



FUTURES Tour
Alumnae -
Cristie Kerr

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FUTURES Golf Tour "Graduates" Five to LPGA Tour

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In the annual rite of passage, FUTURES Tour "graduation day" was held on Sunday in York, Pa., following the final round of the YWCA FUTURES Classic. And as that tradition began in 1999 -- with Grace Park, Audra Burks and Marilyn Lovander earning LPGA Tour cards and saying goodbye to their FUTURES Tour peers -- five 2006 LPGA card winners made their final bows in York.

Present for the ceremony was The Golf Channel and various local media. It was keenly watched and photographed by parents, friends, local families hosting players from around the world and golf fans who had spent the last three days and 54 holes witnessing the Tour's final 2005 season event -- the 18th Tour stop in the 15th state. It was the end of a long and winding road and the reward for 15 players who either finished in the top five for full exempt LPGA Tour cards or who finished in the next 10 spots to earn entry into the LPGA Final Qualifying Tournament in December.

But most of all, it was the transition from entry-level professional to LPGA Tour member for five players who went head-to-head all season and firmly established themselves as the Tour's top players ready to move to the next level.

"I don't know if the word 'happy' is enough for me to describe how I feel," said Virada Nirapathpongorn, 23, of Bangkok, Thailand, who finished No. 2 on the season money list to earn her 2006 LPGA Tour status. "I'm pleased with how I've grown and overcome challenges. I know now that if I put my mind to something and follow it, I can accomplish anything I want."

The former NCAA Champion (2002) from Duke University never finished higher than 21st all season, never missed a tournament cut, and posted 10 top-10 finishes in 15 events including two wins, two seconds and three third-

place finishes to earn \$54,919. If the Thai star needed a benchmark to gauge her progress from her rookie season in 2004, all she had to do was look at her scoring average that dropped from 72.61 last season to 70.61 this year. Her money ranking improved from 37th to second.

While she performed quietly and confidently with a seasoned professionalism in spite of her 19 years, Seon-Hwa Lee of Chonan, Korea was the player that everyone chased all year. As an 18-year-old rookie FUTURES Tour professional in 2004, Lee produced six top-10s and two runner-up finishes. She finished 2004 ranked 10th and advanced into LPGA Final Qualifying, but her young nerves didn't produce 72 holes of scores that she needed to make the cut at last year's 90-hole LPGA Q. School.

This year, Lee was prepared. She amassed 13 top-10 finishes with one win, two seconds and four third-place finishes in 18 tournaments to earn \$59,567 as the Tour's top-ranked player.

"This year was easier than last year," said Lee, who turned pro at age 14 in Korea and won twice on the Korean LPGA Tour before joining the FUTURES Tour last season. "My putting was good. My mind was comfortable and I felt no pressure. I just tried to play and enjoy each tournament."

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In November:

**FUTURES Golf Tour
Qualifying Tournament
November 8 - 11
Cleveland Heights Golf Course
Huntington Hills Golf & C. C.
Lakeland, Fla.**

**Format: 72 holes
Field: 312-player maximum
Contact Information: (863) 709-9100, Ext. 4**

Lee Named Player of the Year

Last year, it was Korea's Jimin Kang who grabbed top honors as the FUTURES Tour's top-ranked Player of the Year. This year, it was compatriot Seon-Hwa Lee of Chonan, Korea, who garnered the top tag with earnings of \$59,567.

"It was a goal to win [Player of the Year]," said Lee, who represents giant Korean conglomerate CJ Corp., as does Kang. "I had a lot of confidence this year."

This season, Lee became one of the FUTURES Tour's best final-round players with Sunday rounds in the 60s eight times and in five of her last seven events. Her scoring average dipped from 72.02 in 2004 to 70.75 in 2005.

"I feel prepared to go on to the LPGA Tour," added Lee, 19, a second-year member of the FUTURES Golf Tour. "But I still need more practice."

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Yoo Takes Top Rookie Honors

Even though rookie Julieta Granada of Asuncion, Paraguay won the Tour's final event last week in York, Pa., it was Sun Young Yoo, 18, of Seoul, Korea, who won this year's top rookie honors convincingly. Yoo earned \$42,007 in 18 events to win the title given to the player competing in their first professional season who finishes highest on the FUTURES Tour Money List.

