playing solidly and was able to get a couple holes off of him. But even when it looked like we might eventually go into extra holes, he just looked so calm. I mean, I don't think either of us were honestly too nervous all

day. This is the calmest I've been all week."

Carr missed a golden chance to win the par-5 31st hole when Bennett hit his second shot out of bounds to the left of the green. Carr shockingly followed Bennett by sending his own second shot OB, leading to a pair of double-bogey 6s. One hole later, Bennett, holding a 3-up lead, lipped out a 2½-foot par putt that trimmed his margin to 2 up.

Roars went up again from Carr's gallery when he rolled in a 14-foot birdie putt on the par-5 35th hole before Bennett missed from 12 feet to force the match to the 36th hole.

On the 464-yard par 4, Bennett found the fairway after Carr flared his tee shot into the right rough. A day earlier in the semis, Bennett hit one of his best approach shots of the week – one that led to a club twirl – to defeat Dylan Menante, and he came up with another on Sunday. At first, he thought his 8-iron from 168 yards was too far left. But the ball found the left side of the green, leaving a 15-foot birdie putt.

Carr's approach trickled over the green into the thick rough, and likely needing a miracle hole-out to force extra holes, he left the shot 12 feet short of the flagstick. Needing only to two-putt, Bennett coaxed his ball to within inches of the hole. Hats came off and the two shared an emotional embrace.

"He wanted to be more mature so that he could handle the stage that he was going to move on to, and genuinely he wanted to play as a Texas Aggie for another year because he knows when he leaves it's all about him," said Kortan. "He doesn't have a buddy to pick him up. He'll be in the world where ... your buddies are going to wish you played better but everybody else is going to wish you played worse so they can beat you. He likes playing on the team. He's been a team guy. He wants to be part of that."

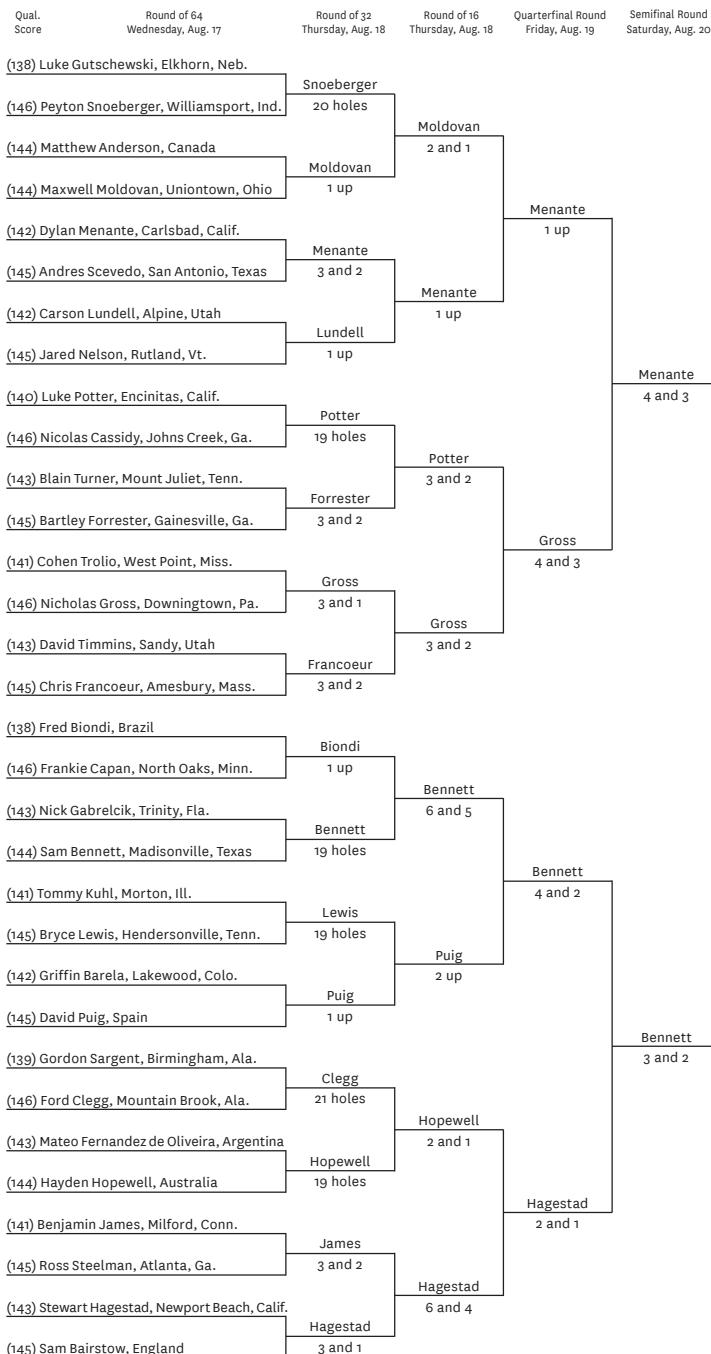
While the players hail from different parts of the country, they shared a bond on Sunday as each lost his father in the past three years; Carr lost his father, David, in 2019, and Bennett's father, Mark, died in 2021. The last thing Mark wrote to his son was "Don't wait to do something," a phrase Sam tattooed on his left arm. Several times down the stretch, he looked at that tattoo for inspiration.

Bennett took a 3-up lead after the morning 18, shooting the equivalent of 3-under 68 – with concessions – to Carr's 72.

It was shortly after the lunch break that Bennett realized that he was playing in front of a pro-Carr gallery. But he decided to use that to his advantage.

"I was like, this is exactly what I want," said Bennett. "Just to play and try to hush the crowd a little bit. It kind of added pressure to him because everybody was rooting for him so hard. So I think that made it a little tougher for him, as well."

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[The Ridgewood C.C.](#)

Par: 35-36—71

Yardage: 7,487

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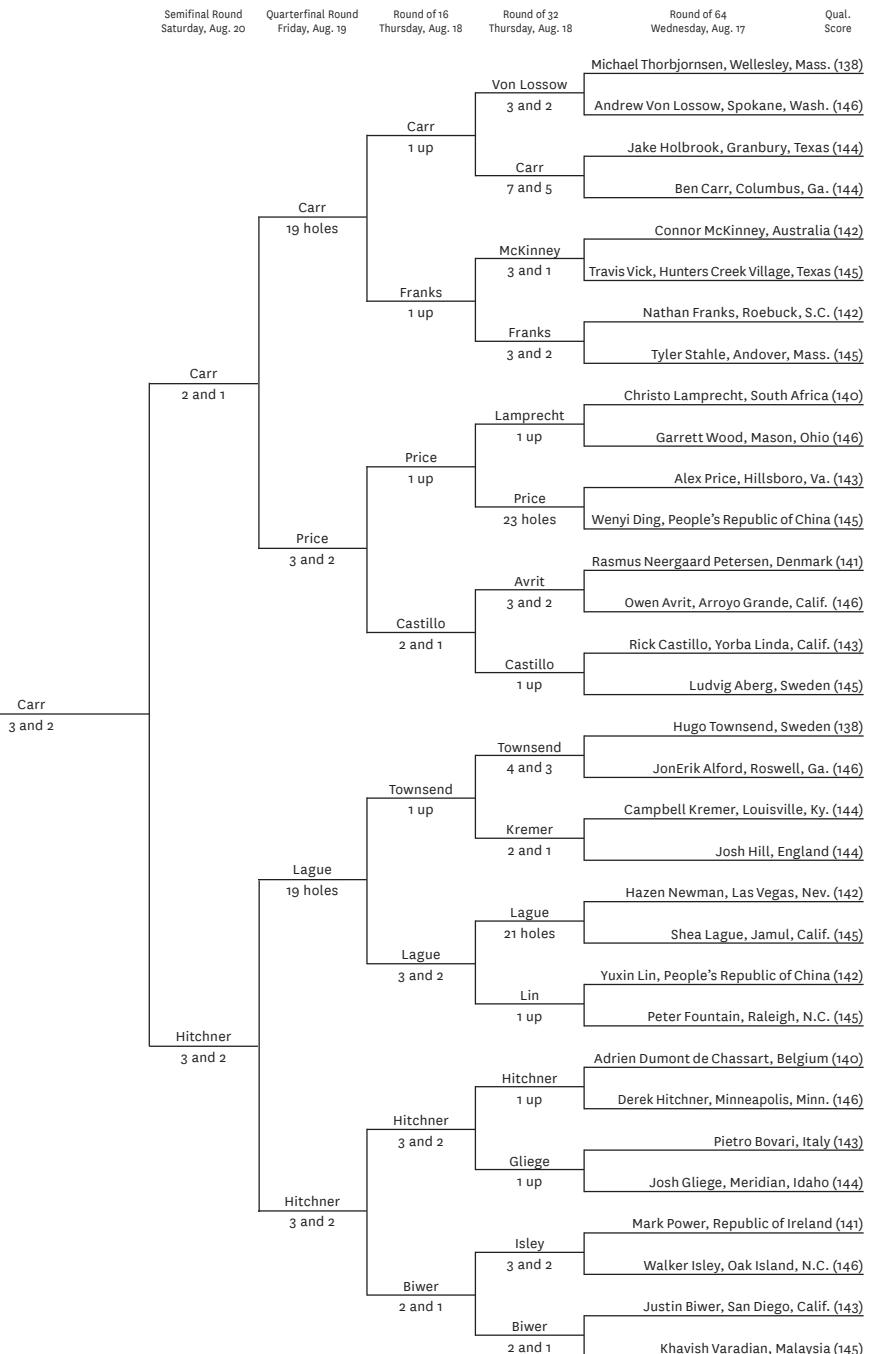
Par: 35-35—70

Yardage: 7,256

Entries: 7,749

FINAL
Sunday, Aug. 21
Sam Bennett
def.
Ben Carr,
1 up

Aug. 15-21, 2022, The Ridgewood Country Club, Paramus, N.J.



Complete Stroke-Play Results

138	Fred Biondi, Brazil, 69A-69R; Luke Gutschewski, Elkhorn, Neb., 68R-70A; Hugo Townsend, Sweden, 71R-67A; Michael Thorbjørnsen, Wellesley, Mass., 68R-70A	145	Ohio, 74R-70A Chris Francoeur, Amesbury, Mass., 68R-77A; Tyler Stahle, Andover, Mass., 72R-73A; Ross Steelman, Atlanta, Ga., 72A-73R; Sam Bairstow, England, 76R-69A; Bartley Forrester, Gainesville, Ga., 74R-71A; Bryce Lewis, Hendersonville, Tenn., 74A-71R; Travis Vick, Hunters Creek Village, Texas, 69A-76R; Shea Lague, Jamul, Calif., 74A-71R; Khavish Varadan, Malaysia, 76R-69A; Wenyi Ding, People's Republic of China, 70R-75A; Peter Fountain, Raleigh, N.C., 75R-70A; Jared Nelson, Rutland, Vt., 75R-70A; Andres Acevedo, San Antonio, Texas, 69A-76R; David Puig, Spain, 72R-73A; Ludvig Aberg, Sweden, 71R-74A
139	Gordon Sargent, Birmingham, Ala., 74R-65A	146	*Walker Isley, Oak Island, N.C., 71R-75A (2); *JonErik Alford, Roswell, Ga., 72A-74R (3); *Owen Avrit, Arroyo Grande, Calif., 71A-75R (3); *Frankie Capan, North Oaks, Minn., 74R-72A (3); *Nicolas Cassidy, Johns Creek, Ga., 75A-71R (3); *Ford Clegg, Mountain Brook, Ala., 74R-72A (3); *Nicholas Gross, Downingtown, Pa., 72R-74A (3); *Derek Hitchner, Minneapolis, Minn., 72R-74A (3); *Garrett Wood, Mason, Ohio, 70A-76R (3); *Peyton Snoeberger, Williamsport, Ind., 75A-71R (3); *Andrew Von Lossow, Spokane, Wash., 74A-72R (3)
140	Adrien Dumont de Chassart, Belgium, 70R-70A; Luke Potter, Encinitas, Calif., 71A-69R; Christo Lamprecht, South Africa, 68A-72R		
141	Rasmus Neergaard Petersen, Denmark, 73R-68A; Benjamin James, Milford, Conn., 71R-70A; Tommy Kuhl, Morton, Ill., 72A-69R; Mark Power, Republic of Ireland, 73R-68A; Cohen Trolio, West Point, Miss., 71R-70A		
142	Carson Lundell, Alpine, Utah, 73R-69A; Connor McKinney, Australia, 74R-68A; Dylan Menante, Carlsbad, Calif., 73R-69A; Griffin Barela, Lakewood, Colo., 70A-72R; Hazen Newman, Las Vegas, Nev., 68R-74A; Yuxin Lin, People's Republic of China, 71A-71R; Nathan Franks, Roebuck, S.C., 71A-71R		
143	Mateo Fernandez de Oliveira, Argentina, 70A-73R; Alex Price, Hillsboro, Va., 72A-71R; Pietro Bovari, Italy, 74A-69R; Blain Turner, Mount Juliet, Tenn., 74R-69A; Stewart Hagestad, Newport Beach, Calif., 69R-74A; Justin Biwer, San Diego, Calif., 70R-73A; David Timmins, Sandy, Utah, 71R-72A; Nick Gabrelcik, Trinity, Fla., 73A-70R; Ricky Castillo, Yorba Linda, Calif., 70R-73A		
144	Hayden Hopewell, Australiá, 72A-72R; Matthew Anderson, Canada, 75R-69A; Ben Carr, Columbus, Ga., 72A-72R; Josh Hill, England, 72A-72R; Jake Holbrook, Granbury, Texas, 71R-73A; Campbell Kremer, Louisville, Ky., 68R-76A; Sam Bennett, Madisonville, Texas, 71A-73R; Josh Gliege, Meridian, Idaho, 71A-73R; Maxwell Moldovan, Uniontown,		

