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### Putting lesson

As the AJGA's Doug Gross looks on, Ken Lewis teaches putting skills to one of the Special Olympic athletes who visited the Greater Hartford Jaycees Junior Classic.

## Strong to the Finish!



Courtney Wood and Mike Barbosa ended the summer on a tear (page 4).

## It's off to college for class of '99

**A**nother season has come and gone at the American Junior Golf Association. Nearly 800 AJGA members graduated earlier this year and are currently enjoying their first semester of freshman life in college. Quite a few of these top-notch golfers will be expected to make a strong impact on the college scene as the years pass.

Year in and year out, AJGA alumni dominate the college golf scene. A quick scan of the college rankings reveals a large number of players who once competed in AJGA events. Most of the men's and women's *Golfweek* first-team preseason All-Americans are former AJGA players, including pre-season No. 1-ranked Beth Bauer. It was only a year ago that Bauer was earning her second straight AJGA Player of the Year trophy.

In her first year of college, Bauer won the ACC Championship and the NCAA East regional, and helped Duke to the NCAA Championship.

On the men's side, former AJGA Player of the Year David Gossett reached stardom last year after winning four tournaments, while being named first-team all-America and Division I Freshman of the Year.

Entering this season, we await the emergence of the next crop of stars.

Two players who have already made an impact are AJGA standouts Candie Kung (Southern California) and Miriam Nagl (Arizona State), both of whom are *Golfweek* preseason all-Americans. In her first collegiate event, Nagl won the Oregon State Fall Preview, while Kung was the runner-up.

Other freshmen will soon emerge as rising stars, as well, which should make for an exciting collegiate season. A list of the AJGA 1999 graduates can be found on page three. The AJGA hopes to see all former members distinguish themselves as top-notch students and athletes.

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# At the Top of the News



## The Junior Match

New Seabury Country Club  
New Seabury, Massachusetts USA

### Scoring Summary

#### FINAL SCORE

Europe 10 1/2, USA 1 1/2

Day 1 — Tuesday, Sept. 21, 1999

Europe 5 1/2, USA 1/2

#### FOUR-BALL MATCHES

Martina Eberl and Suzann Pettersen (Europe) def.

Erica Blasberg and Angela Rho (USA) 5 and 3

Rafael Cabrera and Alfonso Gutierrez (Europe) def.

Jason Hartwick and Ty Tryon (USA) 2-up

Tullia Calzavara and Denise Simon (Europe) def.

Cheryl Hennessy and Ina Kim (USA) 3 and 1

Nicolas Colsaerts and Raphael De Sousa (Europe) def.

Michael Barbosa and Matthew Rosenfeld (USA) 4 and 3

Carmen Alonzo and Lucia Mar (Europe) def.

Catherine Cartwright and Leigh Anne Hardin (USA) 1-up

David Porter and Craig Stevenson (Europe) vs.

Hunter Mahan and James Vargas (USA) halved

Day 2 — Wednesday, Sept. 22, 1999

Europe 5, USA 1

#### MIXED FOUR-BALL MATCHES

Suzann Pettersen and David Porter (Europe) def.

Leigh Anne Hardin and James Vargas (USA) 4 and 3

Erica Blasberg and Hunter Mahan (USA) def.

Lucia Mar and Craig Stevenson (Europe) 6 and 5

Denise Simon and Rafael Cabrera (Europe) def.

Angela Rho and Ty Tryon (USA) 2 and 1

Carmen Alonzo and Raphael De Sousa (Europe) def.

Cheryl Hennessy and Jason Hartwick (USA) 5 and 4

Tullia Calzavara and Alfonso Gutierrez (Europe) def.

Catherine Cartwright and Michael Barbosa (USA) 2 and 1

Martina Eberl and Nicolas Colsaerts (Europe) def.

Ina Kim and Matthew Rosenfeld (USA) 7 and 5



Playing in his second Junior Match, Nicolas Colsaerts of Belgium won both of his matches to lead the European charge.

## U.S. falls to Europe at Junior Match

### Future Irish Ryder Cup site chosen as 2001 Match venue

New Seabury Country Club on Cape Cod, just 65 miles down the road from Boston, played host to 24 of the world's finest junior golfers as the United States and Europe gathered prior to the Ryder Cup for two days of competition at the third biennial Junior Match.

Europe won 10 1/2 of a possible 12 points to easily reclaim The Junior Match title won by the United States in 1997. Despite Europe's rout of the United States, all Junior Match participants and spectators displayed the essence of junior golf — class, sportsmanship and camaraderie.



The U.S. Team enjoyed two days of competition on Cape Cod, then spent the remainder of the week watching the Ryder Cup at Brookline.

"I think the U.S. squad has to simply congratulate Europe on an outstanding victory," U.S. captain Mark Brazil said.

"I was hoping to be more competitive, but the European squad was a seasoned group with a great deal of international experience. However, I am thrilled about the success of the event and the support The Junior Match received throughout the week."

The Junior Match was made possible through the collective efforts of the American Junior Golf Association, European Golf Association, PGA of America, European PGA, European Tour and New Seabury Country Club. PricewaterhouseCoopers, one of the world's largest accounting and consulting firms, and Ireland 2005, an Irish contingency of sponsors backing the 2005 Ryder Cup in Ireland, served as presenting sponsors of the event.

At the awards ceremony, the European Ryder Cup Committee, represented by European Tour Executive Director Ken Schofield, announced that the 2001 Junior Match will be played at the K Club in Dublin, Ireland, host of the 2005 Ryder Cup.

Following the completion of The Junior Match, the players attended the Ryder Cup at Brookline Country Club as special guests of the PGA of America. In addition to the opportunity to witness AJGA alum Justin Leonard's historic putt, the players were treated to a variety of events during the week, including a tour of Titleist's golf ball plant in Fairhaven, Mass., a trip to Boston's historic Faneuil Hall Marketplace, an authentic Cape Cod clam bake, and a visit with European phenom Sergio Garcia following the opening ceremonies.

