



2025 JUNIOR RYDER CUP | SEPTEMBER 23-25  
NASSAU COUNTRY CLUB | GLEN COVE, NEW YORK  
BETHPAGE BLACK | FARMINGDALE, NEW YORK



THE EUROPEAN TEAM WON THE 2023 JUNIOR RYDER CUP IN ROME

# 2025 MEDIA GUIDE



# FACTS AND FORMAT

## 13<sup>TH</sup> JUNIOR RYDER CUP

SEPTEMBER 23-25, 2025

Nassau Country Club (Glen Cove, New York) | Bethpage Black (Farmingdale, New York)

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### METHOD OF PLAY AND SCHEDULE

The Junior Ryder Cup will take place over three days, with the Ryder Cup venue hosting the decisive singles matches for the second time.

**Opening Ceremony:** Monday, Sept. 22 at Nassau Country Club

**Rounds 1 & 2:** Tuesday, Sept. 23 at Nassau Country Club: Foursomes (Round 1) & Mixed Foursomes (Round 2)

- In foursomes, each two-person team plays one ball per hole with the players taking turns until each hole is complete. Players alternate hitting tee shots, with one leading off on odd-numbered holes, and the other hitting first on even-numbered holes. The team with the low score on each hole wins that hole. If their scores are tied, the hole is halved.

**Round 3:** Wednesday, Sept. 24 at Nassau Country Club: Mixed Four-Ball

- In four-ball, each member of a two-person team plays his or her own ball, so four balls are in play on every hole. Each team counts the lowest of its two scores on each hole, and the team whose player has the lowest score wins the hole. If the low scores are tied, the hole is halved.

**Round 4:** Thursday, Sept. 25 at Bethpage Black: Singles Matches

- In singles, each match features one player from each team. The player with the lower score on each hole wins that hole. If their scores are tied, the hole is halved.

- The U.S. Junior Ryder Cup Trophy presentation will take place during the Ryder Cup Opening Ceremony at Bethpage Black on Thursday.

### GOLF CHANNEL COVERAGE

Golf Channel's "Live From" will feature updates from the action at Nassau Country Club Sept. 23-24, as well as several live look-ins during the Junior Ryder Cup Singles Matches at Bethpage Black on Sept. 25 along with player profiles.





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### U.S. TEAM ELIGIBILITY

The United States team features six girls and six boys who are U.S. citizens and are members of the high school graduating class of 2026 or younger.

### U.S. TEAM EXEMPTIONS

1. 2025 Girls Junior PGA Championship winner and runner-up (total of 2 girls). In an event there is a tie for 2<sup>nd</sup> place between two eligible players, the spot is determined by a hole-by-hole playoff immediately following play. If the champion or runner-up is not eligible, the next highest ranked player on the USA Junior Ryder Cup points list will be selected.\*

2. 2025 Boys Junior PGA Championship winner and runner-up (total of 2 boys). In an event there is a tie for 2<sup>nd</sup> place between two eligible players, the spot is determined by a hole-by-hole playoff immediately following play. If the champion or runner-up is not eligible, the next highest ranked player on the USA Junior Ryder Cup points list will be selected.\*

3. 2025 U.S. Girls' Junior Champion. If the champion is not eligible, the next highest ranked player on the USA Junior Ryder Cup points list will be selected.\*

4. 2024 U.S. Junior Amateur Champion. If the champion is not eligible, the next highest ranked player on the USA Junior Ryder Cup points list will be selected.\*

5. Top two boys and top two girls from the USA Junior Ryder Cup points list. Events earning points include the Junior PGA Championships, AJGA Invitationals, USGA Junior Amateurs and select independent events. In addition, points are awarded to those juniors who make the cut in a 2024/2025 PGA TOUR, LPGA Tour or USGA national event.

\* All USA Junior Ryder Cup points list ties will be broken by each player's respective 2025 Junior PGA Championship finish.

6. The final two spots on the U.S. Team will be one boy and one girl selected as Captain's picks, for which the PGA of America will consider multiple national ranking systems.

### EUROPEAN TEAM ELIGIBILITY

The European team features six girls and six boys, who are citizens of a European country as defined by the International Golf Federation's Nationality Policy by no later than January 1, 2025, under 18 years of age on January 1, 2025, have not represented a non-European country in an international golf competition during 2025, and who are not enrolled at, or committed to attend, a college in the USA during 2025.

Three boys and three girls will earn a place on the European Junior Ryder Cup team through a season-long ranking system, which has been organised by the European Golf Association.

The remaining six players will be selected by Stephen Gallacher, the European Junior Ryder Cup Captain.

Players will earn points for the Rankings based on their finishing position in selected elite amateur events in 2025 and these points will be allocated using the World Amateur Golf Ranking system. The qualification process will end following The R&A Girls' and Boys' Amateur Championships on August 16, 2025.

Boys and girls will have the chance to compete in up to nine tournaments during the season to score points and the total of each player's four highest point scores will count towards their final tally on the Rankings.

Players are not required to sign up to be included in the Rankings, or to play in a minimum number of events to be considered for selection. Eligible players competing in the counting events will automatically be included in the Rankings.