"I never thought about winning Rookie of the Year because I didn't know about that award," admitted Yoo. "But it is important because you are only a rookie once and can only win the award once. There are many good players here, not just me."

But Yoo easily outpaced her competition for the title. Her next closest competitor was Granada, who finished second with earnings of \$29,153 in nine tournaments; No. 3 Hye Jung Choi of Seoul, who earned \$26,917 in 18 events; No. 4 Sarah-Jane Kenyon of Queensland, Australia with \$23,351 in 18 events; and No. 5 Charlotte Mayorkas of Temecula, Calif., with earnings of \$15,717 in 10 events.

Two Share Ostop Award

Three FUTURES Tour players were recognized for excellence in overall season performance during Sunday's awards ceremony. In a tie as the overall winners of the Donald T. Ostop Award were Nicole Castrale of Palm Desert, Calif., and Jenny Gleason of Clearwater, Fla., who each posted 9.20 points. Castrale and Gleason each earned a check for \$1,750. Allison Hanna of Portland, Ore., finished third for her top statistical finish with 11.90 points.

The annual award is presented for Outstanding Statistics for Total Overall Performance and rewards player performance in the following categories: eagles, birdies, pars, driving accuracy, greens in regulation and putting average.

Alums Make Solheim Cup Team

Six former members of the FUTURES Golf Tour were named to the 12-player U.S. Solheim Cup team on Sunday. Alumnae making the U.S. squad for this year's matches are: Cristie Kerr, Meg Mallon, Rosie Jones, Christina Kim, Michele Redman and Laura Diaz. The biennial event against the top 12 female professionals from Europe will be contested at Crooked Stick Golf Club in Carmel, Ind., Sept. 9-11.

Tour Chat

Overheard in the parking lot on Sunday after their final round was a conversation between a nervous **MEAGHAN FRANCELLA** of Port Chester, N.Y., and **SARAH-JANE KENYON** of Queensland, Australia. Both players hoped to make the list of 10 players who automatically advance into the LPGA Final Qualifying Tournament in December. For the record, both players will advance, but not without some anxious moments as Sunday's final results were tallied. Said Francella to Kenyon: "My mom took \$5 in quarters and went to church and said prayers for me today." To which Kenyon, somewhat naively, replied, "Oh, do you have to pay in quarters?" ...

Two former winners of the tournament in York were in the field last week. **SUE GINTER-BROOKER** of Appleton, Wis., who won the 1994 tournament as Sue Ginter, and **KIMBERLY LEWELLYN** of Wake Forest, N.C., who won the 1997 tournament, both played in this year's 19th annual event. Both players also are currently the Tour's only moms...**KATIE FUTCHER** of The Woodlands, Texas, was already talking about Turkey Hill mint chocolate chip and coffee ice cream after shooting a five-under-par round of 67

on Friday. Futch, who admits she has a weakness for ice cream, only rewards herself with the frozen treat when she plays under par...Former FUTURES Tour player **JENNY CHUASIRAPORN**, who was the amateur who took Se Ri Pak to 20 extra holes in the 1998 U.S. Women's Open Championship, was in the gallery last week to see old friends, including **SMRITI MEHRA** of Calcutta, India, and fellow Duke University friends and teammates, **VIRADA NIRAPATHPONGPORN** of Bangkok, Thailand and **FILIPPA HANSSON** of Phoenix, Ariz...

Talk about a scary start to her round. **ANGIE RIZZO** of Coon Rapids, Minn., started on the 10th tee in last week's first round and watched her father, Pete Rizzo, fall off the back of a caddie golf cart shuttle and hit his head. "I felt bad because he was looking forward to caddying for me this week for a long time," said the player. "He hit his head pretty hard, so I was a mess. My mom told me to keep playing and she would take care of him." Pappa Rizzo was taken to the medical tent in an ambulance, but returned when his daughter reached the 15th hole. She had bogeyed the 10th hole and double-bogeyed the 12th, but once Rizzo saw her father on his feet, she rolled in birdies on holes 15, 16 and 17, then rolled in four more on the front nine to post a four-under-par round of 68. "I pulled it together with a lot of deep breaths," she said. As for her father, he was still nursing a headache at the completion of his daughter's round. "I feel like I have a hangover without having any of the fun," said the elder Rizzo...