The U.S. team could also be seen on the pages of many newspapers, including *USA TODAY* and *The Boston Globe*, waving U.S. flags at the Ryder Cup opening ceremonies.

"This was an opportunity of a lifetime," said U.S. member Michael Barbosa. "Competing for my country and getting an up-close look at the Ryder Cup is something I'll always remember."

The U.S. squad was selected on the basis of *Golfweek*/Titleist rankings. The U.S. and European teams each consist of four boys and four girls born in 1983 or later and two boys and two girls born in either 1981 or 1982.



# Where has the Class of '99 gone?

On average, 99 percent of AJGA members attend college, with the majority of them receiving some form of athletic scholarship. The AJGA bids farewell and good luck to the following members as they move on to college.

## THE WOMEN

Meghan Adams .....James Madison  
Charlene Alfonso .....UCLA  
Christine Anast .....Denver  
Kelly Anders .....Kentucky  
Shannon Barr .....Texas Christian  
Jennifer Beames .....Rollins College  
Erin Bell .....Louisville  
Leslee Beller .....Northern Arizona  
Kim Benedict .....Michigan  
Bridget Bieth .....Oregon State  
Erica Boozman .....Alabama  
Jennifer Borowiec .....Ohio State  
Angela Bradford .....BYU  
Christi Cano .....Oklahoma State  
Lori Cate .....Alabama  
Stephanie Cheney .....Indiana  
Jeanne Cho .....Florida  
Nina Chou .....Missouri-Kansas City



**KATIE FUTCHER**  
PENN STATE



**ASHLEY MITCHELL**  
SMU

Erin Clasper .....Maryland  
Ayrton Corporon .....Creighton  
Nicole Cutler .....Vanderbilt  
Kari Damron .....Purdue  
Kerrie Davis .....Mississippi  
Tomeelee Deimantas .....Appalachian State  
Laura Dillon .....Tulsa  
Danielle Downey .....Auburn  
Keri Dugan .....Penn State  
Stephanie Dukes .....Texas Tech  
Bridget Dwyer .....UCLA  
Katrina Edwards .....Texas Southern  
Stefanie Eifert .....Toledo  
Crystal Eliers .....New Orleans  
Mollie Fankhauser .....Ohio State  
Jolene Fellhauer .....Colorado  
Stacie Ferguson .....Oregon State  
Brooke Fincher .....Oral Roberts  
Melanie Furuta .....Oregon State  
Katie Futcher .....Penn State  
Maria Garcia-Estrada .....Duke  
Jennifer Gibson .....Maryland  
Leslie Gumm .....Iowa  
Christina Gushanas .....UAB  
Adirana Han .....UCLA  
Kasey Hardin .....Northern Texas  
Stephanie Harris .....Florida State  
Tracy Hartman .....Spokane C.C.  
Leslie Hawley .....TCU  
Dani Heimbecker .....UNC-Greensboro  
Jennifer Hoene .....San Diego State  
Margaret Horton .....Auburn  
Kristina Howard .....Louisville  
Melanie Hunt .....Texas Tech  
Meghan Ingalls .....Nevada-Reno  
Amy Johnson .....Elon College  
Sarah Johnston .....Furman  
Laurin Kanda .....Illinois  
Ann Marie Kersten .....Michigan State  
Jamie Kim .....UCLA  
Kate Knoepffler .....Elon College  
Amanda Krane .....Nebraska

Julia Kraschinski .....Arizona  
Candie Kung .....USC  
Amy Lee .....Wichita State  
Anne Lee .....Arizona  
Rachel Lester .....Kentucky  
Jessica Lewis .....James Madison  
Mary Lidester .....Ohio State  
Elizabeth Martin .....SW Missouri State  
Melissa Mason .....North Texas  
Jennifer McGill .....Western Kentucky  
Kristy McPherson .....South Carolina  
Rachel Melendez .....Penn State  
Megan Milam .....Princeton  
Ashley Mitchell .....Southern Methodist  
Mayumi Motoyama .....Colorado State  
Miriam Nagl .....Arizona State  
Kimberly Nissen .....Wyoming  
Blair O'Neal .....Arizona State  
Cindy Pasechnik .....Louisville  
Amanda Patterson .....Belmont  
Ashlei Pendleton .....Texas Christian  
Ria Quiazon .....California  
Jessica Reese .....Texas  
Shanelle Roberts .....Washington State  
Erin Roe .....Michigan State  
Kim Rowton .....Stanford  
Katie Ruhe .....South Florida  
Annie Schlosser .....Missouri  
Kristin Scholl .....Hawaii  
Maiko Senda .....Tulsa  
Cimmie Shahan .....Furman  
Jennifer Shutt .....Southern Illinois  
Erin Simmons .....Tennessee  
Lindsey Sims .....William & Mary  
Cynthia Skilton .....Penn State  
Miranda Smith .....Kansas State  
Abby Spector .....North Carolina  
Karyn Stordahl .....Minnesota  
Shelley Straley .....Winthrop  
Brittany Straza .....Florida  
Heather Suhr .....Iowa  
Kristin Tamulis .....Florida State  
Kacy Thompson .....South Carolina  
Celeste Troche .....Auburn  
Sarah Turcotte .....North Carolina  
Saki Uechi .....UCLA  
Katrina Wagner .....Georgia State  
Sammy Sue Wilson .....Elon College  
Samantha Zausner .....Florida  
Heather Zielinski .....Purdue