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## NASSAU COUNTRY CLUB

Nassau Country Club was established in 1896 as Queens County Club then changed its name three years later when Queens County became a borough of New York City. The club hosted The U.S. Amateur championship in 1903 then two editions of the U.S. Women's Amateur in 1914 and 2014 were subsequently played out on the 18-hole layout at Glen Cove, on the North Shore of Long Island.

A committee of members, led by club president Harvey Murdoch, laid out the original course in 1898 incorporating various features from the best courses they had seen. When additional land was acquired in the early 1920s, Devereux Emmet refashioned the course and subsequently Seth Raynor and Herbert Strong were commissioned to make further changes. Since the early days, a number of architects have altered the layout, most recently Tom Fazio in 2012 when all the greens were relaid.

Nassau Country Club has played a pivotal role in the history of golf, being the birthplace of the famous Nassau Bet. Additionally, the legendary putter "Calamity Jane" became world-renowned after PGA of America Founding Member Jim Maiden gifted the putter to Bobby Jones on Nassau's 18th green in 1923. Jones used it to win the U.S. Open in that same week and then cemented its place in golf lore by using the putter to win the Grand Slam in 1930. The original golf shop, which now serves as the Nassau CC halfway house is named "The Calamity Jane House," in honor of Jones and his famous putter.

## BETHPAGE BLACK

The final day of play at the Junior Ryder Cup will be held at Bethpage Black on Thursday, Sept. 25, the eve of the 2025 Ryder Cup. This will mark the second time the Ryder Cup venue will host the decisive singles matches.

Bethpage State Park is one of the most popular and cherished public parks in the nation. Located in suburban Long Island in close proximity to New York City, Bethpage is a mecca for public golf featuring five 18-hole regulation golf courses, including the world-renowned Black Course. Bethpage Black has hosted many majors, including the 2019 PGA Championship won by Brooks Koepka and the 2002 and 2009 U.S. Opens. Bethpage Black will host the Ryder Cup for the very first time in 2025 joining Oak Hill Country Club as the only New York courses to host the event.

Famed golf course architect A.W. Tillinghast was hired to design and oversee construction of three new golf courses (the Black, Red, and Blue) as well as modify the original Lenox Hills course, later known as the Green Course. Due to the increasing popularity and demand for golf, the Yellow Course designed by Alfred Tull was opened in 1958. Over 200,000 rounds are consistently played annually on the five courses at Bethpage, all of which start from the Clubhouse area.

With approximately 15,000 golf courses of all different types and sizes in the United States, the Black Course at Bethpage State Park has consistently ranked among the top 100 Greatest Golf Courses in America per Golf Digest for nearly 20 years (highest rank No. 26). In 2025, Bethpage Black was ranked the No. 7 Public Course in America.



Nassau Country Club



Bethpage Black



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## AN INTERNATIONAL SHOWCASE OF GOLF'S NEXT GENERATION

Since 1997, the Junior Ryder Cup has matched the top junior golfers from the United States against the top junior golfers from Europe in a biennial competition that leads into the Ryder Cup. The international showcase of golf's next generation is designed to continue to build international friendships among the top junior golfers in the world.

The idea for the Junior Ryder Cup came about in 1995, when a team of Europeans played an informal exhibition match against the Central New York PGA Section and area juniors.

Two years later, the Junior Ryder Cup was formally introduced as an event in its own right, while played at Alcaidesa Links Golf Course, in Cadiz, Spain, and won by America, 9-7.

The U.S. leads with a 7-4-1 all-time record.

The European Team ended a run of six straight defeats in the Junior Ryder Cup in 2023 as it secured a European record 11-point victory over the United States at Marco Simone Golf and Country Club in Rome.

Europe entered the final day single matches with a six point lead after a remarkable clean sweep in Wednesday's four-balls at Golf Nazionale in Rome, and they rode their home advantage with seven victories and three ties in 12 Thursday singles matches to triumph, 20 ½ to 9 ½.

Spaniard Andrea Revuelta holed the winning putt to seal victory for the European Team for the first time since 2006 when it retained the trophy following a draw at Celtic Manor.



Scottie Scheffler  
2012 U.S. Team Member



Rory McIlroy  
2004 European Team Member



Lexi Thompson  
2008 U.S. Team Member



Leona Maguire  
2008 European Team Member



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## JUNIOR RYDER CUP ALUMNI ON U.S. RYDER CUP AND SOLHEIM CUP TEAMS

Many Junior Ryder Cup alumni have gone on to represent the U.S. in both the Ryder Cup and Solheim Cup.

The 2025 U.S. Ryder Cup Team features four past Junior Ryder Cup participants, including Sam Burns, Scottie Scheffler, Justin Thomas and Cameron Young. Burns and Young were teammates at the 2014 Junior Ryder Cup. Burns is playing in his second Ryder Cup while Young is making his debut. Scheffler (2012 Junior Ryder Cup) returns for his third consecutive Ryder Cup while Thomas, who played in the 2010 Junior Ryder Cup, is set to play in his fourth Ryder Cup.

