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2017 PING JUNIOR SOLHEIM CUP



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In 2017, one of golf's great double acts will be played out in Midwestern America when both The Solheim Cup and the PING Junior Solheim Cup are contested at the Des Moines Golf & Country Club in West Des Moines, Iowa.

It marks the second time both The Solheim Cup and the PING Junior Solheim Cup have been played in quick succession at the same venue and the success of the first double header, at Golf Club St Leon Rot, Germany, in 2015, confirms it is a concept which greatly enhances the profile of the junior event.

Karsten and Louise Solheim were the visionaries behind the introduction of The Solheim Cup in 1990. The idea of staging a prestigious transatlantic competition for girls, similar to The Solheim Cup, was first mooted by John Solheim, PING's current Chairman and CEO, who was determined to provide talented young girl golfers with a platform on which they could forward their careers by competing at the highest level against their peers from the other side of the Atlantic.

The first PING Junior Solheim Cup was staged in 2002, at Oak Ridge Country Club in Hopkins, Minnesota, and it proved to be an instantaneous success with the home American team defeating the visitors from Europe by 17-7. That result was to signal the start of a sequence that saw the home team win each of the next five matches, which was not broken until America retained the trophy by halving the match at Knightsbrook Hotel, Spa & Golf Resort in Trim, Co. Meath, Ireland, in 2011. Subsequently, the Americans have won the last two matches, most recently in Germany two years ago, although the 13-11 scoreline illustrates just how hotly contested the event remains.

The first PING Junior Solheim Cup also set another trend, which has endured to this day, in that it featured several players who have gone on to forge successful careers on both the Ladies European Tour and the LPGA Tour. Azahara Muñoz, Paula Creamer, Britanny Lincicome, Brittany Lang and Morgan Pressel all played in that inaugural match and they were followed in subsequent years by the likes of Carlota



Ciganda, Caroline Hedwall, Charley Hull, Caroline Masson, Anna Nordqvist, Beatrice Recari, Mel Reid, Vicky Hurst, Jessica Korda, Lexi Thompson and Alison Lee in more recent matches.

Several of the PING Junior Solheim Cup players have also gone on to win Major titles, which is just one of the reasons why John Solheim and the rest of the Solheim family remain as firmly committed to the PING Junior Solheim Cup as they were when they inaugurated the biennial contest 15 years ago.



"Our vision for the PING Junior Solheim Cup is for it to continue to help advance girls' golf around the world by bringing together the top juniors from Europe and the United States on an international stage." Mr Solheim confirmed.



"Since starting the event in 2002, we've been delighted with the results as the interest and excitement from the golf community has exceeded our expectations. The players on each side strive to make their teams for the honour of representing their countries and come away with lifelong memories and friendships. A large number of the participants have gone on to play major roles in winning The Solheim Cup itself, giving us all a glimpse into the future of the women's game. The interest and spirit of the fans continues to grow, ensuring a passion-filled event where tremendous skill and sportsmanship are on display from the very first tee shot.

We're looking forward to the 2017 event at Des Moines Golf & Country Club. It marks the second straight time the PING Junior Solheim Cup will be played at the same venue as The Solheim Cup, bringing participants in both events closer together as they experience their lifelong dreams of playing golf for the honour of their continent and country."

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EUROPEAN QUALIFYING EVENTS 2017

DATE	EVENT	VENUE
JANUARY 25 - 28	Portuguese International Ladies' Amateur Championship	Montado Golf Resort, Portugal
MARCH 1 - 5	Spanish International Ladies' Amateur Championship	Sherry Golf Jerez, Cádiz, Spain
APRIL 13 - 17	French International Lady Juniors Championship	Saint-Cloud GC, Paris, France
APRIL 21 - 23	Helen Holm Scottish Women's Open Championship	Troon GC, Troon, Scotland
JUNE 2 - 4	Allianz German Girls' Open	GC St. Leon-Rot, Germany
JUNE 13 - 17	Ladies' British Open Amateur Championship	Pale & Kenfig CC, Wales
JUNE 20 - 22	ANNIKA Invitational Europe	Halmstad GK, Sweden
JULY 11 - 15	European Girls' Team Championship	St Laurence GC, Finland
JULY 11 - 15	European Ladies' Team Championship	Montado Golf Resort, Portugal