## THE MEN

Ryan Abbate .....Southern Methodist  
Joseph Affrunti .....Minnesota  
Justin Ahasic .....Santa Clara  
Andy Allen .....Jacksonville  
Gary Antunes .....McLellan C. C.  
Brett Armstrong .....UC Santa Barbara  
Ryan Armstrong .....UC-Irvine  
Nick Asbrock .....UC-Irvine  
John Assey .....College of Charleston  
Elijah Barnes .....Virginia  
Ricky Barnes .....Arizona  
Lucas Barton .....Southern Methodist  
Ramon Bescansa .....North Carolina  
Brad Besler .....Temple  
Bradley Beverly .....Georgia State  
Aaron Bickle .....Ohio  
Clay Bingham .....BYU  
Joe Boyle .....Drake  
Kyle Bradley .....College of Charleston  
Thomas Brewer .....Skidmore College  
John Parker Briley .....Southern Methodist  
Walter Brown .....Illinois State  
John Buffalo .....Denver  
Austin Burk .....UT-Arlington

Brett Callas .....Houston  
Jeff Campbell .....Hartford  
Jason Cantrelle .....Southwestern Louisiana  
Michael Carbone .....Rhode Island  
Dan Carille .....Monmouth  
Scott Carlyle .....Hawaii  
John Carter III .....North Carolina State  
Ben Catlin .....Santa Clara  
Steve Clark .....Connecticut  
Jordan Code .....Florida  
Matthew Cohn .....Oklahoma  
Eric Collins .....St. George  
Justin Collins .....Ohio State  
Matt Collins .....Yale  
Nathan Combs .....Bowling Green  
Bridger Cox .....Oklahoma  
Ryan Coyne .....Kentucky  
Brian Craver .....Tyler JC  
Jeff Crowe .....Virginia Commonwealth  
Tim Cureton .....Mississippi State  
Chris Damiano .....Manhattan College  
Chris Davidson .....Indiana  
Matt Davidson .....Furman  
Buddy Davis .....Furman  
Benjamin Day .....Xavier  
Sean Deacon .....Oregon State  
Jeremy Dean .....San Jacinto  
Jay Degenhart .....North Carolina  
J.C. DeLeon .....Oklahoma State  
Michael Derminio .....Arizona State  
Brett Derrow .....Fairmont State  
Bubba Dickerson .....Florida  
Christopher Dieter .....Air Force  
Jason Dixon .....Southwestern College  
Andy Dofflemeyer .....George Mason  
Lorne Don .....Michigan State  
George Downing .....Stanford  
Jon Doyle .....McNeese State  
Zach Dufresne .....Oklahoma  
Ryan Dwight .....San Diego  
Bridget Dwyer .....UCLA  
Luke Easterly .....Portland  
Jeremy Elliott .....North Carolina  
Nash Elliott .....South Carolina  
J.J. Ellison .....New Mexico  
Ryan Emory .....Mercer  
Luke Epp .....Purdue



**SCOTT CARLYLE**  
HAWAII



**MATT GALLANT**  
TENNESSEE

David Evenson .....Minnesota  
Brad Faller .....Lewis-Clark State College  
Grant Farrell .....Southern Methodist  
Ben Flam .....Oklahoma State  
Aaron Flink .....Williams College  
Kyle Flodder .....Chattanooga  
Dan Floyd .....UTEP  
Patrick Flynn .....Miami-Ohio  
Greg Folsom .....Hartford  
Geoff Forcino .....James Madison  
Philip Foster .....Arizona State  
Jimmy Freeman .....Bucknell  
Brad Friedlander .....George Washington  
Justin Frost .....Sam Houston State  
Adam Fuchs .....SUNY Binghamton

Mike Gable .....UC-Santa Barbara  
Matt Gallant .....Tennessee  
Brooks Garber .....Connecticut  
Adam Gary .....East Tennessee State  
Jared Geary .....Loyola  
Tony Giarratano .....Colorado  
Ryan Gildersleeve .....South Alabama  
Philip Giordano .....New York  
Bryan Goodger .....Oklahoma Christian  
Justin Goodhue .....Virginia  
Warren Goodridge .....Bitterman College  
Bryan Goslin .....Villanova  
Jeff Grace .....Sam Houston State  
Alex Gravley .....New Mexico State  
Cale Green .....Toledo  
Jay Haas .....Augusta State  
Brian Hadley .....Humber College  
Jeff Hall .....Methodist  
Tyler Hall .....Kansas  
Brian Hamilton .....Wetherford  
Jeffrey Hanson .....Colorado  
Chris Harder .....Austin Peay  
Scott Harrington .....Northwestern  
Matt Hart .....Wyoming  
Mike Hastings .....Notre Dame  
Reid Hatley .....Arizona  
Matthew Hendrix .....Clemson  
Joe Hermes .....DePaul  
Kevin Hermis .....Houston  
Jonathan Hill .....East Carolina  
Daniel Hirlleman .....Purdue  
Justin Holcomb .....Texas at Arlington  
Miroslav Holub .....Hartford  
Nathaniel Hoopes .....Princeton  
Chad Howell .....Liberty  
Mark Hull .....Texas Tech  
Ryan Hurley .....Louisville  
Austin Hynson .....Alabama  
David Isaacson .....San Diego  
Brett Johnson .....Arizona State  
Travis Johnson .....UCLA  
Adam Jones .....BCJC  
Gregg Jones .....Clemson  
David Katz .....Michigan  
Jamie Kellam .....Texas Christian  
Brooks Kelly .....Texas Tech  
Jim Kennedy .....Iowa State  
Matthew Keves .....Ohio State  
Roy Kim .....UTEP  
Kevin Klausning .....Butler  
Brian Kohlmeier .....Evansville  
Sprague Kolp .....Portland  
Alan Konke, Jr. .....Southwest Texas State  
Kai Koponen .....Northern Colorado  
Josh Koschke .....Lamar  
Adam Kover .....Bradley  
Phil Krass .....Tulane  
Calvin Kupeyan .....UNLV  
James Kurtenbach .....Colorado State  
Chris Kwon .....Long Beach  
Luke Lang .....Arkansas State  
Mike Lavery .....UC-Irvine  
Aaron Lee .....Oral Roberts  
Kenny Lee .....Saganaw Valley State  
Thomas Lee .....East Tennessee State  
Tyler Leon .....Oral Roberts  
Stephen Lessing .....Richmond  
Steve Lien .....West New Mexico  
Matt Lindholm .....Texas A&M  
Andy Lowe .....Carson Newman  
Brandon Lunke .....Notre Dame  
Brad Lusenhop .....Florida  
Neil Lykins .....Cincinnati  
Tim Lynch .....Marshall