Other Junior Ryder Cup Team alumni to play for the U.S. Ryder Cup Team in past years include Tony Finau (2004,06 Junior; 2018,21 Ryder), Hunter Mahan (1999 Junior; 2008,10,14 Ryder) and Jordan Spieth (2008,10 Junior; 2014,16,18,21,23 Ryder).

The 2025 European Ryder Cup Team features Junior Ryder Cup alumni Rory McIlroy and Rasmus Højgaard.

The 2024 U.S. Solheim Cup Team featured four past Junior Ryder Cup players in Alison Lee, Andrea Lee, Lexi Thompson and Rose Zhang. Thompson, who played in the 2008 Junior Ryder Cup, made her seventh Solheim Cup appearance while Alison Lee (2010 & 2012 Junior), Andrea Lee (2014 Junior) and Zhang (2018 Junior) all made their second appearances.

Other Junior Ryder Cup Team alumni to play for the U.S. Solheim Cup Team in past years include Brittany Altomare (2006 Junior; 2019,21 Solheim); Mina Harigae (2004 Junior; 2021 Solheim); Vicky Hurst (2006 Junior; 2011 Solheim); and Yealimi Noh (2018 Junior; 2021 Solheim).

The European Solheim Cup team has also featured Junior Ryder Cup alumni, including 2024 team members Leona Maguire, Emily Kristine Pedersen and Carlota Ciganda. Suzann Pettersen, who played in two Junior Ryder Cups and nine Solheim Cups, was the Captain of the 2024 and 2023 European Solheim Cup Teams.

## JUNIOR RYDER CUP ALUMNI MAKE A SPLASH ON TOUR

Major champions, PGA TOUR, LIV and LPGA Tour players are among the notable Junior Ryder Cup alumni.

Twenty-six U.S. Junior Ryder Cup team members have gone on to play on the PGA TOUR, including Akshay Bhatia, Sam Burns, Nick Dunlap, Tony Finau, Denny McCarthy, Scottie Scheffler, Jordan Spieth, Justin Thomas and Cameron Young.

Twenty-one U.S. Junior Ryder Cup alumni have gone on to play

on the LPGA Tour, including Brittany Altomare, Mina Harigae, Vicky Hurst, Yealimi Noh, Lexi Thompson and Rose Zhang.

European Junior Ryder Cup team members who have played on the PGA TOUR and LPGA Tour include Rory McIlroy, Leona Maguire, Carlota Ciganda, Nicolai Højgaard, Rasmus Højgaard, Rafa Cabrera Bello, Nicolas Colsaerts, Suzann Pettersen and Emily Kristine Pedersen.



**Jordan Spieth**  
2008 and 2010 U.S. Team Member



**Rose Zhang**  
2018 U.S. Team Member



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## U.S. TEAM - CAPTAIN SUZY WHALEY, PGA



Hamilton Coleman  
Augusta, GA



Luke Colton  
Frisco, TX



Zoe Cusack  
Potomac, MD



Lunden Esterline  
Andover, KS



Anna Fang  
San Diego, CA



Rayee Feng  
Short Hills, NJ



Tyler Mawhinney  
Fleming Island, FL



Lily Peng  
San Ramon, CA



Giuseppe Puebla  
Royal Palm Beach, FL



Miles Russell  
Jacksonville Beach, FL



Asterisk Talley  
Chowchilla, CA



Amelie Zalsman  
St. Petersburg, FL



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## U.S. JUNIOR RYDER CUP TEAM BIOS (AS OF SEPTEMBER 9, 2025)

**Hamilton Coleman**, 17, Augusta, Georgia - The 2025 U.S. Junior Amateur Champion and the No. 7-ranked golfer by the AJGA, Coleman will make his Junior Ryder Cup debut. Coleman won the 2024 Junior PLAYERS Championship presented by Rolex and a 2022 Drive, Chip and Putt National Finals. He tied for fourth at the 2025 Dustin Johnson World Junior Championship. The 2024 Second Team Junior All-American is committed to the University of Georgia.

**Luke Colton**, 18, Frisco, Texas - The No. 3-ranked golfer on the AJGA Rankings had a strong season that included a semifinals appearance in the U.S. Junior Amateur and runner-up finishes at the Team TaylorMade Invitational in May and the 2024 Rolex Tournament of Champions. Colton defeated teammate Miles Russell in the 2025 U.S. Junior Amateur Quarterfinals, making it to the Semifinals where he lost to teammate and eventual champion Hamilton Coleman. Coached by Andrew Lewis, PGA, Colton has won consecutive individual high school state championships in Texas and has also placed top-10 in four other recent tournaments. Named to the U.S. National Junior Team earlier in April, he helped his team defeat Team Canada 16-8 at Champions Golf Club in Houston. A 2024 First Team Junior All-American, Colton has committed to Vanderbilt University.

**Zoe Cusack**, 17, Potomac, Maryland - With a runner-up finish at the 2025 Girls' Junior PGA Championship, Cusack will make her Junior Ryder Cup debut. An incoming high school senior at Winston Churchill High School, she is verbally committed to the University of Virginia and currently ranked No. 18 on the AJGA Rankings. She won the Maryland Girls' Junior Amateur in June and the AJGA Indiana Junior in April, and additionally she finished 3rd in both the Junior Orange Bowl and Kathy Whitworth Invitational. Cusack is coached by John Scott Rattan, PGA, at Congressional Country Club.