Failed to Qualify

146	*Mark Costanza, Morristown, N.J., 74R-72A (4); *Mitch Davis, Bloomington, Ind., 74R-72A (4); *Nick Lyerly, Salisbury, N.C., 76R-70A (4); *Karl Vilips, Australia, 73R-73A (4)	151	England, 77R-73; Kale Fontenot, Lafayette, La., 75A-75R; Brantley Baker, Leesburg, Ga., 73R-77A; Michael Brennan, Leesburg, Va., 76A-74R; Cole Nygren, Longmont, Colo., 78A-72R; Rhett Sellers, Longview, Texas, 72A-78R; Luke Sample, New York, N.Y., 76R-74A; Benton Weinberg, Potomac, Md., 81R-69A; Preston Summerhays, Scottsdale, Ariz., 73R-77A; Nate Smith, Tetonia, Idaho, 72A-78R; Austin Greaser, Vandalia, Ohio, 73A-77R; Carson Bacha, York, Pa., 74A-76R
147	Cole Sherwood, Austin, Texas, 71A-76R; Matthew Sutherland, Carmichael, Calif., 74A-73R; William Mouw, Chino, Calif., 75R-72A; William Moll, Houston, Texas, 76R-71A; Drew Salyers, Howard, Ohio, 76R-71A; Kosuke Suzuki, Japan, 72A-75R; John Marshall Butler, Louisville, Ky., 76R-71A; Palmer Jackson, Murrysville, Pa., 72R-75A; Kazumi Kobori, New Zealand, 72R-75A; Charles Reiter, Palm Desert, Calif., 74A-73R; Benjamin Feld, Philadelphia, Pa., 74A-73R; Chris Kamin, Phoenix, Ariz., 71A-76R; Kelly Chinn, Pinehurst, N.C., 73A-74R; Trevor Lewis, Prescott, Ariz., 74A-73R; John Keefer, San Antonio, Texas, 72A-75R; Caleb Manuel, Topsham, Maine, 74R-73A; Robbie Ziegler, Tualatin, Ore., 73R-74A; Jimmy Ellis, Venetia, Pa., 74A-73R	152	Patrick Welch, Aliso Viejo, Calif., 72A-79R; Kai Hirayama, Arcadia, Calif., 78A-73R; Timmy Crawford, Arlington Heights, Ill., 72A-79R; Maximilian Steinlechner, Austria, 75R-76A; Connor Gaunt, Cabot, Ark., 75A-76R; Jiri Zuska, Czech Republic, 76A-75R; Carson Herron, Deephaven, Minn., 76A-75R; Conor Schubring, Eden Praire, Minn., 76R-75A; William Marshall, Elburn, Ill., 74A-77R; Gavin Hagstrom, Fort Collins, Colo., 77R-74A; Caleb Surratt, Indian Trail, N.C., 73A-78R; Jackson Van Paris, Pinehurst, N.C., 77R-74A; Christian Emmerich, Swampscott, Mass., 79R-72A; TK Chantanuanut, Thailand, 73A-78R; Joe Wilson IV, West Chester, Ohio, 76A-75R
148	Reid Davenport, Austin, Texas, 75A-73R; Luke Gifford, Boca Raton, Fla., 70A-78R; Frankie Harris, Boca Raton, Fla., 78R-70A; Patrick Sheehan, Doylestown, Pa., 69A-79R; Ryan Bisharat, El Cajon, Calif., 76R-72A; Nick Dunlap, Huntsville, Ala., 79R-69A; Mitchell Ford, Little Rock, Ark., 70R-78A; Santiago De la Fuente del Valle, Mexico, 75A-73R; Jose Antonio Safa, Mexico, 75R-73A; Luke Clanton, Miami Lakes, Fla., 74R-74A; Brett Patterson, Oxford, Miss., 71A-77R; David Ford, Peachtree Corners, Ga., 71R-77A; Vishnu Sadagopan, Pearland, Texas, 75R-73A; Jordan Gilkison, Springboro, Ohio, 74A-74R	153	Gaven Lane, Argyle, Texas, 75R-77A; Austin Devereux, Brielle, N.J., 77A-75R; Jerry Richardson, Cary, N.C., 81R-71A; Zach Adams, Charleston, S.C., 75A-77R; Patrick Gareiss, Chesapeake, Va., 75A-77R; Tommy Morrison, Dallas, Texas, 78R-74A; Thomas Ponder, Dothan, Ala., 79R-73A; Samuel Story, England, 79A-73R; Chase Sienkiewicz, Frisco, Texas, 76A-76R; Dylan McDermott, Granite Bay, Calif., 74R-78A; Sam Jean, Greenwood, Ind., 72R-80A; Coalter Smith, Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich., 75A-77R; Deven Patel, Johns Creek, Ga., 76A-76R; Charles Waddell, Kenilworth, Ill., 72A-80R; Drew Doyle, Louisville, Ky., 78A-74; Yael Chahin, Mexico, 78R-74A; Charlie Zielinski, Omaha, Neb., 73A-79R; Palmer Yenrick, Oregon, Ohio, 75A-77R; Andrew Riley, Palm Coast, Fla., 80A-72R; Gavin Aurilia, Phoenix, Ariz., 76A-76R; Mark Stephens, Redding, Calif., 79A-73R; Angelo Marcon, San Francisco, Calif., 73A-79R; Cooper Schultz, Wichita, Kan., 77R-75A
149	Vicente Marzilio, Argentina, 72R-77A; AJ Ewart, Canada, 75R-74A; Dylan Oyama, Carlsbad, Calif., 72R-77A; Chad Wilfong, Charlotte, N.C., 76R-73A; Jackson Fretty, Cos Cob, Conn., 76R-73A; Craig Ronne, Eugene, Ore., 79R-70A; Quentin Debove, France, 78R-71A; Michael Crowley, Hunt Valley, Md., 75A-74R; Ryan Burnett, Lafayette, Calif., 76R-73A; Jack Schultz, Milwaukee, Wis., 69A-80R; William O'Neill, Morristown, N.J., 72A-77R; Bo Jin, People's Republic of China, 74A-75R; Ben Lorenz, Peoria, Ariz., 72A-77R; Sangha Park, Republic of Korea, 71A-78R; Greyson Leach, Rolling Hills Estates, Calif., 77A-72R; Jackson Koivun, San Jose, Calif., 73R-76A; Ben Ragland, San Ramon, Calif., 78A-71R; Sandy Scott, Scotland, 79R-70A; Christiaan Maas, South Africa, 70A-79R; Davis Womble, Winston-Salem, N.C., 70R-79A		Evan Vo, Austin, Texas, 73A-80R; James Imai, Brookline, Mass., 71A-82R; Trent Tipton, Columbus, Ohio, 76A-77R; William Hocker, Grapevine, Texas, 81A-72R; Brad Whitaker, Kensington, Md., 80R-73A; Carson Enright, Longboat Key, Fla., 79R-74R; Baard Skogen, Norway, 77R-76A; Michael Winslow, Overland Park, Kan., 79R-74A; Troy Taylor II, Westerville, Ohio, 78R-75A
150	Jack Buchanan, Australia, 73R-77A; Bryan Kim, Brookeville, Md., 76R-74A; Domenic Maricocchi, Cincinnati, Ohio, 76R-74A; John Gough,		