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# AJGA Scoreboard

## JCPenney Junior Classic Westin Innisbrook, Island Course — Par 72 August 15-18, 1999

### Boys Division

1	Mike Barbosa, St. Petersburg, Fla.	69-76-72—217
T2	Ryan Blaum, Coral Gables, Fla.	78-71-73—222
	Danny Allen, Palm Harbor, Fla.	76-72-74—222
T4	Adam Scrimenti, Sarasota, Fla.	75-73-75—223
	Joel Gibbons, Ocala, Fla.	79-67-77—223

### Girls Division

1	Whitney Code, Tampa, Fla.	73-75-75—223
2	Jill Crowe, Ormond Beach, Fla.	78-79-74—231
3	Andrea Vander Lende, Longwood, Fla.	76-81-76—233
4	Mallory Code, Tampa, Fla.	80-77-77—234

## Boise Junior Classic at Warm Springs Warm Springs Golf Club — Par 71 August 16-19, 1999

### Boys Division

1	Ryan Moore, Puyallup, Wash.	65-69-70—204
T2	Steven Eschbach, Bonita, Calif.	73-68-66—207
	Brock MacKenzie, Yakima, Wash.	69-68-70—207
4	Adam Martin, Bend, Ore.	70-68-70—208
5	Ryan Camp, Spokane, Wash.	69-69-72—210

### Girls Division

1	Hwanhee Lee, Cerritos, Calif.	71-73-72—216
2	Allison Hanna, Portland, Ore.	71-73-74—218
T3	Katy Joslin, Waterford, Calif.	79-73-71—223
	Sandy Kim, West Linn, Ore.	69-74-80—223

## Marsh Junior at Ardsley Ardsley Country Club — Par 72 August 16-19, 1999

### Boys Division

1	David Spitz, Norwell, Mass.	72-76-68—216
T2	Justin Smith, Moon Township, Pa.	73-76-70—219
	Justin Goodhue, Glastonbury, Conn.	77-73-69—219
T4	Chris Miller, New Philadelphia, Ohio	77-72-71—220
	Jeff Marcinowski, Fairfield, Conn.	69-78-73—220

### Girls Division

1	Mary Ellen Grzebien, Saundertown, R.I.	72-79-78—229
2	Meaghan Francella, Port Chester, N.Y.	81-79-79—239
3	Rebecca Rogers, Alpharetta, Ga.	83-75-84—242
4	Jessica Lewis, Bethesda, Md.	74-87-83—244

## Marsh Kansas City Junior Oakwood Country Club — Par 72 August 16-19, 1999

### Boys Division

1	Ryan Morgan, Lawrence, Kan.	68-76-71—215
T2	Aaron Anderson, Fargo, N.D.	73-73-73—219
	Charlie Santaularia, Lawrence, Kan.	71-72-76—219
4	Judd Easterling, Dixon, Mo.	77-69-74—220
T5	Pete Krsnich, Wichita, Kan.	71-76-74—221
	Stewart Dodson, Perryton, Texas	72-70-79—221

### Girls Division

1	Beth Hermes, Dixon, Ill.	74-74-73—221
2	Courtney Jones, Lake Quivira, Kan.	73-78-79—230
T3	Erin Borowiec, South Lyon, Mich.	78-79-79—236
	Jayme Langford, Shawnee, Kan.	80-74-82—236

## Rome Junior Classic at Stonebridge Stonebridge Golf Club — Par 72 August 20-22, 1999

### Boys Division

1	Nico Bollini, Yorba Linda, Calif.	67-72—139
T2	Kevin Wilhelm, Aiken, S.C.	74-69—143
	Casey Wittneberg, Memphis, Tenn.	72-71—143
	Andrew Crowley, Savannah, Ga.	72-71—143
	Jason Harris, Clemmons, N.C.	70-73—143
	Stephen Reed, Houston, Texas	70-73—143
	Nicholas Thompson, Coral Springs, Fla.	70-73—143

### Girls Division

1	Courtney Wood, Brentwood, Tenn.	73-67—140
2	Candie Kung, Fountain Valley, Calif.	68-73—141
3	Tai Perry, Kennett Square, Pa.	71-72—143
4	Gina Umeck, Redlands, Calif.	77-71—148
5	Diana Ramage, Fayetteville, Ga.	82-71—153

## Barbosa, Wood catch fire as summer sets

As summer was drawing to a close, Mike Barbosa and Courtney Wood knew time was running out to climb the rankings and improve their all-America status. As of mid-August, they each had two tournaments left on their AJGA schedules.

A pair of wins would be difficult, especially considering the caliber of players they would have to beat along the way.

Barbosa's next two events would bring out almost every top-10 ranked boy in the nation. Wood was set to face similar competition in her events.

With their work cut out for them, they went to work.

Barbosa claimed a five-stroke win at the JCPenney Junior Classic. A few days later, Wood formed a dramatic comeback to come from five strokes back and win the Rome Junior Classic over No. 1-ranked Candie Kung.

"I don't think the thought (of winning) really crossed my mind," Wood said. "Second place would have been really good to me. Then Candie bogeyed the first hole (in the second round), and I thought maybe I had a chance."

With a flawless 5-under 67, Wood achieved one of the summer's greatest comebacks.

To close the season, Barbosa and Wood journeyed to Mobile, Ala., for the Robert Trent Jones Golf Trail Junior Classic. Barbosa fought through severe weather delays to claim the boys' title by a stroke. Wood opened a two-stroke lead with a first-round 69 and steadily increased that margin to win the girls' championship by five shots.

