Doniphan’s Brandi Lemek is the 2018 NWAGA Player of the Year. The University of Nebraska-Kearney junior captures her first such award on the strength of high finishes at both the Nebraska Women’s Amateur and the Nebraska Women’s Match Play. Lemek finished tied for second at the 2018 Nebraska Women’s Amateur Championship at Beatrice Country Club. She posted rounds of 74 (+2) and 78 (+6), and finished two strokes back of champion Jordan York of Scottsbluff, after the final round was cancelled due to heavy rains. A month later, she advanced to the semifinals of the 2018 Nebraska Women’s Match Play Championship at Yankee Hill Country Club. Wins over Omaha’s Jane Pohlman, 4 and 3, and Lincoln’s Kate Strickland, 4 and 3, sent her to the semifinals, where she lost to the eventual champion, Nicolle Barmettler of Elkhorn, 7 and 6. Congratulations to Brandi on a great year!
Kearney - The Inaugural Partner Classic was conducted at Meadowlark Hills Golf Course in Kearney, and Norfolk’s Bev McKillip and Tekamah’s Bev Guzinski ran away with the first title, shooting a net 53 (-19) in today’s Four-Ball format, to win by 10-strokes with a net 113 (-31) total.

**FLIGHT WINNERS**

**FOUNDERS FLIGHT / 113 (-31)**

**BEV MCKILLIP**
Norfolk

**BEV GUZINSKI**
Tekamah

**Other Flight Winners**

**FIRST FLIGHT / 125 (-19)**

**JUANITA NIELSEN**
Holdrege

**DANA KNESS**
Holdrege

**SANDY KRAUS**
Holdrege

**LINDA IMEL**
Holdrege

**SECOND FLIGHT / 128 (-16)**

**CONNIE BOEKA**
Omaha

**GAY GROSS-RHODE**
Omaha

**THIRD FLIGHT / 137 (-7)**

**NANCY UNDERWOOD**
Grand Island

**KATHY MACHMULLER**
Grand Island

**FOR MORE INFO**

**WEBSITE:** http://nwaga.org/partnerclassic.html

**FULL RESULTS:** https://www.golfgenius.com/pages/4148220105358091384
Nebraska Women’s Amateur

JUNE 18-20, 2018
BEATRICE COUNTRY CLUB / BEATRICE, NE

Beatrice - Due to more than five inches of rain overnight and more rain that morning, the Final Round of the 2018 Nebraska Women’s Amateur Championship at Beatrice Country Club was cancelled. The 36-hole results were final, and Scottsbluff’s Jordan York is the 2018 Champion with rounds of 73 (+1) and 77 (+5) for a 150 (+6) total. In the Non-Championship Division, Valley’s Lisa Mayer won the First Flight with a 170 (+26) total, and Lincoln’s Bettie Butts won the Second Flight with a 200 (+56) total.

CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION

1) JORDAN YORK, Scottsbluff – 150 (+6)
T2) BRANDI LEMEK, Doniphan – 152 (+8)
T2) HANNAH THIELE, Wahoo – 152 (+8)
4) JESSICA WEICKERT, Beatrice – 153 (+9)
5) RICKI HICKSTEIN, Chadron – 155 (+11)

Other Flight Winners

FIRST FLIGHT
LISA MAYER
Valley
170 (+26)

SECOND FLIGHT
BETTIE BUTTS
Omaha
200 (+56)

FOR MORE INFO

WEBSITE: http://nwaga.org/amateur.html
FULL RESULTS: https://www.golfgenius.com/pages/4146323067568891011
RECAP VIDEO: https://youtu.be/C-6ImMIUywK
Fremont - The 2018 Bobbie Hopp Challenge faced weather challenges again after being postponed from June until September. The second day of matches at the Fremont Golf Club was cancelled, and the Challenge was completed based on the first three matches. Six flight champions were crowned, including: Mary Dickerson and Stephanie Krijan of Omaha (Flight 1), Sarah Nordlund of Elkhorn and Pam Carmines of Omaha (Flight 2), Donna Utecht and Nita Totten of Norfolk (Flight 3), Denise Rogondino and Sharon Hofmann of Omaha (Flight 4), Jeri Rowen and Judy Neemann of Lorton (Flight 5), and Pam Draemel of Elkhorn and Evelyn Perry of Fremont (Flight 6).