On the FUTURES Tour's web site each week (www.futurestour.com), the Tour has tracked the progress of a mythical par player named Eve N. Par. For the record, that "player" didn't crack the top five to earn her full LPGA Tour status for 2006, but she did finish 10th on the season money list with earnings of \$26,664...**AMY LANGHALS** of Kalida, Ohio, who has played nine seasons on the FUTURES Tour, said there were no tears when she birdied her last hole as a touring professional last week. "It was time," said the former Ohio State University player, who plans to get married next May. "When you don't get the results you know you're capable of getting, it's time to move on. I've been in my own way for a long time now..."

When the fire alarms went off early last Monday morning at the host hotel, it was interesting to watch what FUTURES Tour players grabbed and ran with out of their rooms. **BRIANA VEGA** of Andover, Mass., arrived on the street level in her pajamas with her cell phone, special blanket and her golf bag over her shoulder. Several international players headed to the street with only their passports. When a second fire alarm sounded later that night, this time, both passports and golf clubs made it out...**LIBBY SMITH** of Essex Junction, Vt., admitted last week that she got her competitive spirit from her grandmother, who once threw her Scrabble tiles across the table in a heated family Scrabble game...**CORTNEY RENO** of Grosse Ile, Mich., won the BMO Series Canadian Women's Tour event in Edmonton early last week. Reno carded rounds of 69-72 for a 141 total to edge another FUTURES Tour member **M.J. ROULEAU** of St. Lambert, Quebec, who finished one shot back at 142. Reno now sits atop the BMO's Order of Merit. The final BMO Championship tournament will be held in Ontario in mid-September...FUTURES Tour alumna **CRISTIE KERR** of Miami edged the duo of Annika Sorenstam and Paula Creamer by one shot to win last week's Wendy's Championship for Children. Kerr finished at 18-under-par 270 to nip her challengers, both finishing at 271.

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Much like Lee, third-ranked Kyeong Bae of Seoul, Korea, also fell short of making the 72-hole cut at last year's LPGA Final Qualifying Tournament. That meant she would return to the FUTURES Tour as a second-year player. But just like Lee, the second time around was the charm.

Bae won twice this season, carded 12 top-10 finishes in 18 events and was runner-up once. With quiet determination and a more outgoing demeanor, the player known as "K.B." proved all season to be a formidable contender every weekend and a streaky momentum player. On one of the Tour's more tricky courses that required attentive course management, she fired a career-low 64 in the first round of this year's event in at Cross Creek Golf Club in Beltsville, Md. Bae also trimmed her 2004 scoring average of 72.27 to 71.04 this year and earned a No. 3 ranking on the FUTURES Tour Money List with earnings of \$49,810.

"My golf is not a perfect game, but I try to play my best," said Bae, 20, who was ranked sixth on the 2003 Korean LPGA Money List. "I am excited about getting my card for the LPGA next year, but I need more exercise to get stronger."

Nicole Castrale of Palm Desert, Calif., was the only American player to earn her full 2006 exempt LPGA Tour status in the top five on the FUTURES Golf Tour. Like Bae and Nirapathpongorn, the Californian won twice this season, producing back-to-back victories in Indiana and Illinois. She recorded eight top-10 finishes in 13 events, including one finish as runner-up, and posted a 70.67 scoring average. The former University of Southern California player finished fourth on the money list with earnings of \$43,059.

Of significance, Castrale was forced to skip five tournaments late in the season when bursitis in her left shoulder flared up unexpectedly the week following her appearance in the U.S. Women's Open Championship. The timing of the July injury could have devastated most other players, but Castrale (who previously competed as Nicole Dalkas) came right back into action with four top-10s in her last five events.

"Getting that setback late in the season was tough, but I stepped up to the plate," said Castrale, 26. "It was probably a blessing because I came out rested for the last five events."

Castrale, who had non-exempt LPGA status in 2002 and 2003, said earning her full exempt status for 2006 feels more like her "real rookie year" on the LPGA Tour. She said this year's experience on the FUTURES Golf Tour is certain to help her transition back to the highest level.

"I won my first professional events here on the FUTURES Tour and I think the players on this Tour are outstanding," she said. "To win twice against these players is an accomplishment."