With their titles, Barbosa and Wood established themselves among the nation's elite, having gone toe-to-toe with the top-ranked juniors.

When the year began, however, neither player would have predicted such success for themselves.

"I wasn't sure what to expect," the 16-year-old Barbosa said. "Before the summer, I had experienced a slump. I had grown a lot, physically, which had been causing me to make constant adjustments to my swing."

Once the adjustments were made, Barbosa was back on track.

"I became more comfortable with my game," Barbosa said. "Through the summer I became more familiar with my strengths and weaknesses, which helped me out with course management."

Wood, 17, said her putting needed some work at season's start.

"Earlier in the year, I wasn't able to have one of those low rounds because of my putting," she said. "But months of practice kicked in."

Wood got a real confidence boost by winning

her club championship with rounds of 68-64 in August. That momentum carried over into her final two AJGA tournaments. With a successful season under her belt, Wood has raised the bar for herself.

"I've proven myself at this level," she said. "My expectations are higher now. I'll be preparing for college, but I am hoping I'll get to go to Sweden for the IZZO Cup next year. And I definitely want to play Canon Cup."

## Robert Trent Jones Golf Trail Junior Classic Magnolia Grove Golf Club

Boys: Falls Course — Par 72; Girls: Crossings Course — Par 72  
Sept. 3-6, 1999

### Boys Division

1	Mike Barbosa, St. Petersburg, Fla.	68-73-73—214
T2	Matthew Rosenfeld, Plano, Texas	72-70-73—215
	James Vargas, Miami, Fla.	71-74-70—215
4	Derek Abel, Plano, Texas	71-76-71—218
5	Hunter Mahan, McKinney, Texas	70-77-72—219
T6	Casey Wittenberg, Memphis, Tenn.	74-70-76—220
	Nicholas Thompson, Coral Springs, Fla.	74-74-72—220
	Stephen Reed, Houston, Texas	73-76-71—220

### Girls Division

1	Courtney Wood, Brentwood, Tenn.	69-70-73—212
2	Virada Nirapathpongporn, Bangkok, Thailand	73-73-71—217
3	Yunny Cho, Diamond Bar, Calif.	75-73-70—218
4	Aimee Cho, Wesley Chapel, Fla.	73-74-73—220



Greater Hartford Jaycees Junior Classic  
Golf Club of Avon, Red Course — Par 71  
August 23-26, 1999

Boys Division

- 1 Andrew Nicholls, Oshawa, Ontario . . . . .72-72-71—215
- 2 Ken Lewis, South Dennis, Mass. . . . .71-76-71—218
- Brad Tilley, Chappaqua, N.Y. . . . .69-75-74—218
- 4 Tim Kane, Simsbury, Conn. . . . .72-73-74—219
- Zach Mowbray, Glastonbury, Conn. . . . .70-72-77—219

Girls Division

- 1 Elizabeth Janangelo, West Hartford, Conn. 77-74-73—224
- 2 Kelly Robb, Concord, Mass. . . . .78-75-75—228
- 3 Mary Ellen Grzebien, Saunderstown, R.I. .75-80-74—239

Lucent Western Canadian Junior  
Glencoe Golf & Country Club — Par 72  
August 23-26, 1999

Boys Division

- 1 Brian O'Flaherty, Westlake Village, Calif. .72-75-73—220
- 2 Blake Brown, Atascadero, Calif. . . . .69-74-78—221
- 3 Joseph Hah, Cerritos, Calif. . . . .75-75-72—222
- 4 Mark Leon, Brampton, Ontario . . . . .76-75-74—225

Girls Division

- 1 Allison Hanna, Portland, Ore. . . . .78-78-74—230
- 2 Lauren Ressler, Bellingham, Wash. . . .77-82-83—242
- 3 Allison Twiss, Calgary, Alberta . . . . .82-84-82—248

Music City Junior Presented by Henry-Griffitts  
Springhouse Golf Club — Par 72  
Aug. 26-29, 1999

Boys Division

- 1 Jason Horrell, Martinsville, Ind. . . . .73-69-72—214
- 2 Johan Willhoite, Palm Desert, Calif. . . .76-70-72—218
- Joshua Wooding, Riverside, Calif. . . . .73-74-71—218
- 4 Taylor Bowers, Old Hickory, Tenn. . . .73-79-67—219
- Will Lloyd, Orlando, Fla. . . . .77-73-69—219
- Will McDonald, Birmingham, Ala. . . . .75-69-75—219

Girls Division

- 1 Jessica Shepley, Oakville, Ontario . . . .79-74-73—226
- 2 Morgan Hapney, Glasgow, Ky. . . . .74-76-77—227
- 3 Sarah Jacobs, Whites Creek, Tenn. . . .76-77-75—228
- Katherine Waggoner, Columbine Valley, Colo. 77-73-78—228

PING Phoenix Junior Championship  
Karsten Golf Course at ASU — Par 72  
Aug. 26-29, 1999

Boys Division

- 1 Brandon Askew, Fargo, N.D. . . . .69-70-69—208
- 2 Ty Tryon, Orlando, Fla. . . . .66-74-70—210
- 3 Nico Bollini, Yorba Linda, Calif. . . . .72-71-68—211
- 4 Ben Hayes, Paradise Valley, Ariz. . . . .70-70-72—212
- 5 Ryan Baca, Sugar Land, Texas . . . . .70-73-70—213
- 6 James Vargas, Miami, Fla. . . . .69-76-69—214
- Kendall Critchfield, Mesa, Ariz. . . . .74-71-69—214
- Kevin Na, Diamond Bar, Calif. . . . .68-72-74—214

Girls Division

- 1 Hana Kim, Encino, Calif. . . . .72-72-72—216
- 2 Erica Blasberg, Corona, Calif. . . . .76-71-70—217
- Angela Rho, Fullerton, Calif. . . . .70-73-74—217
- 4 Charlotte Mayorkas, Chula Vista, Calif. .75-70-73—218