**Flight Winners**

**FLIGHT 1**
MARY DICKERSON, Omaha and STEPHANIE KRIJAN, Omaha

**FLIGHT 2**
SARAH NORDLUND, Elkhorn and PAM CARMINES, Omaha

**FLIGHT 3**
NITA TOTTEN, Norfolk and DONNA UTECHT, Norfolk

**FLIGHT 4**
SHARON HOFMANN, Omaha and DENISE ROGONDINO, Omaha

**FLIGHT 5**
JERI ROWEN, Lorton and JUDY NEEMANN, Lorton

**FLIGHT 6**
PAM DRAEMEL, Elkhorn and EVELYN PERRY, Fremont

**FOR MORE INFO**

WEBSITE:  
http://nwaga.org/challenge.html

FULL RESULTS:  
https://www.golfgenius.com/pages/4148461360851756167
Norfolk - The 2018 Four-Ball Tournament was completed at Norfolk Country Club and Amy Bear and Belinda Rude of Kearney were the champions after a net final round of 65 (-7). Bear and Rude finished with a net total of 134 (-10) to win by three strokes. Norfolk’s Julie Hall and Omaha’s Debbie Wilbeck were the low gross champions with a 155 (+11) total.

**TOP 5 (NET)**

1) AMY BEAR, Kearney and BELINDA RUDE, Kearney – 134 (-10)
2) JO BALDWIN, Kearney and KAY BOWMAN, Kearney – 137 (-7)
T3) BEV MCKILLIP, Norfolk and BEV GUZINSKI, Tekamah – 138 (-6)
T3) SHELLEY BAUER, Lincoln and RITA LAMMLE, Lincoln – 138 (-6)
T5) JACKIE WARRICK, Blair and SHIRLY ROCHELLE, Elkhorn – 139 (-5)
T5) CATHY DAY, Lincoln and SHELLY MIRATSKY, Bellevue – 139 (-5)

**LOW GROSS TEAM**

DEBBIE WILBECK, Omaha and JULIE HALL, Norfolk – 155 (+11)

FOR MORE INFO

WEBSITE: [http://nwaga.org/fourball.html](http://nwaga.org/fourball.html)
FULL RESULTS: [https://www.golfgenius.com/pages/4148511306623788178](https://www.golfgenius.com/pages/4148511306623788178)
Lincoln - Elkhorn’s Nicolle Barmettler defeated Beemer’s Lacie Fox, 8 and 7, in the Final of the 2018 Nebraska Women’s Match Play Championship at Yankee Hill Country Club in Lincoln. Barmettler, the No. 1 seed, made 12 birdies in 26 holes on Tuesday, but had one true birdie and a steady barrage of pars in the Final to win her first title. In the Non-Championship Division, winners of five flights were also decided. Fremont’s Maggie Peters (First Flight), Lincoln's Jan Crouch (Second Flight), Lexington’s Brooke Speer (Third Flight), Bellevue’s Shelly Miratsky (Fourth Flight) and Norfolk’s Phyllis Hall (Fifth Flight) were all winners.

CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION

CHAMPION – NICOLLE BARMETTLER, Elkhorn
RUNNER-UP – LACIE FOX, Beemer

FOR MORE INFO

WEBSITE: http://nwaga.org/match.html
RESULTS: https://www.golfgenius.com/pages/4148576874701825174
VIDEO RECAP: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QOltdRKRkqA&feature=youtu.be

Other Flight Winners, Non-Championship Division

FIRST FLIGHT
MAGGIE PETERS
Fremont

SECOND FLIGHT
JAN CROUCH
Lincoln

THIRD FLIGHT
BROOKE SPEER
Lexington

FOURTH FLIGHT
SHELLY MIRATSKY
Bellevue

FIFTH FLIGHT
PHYLLIS HALL
Norfolk
Eagle - The 2018 NWAGA Seniors Championship was conducted at Woodland Hills Golf Course in Eagle, and winning the championship flight for the eighth time in nine years is Susan Marchese of Omaha. She finished with a 229 (+16) total for the championship, including a final round 78 (+6) to win the title by three strokes.

The other flight champions include Sarah Nordlund of Elkhorn (First Flight), Tracey Whitley of Bellevue (Second Flight), Nancy Vanicek of Lincoln and Jackie Warwick of Blair (Third Flight), Bev Guzinski of Tekamah and Gale Hadenfeldt of Lincoln (Fourth Flight), Bonnie Jolly of Lincoln (Fifth Flight), Bettie Butts of Lincoln (Sixth Flight), Patricia Heather of Waverly and Pam Draemel of Elkhorn (Seventh Flight) and Sandra Amen of Denton (Eighth Flight).

CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT
1) SUSAN MARCHESE, Omaha – 229 (+16)
2) JODI NELSON, Lincoln – 232 (+19)
T3) ROBIN KRAPFL, Lincoln – 233 (+20)
T3) JANE POHLMAN, Omaha – 233 (+20)
5) CATHY NELSON, Omaha – 234 (+21)

ECLECTIC WINNERS
T1) SHERRI ROUNSBORG, Lincoln and JANE THOMSON, Lincoln – 13-under
T1) SALLY BRYSON, Kearney and SHELLY MIRATSKY, Bellevue – 13-under
T1) ANNE BLAZEK, Kearney and SHARON KAUFMAN, Holdrege – 13-under
T1) CONNIE WIEBUSCH, Lincoln and JAN SEMIN, Lincoln – 13-under

SIXTH FLIGHT
BETTIE BUTTS
Lincoln – 293 (+80)

SEVENTH FLIGHT
PAM DRAEMEL, Elkhorn and PATRICIA HEATHER, Waverly – 308 (+95)

EIGHTH FLIGHT
SANDRA AMEN
Denton – 325 (+112)

WEB SITE: http://nwaga.org/seniors.html
FULL RESULTS: https://www.golfgenius.com/pages/4148755241539511456
Four-Woman Scramble

AUGUST 27-28, 2018
RIVERSIDE GOLF CLUB / GRAND ISLAND, NE

Grand Island - The 2018 NWAGA Four-Woman Scramble was played at Riverside Golf Club in Grand Island and winners in four flights were crowned. The First Flight winners were also the Overall Champions, with the team of Sheryl Bosshamer of Riverdale, Trish Simonson of Kearney, Terri Meier and Kelly Foster of Elm Creek finishing with a 113.6 (-30.4) net total for the win.

**2018 FOUR-WOMAN SCRAMBLE CHAMPIONS**

**SECOND FLIGHT WINNERS**

JUDY NABOWER of Hastings, VERA ZABLOUDIL of Hastings, NANNA WIECK of Grand Island and ANNABET FOSTER of Grand Island

**THIRD FLIGHT WINNERS**

PEG STARMAN of Albion, MARY DUFFY of O’Neill, DORETTA ROWSE of O’Neill and LINDA FRY of Ewing

**FOURTH FLIGHT WINNERS**

DEB WALTER of McCook, BECKY LOOP of McCook, DORIS FRIEHE of McCook and SUSIE TOWNSLEY of McCook

FOR MORE INFO

WEBSITE: http://www.nwaga.org/scramble.html

FULL RESULTS: https://www.golfgenius.com/pages/414879417730652324
The 2018 Fund Day was held at Oak Hills Country Club in Omaha on September 17. We were very fortunate to hold this event at one of the top golf courses in Nebraska. A record total of $13,584.57 was raised for our Junior Programs, which includes the NWAGA Founder’s scholarships and sponsorship of five junior girls to attend the Four-State Team Championship.