**Lunden Esterline**, 16, Andover, Kansas - The 2025 Boys' Junior PGA Champion, ranked 10th on the AJGA Rankings, played his way onto the Junior Ryder Cup with a six-shot victory at the Birk Boilermaker Golf Complex in Indiana in August that included a course-record-tying 62 in the second round. Esterline's 2025 season includes a top-5 finish in the K.J. Choi Foundation Texas Junior Championship hosted by Pacificlinks Korea and a top 10 in the Callaway Junior at Canebrake Club. Esterline has committed to Auburn University and is expected to join the Tigers' golf program in 2027.

**Anna Fang**, 16, San Diego, California - Currently No. 5 on the AJGA Rankings and second on the Junior Ryder Cup Rankings, Fang was the runner-up in the 2025 Mizuho Americas Open and the 2025 Fortinet Stanford Invitational hosted by Rose Zhang. She also reached the round of 16 at the 75th U.S. Girls' Junior, losing in 22 holes. She finished T-3 in the 2025 Girls' Junior PGA Championship and the 2025 RLX Ralph Lauren Junior Classic. Fang competed for Team California

in 2021 and 2022 in the 13U PGA Jr. League Championships. Fang is coached by PGA of America Golf Professional Russel Surber and is committed to Stanford University.

**Rayee Feng**, 17, Short Hills, New Jersey - Ranked 22nd on the Rolex AJGA Rankings, Feng is 5th on the Girls' Junior Ryder Cup rankings. Feng qualified for the 2025 U.S. Women's Open at Erin Hills, making the cut to finish T51 and competing alongside her idol Lydia Ko in the final round. Graduating in 2026 from The Pingry School, in Bernards Township, N.J., Feng made it to the U.S. Girls' Junior semifinals and captured her first individual high school state championship title. Feng competed in the 2021 PGA Jr. League Championship at Grayhawk Golf Club for Team New Jersey. Feng is coached by PGA of America Golf Professionals Matt Wilson and Bob Lohr.

**Tyler Mawhinney**, 17, Fleming Island, Florida - Ranked No. 5 by the AJGA, Mawhinney's early success included winning the 2024 Canadian Men's Amateur Championship and making the cut at the 2025 RBC Canadian Open (T65) in his PGA TOUR debut. Mawhinney won the 2025 USGA Amateur Four-Ball Championship with playing partner Will Hartman. He also recently tied for second at the 2025 Boys' Junior PGA Championship and 2025 Dustin Johnson World Junior Championship and tied for third at the 2025 RLX Ralph Lauren Junior Classic in June. A 2024 First Team Junior All-American, Mawhinney has made a verbal commitment to Vanderbilt University. Mawhinney is coached by Chan Reeves, PGA.

**Lily Peng**, 16, San Ramon, California - The No. 10-ranked golfer in the AJGA, Peng won the 2025 Kathy Whitworth Invitational in March and reached the semifinals at the 2025 RLX Ralph Lauren Junior Classic, played at Bethpage Black in June. Peng holds two other recent top-five finishes at the 2024 PING Invitational (T4) and the 2025 Mizuho Americas Open (3). She is set to graduate in 2027 and is a two-time Honorable Mention Junior All-American. Peng is coached by Bill Barrett, PGA.

**Giuseppe Puebla**, 16, Royal Palm Beach, Florida - The No. 2-ranked golfer on the AJGA Rankings, Puebla has three second-place finishes in 2025 at the Boys' Junior PGA Championship, AJGA Simplify Boys' Championship at Carlton Woods and the RLX Ralph Lauren Junior Classic at Bethpage Black. Additionally, Puebla finished third at the Jones Cup Junior Invitational in December 2024 and played in the Korn Ferry Tour's 2025 Astara Chile Classic presented by Scotiabank. He competed in the 2023 17U PGA Jr. League Championship at Twin Warriors Golf Club on Team Florida, finishing runner-up as a team.



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## U.S. JUNIOR RYDER CUP TEAM BIOS (AS OF SEPTEMBER 9, 2025)

**Miles Russell**, 16, Jacksonville Beach, Florida - The No. 1-ranked golfer on the Boys' Junior Ryder Cup list, AJGA Rankings and Junior Golf Scoreboard Rankings, Russell will compete in his second Junior Ryder Cup. Committed to attend Florida State University in the fall of 2027, he has won three major titles this year: the Junior Players Championship at TPC Sawgrass, the Junior Invitational at Sage Valley and the Simplify Boys' Championship at Carlton Woods. Last year, he became the youngest golfer to make the cut on the Korn Ferry Tour, finishing tied for 20th at the LECOM Suncoast Classic in Florida, and made his first PGA TOUR start at the Rocket Classic. In 2023, Russell won both the Junior Players Championship and the Boys' Junior PGA Championship. That same year, he surpassed Tiger Woods as the youngest winner of the AJGA Rolex Boys' Player of the Year award. Russell was a member of the inaugural U.S. National Junior Team in 2024, a member of the victorious Team North Carolina in the 2022 PGA Jr. League Championship and is a two-time Drive, Chip & Putt national finalist. Currently the No. 13 amateur in the world, Russell is coached by PGA of America Golf Professional Ramon Bescansa.