AJGA Tucker Anthony Junior  
New Seabury Country Club, Green Course — Par 70  
Aug. 30-Sept. 2, 1999

Boys Division

- 1 Matt McQuillan, Kingston, Ontario . . . .71-67-64—202
- 2 Justin McKinnon, Manchester, Conn. . . .69-71-66—206
- 3 Kevin O'Connell, Potomac, Md. . . . .73-66-69—208
- 4 Benjamin Spitz, Norwell, Mass. . . . .69-70-71—210

Girls Division

- 1 Mary Ellen Grzebien, Saunderstown, R.I. 72-73-73—218
- 2 Kelly Robb, Concord, Mass. . . . .73-72-75—220
- 3 Jennifer Jaszek, Ancaster, Ontario . . . .74-73-77—224

Junior All-Star Classic at Magnolia Grove  
Magnolia Grove Golf Club, Crossings Course — Par 72  
Sept. 3-5, 1999

Boys Division

- 1 # Brandon Ellis, Gulf Shores, Ala. . . . .76-72—148
- 2 Eugene Choe, Temple City, Calif. . . . .71-77—148
- 3 Mark Ogren, Daphne, Ala. . . . .75-74—149
- Eric Pak, Rowland Heights, Calif. . . . .75-74—149
- Dallas Miller, Valdosta, Ga. . . . .73-76—149
- # won on second hole of sudden-death playoff

Girls Division

- 1 Nicole Hage, Coral Springs, Fla. . . . .69-81—150
- 2 Mary Calderon, Orlando, Fla. . . . .76-79—155
- 3 Lorraine Ballerano, Myrtle Beach, S.C. . .73-84—157

## Askew, Kim cap season with Phoenix titles

When 84 players ascended on the Karsten Golf Course at ASU for the PING Phoenix Junior Championship, the field resembled that of an AJGA major. The annual meeting, where past champions Tiger Woods and Grace Park once ruled, attracted some of the finest talent from around the country and two well-deserving champions were crowned.

Brandon Askew of Fargo, N.D., conquered an experience-rich Boys Division field that included an array of national talent, including four members of the U.S. Junior Match team.

Askew picked up his second AJGA victory of the year with rounds of 69-70-69—208, edging Ty Tryon of Orlando, Fla., by two strokes. The 17-year-old also won the *Golfweek* Windy City Junior in June. The Phoenix victory was especially sweet for Askew, who has returned home to pursue another sport.

"It really means a lot to pick up another win here with such a strong field at the end of the summer," Askew said. "Hockey season is about to start and I won't be able to play much golf until next spring."

In girls action, 17-year-old Hana Kim of Encino, Calif., showcased her skills with a one-stroke victory over fellow Californians Erica Blasberg of Corona and Angela Rho of Fullerton.

Her even-par rounds of 72-72-72—216 concluded a steady summer that included several top-5 finishes and a spot on the West Canon Cup team.

"I really can't explain how I'm feeling right now," Kim said after her win. "This is so special — to win here in my last tournament of the summer."

## Tournament Notes

Aug. 15 - Sept. 6

### THE MENTAL GAME

After winning her first AJGA event at the Marsh Junior at Ardsley, **Mary Ellen Grzebien** of Saunderstown, R.I., said her "knees



MARY ELLEN  
GRZEBIEN

were shaking bad" on the final two holes. The experience gave her confidence, however. She placed third in Hartford the following week, and two weeks later she returned to the winners' circle at the AJGA Tucker Anthony Junior. "In my last two tournaments, I got used to being at the top instead of the middle," she said. "I think that really played to my advantage today."

### THREE-TIME CHAMPION

**Allison Hanna** of Portland, Ore., claimed her third AJGA title of the summer, winning the Lucent Western Canadian Junior by 12 shots.

### GOING OUT WITH A BANG

**Matt McQuillan** of Kingston, Ontario, saved his best for last, as he fired a 6-under 64 in the final round of the AJGA Tucker Anthony Junior to win his final junior event. McQuillan also contended at the Lucent Technologies Boys Junior Championship and Lucent Eastern Canadian Junior this summer, finishing fourth and second, respectively, at the two events.



MATT MCQUILLAN

### COMING FROM FAR AND NEAR

Some players travel great distances to win golf tournaments. In the past month, **Nico Bollini** of Yorba Linda, Calif., traveled the longest distance to win the Rome Junior Classic at Stonebridge in Rome, Ga.

On the flip side of the coin, **Elizabeth Janangelo** of West Hartford, Conn., could have driven a golf cart to the Golf Club of Avon to win the Greater Hartford Jaycees Junior Classic.

# The Voice Box

## Junior saves a life at AJGA tournament

Charles Kerecz's first AJGA tournament was certainly a memorable one. Fresh off his final-round 73 at the Marsh Junior at Ardsley, Kerecz made his way into the clubhouse at just the right time.

As he entered, an elderly member of Ardsley Country Club, began choking on his food. Fortunately, Kerecz had the presence of mind to attempt the Heimlich maneuver.

"I wasn't even thinking," Kerecz said. "The adrenaline was pumping. I knew what I had to do. I had learned the Heimlich at Boy Scout camp five years ago and it came in handy."

Kerecz, also a member of Ardsley Country Club, was able to successfully perform the maneuver and quickly dislodge the food from the man's throat.

"He shot a 73, came into the clubhouse and saved a man's life," said Ardsley General Manager Ted Hennes. "Not a bad day's work."

## Gems of thought from Arnold Palmer

### ON THE GAME:

"Golf is deceptively simple yet endlessly complicated."

"What other people may find in poetry or art museums, I find in the flight of a good drive."

"Golf is a great and glorious game. Even those of us who earn our livings at it play it more for the pleasure than for the money."

"The accepted view is that the game of golf is complex, difficult and inherently frustrating. I just don't buy that."

"I can sum it up like this: Thank god for the game of golf."

### ON CONCENTRATION:

"Focus not on the commotion around you, but on the opportunity ahead of you."

