

– CALIFORNIA –
AMATEUR
CHAMPIONSHIPS



Exempt players for The 107th California Amateur Championship
Omni La Costa Resort & Spa, June 18 – 23, 2018

2018 Exempt Players

• **Past 10 California Amateur Champions:**

2017 – P.J. Samiere	2012 – Kevin Marsh
2016 – Shintaro Ban	2011 – Bhavik Patel*
2015 – Shotaro Ban*	2010 – Scott Travers
2014 – Xander Schauffele*	2009 – Geoff Gonzalez*
2013 – Cory McElyea*	2008 – Nick Delio*

• **2017 California Amateur Championship (Match Play Qualifiers):**

Eddy Lai	Justin Suh
Jason Anthony	Noah Norton
Danny Ochoa*	David Laskin
Devon Bling	Taylor Bibbs
Daniel Connolly	Josh McCarthy
Henry Chung	Ryan Sloane
Norman Xiong	Jamie Cheatham
Sebastian Crampton	Brandon Tsujimoto
Robert Hamilton	Isaiah Salinda
Jake Williams	Brian Song
Ryan Gronlund	Joshua Sedeno
P.J. Samiere	Bradley Knox
Ben Corfee*	Spencer Soosman
Peter Kuest	Sam Choi
Franklin Huang*	Hidetoshi Yoshihara
Brandon Wu	Scott Travers

• **2017 NCGA Points List (top ten finishers)**

Jason Anthony	Isaiah Salinda
Daniel Connolly	Matt Cohn
Cameron Champ*	Ben Peters
Finigan Tilly	Ryan Sloane
Noah Norton	Garrett Wagner

• **2017 SCGA Points List (top ten finishers)**

Dan Sullivan	P.J. Samiere
Tim Hogarth	Jeff Wilson
Robert Funk	Matthew Wolff
Sam Choi	Corby Segal
Danny Ochoa*	Mark Manwaring

- **Current NCGA/SCGA Champions**

2017 NCGA Amateur Match Play Champion: Isaiah Salinda
 2017 NCGA Mid-Amateur Champion: Bobby Bucey
 2017 NCGA Stroke Play Champion: Daniel Connolly
 2017 NCGA Junior Champion: Brian Stark
 2018 NCGA Public Links Champion: TBD
 2017 SCGA Amateur Champion: Sam Choi
 2017 SCGA Match Play Champion: Jeff Wilson
 2017 SCGA Public Links Champion: Brandon Mai
 2017 Southern California Junior Amateur Champion: Adam Matteson
 2018 SCGA Mid-Amateur Champion: TBD

- **2017 NCGA Amateur Match Play Championship (Quarterfinalists):**

Bryan Baumgarten	Bradley Knox
Jesse Bratz	Daniel Connolly
Isaiah Salinda	Shintaro Ban
Jason Anthony	Matt Cohn

- **2017 SCGA Amateur Championship (Top-10 finishers):**

Sam Choi	Jamie Cheatham
Danny Ochoa	Mark Warman
Andrew Levitt*	Matt Lutz
Joshua Matz	Tim Hogarth
Donald Kay	Roman Aragon
Taylor Bibbs	

- **2018 CIF State Boys High School Champion: TBD**

- **2017 California Senior Amateur Champion: Mark Morgan**

- **2017 U.S. Amateur (1), U.S. Mid-Amateur (2), and U.S. Junior (3) Match Play Qualifiers:**

Ricky Castillo (1, 3)	Jason Anthony (2)	Yuki Moriyama (3)
Joey Vrzich (1)	Ryan Sloane (2)	Ryan Smith (3)
Noah Norton (1, 3)	Jon Peterson (2)	George McNeely (3)
Sahith Theegala (1)	Stewart Hagestad (2)	Cameron Sisk (3)
Collin Morikawa (1)	Dan Sullivan (2)	James Song (3)
Norman Xiong (1)	Corby Segal (2)	Eddy Lai (3)
Kaito Onishi (1, 3)	Mark Scheibach (2)	Noah Woolsey (3)
Matthew Wolff (1, 3)	Ben Peters (2)	Sean Maruyama (3)
Justin Suh (1)	Scott Gibson (2)	Dylan Fritz (3)
Logan Lowe (1)	Phil Walker (2)	
	Tyler Crawford (2)	

- **NCGA/SCGA members listed on the top 500 on the WAGR as of March 1, 2018:**

Collin Morikawa	Noah Norton	Brandon Wu
Norman Xiong	Hayden Shieh	Hidetoshi Yoshihara
Justin Suh	Matthew Wolff	Isaiah Salinda
Shintaro Ban	Ryan Gronlund	Sean Maruyama
Stewart Hagestad	Gordon Neale	Ricky Castillo
KK Limbhasut	Franklin Huang	Christopher Petefish
Sahith Theegala	P.J. Samiere	Jacob Solomon
Edwin Yi	Clay Feagler	Aaron Beverly

Perry Cohen
Jamie Cheatham
Dan Erickson
Blake Abercrombie
Eddy Lai

Seb Crampton
Peter Kuest
David Kim
Brad Reeves

Kaito Onishi
William Mouw
Devon Bling
Spencer Soosman

- **Special Exemptions as selected by the NCGA & SCGA:**

*= not eligible