

JUNIOR RYDER CUP
2018 MEDIA GUIDE



UNITED STATES TEAM

Winner, 10th Junior Ryder Cup
Interlachen Country Club | Edina, MN



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Defending Champion: United States Team

U.S. Captain: Allen Wronowski, PGA Past President (2011 - 2012)

FACTS & FORMAT

Method of Play The Junior Ryder Cup competition features one day of six foursome matches (three boys matches and three girls matches) in the morning; same-day of six mixed four-ball matches in the afternoon, and one final day of singles matches involving all 12 members of each team.

Rules and Regulations The Rules of Golf, which govern play, are determined by the United States Golf Association (USGA) and applied by the PGA of America Board of Directors. The team selection is subject to the overall supervision of the Board and the PGA Rules Committee. Junior Ryder Cup proper shall be played under the R&A Rules of Golf, in accordance with the European Golf Association when held in Europe.

Eligibility Boys and girls must be 2019 high school graduates or younger; must not have reached their 19th birthday by the start of the competition; and must be American citizens, to be eligible to represent the United States Junior Ryder Cup Team. The 12-member team consists of six boys and six girls, who earn berths through results from the 2017/2018 PGA of America Junior events and USGA national events.

PGA Points Structure The PGA points structure is three-tiered, with points awarded in premier events, top events and Section events. A complete list of events and the various ways to make the U.S. team can be found on JuniorRyderCup.com.

An International Showcase of Golf's Next Generation

On Sept. 20, 1995, a series of exhibition matches were conducted matching the Central New York PGA Section-area juniors against 12 leading European junior players. The Europeans, age 15 and younger, toured three New York courses and dominated all of the matches. No results were published. The inaugural Junior Ryder Cup was contested prior to the 1997 Ryder Cup in Sotogrande, Spain. The U.S. won, 7-5. In 1999, Europe returned to face the U.S. juniors, and dominated in the Boston area by a 10½-to-1½ margin.

This marked the first of three-straight outright Junior Ryder Cup victories for the Europeans. In 2006, however, the United States team was able to halve the Junior Ryder Cup, 6-6, when the matches were contested in Newport, Wales.

In 2012, the United States captured its third consecutive victory in the biennial event, 14½-9½, at historic Olympia Fields (Ill.). In 2008, the U.S. won in dominant fashion, 22-2, at The Club at Olde Stone in Bowling Green, Ky., and the Americans prevailed in 2010, after a hard-fought match, 13½-10½, at Gleneagles Resort in Scotland.

CHAMPIONSHIP HISTORY

	YEAR	CHAMPION	SCORE	LOCATION
Inaugural	1997	United States	7-5	Sotogrande, Spain
2nd	1999	Europe	10½ - 1½	Boston
3rd	2002	Europe	9½ - 2½	Straffan, County Kildare, Ireland
4th	2004	Europe	8½ - 3½	Westfield Center, Ohio
5th	2006	Halved	6-6	Newport, Wales
6th	2008	United States	22-2	Bowling Green, Ky.
7th	2010	United States	13½ - 10½	Perthshire, Scotland
8th	2012	United States	14½ - 9½	Olympia Fields, Ill.
9th	2014	United States	16 - 8	Blairgowrie Golf Club, Perthshire, Scotland
10th	2016	United States	15½ - 8½	Edina, Minn.

For further information and complete historical summaries on the Junior Ryder Cup, visit www.pga.org or direct to www.juniorrydercup.com. Click on the Online PGA Media Guide thru the PGA media center website, then the Amateur Tournaments tab.

2016 JUNIOR RYDER CUP RESULTS

DAY 1 FOURSOMES

USA		EUROPE	RESULTS
Wilson Furr/ Davis Shore	vs.	Kristoffer Reitan/ Marcus Svensson	USA 4&3
Hailee Cooper/ Kaitlyn Papp	vs.	Frida Kinhult/ Beatrice Wallin	EUR 5&3
Noah Goodwin/ Norman Xiong	vs.	Adrien Pendaries/ Jonathan Gøth-Rasmussen	EUR 1 Up
Gina Kim/ Emilia Migliaccio	vs.	Julia Engström/ Pauline Roussin-Bouchard	USA 5&4
Eugene Hong/ Patrick Welch	vs.	Falko Hanisch/ Matias Honkala	USA 1 Up
Alyaa Abdulghany/ Lucy Li	vs.	Emma Spitz/ Emilie Alba Paltrinieri	EUR 1 Up
MORNING TOTAL			USA 3 EUR 3

DAY 1 MIXED FOUR-BALLS

USA		EUROPE	RESULTS
Davis Shore/Hailee Cooper	vs.	Kristoffer Reitan/ Frida Kinhult	EUR 2 Up
Noah Goodwin/Kaitlyn Papp	vs.	Marcus Svensson/Beatrice Wallin	USA 2&1
Wilson Furr/Emilia Migliaccio	vs.	Adrien Pendaries/ Pauline Roussin-Bouchard	USA 1 Up
Norman Xiong/Alyaa Abdulghany	vs.	Jonathan Goth-Rasmussen/ Julia Engström	USA 5&4
Eugene Hong/ Gina Kim	vs.	Falko Hanisch/ Emma Spitz	EUR 3&1
Patrick Welch/ Lucy Li	vs.	Matias Honkala/ Emilie Alba Paltrinieri	USA 4&3
AFTERNOON TOTAL			USA 4 EUR 2
DAY ONE TOTAL			USA 7 EUR 5

