



This Week on the LPGA Tour
Dow Championship
Midland Country Club | Midland, MI | June 27-30, 2024

Please see the updated press conference schedule below

MEDIA AVAILABILITY SCHEDULE

(Zoom link for pre-tournament availability is distributed upon request; All times are local and subject to change. Please visit the LPGA Online Media Center for the most updated times.)

Tuesday, June 25

10:00 a.m. – Georgia Oboh & Lakareber Abe
10:30 a.m. – Maria Fassi & Stacy Lewis
11:00 a.m. – Charley Hull & Georgia Hall
11:30 a.m. – Alexa Pano & Rose Zhang
4:15 p.m. – Sophie Stevens & Vanessa Borovilos

Wednesday, June 26

Following pro-am (7:30 a.m. start)– Cheyenne Knight & Elizabeth Szokol
Following pro-am (8:20 a.m. start) – Ruoning Yin & Athaya Thitikul

TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

Competition Format: The Dow Championship is a 72-hole, stroke-play team event with teams comprised of two players. The first and third rounds will be played in foursomes (alternate shot) and the second and final rounds will be played in four ball (best-ball) format. After 36 holes, the field will be cut to the low-33 teams and ties.

In the event of a playoff, the champions will be determined by a hole-by-hole playoff in the foursomes format.

Each LPGA Member on the winning team will receive the standard two-year winner's exemption on the LPGA Priority List. Non-Member win regulations apply to non-Members that are participating in the event. CME points and prize money will be official for the purposes of the current-year LPGA Official Money List and Race to the CME Globe Standings. Rolex Player of the Year, Louise Suggs Rolex Rookie of the Year and U.S. Solheim Cup points will not be allocated, and statistics will not be calculated. Rolex Women's World Rankings Points also will not be allocated.

Purse: \$3 million; winning team will split \$729,144 (\$364,572 each)

Whiteline Par and Yardage: 35-35 – 70; 6,277 yards
(The par and yardage are subject to change through the start of the tournament)

Course History: Midland Country Club
Midland Country Club was founded in 1928 by Dr. Hale, Gilbert A. Currie along with Dr. Herbert H. Dow. The original golf course design was overseen by Mr. Currie, and all 18-holes officially opened on July 1, 1928. The clubhouse and golf course that is seen today was constructed in 2009 and officially opened on Mother's Day in 2010.

Tournament History:

This event has been played at Midland Country Club in Midland, MI, since the tournament's inception in 2019. The tournament did not take place in 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

This year, officials announced a [new name](#), the Dow Championship, and a [new logo](#) for the tournament.

Past Champions and Runners-Up:

2023 – Cheyenne Knight & Elizabeth Szokol, 257 (-23); Matilda Castren & Kelly Tan, 258 (-22)
2022 – Jennifer Kupcho & Lizette Salas, 254 (-26); Matilda Castren & Kelly Tan, 259 (-21)
2021 – Ariya & Moriya Jutanugarn, 256 (-24); Cydney Clanton & Jasmine Suwannapura, 259 (-21)
2019 – Cydney Clanton & Jasmine Suwannapura, 253 (-27); Minjee Lee & Jin Young Ko, 259 (-21)

Tournament Scoring Records:

18 holes (Foursomes/alternate shot) – 62, Cheyenne Knight & Elizabeth Szokol (2023, R3)
18 holes (Four-ball/best ball) – 58, Minjee Lee & Jin Young Ko (2019, R4)
36 holes – 126, Ariya & Moriya Jutanugarn (2021); Pauline Roussin & Dewi Weber (2022)
54 holes – 192, Cheyenne Knight & Elizabeth Szokol (2023)
72 holes – 253, Cydney Clanton & Jasmine Suwannapura (2019)

WHO IS IN THE FIELD

Past Winning Teams (2):

2023 – Cheyenne Knight & Elizabeth Szokol
2021 – Ariya & Moriya Jutanugarn

2024 LPGA Tour Winners (6 of 10):

Lydia Ko (Hilton Grand Vacations Tournament of Champions), Yuka Saso (**U.S. Women's Open**), Linnea Strom (ShopRite LPGA Classic presented by Acer), Bailey Tardy (Blue Bay LPGA), Amy Yang (**KPMG Women's PGA Championship**), Rose Zhang (Cognizant Founders Cup)

2024 LPGA Tour Rookies (18 of 26):

Isabella Fierro, Savannah Grewal, Nataliya Guseva, Minji Kang, Gurleen Kaur, Auston Kim, So Mi Lee, Mary Liu, Benedetta Moresco, Malia Nam, Hira Naveed, Ana Pelaez Trivino, Gabriela Ruffels, Mao Saigo, Gigi Stoll, Yu Jin Sung, Yuri Yoshida, Liqi Zeng

2024 LPGA Tour Rookies partnered together:

- Isabella Fierro & Gurleen Kaur
- Savannah Grewal & Malia Nam
- Nataliya Guseva & Gigi Stoll
- Mao Saigo & Yu Jin Sung

2024 LPGA Tour Rookies partnered with other Members:

- Minji Kang & Robyn Choi
- Auston Kim & Grace Kim
- So Mi Lee & Haeran Ryu
- Mary Liu & Jing Yan
- Benedetta Moresco & Roberta Liti
- Hira Naveed & Sofia Garcia
- Ana Pelaez Trivino & Azahara Munoz
- Gabriela Ruffels & Esther Henseleit
- Yuri Yoshida & Laetitia Beck
- Liqi Zeng & Weiwei Zhang

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[LPGA Tour Online Media Center](#) (OMC): includes links to daily tournament notes, statistics and photo/video assets
[LPGA Statistical Database](#): Request access to LPGA Tour data from 1980 to present
[Stats Box](#): Includes all-time records, major records, purse breakdowns, stats documents, scoring files, points structures, and tournament histories
[Media Assets](#): For access to tournament photos and videos, please contact the on-site LPGA Communications team
[Tournament Website](#)

SOCIAL MEDIA

LPGA Tour: @LPGA, @LPGAMedia (X), @lpga_tour (Instagram, TikTok)
Dow Championship: @dowchampionship (Instagram, TikTok, X)

TV/STREAMING TIMES (All times EST)

Thursday, June 27: 10 a.m.-12 p.m. (Golf Channel/Peacock); 12-1 p.m. (Peacock)
Friday, June 28: 10 a.m.-12 p.m. (Golf Channel/Peacock); 12-1 p.m. (Peacock)
Saturday, June 29: 4-5 p.m. (Peacock); 5-7 p.m. (Golf Channel/Peacock)
Sunday, June 30: 12-1 p.m. (NBCSports.com/App); 1-3 p.m. (CBS/Paramount+)

Area Connections:

Jennifer Song (native), Sophie Stevens (a) (native, resident)

Sponsor Invitation Teams:

Sophie Stevens (Winner of the Suzann Pettersen Amateur Qualifier presented by Frankenmuth Insurance) & Vanessa Borovilos, Georgia Oboh (Winner of the JOHN SHIPPEN Women's Invitational) & Lakareber Abe