Miles Russell is the only returning member from the 2023 U.S. Junior Ryder Cup Team after playing in Rome at just 14 years old.

**Asterisk Talley**, 16, Chowchilla, California - The No. 1 points earner on the Girls' Junior Ryder Cup rankings and the No. 1-ranked golfer on the AJGA Rankings, Talley is the 2025 Girls' Junior PGA Champion and a three-time Junior All-American. She won the 2024 PING Invitational, the 2025 Hilton Grand Vacations ANNIKA Invitational presented by Rolex and the 2025 Fortinet Stanford Invitational hosted by Rose Zhang. At 15 years old, she was the youngest competitor in the 2024 U.S. Women's Open, where she finished T44 as the low amateur. The No. 12 amateur in the world was the runner-up at the 2025 Augusta National Women's Amateur, 2024 U.S. Women's Amateur and 2024 U.S. Girls' Junior championships. Talley is coached by PGA of America Golf Professional Elliot Busichio and recently committed to Stanford University.

**Amelie Zalsman**, 16, St. Petersburg, Florida - Zalsman is ranked No. 9 by the AJGA and earned her spot based on her third-place ranking on the Junior Ryder Cup points list. She won the 2025 Rolex Girls' Junior Championship as well as the Rolex Tournament of Champions in 2024, and finished T-5 in The Nelly Invitational presented by Chevron and competed in the 2024 U.S. Women's Open. The 2024 Second Team Junior All-American is a member of the class of 2027.



Lunden Esterline (left) and Asterisk Talley (right) won the 2025 Junior PGA Championships to cement their spots on the 2025 U.S. Junior Ryder Cup Team. They were welcomed to the squad by Team Captain Suzy Whaley, PGA Past President (2018-20).



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## EUROPEAN TEAM - CAPTAIN STEPHEN GALLACHER



Callixte Alzas  
France



Benedicte Brent-Petersen  
Denmark



Sara Brentcheneff  
France



Oscar Couilleau  
France



John Doyle  
Ireland



Lev Grinberg  
Ukraine



Kris Kim  
England



Alice Kong  
France



Hugo Le Goff  
France



Nagore Martinez  
Spain



Charlotte Naughton  
England



Louise Uma Landgraf  
France



# 2025 JUNIOR RYDER CUP TEAMS

## EUROPEAN JUNIOR RYDER CUP TEAM (BIOS AS OF AUGUST 20, 2025)

European Junior Ryder Cup Captain Stephen Gallacher has unveiled his 12-strong team to take on the United States as they aim to defend their title in New York from September 23-25, 2025.

The six automatic qualifiers comprise three boys - French duo Callixte Alzas and Hugo Le Goff and Lev Grinberg from Ukraine - and three girls - Sara Brentcheneff and Louise Uma Landgraf of France and England's Charlotte Naughton. The automatic qualifiers earned their place on the European Junior Ryder Cup team through a season-long ranking system, which was organised by the European Golf Association.

Six players were then selected by Gallacher: Ireland's John Doyle, England's Kris Kim and France's Oscar Couilleau for the boys, while Denmark's Benedicte Brent-Petersen, Spain's Nagore Martinez and Alice Kong of France were selected for the girls.

Alzas, winner of the recent English Boys' U18 Open Amateur Stroke Play Championship (Carris Trophy), topped the male Junior Ryder Cup Order of Merit to secure his place in New York, and he will be joined by compatriot Hugo Le Goff who finished second on the Rankings.

Le Goff, currently sitting tenth on the European Men's Amateur Golf Rankings, finished tied eighth at the Portuguese International Amateur Championship at the start of the year, before claiming victory at the Spanish International Amateur Championship.

The third and final automatic qualification spot was taken by 2023 Junior Ryder Cup player Grinberg after an impressive campaign which included a tied second-place finish at the German International Amateur Boys' Championship in May. The Ukrainian returns to Gallacher's side having played a key part in Europe's record 11-point victory over the United States at Marco Simone Golf and Country Club in Rome two years ago.

Grinberg, at the 2022 Soudal Open in Belgium, became the second-youngest player to make a cut in the DP World Tour's history at the age of 14.

For the girls, Brentcheneff topped the Order of Merit thanks to an impressive season, which included a runner up finish at the Portuguese International Ladies' Amateur Championship followed by a tied third-place finish at the Spanish International Ladies' Amateur Championship. Brentcheneff also secured a fifth-place finish at the European Ladies' Amateur Championship.

Brentcheneff, currently sitting tenth in the European Women's Amateur Golf Rankings and 37th in the World Amateur Golf Ranking, will be joined in New York by her fellow automatic

qualifiers, Uma Landgraf and Naughton.

Uma Landgraf has tasted success twice in 2025, firstly winning the Portuguese International Ladies' Amateur Championship in January before adding the Flogas Irish Women's Amateur Open Championship in June, whilst Naughton secured the final automatic qualification spot. Naughton won the German International Amateur Girls Championship earlier this year and finished runner-up at The R&A Girls' Amateur Championship last week.