- 154 Cade Breitenstine, Akron, Ohio, 78A-76R; Charlie Bundy, Bethesda, Md., 78A-76R; Joey Lovell, Bozeman, Mont., 77R-77A; Jet Tickle, Bristol, Tenn., 86R-68A; Matt Parziale, Brockton, Mass., 80R-74A; Piercen Hunt, Canada, 77A-77R; Steve Kibare, Canton, Ga., 77R-77A; Justin Hastings, Cayman Islands, 74A-80R; Benjamin Day, Cheshire, Conn., 78R-76A; Spencer Oxendine, Fayetteville, N.C., 77A-77R; Harrison Davis, Fort Payne, Ala., 78R-76A; Justin Gabbard, Fort Thomas, Ky., 82R-72A; Preston Bebich, Gig Harbor, Wash., 77R-77A; Elijah Turner, Highland, Utah, 78R-76A; Andrew McLauchlan, Neptune Beach, Fla., 76R-78A; Andrew O'Leary, Norfolk, Mass., 80R-74A; Denny Bull, Norwalk, Iowa, 75A-79R; Jerry Guntherpe, Ovid, Mich., 81R-73A; Kiko Coehlo, Portugal, 75A-79R; Zachery Pollo, Rocklin, Calif., 76A-78R; Krando Nishiba, San Diego, Calif., 75R-79A; Richard Dowling III, Shelton, Conn., 74A-80R; Hunter Logan, Steens, Miss., 79R-75A; Matthew Comegys, Van Alstyne, Texas, 78R-76A; Nicholas Cummings, Weston, Mass., 77A-77R
- 155 Jack Dukeminier, Beaverton, Ore., 76R-79A; Nathan Petronzio, Bee Cave, Texas, 76R-79A; Owen Mullen, Canada, 77A-78R; Clay Stirzman, Carmel, Ind., 75A-80R; Dillon Stewart, Fort Collins, Colo., 77R-78A; Brock Goyen, Gilbert, Ariz., 73A-82R; Connor McGrath, Huntingdon Valley, Pa., 79R-76A; Wil Gibson, Jonesboro, Ark., 74A-81R; Cade Russell, Knoxville, Tenn., 79A-76R; Dougie Ergood Jr., Mount Laurel, N.J., 76R-79A; Amani Dambrasio, Pittsburgh, Pa., 76A-79R; Sam Choi, Republic of Korea, 74A-81R; Matthew Watkins, Rockwall, Texas, 79A-76R; Jacob Tarkany, Scottsdale, Ariz., 75R-80A
- 156 Charles DeLong, Dewitt, Mich., 77A-79R; Harrison Crowe, Australia, 76A-80R; Maverick Pavletich, Bakersfield, Calif., 78R-78A; Bennett Ruby, Canada, 82A-78R; Robert Leopold, England, 78R-78A; Jack Woods, Danbury, Conn., 76A-80R; Ryan Dixon, England, 82A-74R; Jake Sherwin, Estero, Fla., 78A-78R; Matthew Mattare, Jersey City, N.J., 78A-78R; Carson Kammann, Knoxville, Tenn., 78R-78A; Zach Foushee, Lake Oswego, Ore., 74R-82A; Jansen Preston, Lexington, Ky., 79R-77A; Jay Kirchdorfer, Louisville, Ky., 79A-77R; Tyler Mistretta, North Palm Beach, Fla., 81R-75A; Cecil Belisle, Red Wing, Minn., 73A-83R; Egor Eroshenko, 76R-80A; Carson Griggs, Sand Springs, Okla., 75R-81A; Kye Meeks, Walnut, Miss., 79A-77R
- 157 Joaquin Luduena, Argentina, 75A-82R; Jackson Hill, Beckley, W. Va., 78A-79R; Benjamin Smith, Blain, Pa., 80R-77A; Parker Wisdom, Bloomington, Ill., 82A-75R; Joey Wiseman, Corydon, Ind., 79R-78A; William Jennings, Greenville, S.C., 79A-78R; Jacob Borow, Houston, Texas, 77R-80A; Luciano Conlan, Kahuku, Hawaii, 80A-77R; Christian Cavaliere, Katonah, N.Y., 78A-79R; Brian Stark, Kingsburg, Calif., 77A-80R; Joe Alfieri, Lutz, Fla., 78A-79R; Will Patrick, Oneonta, Ala., 79R-78A; Anthony Sorentino, Rochester Hills, Mich., 80R-77A; Will Baker, Statham, Ga., 78R-79A
- 158 Domingo Jojola, San Francisco, Calif., 79A-79R; Sam Marley, Centennial, Colo., 82R-76A; Matthew Lowe, Farmingdale, N.Y., 79R-79A; Charlie Jackson, Norman, Okla., 80R-78A; Gunnar Broin, Shorewood, Minn., 78A-80R
- 159 Diego Prone, Argentina, 81A-78R; Aaron Jarvis, Cayman Islands, 81R-78A; Nathan Wang, Fremont, Calif., 84R-75A; Jackson Drake, Lubbock, Texas, 83A-76R; Justin Horn, Milford, Ohio, 82A-77R; Brandon McDonough, Santa Monica, Calif., 81R-78A; Colin Laszlo, Springfield, Ohio, 81R-78A; Brad Valois, Warwick, R.I., 87R-72A; Brandon Parker, Worcester, Mass., 82A-77R
- 160 Brett Young, Bethel Park, Pa., 82R-78A; Yu Tsai, Chinese Taipei, 80A-80R; Jake Bettencourt, Clovis, Calif., 79A-81R; Haymes Snedeker, Fairhope, Ala., 83A-77R; Daniel Boone, Fuquay Varina, N.C., 80R-80A; Adam Hooker, Lebanon, Va., 79R-81A; Luis Carrera, Mexico, 80R-80A; Jonathan Yau, Minneola, Fla., 79R-81A; Austyn Reily, Pottsboro, Texas, 84R-76A; Eric Doyle, San Diego, Calif., 77A-83R; Parker Bell, Tallahassee, Fla., 86R-74A; Juan Yumar, Venezuela, 79R-81A; John Dearth, West Covina, Calif., 81R-79A
- 161 Cole Starnes, Fishers, Ind., 80R-81A; Robbie Bender, Louisville, Ky., 76A-85R; Joshua Lim, San Francisco, Calif., 80A-81R; Jacob Pedersen, Shorewood, Minn., 82A-79R
- 162 Westy McCabe, Dallas, Texas, 82A-80R; David Kim, Dresher, Pa., 77A-85R; Yuki Moriyama, Japan, 74A-88R; Bradley Sutherland, Lexington, Ky., 83R-79A; Russell Wren, Morgantown, Pa., 76A-86R; Thomas Salanito, Palm Harbor, Fla., 80A-82R; Michael Behr, San Diego, Calif., 89R-73A; Nick Bove, Syracuse, N.Y., 81R-81A
- 163 Nicklas Staub, Boynton Beach, Fla., 79R-84A; Garrett Barber, Stuart, Fla., 77A-86R; Ken Keller, Youngstown, Ohio, 84A-79R
- 164 Blake Wisdom, Lake Geneva, Wis., 79A-85R; Trey Diehl, Las Cruces, N.M., 79A-85R; Kristopher Stiles, Palmdale, Calif., 81A-83R
- 165 Alfie Fox, England, 82R-83A; Lucas Powell, Laguna Niguel, Calif., 79A-86R; Jay Spivey, Macon, Ga., 91R-74A; Daniel Moon, Temple, Texas, 84A-81R
- 166 Jacob Westberg, Sacramento, Calif., 78A-88R; Myles Jones, Suwanee, Ga., 85A-81R; Ethan Whitney, Westminster, Mass., 79A-87R
- 167 Brett Widner, Avon, Ind., 87R-80A; Mac McCleary, Hinsdale, Ill., 80R-87A
- 168 Will Appleby, Cardiff by the Sea, Calif., 82A-86R; Leo Metzger, Santa Barbara, Calif., 85A-83R
- 171 Anawin Pikulthong, Gilbert, Ariz., 85R-86A
- 178 Alex Scott, Henderson, Nev., 89R-89A
- WD Howon Scott, Republic of Korea, 85A

Championship History

The U.S. Amateur Championship is the oldest USGA championship and it was created in 1895 because of a controversy. In 1894, two clubs -- Newport (R.I.) Golf Club and New York's St. Andrew's Golf Club -- had conducted invitational tournaments to attract the nation's top amateur players.

Both clubs proclaimed their winners as the national champion, while Charles Blair Macdonald, a prominent player and course architect, was the runner-up in both.

Before the final day of the St. Andrew's tournament, it was announced that an association composed of all the clubs in the United States would be formed in the ensuing months. This new national governing body would oversee a universally recognized championship and create a written set of rules.

With that, representatives from Newport Golf Club, St. Andrew's Golf Club, The Country Club in Brookline, Mass., Shinnecock Hills Golf Club in Southampton, N.Y., and Chicago Golf Club founded the USGA on Dec. 22, 1894, and the inaugural U.S. Amateur Championship was conducted the following year, along with the U.S. Open and U.S. Women's Amateur.

The Amateur and Open Championships were conducted at Newport Golf Club during the same week of October and Macdonald became the first U.S. Amateur champion.

The Amateur Championship is the oldest golf championship in this country — one day older than the U.S. Open. Except for an eight-year period from 1965-1972, when it was stroke play, the Amateur has been a match-play championship.

Over the years, as interest in the game grew and the number of quality players increased, it became necessary to establish a national handicapping system to determine who was eligible to compete in the Amateur. The USGA's first national handicap list, which was published for the 1912 championship, was the forerunner of the present-day USGA Handicap System.

Throughout its history, the U.S. Amateur has been the most coveted of all amateur titles. Many of the great names of professional golf, such as Gene Littler, Arnold Palmer, Jack Nicklaus, Lanny Wadkins, Craig Stadler, Jerry Pate, Mark O'Meara, Hal Sutton, Phil Mickelson and Tiger Woods, grace the Havemeyer Trophy.

It was, however, longtime amateur Robert T. Jones Jr. who first attracted media coverage and spectator attendance at the Amateur Championship. Jones captured the championship five times (1924, 1925, 1927, 1928, 1930). His 1930 victory was a stunning moment in golf history when, at Merion Cricket Club in Ardmore, Pa., Jones rounded out the Grand Slam, winning the four major American and British championships in one year.

Sixty-six years later, in 1996, Tiger Woods attracted similar interest and enthusiasm when he won a record third consecutive U.S. Amateur at Pumpkin Ridge Golf Club in North Plains, Ore. In 1994, Woods, at 18, had first entered the record book as the youngest ever to win the Amateur Championship. In 1996, he broke yet another record when he won, having registered 18 consecutive match-play victories.

International players also have made a major impact in the last two decades, with Nick Flanagan (Australia, 2003), Edoardo Molinari (Italy, 2005), Richie Ramsay (Scotland, 2006), Danny Lee (New Zealand, 2008), Byeong-Hun An (Republic of Korea, 2009), Matthew Fitzpatrick (England, 2013), Gunn Yang (Republic of Korea, 2014), Curtis Luck (Australia, 2016) and Viktor Hovland (Norway, 2018) taking the title.

In 2020, the U.S. Amateur was conducted during the COVID-19 pandemic. Due to health and safety protocols, qualifying was canceled. The field was all-exempt and the number of players was reduced to 264.

Championship Results: 1895 to 2022

1895	(Oct. 1-3) Charles B. Macdonald d. Charles E. Sands, 12 and 11; Newport (R.I.) G.C.; All match play; Entries: 32	1911	(Sept. 11-16) Harold H. Hilton d. Fred Herreshoff, 37 holes; The Apawamis Club, Rye, N.Y.; Medalist — 150, Harold H. Hilton; Entries: 186
1896	(July 14-17) H.J. Whigham d. J.G. Thorp, 8 and 7; Shinnecock Hills G.C., Southampton, N.Y.; Medalist — 163, H.J. Whigham; Entries: 58	1912	(Sept. 2-7) Jerome D. Travers d. Charles Evans Jr., 7 and 6; Chicago G.C., Wheaton, Ill.; Medalists — 152, Charles Evans Jr., Harold H. Hilton; Entries: 86
1897	(Sept. 14-18) H.J. Whigham d. W. Rossiter Betts, 8 and 6; Chicago G.C., Wheaton, Ill.; Medalist — 174, Charles B. Macdonald; Entries: 58	1913	(Sept. 1-6) Jerome D. Travers d. John G. Anderson, 5 and 4; Garden City (N.Y.) G.C.; Medalist — 148, Charles Evans Jr.; Entries: 149
1898	(Sept. 12-17) Findlay S. Douglas d. Walter B. Smith, 5 and 3; Morris County G.C., Morristown, N.J.; Medalist — 175, J.H. Choate Jr.; Entries: 120	1914	(Aug. 31 - Sept. 5) Francis Ouimet d. Jerome D. Travers, 6 and 5; Ekwanok C.C., Manchester, Vt.; Medalists — 144, R.R. Gorton, W.C. Fownes Jr.; Entries: 115
1899	(July 3-8) H.M. Harriman d. Findlay S. Douglas, 3 and 2; Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill.; Medalist — 168, Charles B. Macdonald; Entries: 112	1915	(Aug. 28 - Sept. 4) Robert A. Gardner d. John G. Anderson, 5 and 4; Country Club of Detroit, Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich.; Medalist — 152, Dudley Mudge; Entries: 142
1900	(July 2-7) Walter J. Travis d. Findlay S. Douglas, 2 up; Garden City (N.Y.) G.C.; Medalist — 166, Walter J. Travis; Entries: 120	1916	(Sept. 4-9) Charles Evans Jr. d. Robert A. Gardner, 4 and 3; Merion Cricket Club (East Course), Ardmore, Pa.; Medalist — 153, W.C. Fownes Jr.; Entries: 160
1901	(Sept. 9-14, 21) Walter J. Travis d. Walter E. Egan, 5 and 4; Country Club of Atlantic City (N.J.); Medalist — 157, Walter J. Travis; Entries: 142	1917-18	No Championships: World War I
1902	(July 15-19) Louis N. James d. Eben M. Byers, 4 and 2; Glen View Club, Golf, Ill.; Medalist — 79 (18), Walter J. Travis; Entries: 157	1919	(Aug. 16-23) S. Davidson Herron d. Robert T. Jones Jr., 5 and 4; Oakmont (Pa.) C.C.; Medalists — 158, S. Davidson Herron, J.B. Manion, Paul Tewkesbury; Entries: 150
1903	(Sept. 1-5) Walter J. Travis d. Eben M. Byers, 5 and 4; Nassau C.C., Glen Cove, N.Y.; All match play; Entries: 140	1920	(Sept. 6-11) Charles Evans Jr. d. Francis Ouimet, 7 and 6; Engineers C.C., Roslyn Harbor, N.Y.; Medalists — 154, Robert T. Jones Jr., Fred J. Wright Jr.; Entries: 235
1904	(Sept. 6-10) H. Chandler Egan d. Fred Herreshoff, 8 and 6; Baltusrol G.C. (Original Course), Springfield, N.J.; Medalist — 242 (54), H. Chandler Egan; Entries: 142	1921	(Sept. 17-24) Jesse P. Guilford d. Robert A. Gardner, 7 and 6; St. Louis C.C., Clayton, Mo.; Medalist — 144, Francis Ouimet; Entries: 159
1905	(Aug. 8-12) H. Chandler Egan d. D.E. Sawyer, 6 and 5; Chicago G.C., Wheaton, Ill.; Medalist — 155 (36), Dr. D.P. Fredericks; Entries: 146	1922	(Sept. 2-9) Jess W. Sweetser d. Charles Evans Jr., 3 and 2; The Country Club, Brookline, Mass.; Medalist — 144, Jesse P. Guilford; Entries: 161
1906	(July 10-14) Eben M. Byers d. George S. Lyon, 2 up; Englewood (N.J.) G.C.; Medalist — 152, Walter J. Travis; Entries: 141	1923	(Sept. 15-22) Max R. Marston d. Jess W. Sweetser, 38 holes; Flossmoor (Ill.) C.C.; Medalists — 149, Charles Evans Jr., Robert T. Jones Jr.; Entries: 143
1907	(July 9-13) Jerome D. Travers d. Archibald Graham, 6 and 5; Euclid Club, Cleveland, Ohio; Medalist — 146, Walter J. Travis; Entries: 118	1924	(Sept. 20-27) Robert T. Jones Jr. d. George Von Elm, 9 and 8; Merion Cricket Club (East Course), Ardmore, Pa.; Medalist — 142, D. Clarke Corkran; Entries: 154
1908	(Sept. 14-19) Jerome D. Travers d. Max H. Behr, 8 and 7; Garden City (N.Y.) G.C.; Medalist — 153, Walter J. Travis; Entries: 145	1925	(Aug. 31 - Sept. 5) Robert T. Jones Jr. d. Watts Gunn, 8 and 7; Oakmont (Pa.) C.C.; Medalist — 145, Roland R. MacKenzie; Entries: 141
1909	(Sept. 6-11) Robert A. Gardner d. H. Chandler Egan, 4 and 3; Chicago G.C., Wheaton, Ill.; Medalists — 151, Robert A. Gardner, Charles Evans Jr., Thomas M. Sherman; Entries: 120	1926	(Sept. 13-18) George Von Elm d. Robert T. Jones Jr., 2 and 1; Baltusrol G.C. (Lower Course), Springfield, N.J.; Medalist — 143, Robert T. Jones Jr.; Entries: 157
1910	(Sept. 12-17) William C. Fownes Jr. d. Warren K. Wood, 4 and 3; The Country Club, Brookline, Mass.; Medalist — 152, Fred Herreshoff; Entries: 217	1927	(Aug. 22-27) Robert T. Jones Jr. d. Charles Evans Jr., 8 and 7; Minikahda Club, Minneapolis, Minn.; Medalist — 142, Robert T. Jones Jr.; Entries: 174

