

# This week on the LPGA Tour:

LOTTE Championship presented by Hoakalei at  
Hoakalei Country Club

## Aon Insight



**11**      **5**      **511**  
Hole    Par    Yards

The 11th hole at Hoakalei Country Club should provide players with a birdie opportunity to start their back nine. This straight away par-5 features water on the right that is in play for the second shot. Players will need to decide whether to play as a three-shot hole or try and reach the green in two depending on which tee box is in play. The 11th hole at Hoakalei is one of the most difficult par-5's on the LPGA Tour, with the field making birdie 18% of the time. When the back tees were in play last year in rounds one and two, the hole played over par. When playing the front tee location, finding the fairway should give players the opportunity for an eagle putt, while finding the rough or bunker will most likely result in a lay-up. When playing from the back tees, more of the field will need to focus and rely on their wedge game to make birdie.

### Contender Update

With just 2 events to go on the Aon Risk Reward Challenge the LPGA Tour heads to Hawaii for the LOTTE Championship.

Despite not being in the field at the TOTO Japan Classic last week, Jeeno Thitikul maintains her lead with an average score to par of -0.900. Her strong showing at the Maybank Championship which included 2 birdies on the challenge hole extended her now sizable lead making her a difficult player to catch.

Haeran Ryu, in second place, improved her average score to par of -0.833 at the TOTO Championship after recording 2 birdies on the challenge hole, while Ruoning Yin follows in third with a score to par of -0.813. Tune into Golf Channel coverage throughout the event to follow the action over the next few weeks and see who is named this season's top decision maker.

THIS WEEK	PLAYER	SCORE UNDER PAR
1	Jeeno Thitikul	-0.900
2	Haeran Ryu	-0.833
3	Ruoning Yin	-0.813
4	Nelly Korda	-0.808
5	Lilia Vu	-0.800



## Aon Risk Reward Challenge



Number of tournaments

**30**

Prize money awarded

**\$1M**

**2023 Winner: Angel Yin**

### About Aon

Aon is a leading global professional services firm providing a broad range of risk, retirement and health solutions. Our 50,000 colleagues in 120 countries empower results for clients by using proprietary data and analytics to deliver insights that reduce volatility and improve performance.

Aon's golf partnerships are anchored by a clear narrative – insight derived from data and delivered by experts – our sports partnerships allow us to connect authentically with our clients and colleagues around their passion points.

In addition to partnerships with the PGA TOUR and LPGA Tour, Aon is a worldwide partner of the Ryder Cup.

### What is the Aon Risk Reward Challenge?

The Aon Risk Reward Challenge is a season-long competition on the LPGA Tour testing the abilities of the world's best players to make thoughtful, strategic decisions on the most challenging holes (“Aon Risk Reward Challenge holes”) throughout the year.

At the end of the regular season, the most consistent player on Tour, with the lowest average score under par, on the Aon Risk Reward Challenge holes captures the \$1 million prize and the Aon trophy.

### Aon's Risk Reward Challenge Scoring

One hole is selected at each tournament as the designated Aon Risk Reward Challenge hole for the week (hole is strategically challenging in nature).

For every participating event, a player's best two scores on the designated hole counts towards the season-long leaderboard.

The player with lowest average score under par across the regular season wins the Aon Risk Reward Challenge and will be awarded at the CME Group Tour Championship.

### Aon and the PGA TOUR

The 2024 season will showcase the next evolution of Aon's partnership with the PGA TOUR, which will integrate the use of real-time analytics and capitalize on changes to the TOUR's reimagined 2024 schedule.

Aon will headline the Aon Next 10 and the Aon Swing 5, which recognize better decision-making and the elite performance required to break into Signature Events.

**Key elements of the Aon Risk Reward Challenge program have evolved to “Better Decisions Breakdown” segments that use emerging technology to provide real-time analysis of player decisions. To learn more, visit**

[pgatour.com/aonbetterdecisions](https://pgatour.com/aonbetterdecisions)

### Upcoming Aon Risk Reward Challenge Holes

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*Players, caddies and LPGA or Aon Executives are available to provide quotes and insight about this week's Aon Risk Reward Challenge hole or the season-long competition.*

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