Gallacher then selected the talented trio of Doyle, Kim and Couilleau. Kim enjoyed a memorable Junior Ryder Cup debut in 2023, going undefeated and earning three and a half points from four matches in Team Europe's record-breaking victory in Rome. A year later the Englishman became the youngest European player to make a cut on the PGA TOUR at The CJ Cup Byron Nelson at the age of 16.

He also picked Brent-Petersen, who finished tied ninth at the Women's Amateur Championship in June, Martinez who won the Spanish International Ladies' Amateur Championship earlier this year and Kong, meaning there will be a total of six French players in the team.



England's Kris Kim and Ukraine's Lev Grinberg return to the European Team after helping the squad to a record 11-point victory in Rome in 2023.



# JUNIOR RYDER CUP HISTORY

	YEAR	CHAMPION	SCORE	VENUE
Inaugural	1997	United States	7 - 5	Alcaidesa Links Golf Course Cadiz, Spain
2nd	1999	Europe	10½ - 1½	The Club at New Seabury Mashpee, MA
3rd	2002	Europe	9½ - 2½	The K Club Straffan, Kildare, Ireland
4th	2004	Europe	8½ - 3½	Westfield Group Country Club Westfield Center, OH
5th	2006	Halved	6 - 6	Celtic Manor Resort Newport, Wales
6th	2008	United States	22 - 2	The Club at Olde Stone Bowling Green, KY
7th	2010	United States	13½ - 10½	Gleneagles Perthshire, Scotland
8th	2012	United States	14½ - 9½	Olympia Fields Country Club Olympia Fields, IL
9th	2014	United States	16 - 8	Blairgowrie Golf Club Perthshire, Scotland
10th	2016	United States	15½ - 8½	Interlachen Country Club Edina, MN
11th	2018	United States	12½ - 11½	Disneyland Paris Marne-la-Vallée, Paris, France
<i>Canceled</i>	<i>2021 - United States Team played an exhibition match at Whistling Straits</i>			
12th	2023	Europe	20½ - 9½	Golf Nazionale & Marco Simone Rome, Italy



# 2023 RECAP/SUMMARY

## EUROPE SEALS DOMINANT VICTORY IN 2023 JUNIOR RYDER CUP



The European Team celebrates after winning the 2023 Junior Ryder Cup at Marco Simone Golf & Country Club in Rome.

Europe ended a run of six straight defeats in the Junior Ryder Cup as they secured a European record 11-point victory over the United States at Marco Simone Golf and Country Club in Rome.

The European Team entered the final day single matches with a six point lead after a remarkable clean sweep in Wednesday's four-balls at Golf Nazionale in Rome, and they drove home their home advantage with seven victories and three ties in 12 Thursday singles matches to triumph by 20 ½ to 9 ½.

Germany's Helen Briem provided the Europeans with some early momentum after her 2&1 win over Yana Wilson, before Kris Kim defeated Miles Russell 5&4 to extend Europe's advantage.

Spaniard Andrea Revuelta holed the winning putt to seal victory for the European Team for the first time since 2006 when they retained the trophy following a draw at Celtic Manor.

Scotland's Conor Graham overcame American Jay Leng Jr. 1 UP, while Swede Meja Örtengren defeated Gianna Clemente 3&2. Irishman Sean Keeling and Italian Giovanni Binaghi produced the two other European victories.



The U.S. Team was captained by PGA of America Past President Paul Levy (back row, fourth from the left).

European Junior Ryder Cup Captain Stephen Gallacher was delighted to bring home the trophy for his side and believes the future is bright for European golf.

"It feels absolutely amazing," he said. "I am so proud of this team and what they have achieved. The team spirit has been unbelievable, and it has been a privilege to be their Captain.

"Every player took control of their own game and they've done everything I could have asked of them. The standard of golf has blown me away and it has been inspiring to watch. We are looking at future Ryder Cup and Solheim Cup stars.

"The Kids have been fantastic and the way they bounced back at times was sensational. I've been blessed to have a front row seat and it's been an honour just to watch them play. Some of these boys and girls will be future World Number Ones for sure.

"The standard and the talent out there is unreal and the future is bright for Europe. They have all been superstars. The way they dealt with the pressure of playing in this arena has been exceptional and I think our team wanted it a bit more today."



# 2023 RECAP / SUMMARY

EUR 20½ - USA 9½

SEPTEMBER 26-28, 2023

Golf Nazionale & Marco Simone Golf & Country Club | Rome, Italy

## DAY 1 - FOURSOMES

USA		EUROPE	RESULTS
Gianna Clemente + Yana Wilson	vs.	Rocio Tejedo + Andrea Revuelta	USA 2&1
Jay Leng Jr. + Billy Davis	vs.	Connor Graham + Sean Keeling	TIED
Anna Davis + Leigh Chen	vs.	Nora Sundberg + Meja Ortengren	EUR 1 UP
Jackson Byrd + Will Hartman	vs.	Lev Grinberg + Kris Kim	TIED
Ryleigh Knaub + Kylie Chong	vs.	Helen Briem + Francesca Fiorellini	EUR 5&4
Miles Russell + Nicholas Gross	vs.	Peer Wernicke + Giovanni Binaghi	EUR 1 UP
MORNING TOTAL			USA 2 - EUR 4

