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AMERICAS OPEN

2026 Mizuho Americas Open

Mountain Ridge Country Club | West Caldwell, NJ | May 7-11, 2026

Final-Round Notes

May 10, 2026

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Course Setup: 36-36—72, 6,565 yards

Scoring Average: R1: 73.174, R2: 74.947, R3: 71.863, R4: 71.760,

Week-Long Scoring Average: 73.320

Weather: Dry and partly cloudy with temperatures peaking in the low 70s. Sustained winds near 10 mph with gusts up to 20 mph in the afternoon.

Race to CME Globe Points: 500 (winner)

Purse: \$3.25 million, winner's prize \$487,500

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LEADERBOARD

	Player	To par	Score
1	Jeeno Thitikul	-13	67-69-70-69 – 275
2	Ruoning Yin	-9	70-72-68-69 – 279
T3	Jenny Bae	-8	73-72-69-66 – 280
T3	Alison Lee	-8	73-72-66-69 - 280
T3	Gaby Lopez	-8	71-71-69-69 – 280
T3	Hye-Jin Choi	-8	68-75-66-71 – 280

COMPETITION HIGHLIGHTS

- Winner: **Jeeno Thitikul** defended her title at the Mizuho Americas Open
 - Played all four rounds under par
 - Earned her ninth career victory, ranks second in most wins since the 2022 season
 - Only trails **Nelly Korda** with 11
 - Defends her title for the second time in her career, first was at the 2025 CME Group Tour Championship

- Has never finished outside the top-10 at this event
- [Jeeno Thitikul Golf Channel Final Round Interview | 2026 Mizuho Americas Open](#)
- **2: Ruoning Yin** carded a final round 3-under-par 69
 - Carded five birdies on the front to shrink the deficit to Jeeno to one stroke as she made the turn
 - Finished T2 at The Chevron Championship in her last start
 - 7th round hitting all 18 GIR since beginning of 2022 season, tied with **Wei-Ling Hsu** for most in that span
 - [Ruoning Yin Final Round Interview | 2026 Mizuho Americas Open](#)
 - [Ruoning Yin Final Round Highlights | 2026 Mizuho Americas Open](#)
- **T3: Jenny Bae, Alison Lee, Gaby Lopez and Hye-Jin Choi** finished with a 72 hole score of 280
 - **Bae** carded a final round 66 to surge from ninth to T3
 - This is her best finish since the 2025 Riviera Maya Open at Mayakoba where she finished solo second
 - Recorded the low round of the day across the field
 - [Jenny Bae Final Round Interview | 2026 Mizuho Americas Open](#)
 - **Lee** recorded her best finish since returning from Maternity Leave
 - First finish in the top-5 since the 2024 FIR HILLS SERI PAK Championship
 - [Alison Lee Final Round Interview | 2026 Mizuho Americas Open](#)
 - **Lopez** recorded her fourth consecutive under-par round
 - Had an eagle on No. 17 to move to T3
 - Claimed her best finish of the 2026 season
 - **Choi** had a final round 71
 - Claims her first top-3 finish since the 2025 Meijer LPGA Classic for Simply Give
 - Previous best finish at this event was a T33 in 2025
 - Had a nine-shot difference between R2 and R3 (75-66)
 - [Hye-Jin Choi Final Round Interview | 2026 Mizuho Americas Open](#)
- **Aphrodite Deng** won the AJGA competition for the second consecutive year with a score of 148
 - The AJGA competed in a modified stableford format
 - See point scale [here](#)
 - Was the only player in the field to earn 40 points during a round (R3)
 - Currently ranked No. 2 in the Rolex AJGA Rankings

A LOOK AT THE WINNER

CATEGORY	Jeeno Thitikul
2026 Race to CME Globe Rank	4
2026 LPGA Tour Wins	2
2026 LPGA Tour Top 10s	5
2026 Official Season Earnings	\$942.2K
Career LPGA Tour Wins	9
Career Official LPGA Tour Top 10s	58
Career Official Money	\$18.2M

ABOUT THE WINNER

[Rolex Rankings No. 2 Jeeno Thitikul](#)

- Second win in four stars at the Mizuho Americas Open, defended her 2025 title
- Earned her ninth career victory and second of the 2026 season
- Second time she has defended a title (first was at the 2025 CME Group Tour Championship)
 - Becomes the second player to successfully defend a title this season joining **Hyo Joo Kim**
- Became the fourth two-time winner of the 2026 LPGA Tour season
- Surpassed \$18 million in career official earnings
- Became the fastest player to reach \$18 million in career official earnings
 - Holds the record for fastest to reach \$8-\$18 million
- Became her third consecutive season with multiple wins
 - The last players to do this were **Sung Hyun Park** in 2017-19 and **Brooke Henderson** from 2016-19
- 2026: Six cuts made in seven starts with two wins and one additional top 10
 - Won the Honda LPGA Thailand in her second start of the season
 - Missed the cut at The Chevron Championship in her last start
- Career: Nine wins, 58 career top-10 finishes, \$18.2 million in career official earnings
 - Won the CME Group Tour Championship in 2025 and 2024
 - Won 2025 Rolex Player of the Year and the Vare Trophy
 - Recipient of the 2023 Vare Trophy and named the 2022 Louis Suggs Rolex Rookie of the Year
 - Represented Thailand in the 2023 and 2025 Hanwha LIFEPLUS International Crown
 - Represented Thailand at the 2024 Paris Olympics