Rookie Sun Young Yoo of Seoul, Korea, earned the final 2006 LPGA card by finishing fifth on the FUTURES Tour's Money List with earnings of \$42,007. At 18, Yoo was one of the Tour's youngest players, but the former two-time member of the Korean National Golf Team proved to be one of the best young talents to come out of Korea this year. She recorded 10 top-10 finishes that included one win, one runner-up finish and one third-place finish. She matched her career-low round of 65 three times and posted a stroke average of 71.42 in her first season as a pro.

"I wasn't sure if I could do it this year," said Yoo, who finished tied for fifth in last week's final tournament. "But I'm looking forward [to 2006]."

Of course, there also were disappointments at this year's card ceremony. Jenny Gleason of Clearwater, Fla., finished tied for 57th last week, ending her chance to unseat Yoo for the No. 5 spot. As a non-exempt member of the LPGA Tour, Gleason will automatically return to the LPGA Final Qualifying Tournament in December. But the former University of North Carolina at Greensboro player had come into last week with higher hopes.

"Getting a full [LPGA] card slipped through my fingers and I'm disappointed, for sure," said Gleason, who won twice this season. "The hardest part was I was in the top five for almost two months before my putter cooled down. I tasted it. I was

right there."

But Gleason also was pragmatic. This year, she gained experience coming from behind to win. She learned to compete in playoffs. She tested the mental part of her game more than once and proved to be a hot putter on Sundays.

"All of that will help me 10 years down the road," said Gleason, who elected to play the FUTURES Tour rather than trying to Monday-Qualify for LPGA events this season. "At times, it was hard not to go play for \$1.5 million, but I honestly believe I made the right decision playing on the FUTURES Tour. Number six on the money list is good."

Veteran Lori Atsedes added her sixth career FUTURES Tour win this year and was seventh on the Tour's Money List heading into last week's final event. But Atsedes, 41, a member of the LPGA Tour from 1998-2001, and again in 2003, missed the cut last week and fell to No. 8 in season earnings.

"I had a great season and there was a lot to be proud of," she said. "But it's done. I have to keep my eyes focused on where I want to go. I still don't think I've reached my full potential."

Sunday afternoon was tense for many FUTURES Tour players not ranked in the top five who tried to calculate if they would earn the automatic entry into the LPGA Final Qualifying Tournament. Meaghan Francella of Port Chester, N.Y., nervously sat on a golf cart eating chocolate-chip cookies and drinking beer -- truly possessing the stomach of a twenty-something. Others paced, attempted to crunch numbers, called home and simply waited for Sunday's final round to end.

"I feel like the weight of 17 weeks just lifted off my shoulders," said Francella, who was one of the 10 players who will travel to LPGA Q. School in December.

In addition to Atsedes, she will be joined by: last week's winner, Julieta Granada of Asuncion, Paraguay; Hye Jung Choi of Seoul, Korea; Sarah-Jane Kenyon of Queensland, Australia; Cristina Baena of Pereira, Colombia; Kristy McPherson of Conway, S.C.; Charlotte Mayorkas of Temecula, Calif.; Jin Young Pak of Kang Leoung, Korea; and Jamie Stevenson of Mayfield, Utah.

And after 25 years of helping FUTURES Tour players transition to the LPGA Tour, "graduation day" was still a blend of youthful talent and veteran grit. Today's players might now clutch Blackberries and cell phones to relay their news to loved ones afar, but the expressions of joy and disappointment remain the same as they've ever been.



Top Alumnae Finishes on the LPGA

Finish	Player	Score	Money
1	Cristie Kerr	270 (-18)	165,000
T6	Karrie Webb	273 (-15)	\$34,524
8	Michele Redman	274 (-14)	\$27,563
T9	Young Kim	275 (-13)	\$20,519
T9	Emily Bastel	275 (-13)	\$20,519
T9	Lorena Ochoa	275 (-13)	\$20,519
T15	Marisa Baena	276 (-12)	\$14,589
T15	Michelle Estill	276 (-12)	\$14,589
T15	Kim Saiki	276 (-12)	\$14,589

**Check out where our FUTURES Tour alums placed at last week's Wendy's Championship for Children in Dublin, Ohio, at lpga.com.

