



EWGA-Canada Ladies compete with US counterparts

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Executive Women's Golf Association – Canada (EWGA-Canada) members are competing with U.S. ladies in several events this summer and fall. Members at all skill levels face off against U.S competitors in friendly competitions throughout the States. All are amateur golfers who enjoy the game and the opportunity to challenge themselves and represent their Chapter and their Association. We wish all our Canadian competitors safe journeys and good luck in their upcoming events.

EWGA-Canada Regional Chapter Championships – July 2011

EWGA-Canada's Chapters each held their regional championships in July. Winners in each flight travelled to compete on August 27th in the *Upper Midwest Semi-Final Championship* in Concord, Ohio at Little Mountain Country Club. Semi-final winners will advance to compete in Palm Desert, CA in October. The EWGA Chapter Championship is the largest organized women's amateur golf competition in the world!

GTA Chapter Championship Winners

Championship Flight: Nadia Ayoub (Low Gross); Katrina Myers (Low Net)
First Flight: Cindy Wegg (Low Gross); Cindy Kingshott (Low Net)
Second Flight: Yang-Hai Wang (Low Gross); Elaine Stewart (Low Net)
Third Flight: Julie Danabie (Low Gross); Carol French (Low Net)
Fourth Flight: Rosemary Stortz (Low Gross); Mary-Ann Makuch (Low Net)
Scramble Team: Dawn Prinsell, Andrea Macdonald, Heather Swartz, Nicole Wintjes (Low Net)

Waterloo Region Chapter Championship Winners

Championship Flight: Denise Schaefer
First Flight: Lisa Narayansingh
Second Flight: Denise Gruber (Low Gross); Lisa Ali (Low Net)
Third Flight: Fern Balzer (Low Gross); Shari McLaren (Low Net)
Fourth Flight: Mairi McLean (Low Gross) **unable to advance**; Jenn Higuchi (2nd Low Gross); Pat Chornaby (Low Net)
Scramble Team: Mary McClelland, Judy Beauchamp, Margaret McCreery, Connie Morgan

York-Simcoe Chapter Championship Winners

Championship Flight: Andrea Wilson
First Flight: Nycole Harding (Low Gross)
Second Flight: Carol Buchinski (Low Gross)
Third Flight: Michelle O' Brien (Low Gross); Karen Caume (Low Net)
Fourth Flight: Cathy Ollerhead (Low Gross); Carol Bangalan (Low Net)



EWGA Upper Mideast Semi-Final Championship – August 27, 2011

EWGA-Canada was well represented at the EWGA Upper Mideast Semi-Final Championship in Concord, Ohio this weekend. First place gross & net in each stroke play flight and the first place scramble team from each District receives automatic advancement to the 2011 Championship Finals. Congratulations to **Yang-Hai Wang (GTA)**, **Denise Gruber (Waterloo)** and **Jennifer Higuchi (Waterloo)** who will move on to represent EWGA-Canada in the Championship Finals in Palm Desert, CA. Complete results can be found at:

http://higherlogicdownload.s3.amazonaws.com/MYEWGA/520ca69b-1bf5-4bc2-b755-b3f5db6998ae/UploadedImages/Champ%20Docs/UPME11_results.pdf.

Championship Flight Canadian results

Cindy Wegg (GTA) **3rd low net** 86 gross; 73 net
Nadia Ayoub (GTA) 88 gross; 85 net
Denise Schaefer (Waterloo) 93 gross; 85 net

First Flight Canadian results

Yang-Hai Wang (GTA) 1st low gross 81 gross; 65 net **
Cindy Kingshott (GTA) **2nd low net** 87 gross; 71 net
Katrina Myers (GTA) 93 gross; 80 net
Andrea Wilson (York-Simcoe) 94 gross; 81 net
Niki Harding (York-Simcoe) 94 gross; 75 net
Lisa Narayansingh (Waterloo) 100 gross; 84 net

Second Flight Canadian results

Denise Gruber (Waterloo) 1st low net 94 gross; 72 net **
Lisa Ali (Waterloo) **2nd low gross** 98 gross; 73 net
Carol Buchinski (York-Simcoe) 96 gross; 74 net
Cathy Christoff (GTA) 100 gross; 77 net

Third Flight Canadian results

Shari McLaren (Waterloo) **2nd low gross** 102 gross; 74 net
Astrid Buschke (GTA) **3rd low net** 103 gross; 76 net
Michelle O'Brien (York-Simcoe) 110 gross; 83 net
Carol French (GTA) 110 gross; 82 net
Fern Balzer (Waterloo) 111 gross; 84 net

Fourth Flight Canadian results

Jennifer Higuchi (Waterloo) 1st low net 99 gross; 63 net **
Karen Caume (York-Simcoe) **3rd low gross** 109 gross; 76 net
Cathy Ollerhead (York-Simcoe) 115 gross; 79 net
Rosemary Stortz (GTA) 118 gross; 84 net
Patricia Chornaby (Waterloo) 120 gross; 80 net
Mary Ann Makuch (GTA) 129 gross; 88 net

Scramble Canadian results

(Waterloo) Mary McClelland, Judy Beauchamp, Connie Morgan, Margaret McCreery **2nd place** (67 net)
(GTA) Dawn Prinsell, Heather Swartz, Nicole Wintjes, Andrea Macdonald (69 net)



EWGA Match Play Champions Cup – Sept. 10-11 & Nov. 11-13, 2011

Jackie LeBlanc, a member of EWGA-Canada's GTA Chapter, is the lone EWGA-Canada member to enter the *2011 EWGA Matchplay Champions Cup Regional Qualifier* in Nashville, September 10-11. Competition is in Match Play Format in two stages of play: *Regional Qualifier* – 36 holes of singles match play to be completed over 2 days at 4 regional qualifiers determining which teams will advance to the *National Championship* to be held at the Reunion Resort in Orlando, FL November 11-13, 2011.

EWGA Border Cup Competition – Aug. 13-14, 2011

Every summer EWGA-Canada's Greater Toronto Area (GTA) Chapter competes with the EWGA Metro Detroit Chapter in "The Border Cup", a unique international team competition. "The Lady" trophy travels back and forth across the border each year, with each team vying to keep her until the next year. To be eligible to compete, over the season, players accumulate Participation and Recognition (PAR) Points when they attend Chapter and Association events, with the top 20 points' earners invited to the Border Cup.

Twenty members from the GTA Chapter travelled to Ypsilanti Michigan to compete once again with the Detroit ladies at *Eagle Crest Resort and Golf Course*. The competition was fierce this year, with EWGA Metro Detroit Chapter winning by 2 points; their first win since 2006. Congratulations to **Beth Madden**, EWGA-Canada's GTA Chapter member, who had a hole-in-one!

About EWGA

Founded in 1991 in Palm Beach, Florida as the **Executive Women's Golf Association**, the EWGA is dedicated to connecting women to learn, play and enjoy golf for business and fun. EWGA came to Canada in 1998 and in 2009 EWGA-Canada was founded as an International Chapter. 2010 saw EWGA established in Italy.

Executive Women's Golf Association -Canada (EWGA-Canada) is headquartered in Toronto and currently has three Chapters with over 400 members. Each Chapter provides a wide range of golf, social and networking activities for both new and experienced golfers. For more information about the association and its membership, visit www.ewga.ca.

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