1928	(Sept. 10-15) Robert T. Jones Jr. d. T. Phillip Perkins, 10 and 9; Brae Burn C.C., West Newton, Mass.; Medalist — 143, George J. Voigt; Entries: 158	1948	(Aug. 30 – Sept. 4) William P. Turnesa d. Raymond E. Billows, 2 and 1; Memphis (Tenn.) C.C.; Entries: 1,220
1929	(Sept. 2-7) Harrison R. Johnston d. Dr. O.F. Willing, 4 and 3; Del Monte G. & C.C., Pebble Beach, Calif.; Medalists — 145, Robert T. Jones Jr., Eugene V. Homans; Entries: 162	1949	(Aug. 29 – Sept. 3) Charles R. Coe d. Rufus King, 11 and 10; Oak Hill C.C. (East Course), Rochester, N.Y.; Entries: 1,060
1930	(Sept. 22-27) Robert T. Jones Jr. d. Eugene V. Homans, 8 and 7; Merion Cricket Club (East Course), Ardmore, Pa.; Medalist — 142, Robert T. Jones Jr.; Entries: 175	1950	(Aug. 21-26) Sam Urzetta d. Frank Stranahan, 39 holes; Minneapolis (Minn.) G.C.; Entries: 1,025
1931	(Aug. 31 – Sept. 5) Francis Ouimet d. Jack Westland, 6 and 5; Beverly C.C., Chicago, Ill.; Medalists — 148, Arthur Yates, Charles H. Seaver, John E. Lehman; Entries: 583	1951	(Sept. 10-15) Billy Maxwell d. Joseph F. Gagliardi, 4 and 3; Saucon Valley C.C. (Old Course), Bethlehem, Pa.; Entries: 1,416
1932	(Sept. 12-17) C. Ross Somerville d. John Goodman, 2 and 1; Baltimore C.C. (Five Farms, East Course), Timonium, Md.; Medalist — 142, John W. Fischer; Entries: 600	1952	(Aug. 18-23) Jack Westland d. Al Mengert, 3 and 2; Seattle (Wash.) G.C.; Entries: 1,029
1933	(Sept. 11-16) George T. Dunlap Jr. d. Max R. Marston, 6 and 5; Kenwood C.C., Cincinnati, Ohio; Medalist — 141, John W. Fischer; Entries: 601	1953	(Sept. 14-19) Gene Littler d. Dale Morey, 1 up; Oklahoma City (Okla.) G. & C.C.; Entries: 1,284
1934	(Sept. 10-15) W. Lawson Little Jr. d. David Goldman, 8 and 7; The Country Club, Brookline, Mass.; All match play; Entries: 758	1954	(Aug. 23-28) Arnold Palmer d. Robert Sweeny, 1 up; Country Club of Detroit, Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich.; Entries: 1,278
1935	(Sept. 9-14) W. Lawson Little Jr. d. Walter Emery, 4 and 2; The Country Club, Cleveland, Ohio; All match play; Entries: 945	1955	(Sept. 12-17) E. Harvie Ward Jr. d. William Hyndman Jr., 9 and 8; Country Club of Virginia (James River Course), Richmond, Va.; Entries: 1,493
1936	(Sept. 14-19) John W. Fischer d. Jack McLean, 37 holes; Garden City (N.Y.) G.C.; All match play; Entries: 1,118	1956	(Sept. 10-15) E. Harvie Ward Jr. d. Charles Kocsis, 5 and 4; Knollwood Club, Lake Forest, Ill.; Entries: 1,600
1937	(Aug. 23-28) John Goodman d. Raymond E. Billows, 2 up; Alderwood C.C., Portland, Ore.; Medalist — 142, Roger Kelly; Entries: 619	1957	(Sept. 9-14) Hillman Robbins Jr. d. Dr. Frank M. Taylor, 5 and 4; The Country Club (Anniversary Course), Brookline, Mass.; Entries: 1,578
1938	(Sept. 12-17) William P. Turnesa d. B. Patrick Abbott, 8 and 7; Oakmont (Pa.) C.C.; Medalist — 146, Gus T. Moreland; Entries: 871	1958	(Sept. 8-13) Charles R. Coe d. Thomas D. Aaron, 5 and 4; The Olympic Club (Lake Course), San Francisco, Calif.; Entries: 1,472
1939	(Sept. 11-16) Marvin H. Ward d. Raymond E. Billows, 7 and 5; North Shore C.C., Glenview, Ill.; Medalist — 139, Thomas Sheehan Jr.; Entries: 826	1959	(Sept. 14-19) Jack Nicklaus d. Charles R. Coe, 1 up; Broadmoor G.C. (East Course), Colorado Springs, Colo.; Entries: 1,696
1940	(Sept. 9-14) Richard D. Chapman d. W.B. McCullough Jr., 11 and 9; Winged Foot G.C. (West Course), Mamaroneck, N.Y.; Medalist — 140, Richard D. Chapman; Entries: 755	1960	(Sept. 12-17) Deane Beman d. Robert W. Gardner, 6 and 4; St. Louis C.C., Clayton, Mo.; Entries: 1,737
1941	(Aug. 25-30) Marvin H. Ward d. B. Patrick Abbott, 4 and 3; Omaha (Neb.) Field Club; Medalist — 144, Stewart M. Alexander Jr.; Entries: 637	1961	(Sept. 11-16) Jack Nicklaus d. H. Dudley Wysong Jr., 8 and 6; Pebble Beach (Calif.) G.L.; Entries: 1,995
1942-45	No Championships: World War II	1962	(Sept. 17-22) Labron E. Harris Jr. d. Downing Gray, 1 up; Pinehurst (N.C.) C.C. (No. 2 Course); Entries: 2,044
1946	(Sept. 9-14) Stanley E. "Ted" Bishop d. Smiley L. Quick, 37 holes; Baltusrol G.C. (Lower Course), Springfield, N.J.; Medalist — 136, Robert H. "Skee" Riegel; Entries: 899	1963	(Sept. 9-14) Deane Beman d. Richard H. Sikes, 2 and 1; Wakonda Club, Des Moines, Iowa; Entries: 1,768
1947	(Sept. 8-13) Robert H. "Skee" Riegel d. John W. Dawson, 2 and 1; Del Monte G. & C.C., Pebble Beach, Calif.; Entries: 1,048	1964	(Sept. 14-19) William C. Campbell d. Edgar M. Tutwiler Jr., 1 up; Canterbury G.C., Cleveland, Ohio; Medalists — 143, Marvin "Vinny" Giles III, Robert Greenwood Jr.; Entries: 1,562
		1965	(Sept. 15-18) Robert J. Murphy Jr., 291; Robert B. Dickson, 292; Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla.; Entries: 1,476
		1966	(Aug. 31 – Sept. 4) Gary Cowan, 285-75; Deane Beman, 285-76; Merion G.C. (East Course), Ardmore, Pa.; Entries: 1,902
		1967	(Aug. 30 – Sept. 2) Robert B. Dickson, 285; Marvin "Vinny" Giles III, 286; Broadmoor G.C. (West Course), Colorado Springs, Colo.; Entries: 1,784