## DAY 1 - MIXED FOURSOMES

USA		EUROPE	RESULTS
Anna Davis + Billy Davis	vs.	Rocio Tejedo + Connor Graham	TIED
Gianna Clemente + Jackson Byrd	vs.	Meja Ortengren + Kris Kim	EUR 3&1
Kylie Chong + Jay Leng Jr.	vs.	Andrea Revuelta + Lev Grinberg	TIED
Yana Wilson + Miles Russell	vs.	Nora Sundberg + Sean Keeling	USA 2&1
Ryleigh Knaub + Will Hartman	vs.	Helen Briem + Peer Wernicke	USA 2&1
Leigh Chen + Nicholas Gross	vs.	Francesca Fiorellini + Giovanni Binaghi	USA 3&2
AFTERNOON TOTAL			USA 4 - EUR 2

DAY ONE TOTAL

USA 6 - EUR 6



Andrea Revuelta and Lev Grinberg of the European Team celebrate on the 18th green during Day 1.



Gianna Clemente and Yana Wilson from the U.S. Team during Day 1.



**EUR 20½ - USA 9½**

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TOTALS AFTER DAY TWO USA 6 - EUR 12

MATCH SUMMARY FINAL TOTAL USA 9½ - EUR 20½



# JUNIOR RYDER CUP ROSTERS

1997 - 2023

## 1997

USA	EUROPE
<b>Captain:</b> Mark Brazil	<b>Captain:</b>
Beth Bauer	Pascal Celhay
J.C. DeLeon	Nuria Clau
Bubba Dickerson	Nicolas Colsaerts
David Gossett	Omar Haldorsson
Leigh Anne Hardin	Vikki Laing
Angela Jerman	Paula Marti
John Klauk	Roberto Paolillo
Blair O'Neal	Suzann Pettersen
James Oh	Federica Piovano
Leif Olson	Stefana Reale
Kim Rowton	Guila Sergas
Cimmie Shahan	Tuomas Tuovinen

## 1999

USA	EUROPE
<b>Captain:</b> Mark Brazil	<b>Captains:</b> Macarena Campomanes & Jimmy Greene
Michael Barbosa	Carmen Alonso
Erica Blasberg	Rafael Cabrera Bello
Catherine Cartwright	Tullia Calzavara
Leigh Anne Hardin	Nicolas Colsaerts
Jason Hartwick	Raphaël De Sousa
Cheryl Hennesy	Martina Erberl
Ina Kim	Alonso Gutierrez
Hunter Mahan	Lucia Mar
Angela Rho	Suzann Pettersen
Matthew Rosenfeld	David Porter
Ty Tryon	Denise Simon
James Vargas	Craig Stevenson

## 2002

USA	EUROPE
<b>Captains:</b> Susan Addis & Tom Addis III, PGA	<b>Captains:</b> Macarena Campomanes & Charlie Westrup
Tiffany Chudy	Carmen Alonso
Mallory Code	Emma Cabrera
Stephanie Connelly	Raphaël De Sousa
Jennifer Davis	Matteo Del Podio
Travis Esway	Claire Grignolo
Shaun Felechner	Peter-Max Hamm
Taylor Hall	Farren Keenan
Lauren Mielbrecht	Rony Raillard
Adam Porzak	Benjamin Regent
Jenny Suh	Dewi-Claire Schreefel
Colin Wilcox	Denise Simon
Casey Wittenberg	Katharina Werdinig

## 2004

USA	EUROPE
<b>Captain:</b> Will Mann, PGA	<b>Captain:</b> Andy Ingram
Chris DeForest	Dominic Angkawidjaja
Josh Dupont	Carlota Ciganda
Kyle English	Oliver Fisher
Tony Finau	Lluis Garcia del Moral
Kelly Fuchik	Zachariah Gould
Luke Guthrie	Linn Gustafsson
Mina Harigae	Camilla Lennarth
Angela Oh	Rory McIlroy
Anne Ormson	Belen Mozo
Jessica Smith	Florentyna Parker
Tessa Teachman	Valerie Sternbeck
Chase Wright	Marius Thorp



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USA	EUROPE
<b>Captain:</b> Jack Connelly, PGA	<b>Captain:</b> Andy Ingram
Brittany Altomare	Carly Booth
Cassandra Blaney	Carlota Ciganda
Bud Cauley	Victor Dubuisson
Esther Choe	Sean Einhaus
Tony Finau	Pedro Figueiredo
Philip Francis	Are Friestad
Vicky Hurst	Laura Gonzales-Escalon
Drew Kittleson	Saskia Hausladen
Isabelle Lendl	Maximilian Kieffer
Joe Monte	Anders Kristiansen
Kristen Schelling	Giulia Molinaro
Andrew Yun	Marta Silva