Tournament Summary

Teen From Paraguay Wins Final 2005 FUTURES Tour Tournament

Some were surprised back in June when Julieta Granada was disappointed to finish second in her professional debut. The fresh-faced, 18-year-old rookie arrived at the FUTURES Tour tournament in Ann Arbor, Mich., on a special invitation as one of the nation's top-ranked amateurs.

She turned pro that week, finished second and the rest is history in her brief nine-week professional career. Bottom line for the teen: She expected to win.

But when the South American birdied her last four holes today to win the season-ending \$75,000 YWCA FUTURES Classic, it was a statement that the kid finally got what she came for three months ago. Or perhaps even nearly five years ago when she arrived at the David Leadbetter Golf Academy in Bradenton, Fla., where she honed her game alongside such notables as Paula Creamer, Taylor Leon and Marika Lendl.

"What a relief," said Granada of Asuncion, Paraguay, who carded rounds of 68-70-68 to win by one shot at 10-under-par 206. "When I stood over the last putt today, I knew I had to make it to win and I just told myself, 'It's my time now.'"

Indeed it was. But Granada snuck into the hunt of today's final round like a Stealth birdie machine. For most of the day at Regents' Glen Country Club, all eyes were focused on two-time season winner Virada Nirapathpongorn of Bangkok, Thailand, who appeared determined to add a third season title and wrestle away Player of the Year honors from top-ranked Seon-Hwa Lee of Chonan, Korea.

Nirapathpongorn birdied holes three, four, five and seven and grabbed a two-shot lead over Angie Rizzo, from Coon Rapids, Minn. But bogeys on holes eight and 11 dropped the former Duke University All-American into a three-way tie at nine-under par.

"I still definitely felt I had a chance to win even after I made some mistakes," said the Thai player, who finished the season ranked No. 2. "By the time I got to the 18th hole, I was surprised to see Julieta in the lead."

Before reaching the 18th, Nirapathpongorn lost two more strokes with a double-bogey into the right hazard on the treacherously sloped 13th hole. But she showed her mettle when she rolled in birdies from eight feet and 10 feet on the 14th and 15th holes. Still, she stumbled one last time with three putts from 40 feet on the 17th hole for bogey. She finished at one-under-par 71 to tie for third at 208 (-8) with Rizzo, who finished at two-under 70.

"I felt like I could have gotten to 10 under, but I just couldn't get any putts to drop on the back nine," said Rizzo, a non-exempt LPGA Tour member who carded one birdie, one eagle and one bogey in her round.

Another LPGA non-exempt player, Allison Hanna of Portland, Ore, seemed to be building steam heading into the final three holes today. Hanna, who played in the LPGA's Safeway Classic the week before, got to nine-under with a 10-foot birdie on the 16th hole for a share of the lead with two holes to play. But those last two holes rendered chunky 5-iron approach shots that cost the second-year pro a chance to win her first professional title.

"I thought if I birdied those last two holes, I could win," said Hanna, who carded an even-par 72 to finish tied for fifth

at 209 (-7) with Nicole Castrale of Palm Desert, Calif., and Sun Young Yoo of Seoul, Korea. "Unfortunately, I don't always hit my 5-iron that great."

With a battle of attrition raging over the final span of holes at the Tour's final 54-hole season event, Jessica Lewis of Bethesda, Md., ranked 77th on the season money list last week, was the player who emerged from the pack to fire a final-round 67 and shake up the leaderboard. Lewis carded five birdies and charged into the mix on the back nine with timely birdies on holes 12 and 16. She wasn't the headliner everybody was watching for, which made her even more dangerous down the stretch.

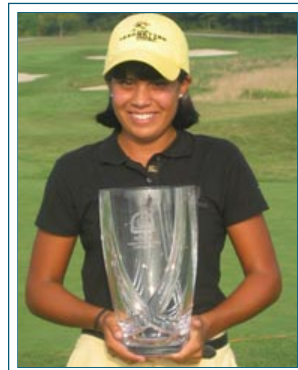
"I went out there today with nothing to lose," said Lewis, a second-year pro who had missed five tournament cuts and finished no higher than a tie for 12th this season. "I've never, ever been in this position before."

She moved into that position today, however. Lewis posted her career-best solo finish for second with rounds of 73-67-67 at 207 (-9) and a payday of \$7,500, which pushed her from 77th to 44th on the 2005 FUTURES Tour Money List.