1968	(Aug. 28-31) Bruce Fleisher , 284; Marvin "Vinny" Giles III , 285; Scioto C.C., Columbus, Ohio; Entries: 2,057	1988	(Aug. 23-28) Eric Meeks d. Danny Yates , 7 and 6; Virginia Hot Springs G. & T.C. (Cascades Course), Hot Springs, Va.; Medalist — 137, Tom McKnight ; Entries: 4,320
1969	(Aug. 27-30) Steven N. Melnyk , 286; Marvin "Vinny" Giles III , 291; Oakmont (Pa.) C.C.; Entries: 2,142	1989	(Aug. 22-27) Chris Patton d. Danny Green , 3 and 1; Merion G.C. (East Course), Ardmore, Pa.; Medalist — 137, Eoghan O'Connell ; Entries: 4,603
1970	(Sept. 2-5) Lanny Wadkins , *279; Thomas O. Kite Jr. , 280; Waverley C.C., Portland, Ore.; Entries: 1,853	1990	(Aug. 21-26) Phil Mickelson d. Manny Zerman , 5 and 4; Cherry Hills C.C., Englewood, Colo.; Medalist — 135, Phil Mickelson ; Entries: 4,765
1971	(Sept. 1-4) Gary Cowan , 280; Eddie Pearce , 283; Wilmington (Del.) C.C. (South Course); Entries: 2,327	1991	(Aug. 20-25) Mitch Voges d. Manny Zerman , 7 and 6; The Honors Course, Ooltewah, Tenn.; Medalists — 136, Allen Doyle , John Harris ; Entries: 4,985
1972	(Aug. 30 - Sept. 2) Marvin "Vinny" Giles III , 285; Mark S. Hayes , Ben Crenshaw , 288; Charlotte (N.C.) C.C.; Entries: 2,295	1992	(Aug. 25-31) Justin Leonard d. Tom Scherrer , 8 and 7; Muirfield Village G.C., Dublin, Ohio; Medalist — 136, David Duval ; Entries: 5,758
1973	(Aug. 28 - Sept. 2) Craig Stadler d. David Strawn , 6 and 5; Inverness Club, Toledo, Ohio; Entries: 2,110	1993	(Aug. 24-30) John Harris d. Danny Ellis , 5 and 3; Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas; Medalist — 139, Brian Gay ; Entries: 5,614
1974	(Aug. 26-31) Jerry Pate d. John P. Grace , 2 and 1; Ridgewood (N.J.) C.C.; Entries: 2,420	1994	(Aug. 22-28) Tiger Woods d. Trip Kuehne , 2 up; TPC at Sawgrass (Stadium Course), Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla.; Medalist — 132, Hank Kim ; Entries: 5,128
1975	(Aug. 26-31) Fred Ridley d. Keith Fergus , 2 up; Country Club of Virginia (James River Course), Richmond, Va.; Entries: 2,528	1995	(Aug. 22-27) Tiger Woods d. George "Buddy" Marucci Jr. , 2 up; Newport (R.I.) C.C.; Medalist — 137, Jerry Courville Jr. ; Entries: 5,248
1976	(Aug. 31 - Sept. 5) Bill Sander d. C. Parker Moore Jr. , 8 and 6; Bel-Air C.C., Los Angeles, Calif.; Entries: 2,681	1996	(Aug. 19-25) Tiger Woods d. Steve Scott , 38 holes; Pumpkin Ridge G.C. (Witch Hollow Course), North Plains, Ore.; Medalist — 136, Tiger Woods ; Entries: 5,538
1977	(Aug. 31 - Sept. 5) John Fought d. Doug Fischesser , 9 and 8; Aronimink G.C., Newtown Square, Pa.; Entries: 2,950	1997	(Aug. 18-24) Matthew Kuchar d. Joel Kribel , 2 and 1; Cog Hill G. & C.C. (No. 4 Course), Lemont, Ill.; Medalist — 136, Roger Tambellini ; Entries: 6,666
1978	(Aug. 29 - Sept. 3) John Cook d. Scott Hoch , 5 and 4; Plainfield (N.J.) C.C.; Entries: 3,035	1998	(Aug. 24-30) Hank Kuehne d. Tom McKnight , 2 and 1; Oak Hill C.C. (East Course), Rochester, N.Y.; Medalist — 136, Joel Kribel ; Entries: 6,627
1979	(Aug. 28 - Sept. 2) Mark O'Meara d. John Cook , 8 and 7; Canterbury G.C., Cleveland, Ohio; Medalist — 134, Bob Clampett ; Entries: 3,916	1999	(Aug. 16-22) David Gossett d. Sung Yoon Kim , 9 and 8; Pebble Beach (Calif.) G.L.; Medalist — 143, Gene Elliott ; Entries: \$7,920
1980	(Aug. 26-31) Hal Sutton d. Bob Lewis , 9 and 8; Country Club of North Carolina, Pinehurst, N.C.; Medalist — 139, Fred Couples ; Entries: 4,008	2000	(Aug. 21-28) Jeff Quinney d. James Driscoll , 39 holes; Baltusrol G.C. (Upper Course), Springfield, N.J.; Medalists — 137, Jim Salinetti , Jeff Wilson ; Entries: 7,124
1981	(Sept. 1-6) Nathaniel Crosby d. Brian Lindley , 37 holes; The Olympic Club (Lake Course), San Francisco, Calif.; Medalist — 145, Joe Rassett ; Entries: 3,525	2001	(Aug. 20-26) Ben "Bubba" Dickerson d. Robert Hamilton , 1 up; East Lake G.C., Atlanta, Ga.; Medalist — 134, Chris Mundorf ; Entries: 7,762
1982	(Aug. 31 - Sept. 5) Jay Sigel d. David Tolley , 8 and 7; The Country Club, Brookline, Mass.; Medalists — 141, Bob Lewis Jr. , Robert Stanger Jr. ; Entries: 3,685	2002	(Aug. 19-25) Ricky Barnes d. Hunter Mahan , 2 and 1; Oakland Hills C.C. (South Course), Bloomfield Hills, Mich.; Medalist — 135, Bill Haas ; Entries: 7,585
1983	(Aug. 30 - Sept. 4) Jay Sigel d. Chris Perry , 8 and 7; North Shore C.C., Glenview, Ill.; Medalist — 139, Clark Burroughs ; Entries: 3,553	2003	(Aug. 18-24) Nick Flanagan d. Casey Wittenberg , 37 holes; Oakmont (Pa.) C.C.; Medalist — 138, John Holmes ; Entries: 7,541
1984	(Aug. 28 - Sept. 2) Scott Verplank d. Sam Randolph , 4 and 3; Oak Tree G.C., Edmond, Okla.; Medalist — 137, Scott Verplank ; Entries: 3,679	2004	(Aug. 16-22) Ryan Moore d. Luke List , 2 up; Winged Foot G.C. (West Course), Mamaroneck, N.Y.; Medalist — 139, Ryan Moore ; Entries: 7,356
1985	(Aug. 27 - Sept. 1) Sam Randolph d. Peter Persons , 1 up; Montclair G.C., West Orange, N.J.; Medalist — 134, Sam Randolph ; Entries: 3,816		
1986	(Aug. 26-31) Stewart "Buddy" Alexander d. Chris Kite , 5 and 3; Shoal Creek, Shoal Creek, Ala.; Medalist — 137, Leonard Mattiace ; Entries: 4,071		
1987	(Aug. 25-30) Bill Mayfair d. Eric Rebmann , 4 and 3; Jupiter Hills Club (Hills Course), Jupiter, Fla.; Medalist — 141, Scott Gump ; Entries: 4,084		

2005	(Aug. 22-28) Edoardo Molinari d. Dillon Dougherty , 4 and 3; Merion G.C. (East Course), Ardmore, Pa.; Medalist — 135, James Lepp; Entries: 7,320	2018	(Aug. 13-19) Viktor Hovland def. Devon Bling , 6 and 5; Pebble Beach (Calif.) G.L.; Medalists — 137, Daniel Hillier, Cole Hammer; Entries: 7,463
2006	(Aug. 21-27) Richie Ramsay d. John Kelly , 4 and 2; Hazeltine National G.C., Chaska, Minn.; Medalist — 138, Billy Horschel ; Entries: 7,182	2019	(Aug. 12-18) Andy Ogletree def. John Augenstein , 2 and 1; Pinehurst R. & C.C. (Course No. 4 & Course No. 2), Village of Pinehurst, N.C.; Medalist — 137, Brandon Wu ; Entries: 7,191
2007	(Aug. 20-26) Colt Knost d. Michael Thompson , 2 and 1; The Olympic Club (Lake Course), San Francisco, Calif.; Medalist — 137, Jason Kokrak; Entries: 7,398	2020	(Aug. 10-16) Tyler Strafaci def. Charles Osborne , 1 up; Bandon Dunes G.R. (Bandon Dunes), Bandon, Ore.; Medalist — 132, Wilson Furr ; Entries: none (all-exempt field due to COVID-19 pandemic)
2008	(Aug. 18-24) Danny Lee d. Drew Kittleson , 5 and 4; Pinehurst R. & C.C. (Course No. 2), Village of Pinehurst, N.C.; Medalist — 134, Robbie Fillmore ; Entries: 7,298	2021	(Aug. 9-15) James Piot def. Austin Greaser , 2 and 1; Oakmont (Pa.) C.C.; Medalist — 132, Mark Goetz ; Entries: 7,811
2009	(Aug. 24-30) Byeong-Hun An d. Ben Martin , 7 and 5; Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla.; Medalist — 140, Tim Jackson ; Entries: 6,948	2022	(Aug. 15-21) Sam Bennett def. Ben Carr , 1 up; The Ridgewood C.C., Paramus, N.J.; Medalists — 138, Fred Biondi , Luke Gutschewski , Michael Thorbjørnsen , Hugo Townsend ; Entries: 7,749
2010	(Aug. 23-29) Peter Uihlein d. David Chung , 4 and 2; Chambers Bay, University Place, Wash.; Medalist — 136, Jeff Wilson ; Entries: 6,485		• Record qualifying score, championship proper (2017)
2011	(Aug. 22-28) Kelly Kraft d. Patrick Cantlay , 2 up; Erin Hills, Erin, Wis.; Medalist — 132, Gregor Main ; Entries: 6,265		* Record stroke-play score (1970)
2012	(Aug. 13-19) Steven Fox def. Michael Weaver , 37 holes; Cherry Hills C.C., Cherry Hills Village, Colo.; Medalist — 132, Bobby Wyatt ; Entries: 6,403		§ Record entry (1999)
2013	(Aug. 12-18) Matthew Fitzpatrick def. Oliver Goss , 4 and 3; The Country Club, Brookline, Mass.; Medalists — 134, Neil Raymond , Brady Watt ; Entries: 7,003		
2014	(Aug. 11-17) Gunn Yang def. Corey Conners , 2 and 1; Atlanta Athletic Club (Highlands Course), Johns Creek, Ga.; Medalists — 135, Lee McCoy , Taylor Moore ; Entries: 6,803		
2015	(Aug. 17-23) Bryson DeChambeau def. Derek Bard , 7 and 6; Olympia Fields (Ill.) C.C. (North Course); Medalist — 133, Brett Coletta ; Entries: 7,047		
2016	(Aug. 15-21) Curtis Luck def. Brad Dalke , 6 and 4; Oakland Hills C.C. (South Course), Bloomfield Township, Mich.; Medalist — 133, Alex Smalley ; Entries: 7,385		
2017	(Aug. 14-20) Doc Redman def. Doug Ghim , 37 holes; The Riviera C.C., Pacific Palisades, Calif.; Medalist — 131, Hayden Wood ; Entries: 7,149		

Stroke-Play Co-Hosts: 1979 to 2022

Secondary Courses Used for Stroke-Play Qualifying			
1979	Shaker Heights C.C., Shaker Heights, Ohio	2009	Cedar Ridge C.C., Broken Arrow, Okla.
1980	Pinehurst R. & C.C. (No. 2), Pinehurst Village, N.C.	2010	The Home Course, DuPont, Wash.
1981	The Olympic Club (Ocean Course), San Francisco, Calif.	2011	Blue Mound G. & C.C., Wauwatosa, Wis.
1982	Charles River C.C., Newton, Mass.	2012	CommonGround G.C., Aurora, Colo.
1983	Skokie C.C., Glencoe, Ill.	2013	Charles River C.C., Newton Centre, Mass.
1984	Oak Tree G. & C.C., Edmond, Okla.	2014	Atlanta Athletic Club (Riverside Course), Johns Creek, Ga.
1985	Montclair G.C., West Orange, N.J.	2015	Olympia Fields (Ill.) C.C. (South Course)
1986	Country Club of Birmingham, Birmingham, Ala.	2016	Oakland Hills C.C. (North Course), Bloomfield Township, Mich.
1987	Jupiter Hills C.C. (Village Course), Jupiter Hills, Fla.	2017	Bel-Air C.C., Los Angeles, Calif.
1988	Virginia Hot Springs G. & T.C. (Lower Cascades), Hot Springs, Va.	2018	Spyglass Hill G.C., Pebble Beach, Calif.
1989	Waynesborough C.C., Paoli, Pa.	2019	Pinehurst R. & C.C. (Course No. 4), Village of Pinehurst, N.C.
1990	Meridan G.C., Englewood, Colo.	2020	Bandon Dunes G.R. (Bandon Trails), Bandon, Ore.
1991	Cleveland (Tenn.) C.C.	2021	Longue Vue Club, Verona, Pa.
1992	The Country Club at Muirfield Village, Dublin, Ohio	2022	Arcola C.C., Paramus, N.J.
1993	Champions G.C. (Jackrabbit Course), Houston, Texas		
1994	TPC at Sawgrass (Valley Course), Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla.		
1995	Wanumetonomy G. & C.C., Middletown, R.I.		
1996	Pumpkin Ridge G.C. (Ghost Creek Course), North Plains, Ore.		
1997	Cog Hill G. & C.C. (No. 2 Course), Lemont, Ill.		
1998	Oak Hill C.C. (West Course), Rochester, N.Y.		
1999	Spyglass Hill G.C., Pebble Beach, Calif.		
2000	Baltusrol G.C. (Lower Course), Springfield, N.J.		
2001	Druid Hills G.C., Atlanta, Ga.		
2002	Oakland Hills C.C. (North Course), Bloomfield Hills, Mich.		
2003	Pittsburgh F.C., Blawnox, Pa.		
2004	Winged Foot G.C. (East Course), Mamaroneck, N.Y.		
2005	Philadelphia C.C., Gladwyne, Pa.		
2006	Chaska Town Course, Chaska, Minn.		
2007	The Olympic Club (Ocean Course), San Francisco, Calif.		
2008	Pinehurst R. & C.C. (Course No. 4), Village of Pinehurst, N.C.		

