

MEDIA ADVISORY

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MEGAN KHANG TIES TOURNAMENT COURSE RECORD TO SIT ATOP CROWDED LEADERBOARD AT THE 2023 CPKC WOMEN'S OPEN

Khang shoots 66 to tie tournament course record set Thursday by Yuka Saso

Brooke Henderson leads Canadian contingent after shooting 4-under on Friday

Third Round pairings and tee times available

Download the Golf Canada App for your full CPKC Women's Open Tournament Experience; Media Guide & Player Performance Guide available.

Friday, August 25, 2023 – One day after Yuka Saso shot a 6-under 66 to set a Shaughnessy Golf and Country Club tournament course record, Megan Khang went out and did the same on Friday at the CPKC Women's Open.

Khang made the turn at one-under and finished strongly with five straight birdies on holes 11 through 15, to get to 6-under on the day. Khang closed with three consecutive pars in a bogey free round. She takes a one-shot lead into the weekend over Linn Grant who shot a 71 on Friday and sits at 6-under for the tournament. 2019 CPKC Women's Open champion, Jin Young Ko is two back at 5-under along with first round leader, Yuka Saso.

Brooke Henderson bounced back with a bogey-free round of 68 on Friday and is at 1-under for the tournament in T12. Joining Henderson into weekend play is Alena Sharp, who shot 75 on Friday and sits even par for the tournament.

For more information on Friday's opening round, please click here.

INTERVIEW TRANSCRIPTS, AUDIO FILES AND VIDEO

The following player transcripts from Thursday's opening round at Shaughnessy Golf & Country Club are available online:

Megan Khang

Linn Grant

Jin Young Ko

Nelly Korda

Brooke Henderson

Hannah Green

Georgia Hall

Yuka Saso

Broadcast quality audio and interview transcripts can be downloaded here.

Broadcast quality video can be downloaded <u>here</u>.

CANADIAN LEADERBOARD

T12	Brooke Henderson	75, 68	-1
T33	Alena Sharp	69, 76	+1
MC	Brooke Rivers (a)	71,79	+6
MC	Maddie Szeryk	73, 77	+6
MC	Sarah-Eve Rheaume	77, 74	+7
MC	Ellie Szeryk (a)	77, 75	+8
MC	Brigitte Thibault	78, 75	+9
MC	Katie Cranston (a)	80, 73	+9
MC	Vanessa Borovilos (a)	77, 77	+10
MC	Lauren Kim (a)	77, 77	+10
MC	Luna Lu (a)	77, 79	+12
MC	Lauren Zaretsky (a)	80, 77	+13
MC	Sonja Tang (a)	81,79	+16
MC	Yeji Kwon (a)	81, 80	+17
MC	Angela Arora (a)	81,80	+17

THIRD ROUND PAIRINGS AND TEE TIMES

Click <u>here</u> for pairings and tee times for the third round of the CPKC Women's Open on Saturday, August 26.

BROADCAST TIMES

Round 3

Saturday, August 26 TSN, RDS, Golf Channel 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. PT

Round 4

Sunday, August 27 TSN, RDS, Golf Channel 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. PT

CPKC HAS HEART CAMPAIGN TO BENEFIT BC CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL FOUNDATION...

CPKC and Golf Canada are proud to support the BC Children's Hospital Foundation as the primary charitable beneficiary for the 2023 CPKC Women's Open. Among the charitable engagements tournament week will be the Birdies

for Heart hole on no. 16 at Shaughnessy with a \$5,000 donation made for every birdie made on the hole during the four rounds of the competition. In addition, CPKC is also proud to support a community beneficiary in Royal Inland Hospital Foundation in support of cardiac care. In nine years of title sponsorship of the CPKC Women's Open, more than \$16 million has been raised to support children's heart health in the event's host communities.

CPKC WOMEN'S OPEN – MEDIA GUIDE & PLAYER PERFORMANCE GUIDE

Below are links to the CPKC Women's Open Media Guide as well as the alltime Player Performance Guide:

2023 CPKC Women's Open Media Guide
CPKC Women's Open – All-Time Player Performance Guide

MOBILE APP EXPERIENCE...

Experience the CPKC Women's Open like never before by downloading the Golf Canada Mobile App on your iOS or Android device. Essential features include a live map, leaderboard & pairings, tickets, breaking news, and special events. Plus, use the Golf Canada Mobile App to enhance your experience while playing! Find golf courses, track your game, set up matches against friends, access GPS yardages and more. Click here to download.

FIELD FOR THE 2023 CPKC WOMEN'S OPEN...

<u>Click here</u> for the full current list of competitors competing in the 2023 CPKC Women's Open, August 22-27 at Shaughnessy Golf & Country Club in Vancouver.

Tickets for the 2023 CPKC Women's Open are available <u>here</u>. Children aged 12-and-under get free admission with a ticketed adult.

ABOUT THE CPKC WOMEN'S OPEN

The stars of the LPGA Tour will challenge for the CPKC Women's Open from August 22-27, 2023, at the Shaughnessy Golf & Country Club in Vancouver,

B.C. Through its CPKC Has Heart program, title sponsor CPKC will once again make a substantial donation to the host community of Canada's National Open Golf Championship by supporting the B.C. Children's Hospital Foundation. The 2023 CPKC Women's Open is proudly sponsored by CPKC, BDO, Audi, RBC, theScore, Levelwear, Transitions, Titleist, FootJoy, Journie Rewards, Hilton, Sleeman Clear 2.0, Think Turkey, The Keg, Johnsonville, Cayman Islands, Masi, Celebrity Cruises, STALK&BARREL, Matt & Steve's, Coca-Cola, Rolex and is supported by Sport Hosting Vancouver, the Province of British Columbia, and the Government of Canada.

For information visit www.cpkcwomensopen.com.

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