But today was Granada's day. It was finally time for the teen to add a win to her sparkling rookie season that included two runner-up finishes and four top-10s. And it was time for the talented teen who is taught by David Leadbetter, coached by sports psychologist Dr. Robert Winters and trained by physio expert Pat Etcheberry -- who also trains Grand Slam tennis star Justine Henin-Hardenne -- to show the world that her youthful, smiling face disguises the heart of a fearless fighter dressed in colorful Polo shirts.

"What she has accomplished in 10 weeks and how she has finished in the top 10 has been pretty amazing," said fellow South American Cristina Baena of Pereira, Colombia, who beat Granada back in June in Ann Arbor for her first

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Tools of The Winner:

Julieta Granada of Asuncion, Paraguay
Age: 18

Driver: Titleist Pro Titanium 905T, 9.5-degree loft, Fujikura Tour Platinum Series 26.3 graphite shaft, regular flex

Fairway woods: Titleist Pro Trajectory 904F woods in 15-degree, 19-degree and 22-degree lofts, Graphite Design YS-6 MSI-70 graphite shafts, regular flex

Irons: Titleist Forged 704-CB 4-iron through pitching wedge, True Temper DynaLite Gold steel shafts, regular flex

Wedges: Titleist Vokey Design BV 254-10 wedges, 54-degree and 58-degree lofts, True Temper Dynamic Gold Lite steel shafts, regular flex

Putter: Scotty Cameron Futura Phantom, 31-inch length

Grips: Golf Pride Dual Durometer

Ball: Titleist Pro V1 392

Shoes: FootJoy LoPro Collection

Glove: FootJoy SciFlex

Bag: Ping Hooper

Spikes: CHAMP

Tournament Summary (Continued)

\$75,000 YWCA FUTURES Classic Regents' Glen Golf Club -- York, Pa.

1	Julieta Granada	68-70-68 - 206	\$10,500		
2	Jessica Lewis	73-67-67 - 207	\$7,500		
T3	Angie Rizzo	68-70-70 - 208	\$4,984		
	Virada Nirapathpongporn	70-67-71 - 208	\$4,984		
T5	Nicole Castrale	69-71-69 - 209	\$2,909		
	Allison Hanna	68-69-72 - 209	\$2,909		
	Sun Young Yoo	72-65-72 - 209	\$2,909		
8	Seon-Hwa Lee	70-69-71 - 210	\$2,191		
T9	Randi Meadows	68-69-74 - 211	\$1,909		
	Katie Futcher	67-69-75 - 211	\$1,909		
11	Kristina Tucker	67-71-74 - 212	\$1,647		
T12	Hye Jung Choi	73-72-68 - 213	\$1,394		
	Seul Ki Kim	71-72-70 - 213	\$1,394		
	Charlotte Mayorkas	74-68-71 - 213	\$1,394		
	Brandi Jackson	71-68-74 - 213	\$1,394		
T16	Sue Ginter-Brooker	74-69-71 - 214	\$1,081		
	Ji Min Jeong	71-72-71 - 214	\$1,081		
	Chiharu Yamaguchi	74-68-72 - 214	\$1,081		
	Linda Ishii	74-66-74 - 214	\$1,081		
T20	Meredith Ward	72-76-67 - 215	\$900		
	Danielle Downey	72-73-70 - 215	\$900		
	Cristina Baena	67-76-72 - 215	\$900		
	Natalie Wong	69-70-76 - 215	\$900		
T24	Lisa Fernandes	74-73-69 - 216	\$729		
	Kelly Lagedrost	74-71-71 - 216	\$729		
	Dana Lacey	75-70-71 - 216	\$729		
	Alena Sharp	72-71-73 - 216	\$729		
	Anna Rawson	76-67-73 - 216	\$729		
T29	Christine Boucher	69-76-72 - 217	\$559		
	Meaghan Francella	75-69-73 - 217	\$559		
	Kyeong Bae	70-73-74 - 217	\$559		
	Mollie Fankhauser	70-72-75 - 217	\$559		
T33	Jeanne-Marie Busuttil	76-73-69 - 218	\$468		
	Adrienne Gautreaux	72-72-74 - 218	\$468		
	Tiffany Faucette	71-72-75 - 218	\$468		
T36	Meredith Duncan	75-72-72 - 219	\$410		
	Sarah-Jane Kenyon	75-70-74 - 219	\$410		
	Kylie Pratt	74-69-76 - 219	\$410		
T39	Katie Connelly	75-74-71 - 220	\$357		
	Katie Ruhe	72-76-72 - 220	\$357		
	Heather Stirling	75-72-73 - 220	\$357		
	Smriti Mehra	72-74-74 - 220	\$357		
	Cindy Lee	71-74-75 - 220	\$357		
	Cortney Reno	73-72-75 - 220	\$357		
	Becky Lucidi	73-71-76 - 220	\$357		
T46	Gaelle Truet	74-75-72 - 221	\$316		
	Jamie Stevenson	74-75-72 - 221	\$316		
	Sarah Huarte	75-73-73 - 221	\$316		
	Allison Fouch	71-74-76 - 221	\$316		
T50	Jan Dowling	74-74-74 - 222	\$277		
	Stephanie George	72-76-74 - 222	\$277		
	Cecilie Eckbo	73-74-75 - 222	\$277		
	Yoo La Kim	77-70-75 - 222	\$277		
	Allie Blomquist	72-74-76 - 222	\$277		
	Tamara Johns	73-72-77 - 222	\$277		
	Janell Howland	73-71-78 - 222	\$277		
T57	Jenny Gleason	72-77-74 - 223	\$233		
	Kim Brozer	72-76-75 - 223	\$233		
	Ashley Prange	73-73-77 - 223	\$233		
	Sarah Graham	75-69-79 - 223	\$233		
	Marcela Leon	70-73-80 - 223	\$233		
T62	Rachel Bates	74-75-75 - 224	\$202		
	Bo Mi Suh	72-77-75 - 224	\$202		
	Marianne Morris	73-74-77 - 224	\$202		
65	Sam White	72-77-76 - 225	\$188		
T66	Becky Berzonski	74-75-77 - 226	\$172		
	Saki Uechi	73-75-78 - 226	\$172		
	Valerie Osborn	73-74-79 - 226	\$172		
69	Su A Kim	76-73-78 - 227	\$158		
70	Ellen Dunne	75-70-83 - 228	\$150		
71	Aimee Cho	73-75-81 - 229	\$143		