### ON SPORTSMANSHIP:

"Win graciously."

"I never rooted against an opponent but I never rooted for him either."

"Success in golf depends less on strength of body than upon strength of mind and character."

### ON THE SWING:

"No good player ever swings as hard as he can. Power is a matter of timing, not overpowering the ball."

"A long drive is good for the ego."

## Ryder Cup review

## Former AJGA stars spur U.S. comeback

It will be hard to forget the contributions made by AJGA alumni at this year's Ryder Cup.

For starters, take a look at Europe's hottest player. The youngest competitor at Brookline, **Sergio Garcia**, was a force for the Europeans in the early going, winning three matches and halving another during the first two days.

*AJGA ties: Garcia won the 1998 Marsh & McLennan Apawamis Junior.*

The U.S. squad consisted of seven former AJGA stars, the most notable of whom was **Justin Leonard**. Will anyone soon forget the amazing 45-footer at No. 17 that secured the American victory?

*AJGA ties: Leonard has given wholehearted support to the Justin Leonard/Deloitte & Touche Junior Team Championship the last two years. He is also a three-time AJGA Junior All-American.*

**Jim Furyk** made his mark in the singles matches by doing what no one else had done — beat Garcia.

*AJGA ties: Furyk was named a first-team All-American in 1987, the year he won the AJGA Boys Junior Championship.*

The United States got 2 1/2 points from **Davis Love III**, who halved his first three matches and won his fourth in Sunday singles.

*AJGA ties: Love played in the AJGA in 1981-82 and was the National Chairman from 1995-98.*

The only U.S. victory on the first day came from **Jeff Maggert** and Hal Sutton in four-ball. The duo picked up another big win in Saturday four-ball, as well.

*AJGA ties: Maggert played in the American Junior Classic (now known as the Polo Golf Junior Classic) in 1981-82.*

**Tiger Woods**, **David Duval** and **Phil Mickelson** round out the AJGA alumni and are a major part of the nucleus of American golf. The trio combined for a 5-7-1 record at the Ryder Cup. All three picked up crucial singles victories during the Sunday comeback. Duval gave his team the lead at 11-10 for the first time when he defeated the previously unbeaten Jesper Parnevik.

*AJGA ties: Woods (1991, 92), Duval (1989) and Mickelson (1986, 87, 88) are all former AJGA Players of the Year.*

## Teeing off

If you had a chance to play any course in the world, which would you choose?



**Andy Heiman, 18**  
Brentwood, Tenn.

St. Andrews; I love links style golf courses.



**Troy Morris, 17**  
Merrimack, N.H.

I would pick Pine Valley, because it's so exclusive.



**Gabe Vogt, 18**  
Pierre, S.D.

TPC at Sawgrass because I want to play the 17th island hole.



**Katie Jacobson, 17**  
Grand Forks, N.D.

My goal is to play Augusta before I die.

*Editor's Note: Augusta National was the overwhelming No. 1 choice among respondents, while St. Andrews and Pebble Beach were the definitive runners-up.*



## ► College signees, continued from page 3

Greg MacKenzie ..... Monmouth  
Michael Maness ..... South Carolina  
Doug Manor ..... Oklahoma  
Nick Manthey ..... Vanderbilt  
Blake Martin ..... Oklahoma  
Eric Matthew ..... UCLA  
Joey Matyas ..... Hawaii  
Ned May ..... Williams College  
Brad McCluski ..... Rutgers  
Mike McCool ..... William & Mary  
Danny McDonald ..... Maryland  
Bryon McDougall ..... Tulane  
Colin McGinley ..... San Diego  
Christopher McKeel ..... Virginia Tech  
Doug McKeever ..... Southern Methodist  
Troy McKinley ..... Pacific  
Lynden Medlin ..... Loyola - Chicago  
Mike Menke ..... Northeast Louisiana  
Justin Miers ..... Middle Tennessee State  
Scott Miller ..... Olivet  
Dryden Mitchell ..... Xavier  
Travis Mobley ..... Georgia Southern  
John Moheyer ..... Maryland  
Larry Moldoff ..... Wallace State  
David Morgan ..... Minnesota  
Dwayne Morley ..... Texas A & M  
Jay Mundy ..... Furman  
Brandon Murray ..... UC Irvine  
Doug Nelson ..... Portland State  
Mark Nihill ..... American  
P.J. Noelke ..... Wisconsin  
Patrick Norris ..... Arizona  
Jason Novascone ..... Wichita State  
David Oh ..... Southern California  
Brian O'Leary ..... Abilene Christian  
Leif Olson ..... Duke  
Ryan Overby ..... Murray State  
Pius Park ..... San Jose St.  
Matt Parkin ..... Denver  
Jake Pasch ..... Southern Mississippi  
Wesley Pate ..... Alabama  
Frank Paul ..... Texas A&M  
Brad Pemberton ..... E. Michigan  
Chad Perman ..... Pennsylvania  
Stephen Polanski ..... Texas Christian  
Garrett Prather ..... LSU  
Andrew Pratt ..... Tennessee  
Jason Pyka ..... Texas Tech  
Trey Pyka ..... Texas Tech



**TROY MCKINLEY**  
PACIFIC



**WESLEY PATE**  
ALABAMA

Thomas Pye ..... UT-Arlington  
Justin Ragognetti ..... William & Mary  
Michael Ray ..... Baylor  
Matthew Reed ..... Georgia College  
Joshua Reese ..... UNLV  
Donald Rhee ..... Loyola Marymount  
Sean Riley ..... Morehead  
John Robertson ..... Washington  
Michael Rodrigue ..... Tulane  
Gilbert Rodriguez ..... Studying in Mexico  
Walt Schroeder ..... Stephen F. Austin  
Cameron Schubert ..... Notre Dame  
Mark Schultz ..... Louisiana State  
Tom Schupp ..... Charleston Southern  
Bryan Schweizer ..... Kansas State  
Ben Schribner ..... Pacific  
Ben Selberg ..... Colorado State