Records

Age

Oldest Champion (years/months/days)

47/3/9 Jack Westland, 1952

Youngest Champion

17/11/13 Byeong-Hun An, 2009
 18/1/0 Danny Lee, 2008
 18/7/29 Tiger Woods, 1994

Youngest Finalist

17/3/5 Sung Yoon Kim, 1999
 17/11/13 Byeong-Hun An, 2009

Youngest Competitor

13/11/8 Will Thomson (77-78, failed to qualify), 2014
 14/1/13 Ryota Ito (first round, match play), 2004
 14/1/28 Gaven Lane (75-78, failed to qualify), 2018
 14/4/12 Joseph Bramlett (77-82, failed to qualify), 2002
 14/5/8 Beau Hossler (77-77, failed to qualify), 2009
 14/5/18 Robert T. Jones Jr. (quarterfinals, match play), 1916
 14/8/27 Jay Brooks (78-76, failed to qualify), 2019
 14/9/26 George Boutell (first round, match play), 1958
 14/10/7 Zachary Ong (78-73, failed to qualify), 2019
 14/11/21 Jackson Van Paris (second round, match play), 2018

Champions

Most Victories

5 Robert T. Jones Jr. (1924, 1925, 1927, 1928, 1930)
 4 Jerome D. Travers (1907, 1908, 1912, 1913)
 3 Tiger Woods (1994, 1995, 1996)
 3 Walter J. Travis (1900, 1901, 1903)

Consecutive Victories

3 Tiger Woods (1994, 1995, 1996)
 2 H.J. Whigham (1896, 1897)
 2 Walter J. Travis (1900, 1901)
 2 H. Chandler Egan (1904, 1905)
 2 Jerome D. Travers (1907, 1908 and 1912, 1913)
 2 Robert T. Jones Jr. (1924, 1925 and 1927, 1928)
 2 W. Lawson Little Jr. (1934, 1935)
 2 E. Harvie Ward Jr. (1955, 1956)
 2 Jay Sigel (1982, 1983)

Most Recent Winners in First Time Competing

Jeff Quinney, Baltusrol G.C., Springfield, N.J., 2000
 Nick Flanagan, Oakmont (Pa.) C.C., 2003

Edoardo Molinari, Merion G.C., Ardmore, Pa., 2005
 Steven Fox, Cherry Hills C.C., Cherry Hills Village, Colo., 2012
 Matthew Fitzpatrick, The Country Club, Brookline, Mass., 2013
 Gunn Yang, Atlanta Athletic Club, Johns Creek, Ga., 2014

Winners of U.S. Amateur and U.S. Open (13)

Jerome D. Travers (1907, 1908, 1912, 1913 Amateur; 1915 Open)
 Francis Ouimet (1914, 1931 Amateur; 1913 Open)
 *Charles Evans Jr. (1916, 1920 Amateur; 1916 Open)
 *Robert T. Jones Jr. (1924, 1925, 1927, 1928, 1930 Amateur; 1923, 1926, 1929, 1930 Open)
 W. Lawson Little Jr. (1934, 1935 Amateur; 1940 Open)
 John Goodman (1937 Amateur; 1933 Open)
 Gene Little (1953 Amateur; 1961 Open)
 Arnold Palmer (1954 Amateur; 1960 Open)
 Jack Nicklaus (1959, 1961 Amateur; 1962, 1967, 1972, 1980 Open)
 Jerry Pate (1974 Amateur; 1976 Open)
 Tiger Woods (1994, 1995, 1996 Amateur; 2000, 2002, 2008 Open)
 Matt Fitzpatrick (2013 Amateur; 2022 Open)
 Bryson DeChambeau (2015 Amateur; 2020 Open)

*Won both in same year

Winners of U.S. Amateur and British Amateur (13)

Walter J. Travis (1900, 1901, 1903 U.S.; 1904 British)
 *Harold Hilton (1911 U.S.; 1900, 1901, 1911, 1913 British)
 Jess W. Sweetser (1922 U.S.; 1926 British)
 *Robert T. Jones Jr. (1924, 1925, 1927, 1928, 1930 U.S.; 1930 British)
 *W. Lawson Little Jr. (1934, 1935 U.S.; 1934, 1935 British)
 William R. Turnesa (1938, 1948 U.S.; 1947 British)
 Richard D. Chapman (1940 U.S.; 1951 British)
 E. Harvie Ward Jr. (1955, 1956 U.S.; 1952 British)
 Deane Beman (1960, 1963 U.S.; 1959 British)
 *Robert B. Dickson (1967 U.S.; 1967 British)
 Steve Melnyk (1969 U.S.; 1971 British)
 Marvin "Vinny" Giles III (1972 U.S.; 1975 British)
 Jay Sigel (1982, 1983 U.S.; 1979 British)

*Won both in same year

Winners of U.S. Amateur and U.S. Junior Amateur (1)

Tiger Woods (1991, 1992, 1993 Junior Amateur; 1994, 1995, 1996 Amateur)

Winners of U.S. Amateur and U.S. Mid-Amateur (1)

*Jay Sigel (1982, 1983 Amateur; 1983, 1985, 1987 Mid-Amateur)
 *Won both in same year

Winners of U.S. Amateur and U.S. Amateur Public Links (3)

Billy Mayfair (1987 Amateur; 1986 Amateur Public Links)
 *Ryan Moore (2004 Amateur; 2002, 2004 Amateur Public Links)
 *Colt Knost (2007 Amateur; 2007 Amateur Public Links)

*Won both in same year

Winners of U.S. Amateur and U.S. Senior Amateur (2)

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

Winners of U.S. Amateur and NCAA Championship (14)

H. Chandler Egan (Harvard, fall 1902 NCAA; 1904, 1905 Amateur)
Jess W. Sweetser (Yale, 1920 NCAA; 1922 Amateur)
George T. Dunlap Jr. (Princeton, 1930, 1931 NCAA; 1933 Amateur)
John W. Fischer (Michigan, 1932 NCAA; 1936 Amateur)
E. Harvie Ward Jr. (North Carolina, 1949 NCAA; 1955, 1956 Amateur)
Hillman Robbins Jr. (Memphis State, 1954 NCAA; 1957 Amateur)
***Jack Nicklaus** (Ohio State; 1961 NCAA; 1959, 1961 Amateur)
Robert J. Murphy Jr. (Florida, 1965 Amateur; 1966 NCAA)
Scott Verplank (Oklahoma State, 1984 Amateur; 1986 NCAA)
***Phil Mickelson** (Arizona State, 1989, 1990, 1992 NCAA; 1990 Amateur)
Justin Leonard (Texas, 1992 Amateur; 1994 NCAA)
***Tiger Woods** (Stanford, 1994, 1995, 1996 Amateur; 1996 NCAA)
***Ryan Moore** (UNLV, 2004 Amateur; 2004 NCAA)
***Bryson DeChambeau** (Southern Methodist, 2015 Amateur; 2015 NCAA)

*Won both in same year

Winners of U.S. Amateur and Masters (6)

Arnold Palmer (1954 Amateur; 1958, 1960, 1962, 1964 Masters)
Jack Nicklaus (1959, 1961 Amateur; 1963, 1965, 1966, 1972, 1975 1986 Masters)
Craig Stadler (1973 Amateur; 1982 Masters)
Mark O'Meara (1979 Amateur; 1998 Masters)
Phil Mickelson (1990 Amateur; 2004, 2006, 2010 Masters)
Tiger Woods (1994, 1995, 1996 Amateur; 1997, 2001, 2002, 2005, 2019 Masters)

Winners of U.S. Amateur and British Open (8)

Harold H. Hilton (1911 Amateur; 1892, 1897 British)
Robert T. Jones Jr. (1924, 1925, 1927, 1928, 1930 Amateur; 1926, 1927, 1930 British)
Arnold Palmer (1954 Amateur; 1961, 1962 British)
Jack Nicklaus (1959, 1961 Amateur; 1966, 1970, 1978 British)
Mark O'Meara (1979 Amateur; 1998 British)
Phil Mickelson (1990 Amateur; 2013 British)
Justin Leonard (1992 Amateur; 1997 British)
Tiger Woods (1994, 1995, 1996 Amateur; 2000, 2005, 2006 British)

Winners of U.S. Amateur and PGA Championship (5)

Jack Nicklaus (1959, 1961 Amateur; 1963, 1971, 1973, 1975, 1980 PGA)
Lanny Wadkins (1970 Amateur; 1977 PGA)
Hal Sutton (1980 Amateur; 1983 PGA)
Phil Mickelson (1990 Amateur; 2005, 2021 PGA)

Tiger Woods (1994, 1995, 1996 Amateur; 1999, 2000, 2006, 2007 PGA)

Winners of U.S. Amateur, U.S. Open and NCAA Championship (3)

Jack Nicklaus (1959, 1961 Amateur; 1962, 1967, 1972, 1980 Open; 1961 NCAA)
Tiger Woods (1994, 1995, 1996 Amateur; 2000, 2002, 2008 Open; 1996 NCAA)
Bryson DeChambeau (2015 Amateur; 2020 Open; 2015 NCAA)

Longest Span Between Victories

17 years **Francis Ouimet** (1914, 1931; no championships, 1917-18)

Course

Longest Course

7,760 yards **Erin Hills**, Erin, Wis., 2011

Shortest Course

4,423 yards (Since 1941)	Shinnecock Hills G.C. , Southampton, N.Y., 1896
6,493 yards	Montclair (N.J.) G.C. (fourth and second nines), 1985

Most Times Host Site

6	Merion G.C. , Ardmore, Pa. (1916, 1924, 1930, 1966, 1989, 2005)
6	The Country Club , Brookline, Mass. (1910, 1922, 1934, 1957, 1982, 2013)
6	Oakmont (Pa.) C.C. (1919, 1925, 1938, 1969, 2003, 2021)
5	Pebble Beach (Calif.) G.L. (1929, 1947, 1961, 1999, 2018)

Entries

Largest

7,920 (1999)

Smallest

32 (1895)

Match Play

Largest Winning Margin, 18-Hole Match

- 9 and 8 Harry Todd d. Matthew Zadalis, second round, Omaha (Neb.) Field Club, 1941
 9 and 8 Gerald Kesselring d. Russell Brothers, second round, Minneapolis (Minn.) G.C., 1950
 9 and 8 Dr. Don Keith d. Thomas W. Beck, first round, The Olympic Club (Lake Course), San Francisco, Calif., 1958
 9 and 8 Bill Rogers d. Rick Cain, fourth round, Inverness Club, Toledo, Ohio, 1973

Largest Winning Margin, 36-Hole Match

- 14 and 13 Jerome D. Travers d. George A. Crump, first round, Country Club of Detroit, Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich., 1915
 14 and 13 Robert T. Jones Jr. d. John B. Beck, third round, Brae Burn C.C., West Newton, Mass., 1928
 14 and 12 Charles B. Macdonald d. Stewart Stickney, first round, Onwensia Club, Lake Forest, Ill., 1899

Largest Winning Margin, Final (36 Holes)

- 12 and 11 Charles B. Macdonald d. Charles E. Sands, Newport (R.I.) G.C., 1895
 11 and 10 Charles R. Coe d. Rufus King, Oak Hill C.C. (East Course), Rochester, N.Y., 1949
 11 and 9 Richard D. Chapman d. W.B. McCullough Jr., Winged Foot C.C. (West Course), Mamaroneck, N.Y., 1940
 10 and 9 Robert T. Jones Jr. d. T. Phillip Perkins, Brae Burn C.C., West Newton, Mass., 1928
 9 and 8 Robert T. Jones Jr. d. George Von Elm, Merion Cricket Club (East Course), Ardmore, Pa., 1924
 9 and 8 E. Harvie Ward Jr. d. William Hyndman Jr., Country Club of Virginia (James River Course), Richmond, Va., 1955
 9 and 8 John Fought d. Doug Fischesser, Aronimink C.C., Newtown Squire, Pa., 1977
 9 and 8 Hal Sutton d. Bob Lewis, Country Club of North Carolina, Pinehurst, N.C., 1980
 9 and 8 David Gossett d. Sung Yoon Kim, Pebble Beach (Calif.) G.L., 1999