## 2008

USA	EUROPE
<b>Captain:</b> Ken Lindsay, PGA	<b>Captain:</b> Gary Stangl
Sarah Brown	Anna Arrese
Danielle Frasier	Carly Booth
Jennifer Johnson	Julien Brun
Jeffrey Kang	Stanislas Gautier
Erynne Lee	Mortiz Lampert
Tiffany Lua	Chris Lloyd
Anthony Paolucci	Leona Maguire
Cameron Peck	Lisa Maguire
Jordan Spieth	Matteo Manassero
Lexi Thompson	Daisy Nielsen
Cory Whitsett	Adrian Otaegui
Andrew Yun	Kelly Tidy

## 2010

USA	EUROPE
<b>Captain:</b> M.G. Orender, PGA	<b>Captain:</b> Gary Stangl
Doris Chen	Amy Boulden
Ginger Howard	Isabella Deilert
Cassy Isagawa	Thomas Detry
Alison Lee	Albert Eckhardt
Jim Liu	Manon Gidali
Denny McCarthy	Juhana Kukkonen
Anthony Paolucci	Moritz Lampert
Kristen Park	Christopher Lloyd
Oliver Schniederjans	Manon Molle
Jordan Spieth	Klara Spilkova
Emma Talley	Kelly Tidy
Justin Thomas	Kristoffer Ventura

## 2012

USA	EUROPE
<b>Captain:</b> Roger Warren, PGA	<b>Captain:</b> Stuart Wilson
Casie Cathrea	Quirine Eijkenboom
Cameron Champ	Dominic Foos
Karen Chung	Bronte Law
Casey Danielson	Harang Lee
Gavin Hall	Gavin Moynihan
Beau Hossler	Renato Paratore
Alison Lee	Emily Kristine Pedersen
Esther Lee	Covadonga Sanjuan
Jim Liu	Matthias Schwab
Scottie Scheffler	Linnea Ström
Robby Shelton	Victor Tärnström
Samantha Wagner	Toby Tree



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## 2014

USA	EUROPE
<b>Captain:</b> Brian Whitcomb, PGA	<b>Captain:</b> Stuart Wilson
Sierra Brooks	John Axelsen
Sam Burns	Mathilda Cappeliez
Austin Connelly	Virginia Elena Carta
Brad Dalke	Annabel Dimmock
Kristen Gillman	Alexandra Försterling
Amy Lee	Iván Cantero Gutierrez
Andrea Lee	Marcus Kinhult
Gordon Neale	Bradley Neil
Hannah O'Sullivan	Renato Paratore
Davis Riley	Emily Kristine Pedersen
Bethany Wu	Max Schmitt
Cameron Young	Linnea Ström

## 2016

USA	EUROPE
<b>Captain:</b> Jim Remy, PGA	<b>Captain:</b> Maitena Alsuguren
Alyaa Abdulghany	Julia Engstrom
Hailee Cooper	Jonathan Goth-Rasmussen
Wilson Furr	Falko Hanisch
Noah Goodwin	Matias Honkala
Eugene Hong	Frida Kinhult
Gina Kim	Emilie Alba Paltrinieri
Lucy Li	Adrien Pendaries
Emilia Migliaccio	Kristoffer Reitan
Kaitlyn Papp	Pauline Roussin-Bouchard
Davis Shore	Markus Svensson
Patrick Welch	Emma Spitz
Norman Xiong	Beatrice Wallin

## 2018

USA	EUROPE
<b>Captain:</b> Allen Wronowski, PGA	<b>Captain:</b> Maitena Alsuguren
Akshay Bhatia	Annabell Fuller
Ricky Castillo	Conor Gough
Canon Claycomb	Nicolai Højgaard
Rachel Heck	Rasmus Højgaard
Lucy Li	Ingrid Lindblad
William Moll	Amanda Linner
Yealimi Noh	Alessia Nobilio
Alexa Pano	Emma Alba Paltrinieri
Cole Ponich	David Puig
Erica Shepherd	Eduard Rousaud Sabate
Michael Thorbjornsen	Emma Spitz
Rose Zhang	Robin Tiger Williams

## 2021 (EXHIBITION ONLY)

USA	EUROPE
<b>Captain:</b>	<b>Captain:</b>
Luke Clanton	No Team Selected
Anna Davis	
Nick Dunlap	
Megha Ganne	
Ben James	
Bryan Lee	
Sophie Linder	
Julia Misemer	
Alexa Pano	
Caleb Surratt	
Wells Williams	
Avery Zweig	



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## USA

**Captain:**

Paul Levy, PGA

Jackson Byrd

Leigh Chien

Kylie Chong

Gianna Clemente

Anna Davis

Billy Davis

Nicholas Gross

Will Hartman

Ryleigh Knaub

Jay Leng Jr.

Miles Russell

Yana Wilson

## EUROPE

**Captain:**

Stephen Gallacher

Giovanni Binaghi

Helen Briem

Francesca Fiorellini

Connor Graham

Lev Grinberg

Sean Keeling

Kris Kim

Meja Örtengren

Andrea Revuelta

Nora Sundberg

Rocio Tejedo

Peer Wernicke



**Tony Finau**

2004 and 2006 U.S. Team Member



**Mina Harigae**

2004 U.S. Team Member



**Rasmus and Nicolai Højgaard**

2018 European Team Members



**Carlota Ciganda**

2004 and 2006 European Team Member