

**127TH AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP:
VALENCIA CC, VALENCIA
JULY 6 – 9, 2026**



2026 Exempt Players

SCGA Amateur Championship

Past 10 SCGA Amateur Champions:

2025: Jaden Huggins	2020: Luke Potter
2024: Jaden Soong	2019: Sahith Theegala*
2023: Greyson Leach	2018: Joe Fryer*
2022: Caden Fioroni*	2017: Sam Choi*
2021: Clay Seeber*	2016: Rico Hoey*

2025 SCGA Amateur Championship (Top-10 finishers):

Jaden Huggins	Luke Ringkamp
Robert Kelich*	Steen Zeman
Matthew Robles	William Ma
Aidan Lee	Brady McHenry
Samuel Foust	Matthew Diehl

California Amateur Championships

Past 10 California Amateur Champions:

2025: Jacob Goode*	2020: Joey Vrzich*
2024: Caden Fioroni*	2019: William Mouw*
2023: Zachery Pollo	2018: Bobby Bucey
2022: Charlie Reiter*	2017: PJ Samiere*
2021: Noah Woolsey*	2016: Shintaro Ban*

2025 California Amateur Championship (SCGA members who qualified for match play):

Brandon Anderson	Davis McDowell
Ivan Barahona	Brady McHenry
Dylan Brack	Nahum Mendoza
Brasen Briones	Jackson Moss
Ian Bruchhauser	Calder Overfelt
Matthew Diehl	Caden Pinckes
Mitchell Fedorka	Blaize Rader
Bryant Hernandez	Nick Randazzo
Kai Hirayama	Matthew Robles
Robert Kelich*	Jack Townsend
Evan Liu	Hill Wang
Ian Maspas	

SCGA Mid-Amateur Championship

2026 (Top-5 finishers):

SCGA Match Play Championship

2025 Semifinalists:

John Kim*	Amaan Patel
Baron Nguyen	Zach Schwab

Other Champions

2025 SCGA Senior Amateur Champion: Scott Stevens

2025 California Senior Amateur Champion (if an SCGA member): Robert Niger

2025 SCGA Public Links Champion: Mitchell Fedorka

2025 Southern California Junior Amateur Boys Champion: Max Emberson

2025 Winner of SCGA Tournament of Club Champions (Men's Championship Division): Torey Edwards

2026 CIF-SCGA High School Champion: TBD

2026 CIF State High School Champion: TBD

Host Club Exemption: TBD

USGA Championships

SCGA members who qualified for match play at the 2025 U.S. Amateur (1), U.S. Mid-Amateur (2), or U.S. Junior (3):

Billy Davis (1)	Matt Cohn (2)	Ronin Banerjee (3)
Eric Lee (1)	Mitchell Fedorka (2)	Max Emberson (3)
Ryan Voois (1)	Nahum Mendoza (2)	Brayden Jones (3)
	Jonathan Sanders (2)	Michael Riebe (3)

2025 SCGA Player of the Year Points List (Top-10 finishers):

Matthew Robles	Matt Cohn
Mitchell Fedorka	Scotland Schmidt
Robert Kelich*	Eric Lee
Jaden Huggins	Brady McHenry
Evan Liu	Nahum Mendoza

SCGA members listed in the top 750 on the WAGR as of April 29, 2026 (ranking in parenthesis):

2026 USNDP Team California (Southern) Members:

Kaden Chang	Luke Ringkamp
Max Emberson	Andrew Rodriguez
Brayden Jones	Ethan Schramm
Evan Liu	Hill Wang
Shawn Nawata	Zude Xu

Past 5 SCGA Players of the Year:

2025: Matthew Robles
2024: Torey Edwards
2023: Mark Strickland
2022: Luke Potter
2021: Luke Potter

**Not eligible*