Largest Winning Margin, 18-Hole Semifinal

- 8 and 7 Bill Sander d. James T. Mason, Bel-Air C.C., Los Angeles, Calif., 1976
 7 and 5 Sam Randolph d. Jerry Haas, Oak Tree G.C., Edmond, Okla., 1984
 6 and 5 David Strawn d. William C. Campbell, Inverness Club, Toledo, Ohio, 1973
 6 and 5 Mitch Voges d. Bryan Pemberton, The Honors Course, Ooltewah, Tenn., 1991
 6 and 5 Matt Kuchar d. Randy Leen, Cog Hill G. & C.C. (Course No. 4), Lemont, Ill., 1997
 6 and 5 Hank Kuehne d. Bill Lunde, Oak Hill C.C. (East Course), Rochester, N.Y., 1998

- 6 and 4 Stewart (Buddy) Alexander d. Bob Lewis, Shoal Creek, Shoal Creek, Ala., 1986

Largest Winning Margin, 18-Hole Quarterfinal

- 7 and 6 William J. Patton d. James R. Gabrielsen, Pinehurst R. & C.C. (Course No. 2), Village of Pinehurst, N.C., 1962
 7 and 6 John Curley d. David Boesel, Champions G.C. (Cypress Creek Course), Houston, Texas, 1993
 7 and 6 Ben Curtis d. Andrew Sanders, Pebble Beach (Calif.) G.L., 1999
 7 and 6 Viktor Hovland d. Austin Squires, Pebble Beach (Calif.) G.L., 2018
 7 and 5 Raymond E. Billows d. Frank R. Stranahan, Memphis (Tenn.) C.C., 1948
 7 and 5 Thomas D. Aaron d. Charles Kocsis, The Olympic Club (Lake Course), San Francisco, Calif., 1958

Largest Winning Margin, 18-Hole Round of 16 Match

- 8 and 7 Charles R. Coe d. James C. Thompson Jr., Wakonda Club, Des Moines, Iowa, 1963
 8 and 7 Todd Hamilton d. Duffy Waldorf, Montclair G.C., West Orange, N.J., 1985
 8 and 6 Charles B. Macdonald d. G. Bement, Newport (R.I.) G.C., 1895
 8 and 6 Cyril J.H. Tolley d. Fay Coleman, Del Monte G. & C.C., Pebble Beach, Calif. G.C., 1929
 7 and 6 Jesse Guilford d. Dexter Cummings, Flossmoor (Ill.) C.C., 1923
 7 and 6 Charles Kocsis d. M.J. McCarthy Jr., The Country Club, Cleveland, Ohio, 1935
 7 and 6 Scott Gump d. John O'Neill, Jupiter Hills Club (Hills Course), Jupiter, Fla., 1987
 7 and 6 Joel Kribel d. Edward Loar, Cog Hill G. & C.C. (No. 4 Course), Lemont, Ill., 1997
 7 and 6 Danny Lee d. Connor McHenry, Pinehurst R. & C.C. (Course No. 2), Village of Pinehurst, N.C., 2008
 7 and 6 Viktor Hovland d. Kristoffer Reitan, Pebble Beach (Calif.) G.L., 2018

Longest 18-Hole Match

- 28 holes Maurice J. McCarthy d. George Von Elm, second round, Merion Cricket Club (East Course), Ardmore, Pa., 1930
 26 holes John Cook d. Lennie Clements, third round, Canterbury G.C., Cleveland, Ohio, 1979
 25 holes Luke M. Barnes d. William C. Campbell, third round, Del Monte G. & C.C., Pebble Beach, Calif., 1947
 25 holes Donald E. Albert d. Frank Strafaci, second round, Seattle (Wash.) G.C., 1952
 25 holes William C. Campbell d. Warren J. Choate, second round, Ridgewood (N.J.) C.C., 1974
 25 holes Robert W. Burk d. Vance Heafner, third round, Plainfield (N.J.) C.C., 1978
 25 holes J.J. Henry d. Tom Johnson, second round, Oak Hill C.C. (East Course), Rochester, N.Y., 1998
 24 holes John J. Penrose Jr. d. William P. Turnesa, fourth

- round, The Country Club (Anniversary Course), Brookline, Mass., 1957
24 holes Homero Blancas Jr. d. Deane R. Beman, fourth round, Pinehurst R. & C.C. (No. 2 Course), Village of Pinehurst, N.C., 1962
24 holes Charles Howell III d. Jeff Goliher, first round, Pumpkin Ridge G.C. (Witch Hollow Course), North Plains, Ore., 1996

Longest 36-Hole Match

- 41 holes Walter J. Travis d. H.H. Wilder**, second round, Garden City (N.Y.) G.C., 1908
41 holes Charles Evans Jr. d. Reginald M. Lewis, second round, Engineers C.C., Roslyn Harbor, N.Y., 1920
40 holes Walter Fairbanks d. James F. Curtis, first round, Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill., 1899
40 holes A.G. Lockwood d. John Reid Jr., third round, Garden City (N.Y.) G.C., 1900
40 holes Eben M. Byers d. John M. Ward, second round, Garden City (N.Y.) G.C., 1908

Longest Final Match

- 39 holes Sam Urzetta d. Frank Stranahan**, Minneapolis (Minn.) G.C., 1950
39 holes Jeff Quinney d. James Driscoll, Baltusrol G.C. (Upper Course), Springfield, N.J., 2000
38 holes Max R. Marston d. Jess W. Sweetser, Flossmoor (Ill.) C.C., 1923
38 holes Tiger Woods d. Steve Scott, Pumpkin Ridge G.C. (Witch Hollow Course), North Plains, Ore., 1996
37 holes Harold H. Hilton d. Fred Herreshoff, The Apawamis Club, Rye, N.Y., 1911
37 holes John W. Fischer d. Jack McLean, Garden City (N.Y.) C.C., 1936
37 holes Stanley E. "Ted" Bishop d. Smiley L. Quick, Baltusrol G.C. (Lower Course), Springfield, N.J., 1946
37 holes Nathaniel Crosby d. Brian Lindley, The Olympic Club (Lake Course), San Francisco, Calif., 1981
37 holes Nick Flanagan d. Casey Wittenberg, Oakmont (Pa.) C.C., 2003
37 holes Steven Fox d. Michael Weaver, Cherry Hills C.C., Cherry Hills Village, Colo., 2012
37 holes Doc Redman d. Doug Ghim, The Riviera C.C., Pacific Palisades, Calif., 2017

Longest Semifinal, 18-Hole Match

- 21 holes Curtis Luck d. Nick Carlson**, Oakland Hills C.C., Bloomfield Township, Mich., 2016
20 holes John Cook d. Michael Peck, Plainfield (N.J.) C.C., 1978
20 holes Scott Hoch d. Bob Clampett, Plainfield (N.J.) C.C., 1978
19 holes C. Parker Moore Jr. d. Stan K. Souza, Bel-Air C.C., Los Angeles, Calif., 1976
19 holes Chris Perry d. Clifton Pierce, North Shore C.C., Glenview, Ill., 1983
19 holes Manny Zerman d. Dicky Pride, The Honors Course,

- Ooltewah, Tenn., 1991
19 holes George "Buddy" Marucci Jr. d. Steve Scott, Newport (R.I.) C.C., 1995
19 holes Luke List d. Chris Nallen, Winged Foot G.C. (West Course), Mamaroneck, N.Y., 2004
19 holes Gunn Yang d. Frederick Wedel, Atlanta Athletic Club (Highlands Course), Johns Creek, Ga., 2014

Longest Quarterfinal, 18-Hole Match

- 23 holes Reynolds Smith d. Ernest Pieper Jr.**, The Country Club (Original Course), Brookline, Mass., 1934
21 holes Charles R. Coe d. John W. Dawson, Oak Hill C.C. (East Course), Rochester, N.Y., 1949
21 holes Rex Baxter Jr. d. Phil Rodgers, The Country Club (Anniversary Course), Brookline, Mass., 1957
21 holes David Tolley d. Jim Holtgrieve, The Country Club, Brookline, Mass., 1982
21 holes Richard Ramsay d. Rickie Fowler, Hazeltine National G.C., Chaska, Minn., 2006
21 holes Byeong-Hun An d. Steve Ziegler, Southern Hills, C.C., Tulsa, Okla., 2009
20 holes D.P. Fredericks d. J.M. Rhett, Baltusrol G.C. (Original Course), Springfield, N.J., 1904
20 holes W.C. Fownes Jr. d. Walter J. Travis, Euclid Club, Cleveland, Ohio, 1907
20 holes B. Patrick Abbott d. Joseph Thompson, Oakmont (Pa.) C.C., 1938
20 holes Billy Maxwell d. Arnold Blum, Saucon Valley C.C. (Old Course), Bethlehem, Pa., 1951
20 holes Dale Morey d. Angelo Santilli, Oklahoma City (Okla.) G. & C.C., 1953
20 holes Edgar M. Tutwiler Jr. d. William E. Ferrell Jr., Canterbury G.C., Cleveland, Ohio, 1964
20 holes Mark O'Meara d. David Ogrin, Canterbury G.C., Cleveland, Ohio, 1979
20 holes James Hallet d. Timothy Krapfel, The Country Club, Brookline, Mass., 1982
20 holes Billy Mayfair d. Miles McConnell, Jupiter Hills Club (Hills Course), Jupiter, Fla., 1987
20 holes Patrick Cantlay d. Jed Dirksen, Chambers Bay, University Place, Wash., 2010

Longest Round of 16 Match, 18-Hole Match

- 28 holes Maurice J. McCarthy d. George Von Elm**, Merion Cricket Club (East Course), Ardmore, Pa., 1930
26 holes John Cook d. Lennie Clements, Canterbury G.C., Cleveland, Ohio, 1979
23 holes James Oh d. Bryce Molder, Pebble Beach (Calif.) G.L., 1999
23 holes Jeff Quinney d. Ben Curtis, Baltusrol G.C. (Upper Course), Springfield, N.J., 2000
23 holes Patrick Reed d. Brandon Detweiler, Pinehurst R. & C.C. (Course No. 2), Village of Pinehurst, N.C., 2008
23 holes Charlie Holland d. Sihwan Kim, Pinehurst R. & C.C. (Course No. 2), Village of Pinehurst, N.C., 2008
23 holes Kelly Kraft d. Blake Biddle, Erin Hills, Erin, Wis., 2011

Most Match-Play Victories

57	Charles Evans Jr.
55	Charles R. Coe

Best Match-Play Winning Percentage (minimum 20 victories)

.909	Tiger Woods (20-2)
.843	Robert T. Jones Jr. (43-8)
.840	W. Lawson Little Jr. (21-4)

Most Consecutive Match-Play Victories

18	Tiger Woods (1994, 1995, 1996)
17	E. Harvie Ward Jr. (1955, 1956, 1958) (did not compete in 1957)
16	W. Lawson Little Jr. (1934, 1935)

Most Consecutive Times In Match Play (Since 1973)

10	Jerry Courville Jr. (1994-2003)
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Fewest Match-Play Holes Needed By Champion (1979-present)

103	David Gossett, Pebble Beach (Calif.) G.L., 1999
103	Bryson DeChambeau, Olympia Fields (Ill.) C.C. (North Course), 2015
104	Danny Lee, Pinehurst R. & C.C. (Course No. 2), Village of Pinehurst, N.C., 2008
104	Viktor Hovland, Pebble Beach (Calif.) G.L., 2018
109	Hal Sutton, Country Club of North Carolina, Pinehurst, N.C., 1980

Most Match-Play Holes Needed By Champion (1979-present)