DAY 2 SINGLES

USA		EUROPE	RESULTS
Davis Shore	vs.	Kristoffer Reitan	EUR 1 Up
Kaitlyn Papp	vs.	Frida Kinhult	HALVED
Patrick Welch	vs.	Adrien Pendaries	USA 5&4
Hailee Cooper	vs.	Emma Spitz	USA 2&1
Norman Xiong	vs.	Falko Hanisch	USA 1 Up
Lucy Li	vs.	Emilie Alba Paltrinieri	USA 6&4
Eugene Hong	vs.	Matias Honkala	USA 1 Up
Emilia Migliaccio	vs.	Beatrice Wallin	USA 2 Up
Wilson Furr	vs.	Jonathan Gøth-Rasmussen	EUR 2 Up
Alyaa Abdulghany	vs.	Julia Engström	USA 3&1
Noah Goodwin	vs.	Marcus Svensson	EUR 3&1
Gina Kim	vs.	Pauline Roussin-Bouchard	USA 3&2
DAY TWO TOTAL			USA 8 ½ EUR 3 ½
MATCH SUMMARY FINAL TOTAL			USA 15 ½ EUR 8 ½

2016 Junior Ryder Cup Summary

The United States won its fifth straight Junior Ryder Cup with a 15½ to 8½ victory over Europe at Interlachen Country Club, as the American Team of 12 top boys and girls players from across the country came out firing on all cylinders.

Eugene Hong, of Orlando, clinched the winning point on No. 18, as he sunk a five-foot par putt, to halve the hole, and a 1-up win over Matias Honkala, of Finland.

“One team won, and one team did not,” said United States Junior Ryder Cup Captain Jim Remy during the Closing Ceremony. “Yet, golf won today. This was a tremendous championship.”

“Even though we lost, I’m still very proud of my team,” said European Junior Ryder Cup Captain Maitena Alsuguren. “I’m sure we will see many of them on the European Tour and the Ladies’ European Tour in the years to come, and I’m also sure we will come back strong in the 2018 Junior Ryder Cup.”

With nine of the 12 players on the U.S. team ranked among the Top 10 junior boys and girls in the world, the American squad built off a 7 to 5 lead amassed the day before in foursomes and mixed four-ball, and were off to the races. It was an impressive performance by the Americans, as they won the singles matches by five points, 8 1/2 to 3 1/2.

Patrick Welch, of Providence, Rhode Island, steered the charge with a dominating 5 & 4 win. Closing out in 14 holes, Welch was a scintillating 6-under par, with a round that featured a 35-foot putt for eagle on Hole No. 9, in addition to five birdies and just one bogey.

Lucy Li, of Redwood Shores, California, won in dominating fashion, 6 & 4. The 2016 Junior PGA Champion, Li was also the youngest player in U.S. Women’s Open history, when she played in 2014.

Remy, the 36th President of the PGA of America, reflected, “Never in my wildest dreams did I expect the team to be this good, not just in golf, but in the way they and the Europeans conducted themselves.”