FLIGHT WINNERS

FIRST FLIGHT
RITA LAMMLE, SHERRI ROUNSBORG, JANE THOMSON and AMY WIESELER all of Lincoln

SECOND FLIGHT
JOAN BORER of Omaha, SHELLY HARTFORD of Hastings, MARGE KLEIN of Hastings and MARGE KRULL of Hastings

THIRD FLIGHT
CARLA ANDERSON, MELANIE ARLT, SUE PALMER and MARY JO WARREN all of Ashland

FOURTH FLIGHT
KATHY DUBAS of Grand Island, KORLYN GOFF of Burwell, SUE MCNEIL of Taylor and JANIS SCULLEY of Osceola

FOR MORE INFO

WEBSITE: http://www.nwaga.org/fundday.html

FULL RESULTS: https://www.golfgenius.com/pages/4461878190335370295

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In remembrance of Emily State, a very sweet and wonderful woman  KCC Ladies Golf
In remembrance of Carol Lynch, a long-time member of KCC Ladies Golf and always fun to play with  KCC Ladies Golf
Pam Gallagher, for years of leadership and dedication to golf  KCC Ladies Golf
Deb Jensen, Thank you for your years of being our Treasurer  KCC Ladies Golf
My grandchildren  Kay Bowman
In Support of Junior Golf  Fremont Ladies Golf Association
In Support of Junior Golf  Fremont Ladies Golf Association
In Support of Junior Golf  Oak Hills 9-Hole Ladies Interclub
In memory of Steve and Lori Budd  Their friends from Champions Run
Girls’ Four-State

Ames, Iowa - Team Nebraska led after the first round, but dropped to a third place finish at the 2018 Girls’ Four-State Championship at Coldwater Golf Links in Ames, Iowa. Aurora’s Danica Badura led the way with rounds of 72 (+1) and 81 (+10) to finish seventh in the individual race at 153 (+11). Elkhorn’s Megan Whittaker was a stroke behind at 154 (+12) in eighth with rounds of 74 (+3) and 80 (+9). Nebraska (+62) finished third, behind the champions from Missouri (+52) and runner-up Kansas (+56), and ahead of Iowa (+66). Lincoln’s Nicole Kolbas finished ninth at 158 (+16), while Chadron’s Rick Hickstein was 15th at 165 (+23) and Omaha’s Kristin Goertz finished 16th at 170 (+28).

COACH KELLI JEFFRIES, KRISTIN GOERTZ of Omaha, DANICA BADURA of Aurora, MEGAN WHITTAKER of Elkhorn, RICKI HICKSTEIN of Chadron, NICOLE KOLBAS of Lincoln and COACH STEPH KOLBAS

FOR MORE INFO

WEBSITE: http://nwaga.org/girls-4-state.html
FULL RESULTS: https://www.golfgenius.com/pages/1389049

New NWAGA President

The 2018 Fall Meeting was held on October 1 at Kearney Country Club, and Mead’s Allyson Durnal was elected as the new NWAGA President. She will serve a three-year term beginning in 2019.

2019 Founders’ Scholarship

NWAGA will distribute five (5) $1,000 scholarships to female Nebraska High School Seniors who have played high school golf and are furthering their education at a 2-year, 4-year, or a technical school in Nebraska. A scholarship will be awarded to an applicant in each NWAGA region (Eastern Nebraska, Central Nebraska and Western Nebraska) with the remaining two (2) scholarships awarded regardless of region. The application process has ended and the Scholarship Committee will be reviewing the candidates and making their selections over the next few weeks.
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