126	Gunn Yang, Atlanta Athletic Club (Highlands Course), Johns Creek, Ga., 2014
125	Jeff Quinney, Baltusrol G.C. (Upper Course), Springfield, N.J., 2000
125	Nick Flanagan, Oakmont (Pa.) C.C., 2003
123	Doc Redman, The Riviera C.C., Pacific Palisades, Calif., 2017
123	Tyler Strafaci, Bandon Dunes G.R. (Bandon Dunes), Bandon, Ore., 2020
122	Kelly Kraft, Erin Hills, Erin, Wis., 2011

Most Extra-Hole Matches by One Player, Championship

5	Reynolds Smith, The Country Club (Original Course), Brookline, Mass., 1934
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Most Extra-Hole Matches, Championship (since 1979)

12	North Shore C.C., Glenview, Ill., 1983
12	Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla., 2009
11	Canterbury C.C., Cleveland, Ohio, 1979
11	Jupiter Hills Club (Hills Course), Jupiter, Fla., 1987
11	Cherry Hills C.C., Cherry Hills Village, Colo., 2012

Stroke Play**Lowest Score, 18 Holes (Stroke-Play Qualifying)**

60	Billy Horschel, first round, stroke-play co-host, Chaska Town Course, Chaska, Minn., 2006 (best stroke-play score in USGA history)
62	Jeff Wilson, first round, stroke-play co-host, The Home Course, Dupont, Wash., 2010
62	Wilson Furr, second round, stroke-play co-host, Bandon Dunes G.R. (Bandon Trails), Bandon, Ore., 2020
63	Robert Godfrey, first round, East Lake G.C., Atlanta, Ga., 2001
63	Chris Mundorf, second round, stroke-play co-host, Druid Hills G.C., Atlanta, Ga., 2001
63	Scott Langley, second round, stroke-play co-host, Blue Mound G. & C.C., Wauwatosa, Wis., 2011
63	Jacob Bridgeman, first round, stroke-play co-host, Longue Vue Club, Verona, Pa., 2021

Lowest Score, 36 Holes (Stroke-Play Qualifying)

131	Hayden Wood, (64-67), The Riviera C.C. and Bel-Air C.C., Pacific Palisades, Calif., 2017 (medalist)
132	Hank Kim, (64-68), TPC at Sawgrass (Stadium and Valley Courses), Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla., 1994 (medalist)
132	Gregor Main, (65-67), Erin Hills and Blue Mound G. & C.C., Erin, Wis., 2011 (medalist)
132	Bobby Wyatt, (64-68), Cherry Hill C.C. and CommonGround G.C., Cherry Hills Village, Colo., 2012 (medalist)
132	Wilson Furr, (70-62), Bandon Dunes G.R. (Bandon Dunes and Bandon Trails), Bandon, Ore., 2020 (medalist)
132	Mark Goetz, (64-68), Oakmont (Pa.) C.C. and Longue Vue Club, Verona, Pa., 2021 (medalist)
133	Brett Coletta, (67-66), Olympia Fields (Ill.) C.C. (North and South Courses), 2015 (medalist)
133	Alex Smalley, (65-68), Oakland Hills C.C. (South and North Courses), Bloomfield Township, Mich., 2016 (medalist)
133	Brian Ma, (65-68), Oakmont (Pa.) C.C. and Longue Vue Club, Verona, Pa., 2021
134	Bob Clampett, (66-68), Canterbury G.C. and Shaker Heights C.C., Cleveland, Ohio, 1979 (medalist)
134	Sam Randolph, (65-69), Montclair (N.J.) G.C., 1985 (medalist)
134	Chris Mundorf, (71-63), East Lake G.C. and Druid Hills G.C., Atlanta, Ga., 2001 (medalist)
134	Robbie Filmore, (69-65), Pinehurst R. & C.C. (No. 2 and No. 4 Courses), Village of Pinehurst, N.C., 2008 (medalist)
134	Neil Raymond, (67-67), The Country Club and Charles River C.C., Brookline, Mass., 2013 (co-medalist)
134	Brady Watt, (68-66), The Country Club and Charles River C.C., Brookline, Mass., 2013 (co-medalist)
134	David Oraee, (67-67), Olympia Fields (Ill.) C.C. (North and South Courses), 2015

134	Dawson Armstrong , (64-70), Oakland Hills C.C. (South and North Courses), Bloomfield Township, Mich., 2016
134	Gavin Hall , (65-69), Oakland Hills C.C., (South and North Courses), Bloomfield Township, Mich., 2016
134	Norman Xiong , (64-70), The Riviera C.C. and Bel-Air C.C., Pacific Palisades, Calif., 2017
134	James Piot , (69-65), Bandon Dunes G.R. (Bandon Dunes and Bandon Trails), Bandon, Ore., 2020
134	Michael Thorbjørnsen , (65-69), Oakmont (Pa.) C.C. and Longue Vue Club, Verona, Pa., 2021

142 (2-over)	Oakland Hills C.C. (South and North Courses), Bloomfield Township, Mich., 2016
143 (3-over)	Oakland Hills C.C. (South and North Courses), Bloomfield Township, Mich., 2002
143 (2-over)	Cherry Hills C.C. and CommonGround G.C., Cherry Hills Village, Colo., 2012
143 (3-over)	Olympia Fields (Ill.) C.C. (North and South Courses), 2015
143 (3-over)	Oakmont (Pa.) C.C. and Longue Vue Club, Verona, Pa., 2021

Most Times Medalist

6	Walter J. Travis (1900, 1901, 1902, 1906, 1907, 1908)
6	Robert T. Jones Jr. (1920, 1923*, 1926, 1927, 1929*, 1930)
4	Charles Evans Jr. (1909, 1912, 1913, 1923*)

*co-medalist

Oldest Medalist

50	Tim Jackson , Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla., 2009
47	Jeff Wilson , Chambers Bay, University Place, Wash., 2010
46	Walter J. Travis , Garden City (N.Y.) C.C., 1908

Most Players to Tie for Medalist

4	Fred Biondi , Luke Gutschewski, Michael Thorbjørnsen, Hugo Townsend, The Ridgewood C.C. and Arcola C.C., Paramus, N.J., 2022
3	Charles Evans Jr. , Robert A. Gardner, Thomas M. Sherman, Chicago G.C., Wheaton, Ill., 1909
3	S. Davidson Herron , J.B. Manion, Paul Tewkesbury, Oakmont (Pa.) C.C., 1919
3	John E. Lehman , Charles H. Seaver, Arthur Yates, Beverly C.C., Chicago, Ill., 1931

Longest Playoff to Qualify for Match Play

9 holes	From 22 players, Van Phillips d. John McClure for 64th spot, Champions G.C., Houston, Texas, 1993
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Most Competitors in Playoff

33	Virginia Hot Springs G. & T.C. (Cascades Course), Hot Springs, Va. (for 10 places), 1988
27	Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla. (for four places), 2009
27	Pinehurst R. & C.C. (Course No. 4), Village of Pinehurst, N.C. (for three places), 2019
26	Pinehurst R. & C.C. (Course No. 2), Village of Pinehurst, N.C. (for two places), 2008
25	Jupiter Hills Club (Hills Course), Jupiter, Fla. (for eight places), 1987

Lowest Stroke-Play Cut (Since 1979)

142 (even par)	Erin Hills and Blue Mound G. & C.C., Erin, Wis., 2011
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Highest Stroke-Play Cut (Since 1979)

156 (16-over)	The Olympic Club (Lake and Ocean Courses), San Francisco, Calif., 1981
153 (11-over)	Canterbury G.C., Cleveland, Ohio, 1964
152 (8-over)	Baltusrol G.C. (Lower Course), Springfield, N.J., 1946
152 (10-over)	The Country Club and Charles River C.C., Brookline, Mass., 1982
152 (9-over)	Pebble Beach G.L. and Spyglass Hill G.C., Pebble Beach, Calif., 1999

Lowest 18-Hole Score (1965-72)

65	Marvin "Vinny" Giles III , fourth round, Scioto C.C., Columbus, Ohio, 1968
65	Kurt Cox, second round, Waverley C.C., Portland, Ore., 1970

Lowest First Round (1965-72)

67	Lanny Wadkins, Waverley C.C., Portland, Ore., 1970
67	Martin West, Wilmington (Del.) C.C. (South Course), 1971
68	Gary Sanders, Waverley C.C., Portland, Ore., 1970

Lowest Second Round (1965-72)

65	Kurt Cox, Waverley C.C., Portland, Ore., 1970
67	Deane Beman, Merion G.C. (East Course), Ardmore, Pa., 1966
67	Jim Gabrielsen, Waverley C.C., Portland, Ore., 1970
67	Tom Kite Jr., Waverley C.C., Portland, Ore., 1970
67	James McLean, Wilmington (Del.) C.C. (South Course), 1971

Lowest Third Round (1965-72)

68	A. Downing Gray , Merion G.C. (East Course), Ardmore, Pa., 1966
68	Gary Sanders, Waverley C.C., Portland, Ore., 1970
68	Marvin "Vinny" Giles III, Wilmington (Del.) C.C. (South Course), 1971
68	Martin West, Wilmington (Del.) C.C. (South Course), 1971
68	Charles Harrison, Charlotte (N.C.) C.C., 1972

Lowest Fourth Round (1965-72)

65	Marvin "Vinny" Giles III , Scioto C.C., Columbus, Ohio, 1968
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67	Gary Cowan , Merion G.C. (East Course), Ardmore, Pa., 1966	2002
67	Jack Ewing Jr. , Broadmoor G.C. (West Course), Colorado Springs, Colo., 1967	Mark Christiansen , first round, stroke play, 202-yard 16th hole, Pittsburgh (Pa.) Field Club, 2003
67	John Bohmann , Scioto C.C., Columbus, Ohio, 1968	Phil Luong , first round, stroke play, 190-yard, par-3 10th hole, Winged Foot G.C. (West Course), Mamaroneck, N.Y., 2004

Miscellaneous

Most Times Qualified for Championship

50	Charles Evans Jr.
37	William C. Campbell , including a record 33 consecutive from 1941-77 (no championship 1942-45)

Most Times in Final

7	Robert T. Jones Jr. (1919, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1930)
5	Jerome D. Travers (1907, 1908, 1912, 1913, 1914)
5	Charles Evans Jr. (1912, 1916, 1920, 1922, 1927)

Most Times Runner-Up

3	Charles Evans Jr. (1912, 1922, 1927)
3	Raymond Billows (1937, 1939, 1948)
3	Marvin "Vinny" Giles III (1967, 1968, 1969)

Champion & Stroke-Play Medalist (since 1979)

Scott Verplank (1984)
Sam Randolph (1985)
Phil Mickelson (1990)
Tiger Woods (1996)
Ryan Moore (2004)

Recent Holes-in-One (23)

Justin Leonard, first round, stroke play, 185-yard, par-3 4th hole, Champions G.C. (Jack Rabbit Course), Houston, Texas, 1993
Rick Ten Broeck, second round, stroke play, 154-yard, par-3 7th hole, Champions G.C. (Jack Rabbit Course), Houston, Texas, 1993
Martin Pettigrew, first round, stroke play, 190-yard, par-3 8th hole, Newport (R.I.) C.C., 1995
Duke Delcher, quarterfinals, 175-yard, par-3 15th hole, Pumpkin Ridge (Witch Hollow) G.C., North Plains, Ore., 1996
Brian Nosler, first round, stroke play, 150-yard, par-3 fourth hole, Oak Hill C.C. (West Course), Rochester, N.Y., 1998
Herbert Stevens, second round, stroke play, 167-yard, par-3 6th hole, Oak Hill C.C. (East Course), Rochester, N.Y., 1998
Charles Stevens, first round, stroke play, 186-yard, par-3 5th hole, Spyglass Hill G.C., Pebble Beach, Calif., 1999
Matthew Chubb, second round, stroke play, 195-yard, par-3 4th hole, Baltusrol G.C. (Lower Course), Springfield, N.J., 2000
Mike Plate, second round, stroke play, 235-yard 18th hole, East Lake G.C., Atlanta, Ga., 2001
Matt Johnson, second round, stroke play, 149-yard 13th hole, Druid Hills G.C., Atlanta, Ga., 2001
William McGirt, second round, stroke play, 168-yard, par-3 13th hole, Oakland Hills C.C. (South Course), Bloomfield Hills, Mich.,