



2024 KITCHENAID SENIOR PGA CHAMPIONSHIP

Facts & Format

Host Site: Harbor Shores, Benton Harbor, Michigan
Dates: May 22-26, 2024
Defending Champion: Steve Stricker (2023 Champion, Fields Ranch East at PGA Frisco)

Television Schedule (*All times listed EDT*):

First Round, Thursday, May 23:	GOLF Channel	1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Second Round, Friday, May 24:	GOLF Channel	1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Third Round, Saturday, May 25:	NBC	1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Fourth Round, Sunday, May 26:	GOLF Channel	3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
	NBC	4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Purse and Honors

The 2024 KitchenAid Senior PGA Champion will have his name engraved on the Alfred S. Bourne Trophy, donated to the PGA of America in 1937. The KitchenAid Senior PGA Champion will receive \$630,000 from a total purse of \$3.5 million.

Method of Play

Seventy-two holes of stroke play, four rounds of 18 holes. Following the first 36 holes of play, the field of 156 players will be reduced to the low 70 scorers and ties. Those players will advance to complete the final two rounds. In the event of a tie for first place after 72 holes, there will be a hole-by-hole playoff beginning on the 18th hole. If a tie remains, on to holes Nos. 16, 17 and 18, repeated, until a winner is determined.

Rules and Regulations

The Rules of Golf, which govern play, are determined by the United States Golf Association and applied by the PGA of America Rules Committee. The Championship is subject to the overall supervision of the PGA Rules Committee and PGA Board of Directors

Eligibility

All contestants in the 84th KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship (except international players) must be a PGA OF AMERICA MEMBER in good standing, 50 years of age or older on the Opening Day of the Championship, May 23, 2024, and subject to the eligibility requirements.

- 1) All former winners of The KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship.
- 2) All former winners of The PGA Championship.

- 3) All former winners of The Masters, The United States Open, and The Open Championship who have not yet reached their 66th birthday as of May 23, 2024.
- 4) All former United States Ryder Cup Team members, who have not yet reached their 66th birthday as of May 23, 2024 (Former U.S. Ryder Cup Captains have lifetime eligibility).
- 5) All former European Ryder Cup Captains, who have not yet reached their 61st birthday as of May 23, 2024.
- 6) The top 15 finishers and ties from the 2023 KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship.
- 7) The top 50 finishers on the 2023 Charles Schwab Cup Money List as of December 31, 2023.
- 8) The top 50 finishers on the 2024 Charles Schwab Cup Money List as of May 6, 2024.*
- 9) All "Official" PGA TOUR Champions Tournament winners from the 2023 KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship to the 2024 KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship.
- 10) The top 35 finishers from the 2023 Senior PGA Professional Championship.
- 11) Winners of the last five United States Senior Open Championships (2018-2023). Canceled in 2020.
- 12) Winners of the last five Senior Open presented by Rolex Championships (2018-2023). Canceled in 2020.
- 13) The top 20 finishers from the 2023 European Legends Tour Order of Merit as of December 31, 2023.
- 14) The top 4 finishers on the 2023 Japanese Senior Tour Order of Merit.
- 15) The top finisher on the 2023 PGA of Australia Legends Tour Order of Merit.
- 16) Winners of Official PGA TOUR, JPGA Tour, and European Tour events in the preceding five calendar years (2019-2023) and during the current year up to the KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship - for 50-year-olds only (a one-time exemption).
- 17) The top 30 finishers from the PGA TOUR Champions Career Money Leaders List as of May 6, 2024, provided they have not yet reached their 66th birthday as of May 23, 2024.*
- 18) The top 30 finishers from the PGA TOUR Champions All-Time Career Money List as of May 6, 2024, provided they have not yet reached their 66th birthday as of May 23, 2024.*
- 19) Any former PGA Professional Championship champion turning 50 between the 2023 KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship and the 2024 KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship (a one-time exemption).

20) The PGA reserves the right to invite additional players not included in the categories listed above.

The total field will be a maximum of 156 players. Openings caused by the withdrawal or non-entry of any of the 35 club professionals (see item 10 above) will be filled exclusively from an alternate list determined by the order of finish at the 2023 Senior PGA Professional Championship (“2023 SPPC Alternate List”). All other openings in the field will be filled, in order, off of the 2024 Charles Schwab Cup Money List through May 6, 2024, through position 89. If, and when, the next opening occurs, position 90 and forward will be filled by alternating between the 2023 SPPC Alternate List and the 2024 Charles Schwab Cup Money List.

Entry deadline was Friday, April 5, 2024 for all exempt players. Conditional players (*) were finalized on Monday, May 6, 2024.

Harbor Shores

Harbor Shores, a Jack Nicklaus Signature Golf Course, is an integral part of the revitalization of Benton Harbor, Michigan. The KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship proudly returns to Harbor Shores for a sixth time in 2024.