Jim Seki, Jr. .... Stanford  
George Serra ..... California  
Ash Serur ..... Baylor  
Adam Shanks ..... Austin Peay  
Andrew Shapiro ..... Binghamton  
Tommy Sharp ..... Colorado State  
Jimmy Shaw ..... Presbyterian  
Tyler Shelley ..... Valdosta State  
Barrett Shelton ..... New Mexico JC  
Hans Sherman ..... Vanderbilt  
Mike Sica ..... Oregon



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WAKE FOREST

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Brian Six ..... UC Santa Barbara  
Joe Skovron ..... UC Santa Barbara  
David Sligh ..... Furman  
Blake Smart ..... Berry College  
Byron Smith ..... Pepperdine  
Timothy Smith ..... Xavier  
Brandt Snedeker ..... Vanderbilt  
Ben Snow ..... Southern Mississippi  
Peter Sours ..... Florida Southern  
Stephen Sparolini ..... SMU  
Burke Spensky ..... Southwestern Louisiana  
Richard Sosebee ..... Georgia  
Eric Staab ..... Abilene Christian  
Ryan Stewart ..... Marshall  
Johnny Strawser, Jr. .... Detroit Mercy  
J.J. Sullivan ..... Nebraska  
Clint Thompson ..... New Mexico State  
Daniel Timmons, Jr. .... Nevada-Reno  
Peter Tomasulo ..... California  
Tim Tracy ..... Roanoke  
Cassidy Traub ..... Princeton  
Julien Trudeau ..... Wichita State  
Sam Varano ..... JUP  
William Vincent ..... William & Mary  
Brian Wainwright ..... Georgia Southern  
Denton Walker ..... Texas  
J.J. Wall ..... Texas  
Bryan Walsh ..... TCU  
Jay Walston ..... Tennessee  
Brent Wanner ..... Wake Forest  
Mark Warman ..... San Diego State  
Kevin Warrick ..... West Florida  
Nick Watney ..... Fresno State  
Mark Weghorst ..... Iowa State  
Clint Wellhausen ..... Lamar  
Chris Wheeler ..... Wake Forest  
Dustin White ..... Washington State  
Chad Wilfong ..... Wake Forest  
Justin Willett ..... Pacific  
Buck Williams ..... Wake Forest  
Shawn Wills ..... Colorado  
John Wine ..... Arizona  
Ronald Won ..... Stanford  
Rick Wortman ..... Monmouth  
Shaun Wurtz ..... San Marcos State  
Ryan Wyman ..... Long Beach State  
Chris Yoder ..... Wake Forest  
Andrew Zimmerman ..... San Diego  
Anthony Zummo ..... Brevard

*\*\*If you started college this year and your name does not appear on this list, please contact Carolyn (Israel) Strent, Manager of Membership Services, at (770) 998-4653 or e-mail csrael@ajga.org.*

## News & Notes

### AJGA STAFF UPDATE

Todd Garten has assumed the position of Manager of Site Development for the AJGA. Since graduating from the University of Tennessee, Garten has served as a tournament director for the past two years. In his new role, Garten will head the AJGA's efforts to secure venues and schedule dates for next year's tournament schedule.

Matt Wright has departed the AJGA, following three years as a tournament director. Wright has taken a job with Merrill Lynch in Orlando, Fla.

Congratulations are in order for Carolyn (Israel) Strent, Manager of Membership Services, on her September marriage to Scott Strent.

### AJGA ALUMNI MAKE GOOD SHOWINGS AT USGA AMATEURS

David Gossett, 1997 AJGA Player of the Year, has lived up to expectations at the University of Texas. Following a stellar freshman season, in which he earned first-team All-American status, he continued to excel during the summer.

In August, Gossett captured the U.S. Amateur with a decisive 9-and-8 victory in the championship match at Pebble Beach. Gossett's opponent in the final was 17-year-old AJGA member Sung Yoon Kim, who nearly became the youngest U.S. Amateur champion ever.

At the U.S. Women's Amateur, 19-year-old Jimin Kang made a nice run, but fell to champion Dorothy Delasin in the final match. Kang was a 1998 first-team Polo Golf Junior All-American.



**DAVID GOSSETT**



**JIMIN KANG**

### FOLLOW ALL-AMERICA TEAM ANNOUNCEMENTS ON AJGA WEB SITE — [www.ajga.org](http://www.ajga.org)

Interested in seeing who makes the all-America teams this fall? Visit the AJGA on the Internet. The announcement of the Polo Golf Junior All-America teams was made in mid-October, while the Compaq Scholastic Junior All-America Team will be named at the beginning of November.

Also coming to the AJGA Web site is the Polo Golf Junior Classic home page. From the home page, visitors will be able to access information about the Magnolia and Palm courses at Walt Disney World and the tournament participants, as well as the tournament program and pre-tournament press releases. Match play progress will be updated hourly on the site throughout the week.

# AJGA: On Location

## Magnolia Grove Golf Club Crossings Course Mobile, Ala.

Magnolia Grove Golf Club has been the home of the Robert Trent Jones Golf Trail Junior Classic since its inception six years ago. With two 18-hole championship courses at the facility, the AJGA is able to bring its largest field of the year to this traditional Labor Day showcase. The Crossings Course, named for the railroad tracks that bisect the layout, accommodates the Girls Division and the Junior All-Star Classic at Magnolia Grove, a 13-14 age division event that is played in conjunction with the main tournament. The Boys Division plays the Falls Course at Magnolia Grove.

## *Magnolia Grove Golf Club*



Rob Coleman/AJGA

**The 18th hole of the Crossings Course is a challenging finishing hole, even for the most skilled golfer. From a slightly elevated teeing ground, the player must avoid the heavily bunkered area to the right of the fairway. From the fairway, it is an uphill climb to the multi-tiered green that requires an extremely accurate approach for a chance at birdie.**

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