MATCHPLAY

3-4 5-8

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PORTUGUESE INTERNATIONAL LADIES' AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

POSITION		
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2	40	
3	30	
4	20	
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Points are only allocated to girls born 1999 and later and eligible to qualify for the PJSC.

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Strokeplay and matchplay points to be added. In the strokeplay, points are only allocated to girls born 1999 and later and eligible to qualify for the PJSC.

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HELEN HOLM SCOTTISH WOMEN'S OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP		ALLIANZ GERMAN GIRLS' OPEN		
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Points are only allocated to girls born 1999 and later and eligible to qualify for the PJSC. All girls born 1999 and later that made the cut and are place 9th-64th will receive 5 points. Strokeplay and matchplay points to be added.

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TESTIMONIALS FROM PREVIOUS PING JUNIOR SOLHEIM CUP AND THE SOLHEIM CUP PLAYERS



CHARLEY HULL ENGLAND



ANNA NORDQVIST



AZAHARA MUÑOZ SPAIN



When I was selected to represent Europe in the PING Junior Solheim Cup in 2011 in Ireland, it was my greatest golfing honour at the time. I had won several amateur trophies throughout the UK but my PJSC selection felt like my first step into big time golf. I remember feeling proud to represent Europe and wear its colours and even more proud to hit the first tee shot of the competition. I can remember that it was the first time that people asked me for my autograph.

In 2013, at The Solheim Cup. I remember asking the other European team members about what to expect about being nervous in front of such large crowds at The Solheim Cup. Having been advised by them that nerves would play a big part, I was really surprised when I stood on the first tee and rather than feeling really nervous I managed to soak up the fantastic atmosphere created by thousands of chanting fans. This was my first experience of the real big time in golf and I remember thinking to myself, I hope I have many more Solheim Cups to come.

I got the opportunity to play on the 2005 PING Junior Solheim Cup Team In Indiana, USA. It was

definitely the highlight of my amateur career. We were treated like queens and I felt so special being part of the European Team.

PING and the Solheim family put on a world class event for us juniors, making us feel like pros.

We got to stay and watch the "big" girls play the rest of the week inside the ropes and it was so cool to watch my idols, front row. That's when my dream of one day playing in The Solheim

Cup started. Never could I imagine that I now, 9 years later, have played on 3 Solheim Cups. There is no atmosphere like The Solheim Cup and I wish everyone would get to experience what it is like playing in one. My biggest memories from my golfing career all come from The Solheim Cup and I hope to inspire more players to work hard to make a team in

the future, it is so worth it!

Plaving PING Junior Solheim Cup was the highlights of my amateur career. The comradery with my teammates, the experience of plaving such a great event, and then being able to stay and watch The Solheim Cup was such an incredible experience. Being able to be around the pros was something so special for me. Playing in the PING Junior Solheim Cup made me realize things I needed to work on and made me really want to work hard to one day play in The Solheim Cup. It is one of the best events we play, and such a treat to be a part of it.



I had the great privilege to represent the USA in both the 2002 and the 2003 PING Junior Solheim Cups. It was an unbelievable experience and a lot of fun. Many of my teammates, as well as opponents in those matches, are now my friends on the LPGA Tour. After our matches, we all got to go to The Solheim Cup and cheer on Team USA and Team Europe respectively. I even got to carry Juli Inkster's bag down number 18 during a practice round. Trust me when I say it was heavy! I have always wondered what in the world she carries in her bag. That was a highlight for me at the time. The experiences of the 2002 and 2003 PING Junior Solheim Cups helped me a great deal when I played in the 2005 Solheim Cup during my rookie year on the LPGA.