Fueled by public-private partnerships, Whirlpool Corporation and community leaders are creating hundreds of new jobs, building homes and bringing money and attention to the Benton Harbor/St. Joseph area with the development of Harbor Shores.

Harbor Shores represents the result of an extensive environmental transformation. The Nicklaus team transformed abandoned land, dilapidated vacant factories, and a city landfill into one of Michigan’s top courses. The course and surrounding real estate development is a catalyst for ongoing community transformation in Benton Harbor.

Previous KitchenAid Senior PGA Champions at Harbor Shores

2012	Roger Chapman
2014	Colin Montgomerie
2016	Rocco Mediate
2018	Paul Broadhurst
2022	Steven Alker

Senior Golf’s Storied Major

The KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship, the most historic and prestigious major championship in senior golf, will celebrate its 84th competition in 2024. The Championship was born in 1937 on the grounds of another of golf’s majors, at the invitation of one of the game’s greatest players. At the suggestion of renowned amateur Bobby Jones, the inaugural Senior PGA Championship was played at Augusta National Golf Club three years after the first Masters Tournament was held there.

This Championship was established to provide the opportunity for PGA of America Members ages 50 and over to compete with their peers, and brings together the legends of the game and the newest members of senior professional golf for 72 holes of stroke play.

It was during the KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship in December 1979, at Turnberry Isle in North Miami, Florida, that informal meetings first were held among golf's elder statesmen to explore the concept of a senior circuit.

As many of golf's leading names passed age 50, they found they were no longer as competitive on the PGA TOUR as they once had been, but outside of the KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship, playing opportunities were limited. The following month, January 1980, the Senior PGA Tour (now PGA TOUR Champions) was founded.

In 2011, KitchenAid became a presenting sponsor and began an alliance with the Championship to present its talented field to new audiences throughout the country. In 2017, KitchenAid bolstered its commitment to golf and the Championship with its debut as title sponsor.

The 2024 KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship is a celebration of the highly-successful 13-year partnership between the PGA of America and KitchenAid.

KitchenAid Senior PGA Champions Through the Years

Year	Champion	Site
1937	Jock Hutchison	Augusta National, Augusta, Ga.
1938	Fred McLeod	Augusta National, Augusta, Ga.
1940	Otto Hackbarth	Bobby Jones Golf Complex, Sarasota, Fla.
1941	Jack Burke Sr.	Bobby Jones Golf Complex, Sarasota, Fla.
1942	Eddie Williams	Fort Myers Country Club, Fort Myers, Fla.
1945	Eddie Williams	PGA National Golf Club, Dunedin, Fla.
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1947	Jock Hutchison	PGA National Golf Club, Dunedin, Fla.
1948	Charles McKenna	PGA National Golf Club, Dunedin, Fla.
1949	Marshall Crichton	PGA National Golf Club, Dunedin, Fla.
1950	Al Watrous	PGA National Golf Club, Dunedin, Fla.
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1952	Ernie Newnham	PGA National Golf Club, Dunedin, Fla.
1953	Harry Schwab	PGA National Golf Club, Dunedin, Fla.
1954	Gene Sarazen	PGA National Golf Club, Dunedin, Fla.
1955	Mortie Dutra	PGA National Golf Club, Dunedin, Fla.
1956	Pete Burke	PGA National Golf Club, Dunedin, Fla.
1957	Al Watrous	PGA National Golf Club, Dunedin, Fla.
1958	Gene Sarazen	PGA National Golf Club, Dunedin, Fla.
1959	Willie Goggin	PGA National Golf Club, Dunedin, Fla.
1960	Dick Metz	PGA National Golf Club, Dunedin, Fla.
1961	Paul Runyan	PGA National Golf Club, Dunedin, Fla.
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1963	Herman Barron	Port St. Lucie Country Club, Port St. Lucie, Fla.
1964	Sam Snead	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1965	Sam Snead	Fort Lauderdale Country Club, Fort Lauderdale, Fla.
1966	Fred Haas	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1967	Sam Snead	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1968	Chandler Harper	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.

