

**This Week on the LPGA Tour**  
**Bank of Hope LPGA Match-Play presented by MGM Rewards**  
 Shadow Creek | Las Vegas, Nev. | May 24-28, 2023

**MEDIA AVAILABILITY SCHEDULE**

(All times are local and subject to change; Zoom link available upon request)

Tuesday, May 23 – All times are approximate based on the Tuesday Pro-Am

10 a.m. – Linn Grant  
 10:30 a.m. – Danielle Kang  
 11:30 a.m. – Ally Ewing  
 1:45 p.m. – Eun-Hee Ji

Sunday, May 28 - Players Challenge presented by MGM Resorts International

Four NFL players – Davante Adams, Mark Ingram, Terry McLaurin and Austin Ekeler – will play in a nine-hole, two-man scramble concurrently with the championship match

**CHAMPIONSHIP FORMAT**

64 players, divided into 16 groups of four; after three days of round-robin matches, competition moves to a 16-player, single-elimination bracket

**GROUP-PLAY PODS**

Players will be seeded 1-64 based on their Rolex Women’s World Golf Rankings as of Monday, May 22. Group-play pods will be structured according to the following table:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
32	31	30	29	28	27	26	25
33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
64	63	62	61	60	59	58	57

9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48
56	55	54	53	52	51	50	49

*Pods and seeding with player names are attached*

**PLAYOFF HOLES**

No. 1 for all playoff holes to advance from pod/round robin  
 No. 10 for playoff holes once in the bracket

**POINTS STRUCTURE**

1 point – win, .5 point – tie, 0 points - loss

**TOURNAMENT INFORMATION**

**Purse:** \$1.5 million; winner’s portion is \$225,000

**Whiteline Par and Yardage:**

37-35–72, 6,765 yards  
 (par and yardage are subject to change through the start of the tournament)

**Past Champions and Runners-Up:**

**2022** – Eun-Hee Ji def. Ayaka Furue, 3&2  
**2021** – Ally Ewing def. Sophia Popov, 2&1

**WHO’S IN THE FIELD**

***Past Champions:***

Ally Ewing (2021), Eun-Hee Ji (2022)

***2023 LPGA Tour Winners (3 of 8):***

Celine Boutier (LPGA Drive On Championship), Brooke Henderson (Hilton Grand Vacations Tournament of Champions), Lilia Vu (Honda LPGA Thailand, The Chevron Championship)

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- [Stats Box:](#) includes season long statistics through the Cognizant Founders Cup as well as the \$1.5 million purse breakdown for the Bank of Hope LPGA Match-Play pres. by MGM Rewards
- [Media Assets:](#) For access to tournament photos and videos, please contact [communications@lpga.com](mailto:communications@lpga.com)

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**TV/STREAMING TIMES**

All times ET on Golf Channel (TV) along with golfchannel.com, NBCSports.com, the NBC Sports App and Peacock (Streaming)

**Wednesday, May 24** – 1:30-4:30 p.m. (Round 1 Pool Play)

**Thursday, May 25** – 7-10 p.m. (Round 2 Pool Play)

**Friday, May 26** – 7-10 p.m. (Round 3 Pool Play)

**Saturday, May 27** – 5:30-8:30 p.m. (Quarterfinals)

**Sunday, May 28** – 1:30-4 p.m. (Semifinals, streaming only), 6:30-9:30 p.m. ET (Finals and Players Challenge)

**2023 LPGA Tour Rookies (4 of 31):**

Jaravee Boonchant, Celine Borge, Lucy Li, Hae Ran Ryu

**Nevada Connections:**

Danielle Kang (resident), Alison Lee (resident), Jenny Shin (resident)

**Sponsor Exemptions:**

Muni He, Yaeun Hong