1997	1999	2002	2004
<p>USA Captain: Mark Brazil</p> <p>Players: Beth Bauer J.C. DeLeon Bubba Dickerson David Gossett Leigh Anne Hardin Angela Jerman John Klauk Blair O'Neal James Oh Leif Olson Kim Rowton Cimmie Shahan</p>	<p>USA Captain: Mark Brazil</p> <p>Players: Michael Barbosa Erica Blasberg Catherine Cartwright Leigh Anne Hardin Jason Hartwick Cheryl Hennesy Ina Kim Hunter Mahan ('08, '10, '14) Angela Rho Matthew Rosenfeld Ty Tryon James Vargas</p>	<p>USA Captain: Susan Addis Tom Addis II</p> <p>Players: Tiffany Chudy Mallory Code Stephanie Connelly Jennifer Davis Travis Esway Shaun Felechner Taylor Hall Lauren Mielbrecht Adam Porzak Jenny Suh Colin Wilcox Casey Wittenberg</p>	<p>USA Captain: Will Mann</p> <p>Players: Chris DeForest Josh Dupont Kyle English Tony Finau Kelly Fuchik Luke Guthrie Mina Harigae Angela Oh Anne Ormson Jessica Smith Tessa Teachman Chase Wright</p>
<p>EUROPE Captain:</p> <p>Players: Pascal Celhay Nuria Clau Nicolas Colsaerts ('12) Omar Haldorsson Vikki Laing Paula Marti Roberto Paolillo Suzann Pettersen Federica Piovano Stefana Reale Guila Sergas Tuomas Tuovinen</p>	<p>EUROPE Captains: Macarena Campomanes Jimmy Greene</p> <p>Players: Carmen Alonso Rafael Cabrera Bello ('16) Tullia Calzavara Nicolas Colsaerts ('12) Raphaël De Sousa Martina Erberl Alonso Gutierrez Lucia Mar Suzann Pettersen David Porter Denise Simon Craig Stevenson</p>	<p>EUROPE Captains: Macarena Campomanes Charlie Westrup</p> <p>Players: Carmen Alonso Emma Cabrera Raphaël De Sousa Matteo Del Podio Claire Grignolo Peter-Max Hamm Farren Keenan Rony Raillard Benjamin Regent Dewi-Claire Schreefel Denise Simon Katharina Werdinig</p>	<p>EUROPE Captain: Andy Ingram</p> <p>Players: Dominic Angkawidjaja Carlota Ciganda Oliver Fisher Lluís Garcia del Moral Zachariah Gould Linn Gustafsson Camilla Lennarth Rory McIlroy ('10, '12, '14, '16) Belen Mozo Florentyna Parker Valerie Sternbeck Marius Thorp</p>
2006	2008	2010	2012
<p>USA Captain: Jack Connelly</p> <p>Players: Brittany Altomare Cassandra Blaney Bud Cauley Esther Choe Tony Finau Philip Francis Vicky Hurst Drew Kittleson Isabelle Lendl Joe Monte Kristen Schelling Andrew Yun</p>	<p>USA Captain: Ken Lindsay</p> <p>Players: Sarah Brown Danielle Frasier Jennifer Johnson Jeffrey Kang Erynne Lee Tiffany Lua Anthony Paolucci Cameron Peck Jordan Spieth ('14, '16) Lexi Thompson Cory Whitsett Andrew Yun</p>	<p>USA Captain: M.G. Orender</p> <p>Players: Doris Chen Ginger Howard Cassy Isagawa Alison Lee Jim Liu Denny McCarthy Anthony Paolucci Kristen Park Oliver Schniederjans Jordan Spieth ('14, '16) Emma Talley Justin Thomas</p>	<p>USA Captain: Roger Warren</p> <p>Players: Casie Cathrea Cameron Champ Karen Chung Casey Danielson Gavin Hall Beau Hossler Alison Lee Esther Lee Jim Liu Scottie Scheffler Robby Shelton Samantha Wagner</p>
<p>EUROPE Captain: Andy Ingram</p> <p>Players: Carly Booth Carlota Ciganda Victor Dubuisson ('14) Sean Einhaus Pedro Figueiredo Are Friestad Laura Gonzales-Escalon Saskia Hausladen Maximilian Kieffer Anders Kristiansen Giulia Molinaro Marta Silva</p>	<p>EUROPE Captain: Gary Stangl</p> <p>Players: Anna Arrese Carly Booth Julien Brun Stanislas Gautier Mortiz Lampert Chris Lloyd Leona Maguire Lisa Maguire Matteo Manassero Daisy Nielsen Adrian Otaegui Kelly Tidy</p>	<p>EUROPE Captain: Gary Stangl</p> <p>Players: Amy Boulden Isabella Deilert Thomas Detry Albert Eckhardt Manon Gidali Juhana Kukkonen Moritz Lampert Christopher Lloyd Manon Molle Klara Spilkova Kelly Tidy Kristoffer Ventura</p>	<p>EUROPE Captain: Stuart Wilson</p> <p>Players: Quirine Eijkenboom Dominic Foos Bronte Law Harang Lee Gavin Moynihan Renato Paratore Emily Pedersen Covadonga Sanjuan Matthias Schwab Linnea Ström Victor Tärnström Toby Tree</p>

2014	2016
<p>USA Captain: Brian Whitcomb</p> <p>Players: Sierra Brooks Sam Burns Austin Connelly Brad Dalke Kristen Gillman Amy Lee Andrea Lee Gordon Neale Hannah O'Sullivan. Davis Riley Bethany Wu Cameron Young</p>	<p>USA Captain: Jim Remy</p> <p>Players: Alyaa Abdulghany Hailee Cooper Wilson Furr Noah Goodwin Eugene Hong Gina Kim Lucy Li Emilia Migliaccio Kaitlyn Papp Davis Shore Patrick Welch Norman Xiong</p>
<p>EUROPE Captain: Stuart Wilson</p> <p>Players: John Axelsen Mathilda Cappeliez Virginia Elena Carta Annabel Dimmock Alexandra Försterling Iván Cantero Gutierrez Marcus Kinhult Bradley Neil Renato Paratore Emily Pedersen Max Schmitt Linnea Ström</p>	<p>EUROPE Captain: Maitena Alsuguren</p> <p>Players: Julia Engstrom Jonathan Goth-Rasmussen Falko Hanisch Matias Honkala Frida Kinhult Emilie Alba Paltrinieri Adrien Pendaries Kristoffer Reitan Pauline Roussin-Bouchard Markus Svensson Emma Spitz Beatrice Wallin</p>

* Parenthesis indicates years as a Ryder Cup team member.