1969	Tommy Bolt	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1970	Sam Snead	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1971	Julius Boros	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
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1974	Roberto De Vincenzo	Port St. Lucie Country Club, Port St. Lucie, Fla.
1975	Charlie Sifford	Walt Disney World, Orlando, Fla.
1976	Pete Cooper	Walt Disney World, Orlando, Fla.
1977	Julius Boros	Walt Disney World, Orlando, Fla.
1978	Joe Jimenez	Walt Disney World, Orlando, Fla.
1979	Jack Fleck	Walt Disney World, Orlando, Fla.
1979†	Don January	Turnberry Isle Country Club, North Miami Beach, Fla.
1980	Arnold Palmer	Turnberry Isle Country Club, North Miami Beach, Fla.
1981	Miller Barber	Turnberry Isle Country Club, North Miami Beach, Fla.
1982	Don January	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1984	Arnold Palmer	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1984†	Peter Thomson	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1986	Gary Player	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1987	Chi Chi Rodriguez	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1988	Gary Player	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1989	Larry Mowry	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1990	Gary Player	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1991	Jack Nicklaus	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1992	Lee Trevino	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1993	Tom Wargo	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1994	Lee Trevino	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1995	Raymond Floyd	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1996	Hale Irwin	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
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1999	Allen Doyle	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
2000	Doug Tewell	PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
2001	Tom Watson	The Ridgewood Country Club, Paramus, N.J.
2002	Fuzzy Zoeller	Firestone Country Club, Akron, Ohio
2003	John Jacobs	Aronimink Golf Club, Newtown Square, Pa.
2004	Hale Irwin	Valhalla Golf Club, Louisville, Ky.
2005	Mike Reid	Laurel Valley Golf Club, Ligonier, Pa.
2006	Jay Haas	Oak Tree Golf Club, Edmond, Okla.
2007	Denis Watson	The Ocean Course, Kiawah Island, S.C.
2008	Jay Haas	Oak Hill Country Club, Rochester, N.Y.
2009	Michael Allen	Canterbury Golf Club, Beachwood, Ohio
2010	Tom Lehman	Colorado Golf Club, Parker, Colo.
2011	Tom Watson	Valhalla Golf Club, Louisville, Ky.
2012	Roger Chapman	Harbor Shores, Benton Harbor, Mich.
2013	Kohki Idoki	Bellerive Country Club, St. Louis, Mo.
2014	Colin Montgomerie	Harbor Shores, Benton Harbor, Mich.
2015	Colin Montgomerie	French Lick Resort, French Lick, Ind.
2016	Rocco Mediate	Harbor Shores, Benton Harbor, Mich.

2017	Bernhard Langer	Trump National Golf Club, Potomac Falls, Va.
2018	Paul Broadhurst	Harbor Shores, Benton Harbor, Mich.
2019	Ken Tanigawa	Oak Hill Country Club, Rochester, N.Y.
2021	Alex Čejka	Southern Hills Country Club, Tulsa, Okla.
2022	Steven Alker	Harbor Shores, Benton Harbor, Mich.
2023	Steve Stricker	Fields Ranch East at PGA Frisco, Frisco, Texas

† Two championships played in 1979 and 1984

Playoff Results

1938	Fred McLeod def. Otto Hackbarth, 18 holes (80 to 82)
1940	Otto Hackbarth def. Jock Hutchison (36 holes); both players tied at 74 after first 18 holes; Hackbarth had a 74 to Hutchison's 75 on the final 18 holes.
1946	Eddie Williams def. Jock Hutchison (18 holes, scores unavailable)
1951	Al Watrous def. Jock Hutchison (18 holes, 75 to 81)
1957	Al Watrous def. Bob Stupple (18 holes, 72 to 75)
1975	Charles Sifford def. Fred Wampler (hole-by-hole, birdied first extra hole)
1978	Joe Jimenez def. Manuel de la Torre and Joe Cheves (hole-by-hole, birdied first extra hole)
1979	Jack Fleck def. Bill Johnston and Bob Erickson (hole-by-hole, birdied third extra hole)
1980	Arnold Palmer def. Paul Harney (hole-by-hole, birdied first extra hole)
1993	Tom Wargo def. Bruce Crampton (hole-by-hole, par on second extra hole)
2005	Mike Reid def. Jerry Pate and Dana Quigley (hole-by-hole, birdied first extra hole)
2006	Jay Haas def. Brad Bryant (hole-by-hole, par on third extra hole)
2010	Tom Lehman def. Fred Couples and David Frost (hole-by-hole, par on first extra hole)
2011	Tom Watson def. David Eger (hole-by-hole, birdie on first extra hole)
2023	Steve Stricker def. Pdraig Harrington (hole-by-hole, par on first extra hole)

Players To Win The KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship Multiple Times

Sam Snead	6 (1964, '65, '67, '70, '72 '73)
Hale Irwin	4 (1996, '97, '98, 2004)
Gary Player	3 (1986, '88, '90)
Al Watrous	3 (1950, '51, '57)
Eddie Williams	3 (1942, '45, '46)
Julius Boros	2 (1971, '77)
Jay Haas	2 (2006, '08)
Jock Hutchison	2 (1937, '47)
Don January	2 (1979, '82)
Colin Montgomerie	2 (2014, '15)
Arnold Palmer	2 (1980, '84)
Paul Runyan	2 (1961, '62)
Gene Sarazen	2 (1954, '58)
Lee Trevino	2 (1992, '94)
Tom Watson	2 (2001, '11)