**Maybank Championship**

Kuala Lumpur Golf & Country Club| Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia | Oct. 29 - Nov. 1, 2025

## Final-Round Notes

November 1, 2026

**Media Contacts:** Annika Mayers, +1 (386) 212-2128
**Course Setup:** 36-36 – 72; 6,334 yards
**Weather:** Sunday Forecast
**Race to CME Globe Points:** 500 (winner)
**Purse:** $3 million ($450,000 – winner's purse)
**TV/Streaming Times:** How to Watch

**QUICK LINKS**
Interview Transcripts
LPGA Tour Online Media Center (OMC): Tournament Website

**SOCIAL MEDIA**
LPGA Tour: @LPGA, @LPGAMedia (X), @lpga_tour (Instagram, TikTok)
Tournament: @MaybankChampionship (Instagram), @MaybankChampion (X)

**LEADERBOARD**

| | Player | To par | Score |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Miyu Yamashita | -22 | 65-66-67-68 – 266 |
| 2 | Yan Liu | -20 | 69-68-63-68 – 268 |
| T2 | Pauline Roussin-Bouchard | -19 | 64-69-67-69 – 269 |
| T2 | Marisa Tojai (a) | -19 | 72-65-65-67 – 269 |

**COMPETITION HIGHLIGHTS**

- Leader: **Miyu Yamashita** defended her title at the Maybank Championship
  - Bested her 72-hole score at this event in 2025 by 4 strokes
  - Hit 12/14 fairways and 17/18 greens in regulation with 31putts
  - Earned her third win of the season
    - Previously won at the Meijer LPGA Classic for Simply Give and CPKC Women's Open
  - Earned her first title defense of her career
  - She has won every time she has held the lead after the third round
    - 2025 AIG Women's Open, 2026 CPKC Women's Open, 2026 Maybank Championship
  - Became the fastest Japanese player to five wins, 45 starts
  - Became the first player to defend their title at the Maybank Championship
  - Became the fastest Japanese player to $3 million in season official earnings

    - Earned her fifteenth top-10 of the 2026 LPGA Tour season
- 2: **Yan Liu** finished runner-up for the first time in her career
    - Liu's previous best finish on the LPGA Tour was T3 at the 2026 Meijer LPGA Classic for Simply Give
    - This is her lowest 72-hole score on the LPGA Tour by one stroke
    - Recorded an eagle on No. 5
    - Hit 9/14 fairways, 14/18 greens in regulation and had 30 putts
- T3: **Pauline Roussin-Bouchard** and **Marisa Tojai (a)**
    - Roussin-Bouchard had a fourth consecutive round in the 60s
        - This is her second T3 finish of the LPGA Tour season
            - Finished T3 at the HSBC Women's World Championship in February
        - Matches her low 72-hole score on the LPGA Tour
        - Is projected to move from No. 79 to No. 58 in the Race to the CME Globe
    - Tojai recorded a third consecutive round in the 60s
        - This is her first appearance on the LPGA Tour
        - She is the youngest player in the field at 17 years 1 month
        - Earned the highest finish by an amateur at this event with a T4, besting Mirabel Ting who finished T12 at this event in 2024
        - Earned her spot in the field through the ASEAN Qualifier
- **Mirabel Ting** was the leading Malaysian in the field
    - She earned an invitation to the Maybank Championship
    - She finished first on the Epson Tour points list this year to earn LPGA Tour status for 2027

**A LOOK AT THE WINNER**

| CATEGORY | Miyu Yamashita |
|---|---|
| 2026 Race to CME Globe Rank | 2 |
| 2026 LPGA Tour Wins | 3 |
| 2026 LPGA Tour Top 10s | 13 |
| 2026 Official Season Earnings | $3.2M |
| Career LPGA Tour Wins | 5 |
| Career Official LPGA Tour Top 10s | 25 |
| Career Official Money | $6.7M |

**ABOUT THE WINNER**

Rolex Rankings No. 4 Miyu Yamashita

- Second consecutive win at the Maybank Championship
    - Won in 2025
- Became the second player in LPGA Tour history to earn more than $3 million in official money in back-to-back years joining **Jeeno Thitikul**
- 2026: 19 cuts made in 21 starts with 13 top-10s and three wins
    - Won the Meijer LPGA Classic for Simply Give and CPKC Women's Open
    - Tied the 36-hole, 54-hole and 72-hole LPGA Tour scoring records at the CPKC Women's Open

    - Finished T4 at the Amundi Evian Championship for her highest major finish of the season
- Career: 25 career top 10s, five wins and $6.7M in official career earnings
    - Joined the LPGA Tour in 2025
    - Won the 2025 AIG Women's Open to become a Rolex First Time Winner and major champion
    - Was named the 2025 Louise Suggs Rolex Rookie of the Year
    - Represented Japan at the 2024 Paris Olympics where she finished T4
    - Represented Japan in the 2026 Hanwha LIFEPLUS International Crown
    - Earned 13 wins including three major championships on the JLPGA

**TOURNAMENT SCORING RECORDS:**
18 holes – 62, Jeeno Thitikul (R3, 2023)
36 holes – 130, Hye-Jin Choi (2025)
54 holes – 197, Hye-Jin Choi (2025)
72 holes – 265, Ruoning Yin (2024)

**QUOTABLES**
*Miyu Yamashita (1, -22) on her mental strength through her round*
"So today was an especially hard round for me, and I think Yan Liu was playing really well and making birdies from early in the round, but I'm glad I was able to stay focused and I was able to play with a good level of nervous energy and stay focused throughout the round."

*Yan Liu (2, -20) on having her best finish on the LPGA Tour this week*
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*Marisa Tojai (T3, -19) on her experience this week*
"It's been very experience for four days and a lot of mistakes that I learned for this match. I will take these mistakes to improve, yeah."

*Kelly Tan on what comes next as she has announced her retirement*
"Well, I love golf. I'm not going to compete that much anymore. I might peek my head out once or twice every year. I have a big passion to grow the game. I eventually want to have a Kelly Tan Golf Academy. I started coaching, so I'll be running some camps and hopefully we can grew more champions from Malaysia."