



**This Week on the LPGA Tour**  
**Mizuho Americas Open**  
Liberty National Golf Club | Jersey City, NJ | May 16-19, 2024

**MEDIA AVAILABILITY SCHEDULE**

(Zoom link for pre-tournament availability is distributed upon request; All times are Eastern and subject to change)

**Tuesday, May 16**

10:00 a.m. – Ayaka Furue  
10:30 a.m. – Yana Wilson\*  
12:00 p.m. – Michelle Wie West  
12:30 p.m. – Dan Fireman (Executive Chairman, Liberty National Golf Club) , Paul Fireman (Founder, Liberty National Golf Club), Stephen Hamblin (Executive Director of AJGA)  
1:00 p.m. – Rose Zhang  
*\*tentative timing*

**Wednesday, May 17**

11:00 a.m. – Lydia Ko  
TBD – Nelly Korda

**TOURNAMENT INFORMATION**

**Field Size:** 144 players – 120 professionals, 24 AJGA juniors

**Format:**

Professionals – 72 holes of Stroke Play  
Juniors – 72 holes of Modified Stableford (see attached point scale)

**Cut:**

Professionals – cut to low 50 players & ties after 36 holes  
Juniors – No Cut (all juniors will play all four rounds)

**Pairings:**

Rounds 1 & 2 – professionals and juniors will be paired separately  
Rounds 3 & 4 – two professionals will be paired with one junior based upon score (ie. The final group would be 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place pro paired with 1<sup>st</sup> place junior; Second-to-last group would be 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> place pro paired with 2<sup>nd</sup> place junior; and so on until all juniors have been paired with a group. The remainder of pros will be paired together based on score)

**CME Points & Official Money:**

LPGA Tour Players making the 36-hole cut of low 50 players & ties will receive CME Points and Official Money based upon their finish after 72 holes. New in 2024, players who miss the 36-hole cut, but are within the low 65 players & ties will also receive CME Points and Official Money based upon their finish after 36 holes.

**Aon Risk Reward Challenge Hole:** No. 16, par 4

**Purse:** \$3 million; winner's portion is \$450,000

**Whiteline Par and Yardage:** 36-36 – 72; 6,675 yards

(The par and yardage are subject to change through the start of the tournament)

**TOURNAMENT HISTORY**

**Tournament History:**

2023 – Inaugural playing of the Mizuho Americas Open

**Course History:**

Liberty National Golf Club was designed by Tom Kite and Bob Cupp and has hosted numerous professional events including:

2023 – Mizuho Americas Open  
2019, 2021 – The Northern Trust, PGA Tour event  
2017 – The Presidents Cup  
2009, 2013 – The Barclays

**Past Champion and Runner-Up:**

2023 – Rose Zhang, 279 (-9); defeated Jennifer Kupcho with a birdie on the second playoff hole  
*Yana Wilson (2023 AJGA champion); Anna Davis (2023 AJGA runner up)*

**Tournament Scoring Records\*:**

18 holes: 64, Marina Alex (R2, 2023), Minjee Lee (R2, 2023) and Ashleigh Buhai (R4, 2023)  
36 holes: 137, Minjee Lee & Cheyenne Knight (2023)  
54 holes: 205, Rose Zhang (2023)  
72 holes: 279, Rose Zhang & Jennifer Kupcho (2023)  
*\*all scoring record are from 2023, the inaugural playing of the event*

**LPGA – WHO IS IN THE FIELD**

**Past Champions (1):**

2023 – Rose Zhang

**2024 LPGA Tour Winners (6 of 6):**

Lydia Ko (Hilton Grand Vacations Tournament of Champions), Nelly Korda (LPGA Drive on Championship, FIR HILLS SERI PAK Championship, Ford Championship presented by KCC, T-Mobile Match Play presented by MGM Rewards, **The Chevron Championship**), Patty Tavatanakit (Honda LPGA Thailand), Hannah Green (HSBC Women's World Championship, JM Eagle LA Championship presented by Plastpro), Bailey Tardy (Blue Bay LPGA), Rose Zhang (Cognizant Founders Cup)

**2024 LPGA Tour Rookies (5 of 26):**

Isabella Fierro, Mone Inami, Minji Kang, Auston Kim, Gabriela Ruffels

**New York/New Jersey Area Connections:**

Albane Valenzuela (New York native), Marina Alex (New Jersey native)

**Sponsor Exemptions:**

Laetitia Beck, Emma Talley

**Monday Qualifiers:**

Lauren Peter, Yealimi Noh

**AJGA – WHO IS IN THE FIELD**

**Past Champions (1):**

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[Interview Transcripts](#)

[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)

**Tournament:** @MizuhoLPGA (X, Instagram)

**TV/STREAMING TIMES** (All times EST)

**Thursday, May 16:** 3-6 p.m. (Golf Channel/Peacock)

**Friday, May 17:** 3-6 p.m. (Golf Channel/Peacock)

**Saturday, Jan 27:** 3-6 p.m. (Golf Channel/Peacock)

**Sunday, Jan. 28:** 3-6 p.m. (Golf Channel/Peacock)