The PING Junior Solheim Cup was an experience of a lifetime as a junior golfer. Being able to represent my country with an incredible team and a captain that I've looked up to my whole life, Nancy Lopez, was a great honour. Friendships, experiences and memories that I will never forget came from that event. Events like this are why I love the game and is why I am where I am today.

I am thankful that I got to be a part of the PING Junior Solheim Cup because it was such a great way to learn to play as a team in match play and get ready for The Solheim Cup. We had so much fun and many of us who played as juniors 15 years ago are still really good friends today, which is very cool! We also got to go meet the pros playing in the big Solheim Cup, which was so cool to meet our idols and see what a real Solheim was all about. The pros were so inviting and helpful that I know all the girls subsequently wanted to pursue golf careers. I owe so much to the PING Junior Solheim Cup and all the pros for helping us get our careers started.

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PREVIOUS PING JUNIOR SOLHEIM CUP RESULTS & STATS "PLAYERS THAT HAVE ALSO PLAYED IN THE SOLHEIM CUP

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MARIAH STACKHOUSE GEORGIA MCKENZIE TALBERT SOUTH CAROLINA EMMA TALLEY KENTUCKY GABRIELLA THEN CALIFORNIA LINDSEY WEAVER ARIZONA

KELLI HOLLOWAY (VC) INDIANA CASIE CATHREA CALIFORNIA **KAREN CHUNG** NEW JERSEY CASEY DANIELSSON WISCONSIN ALEXANDRA KAUI NEVADA ALISON LEE* CALIFORNIA AMY LEE CALIFORNIA ANDREA LEE CALIFORNIA NICOLE MORALES NEW YORK **KRYSTAL QUIHUIS** ARIZONA ASHLAN RAMSEY GEORGIA SAMANTHA WAGNER FLORIDA BETHANY WU CALIFORNIA

KATIE TAHARA (VC) GEORGIA SIERRA BROOKS FLORIDA HAILEE COOPER TEXAS MARIEL GALDIANO HAWAII KRISTEN GILLMAN TEXAS MEGAN KHAN MASSACHUSETTS NELLY KORDA EL ORIDA ANDREA LEE CALIFORNIA MIKA LIU CALIEORNIA HALEY MOORE CALIFORNIA HANNAH O'SULLIVAN ARIZONA KAITLYN PAPP TEXAS ANGEL YIN CALIFORNIA

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THE 2019 SOLHEIM CUP & PING JUNIOR SOLHEIM CUP



THE SOLHEIM CUP WILL ENCOURAGE MORE SCOTS TO GET INTO GOLF

Scotland is known around the world as the Home of Golf. It is the country that gave the game to the world and where it was first played more than 600 years ago.

In Scotland, golf is regarded as a game for everyone, with golf clubs sitting at the heart of communities across the country offering a warm and friendly atmosphere and a supportive environment in which all golfers, regardless of age, gender, social standing or ability, can thrive.



The 2019 Solheim Cup and the PING Junior Solheim Cup will reinforce the message that everyone is welcome in the country where the game began. It will serve to inspire those who love the game onto greater things and those who may never have considered playing to pick up a club and give it a go.

Recently, Scotland has placed a strong emphasis on promoting participation among juniors with the introduction of the innovative ClubGolf programme. More than 400,000 children have been introduced to the sport so far as part of this initiative and now The 2019 Solheim Cup and the PING Junior Solheim Cup will look to carry on this mantle.

Through the Get Into Golf programme, led by Scottish Golf, the sport is being promoted across the country as a family game, encouraging adults and children to take up the game and play together - one of the few sports where this is possible. When the players arrive at Gleneagles in 2019 for The Solheim Cup and the PING Junior Solheim Cup, they will not only find a world class venue on which to compete, they will find an audience and a country that loves golf just as much as they do.

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