

# **BMW Ladies Championship**

Pine Beach Golf Links | Haenam-gun, Jeollanam-do, Republic of Korea | Oct. 16-19, 2025

# This Week on the LPGA Tour

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# MEDIA AVAILABILITY SCHEDULE (All times are local, 13 hours ahead of Eastern Time)

Wed., Oct. 14

1 p.m. – Defending champion Hannah Green, rookie Ina Yoon and 2025 winners Miyu Yamashita, Haeran Ryu, Hyo Joo Kim and A Lim Kim

# TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

Competition Format: 78 players, 72-hole stroke play, no cut

Purse: \$2.3 million USD; winner's portion is \$345,000

Whiteline Par and Yardage: 36-36 – 72, 6,785 yards

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

**Course Information:** Pine Beach Golf Links (Pine/Beach) Course Designers: Gary Roger Bade and David Dale

Opened: 2009

# **Tournament History: 6th edition**

2025 - Pine Beach Golf Links, Haenam-gun, Jeollanam-do, Republic of Korea 2023, 2024 - Seowon Valley Country Club, Seowon Hills, Gyeonggi-do, Republic of Korea

2022 - Oak Valley Country Club, Wonju, Republic of Korea

2019, 2021 - LPGA International Busan, Busan, Republic of Korea

## **Past Champions and Runner-Ups:**

2024 - Hannah Green, 269 (-19); Celine Boutier, 270 (-18)

2023 – Minjee Lee, 272 (-16); defeated Alison Lee with a birdie on the first playoff hole

2022 – Lydia Ko, 267 (-21); Andrea Lee, 271 (-17)

2021 – Jin Young Ko, 266 (-22); defeated Hee Jeong Lim with a birdie on the first playoff hole

2019 – Ha Na Jang, 269 (-19); defeated Danielle Kang with a birdie on the third playoff hole

\*The event was not contested in 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic

## **Tournament Scoring Records (Overall):**

18 holes – 62, Ashleigh Buhai (2023) at Seowon Valley Country Club

36 holes - 128, Hannah Green (2024) at Seowon Valley Country Club

54 holes – 198, Hannah Green (2024) at Seowon Valley Country Club and Hee Jeong Lim (2021) at LPGA International Busan

72 holes – 266, Jin Young Ko and Hee Jeong Lim (2021) at LPGA International Bu

### WHO'S IN THE FIELD:

# Past Champions (3):

Hannah Green (2024), Minjee Lee (2023), Jin Young Ko (2021)

## 2025 LPGA Tour Winners (20 of 26):

Carlota Ciganda (Meijer LPGA Classic for Simply Give), Brooke Henderson (CPKC Women's Open), Jin Hee Im (Dow Championship), Akie Iwai (The Standard Portland Classic), Chisato Iwai (MEXICO Riviera Maya Open at Mayakoba), A Lim Kim (Hilton Grand Vacations Tournament of Champions), Grace Kim (The Amundi Evian Championship), Hyo Joo Kim (Ford Championship presented by Wild Horse Pass), Jennifer Kupcho (ShopRite LPGA Classic presented by Acer), Minjee Lee (KPMG Women's PGA Championship), Somi Lee (Dow Championship), Ingrid Lindblad (JM Eagle LA Championship presented by Plastpro), Yealimi Noh (Founders Cup presented by U.S. Virgin Islands), Haeran Ryu (Black Desert Championship presented by Greater Zion), Madelene Sagstrom (T-Mobile Match Play presented by MGM Rewards), Maja Stark (U.S. Women's Open presented by Ally), Rio Takeda (Blue Bay LPGA), Miranda Wang (FM Championship), Lottie Woad (ISPS HANDA Women's Scottish Open), Miyu Yamashita (AlG Women's Open)

### Top-25 Rolex Rankings (16 of 25):

Minjee Lee (No. 4), Miyu Yamashita (7), Hyo Joo Kim (8), Lottie Woad (11), Rio Takeda (12), Haeran Ryu (13), Maja Stark (14), Lauren Coughlin (15), Hannah Green (17), Jin Young Ko (18), Andrea Lee (19), Akie Iwai (20), Hye-Jin Choi (22), Celine Boutier (23), Sei Young Kim (24), Brooke Henderson (25)

### 2025 LPGA Tour Rookies (12 of 22):

Saki Baba, Jenny Bae, Akie Iwai, Chisato Iwai, Ingrid Lindblad, Julia Lopez Ramirez, Cassie Porter, Rio Takeda, Miranda Wang, Lottie Woad, Miyu Yamashita, Ina Yoon

### **Sponsor Invitations:**

Narin An, Jeongeun Lee5, Kumkang Park, In Gee Chun, Jeongeun Lee6, Sung Hyun Park, Chella Choi, Soomin Oh (a), Esther Kwon (a), Eun-Hee Ji