TOURNAMENT SCORING RECORDS:

18 holes: 63, Hannah Green (R3, 2024)

36 holes: 135, Jeeno Thitikul (2024)

54 holes: 202, Jeeno Thitikul (2025)

72 holes: 271, Jeeno Thitikul (2025)

All records from Liberty National Golf Club

QUOTABLE

Jeeno Thitikul (1, -13) on winning a tournament shortly after missing the cut at Chevron

“Yeah, obviously I talked to my coach and then I was like, you know what? I know golf wasn't -- like wasn't your life. Golf is just golf. But when you miss cuts or you're not hitting well, it's hard to act like you're okay, you know, at the same day. I was disappointed. I was, you know, upset to not be able to make the weekend on the first major. But obviously I think still you have to accept and I have to move on. And then what the good things golf is you had a lot of opportunities in the whole year. You got maybe 30 each tournaments in a year and then every week that you have, even every like day that you had, you can reset it and you can have a new chance to be able to do it again. I think just that's the only part that I think that's no matter the past is, the future always, you know, waiting for you. And then that's the only things that I trying to keep myself on the positive side to be able to, you know, performing in a good way, same like this week. And I mean, it just really happy to get the job done this week really quick from MC.”

Ruoning Yin (2, -9) on how she continues to push through being in contention but not seeing any wins

"Yeah, I think this week will be my fifth runner-up in had 19 months, so I don't know, I think it's coming. I just think something cool is going to happen. I just don't know when. Yeah, I mean, if I can be in contention every week like this week and like the Chevron week, I think it's going to happen soon."

Alison Lee (T3, -8) on her best finish since returning from maternity leave

"Yeah -- sorry, I don't want to get emotional. I feel like this last year has been so difficult, you know. I've worked so hard, so many nights of no sleep and, you know, trying to motivate myself to wake up, show up to the gym, show up to the golf course, even if it's for a little bit to work on my game and try and get back out here and perform well has such a journey and it's been really hard. And to have weeks like this where I can really say that all the hard work I put in is paying off and see myself have a good finish at the end of the week is so rewarding. To be able to do that and have my son here on Mother's Day and my mom is here, too, it means so much. Yeah, I mean, this is what I worked so hard to do, you know. There are so many moments where I thought, oh, my God, I'm doing everything I can. I feel like I'm going backwards. My speed isn't the same. I'm not hitting the ball as far. I don't have enough time to practice. I feel like I'm falling behind. All these great players out here who are so good and they can spend hours and hours perfecting their craft. For me I have a limited amount of time. I just felt like my preparation and everything I've been doing leading up to these events wasn't enough. But to be able to post a good score today, have a really good week, this is my third LPGA event back now, it does feel really, really good. And for me anyway, it's just the start of the season, so it gives me a lot of confidence moving into the next few months. I've said it before, like my goal this year is to fun but also make the Solheim Cup team. I still want to win out here. I mean, that's my goal. I still don't have a win on the LPGA Tour, and over the last year I felt like all the prep I've done just wasn't enough. And to get a little bit of a glimpse this week and put myself somewhat in contention, and to be playing later in the day on Sunday was really nice. It just proved to myself that I just need to keep going and keep giving it everything I have and pushing forward."

Gaby Lopez (T3, -8) on how should would assess her week

"Yeah, very solid week overall. I feel that I've been playing very, very solid golf for most part of this year. Very proud of the work we've put behind. Hit a bunch of fairways, hit a bunch of greens, three putted twice today. Kind of got my momentum down a little bit. But I'm honestly very, very happy how the week went."

Jenny Bae (T3, -8) on what the key to success was on the course this week

"I think patience really was the key out there today. I honestly didn't expect to make no bogeys. I actually came in thinking I have to make a lot of birdies in case I make mistakes, because out there it's kind of inevitable. But luckily I was able to save everything, up and down when I needed to. I think everything was cruise control."

Hye-Jin Choi (T3, -8) on how she would assess her season so far

"(Through translation.) It's already middle of the season. Actually at the start of the season I had more confidence, but as I go through the season I was little exhausted and feeling a little down. From now on I have to think that it's the start again and I just want to play the rest of the tournaments well, too."

AJGA Portion Winner Aphrodite Deng on winning in her hometown

"Yeah, it feels really good, and to be able to win in my hometown with all the fans watching, yeah, it's really special."

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[Jeeno with a big bomb off the 18th tee 🏌️](#)

[An unfortunate lipped par putt has Ruoning Yin drop back to 2 from the lead](#)

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