Missed Cut

Debbie Williams-Hoak, Lynn Valentine, Anna Temple, Kristin Dufour, Sarah H. Johnston, Kim Augusta, Julie Turner, Lisa Ferrero, Kathryn Cusick, Jana Peterkova, Karen Dennison, Alison Hiller, Lisa Chang, Cindy Pasechnik, Cindy Wulf, Jessica Krasny, Whitney Myers (a), Danah Ford, Jessica Shepley, Sunny Oh, Sarah Lynn Johnston, Sapna Patel, Katrina Leckovic, Susan Fasoldt, Lori Atsedes, Kathy Choi-Rogers, Carrie Dykstra, Beth Hermes, Kellee Booth, Briana Vega, Libby Smith, Nicole Cutler, Jin Young Pak, Naree Song, Misia Lemanski, Jennifer Perri, Patricia Beliard, Jeannine Fiorito, Tara Bateman, Heather Zielinski, Leigh Anne Hardin, Anna Knutsson, Sue Horton, Rachel Bailey, Ashley Gomes, Kim Lewellen, Stephanie Bell, Pamela Crikelair, Patty Kuehner, Shayne Wild, Caroline Goasguen, Jo Clingan, Heidi Chua, Debbie Eckroth, Charleen Bradley, Theresa McDermott, Amy Langhals, Marousa Polias, Terra Petsinger, Salimah Mussani, Lorna Miedema, Christina Monacelli, Jennifer Jordan, Filippa Hansson, Mashelle Owens, Melanie Willhite; WDI - Sasha Medina; WD - May Wood

FUTURES Tour Statistics

FUTURES Tour Official Money List

As of August 28, 2005

Rank	Player	Events	Wins	Earnings	Rank	Player	Events	Wins	Earnings
1	Seon-Hwa Lee	18	1	\$59,567	30	Sarah Huarte	13		\$12,533
2	Virada Nirapathpongorn		15	2\$54,919	32	Meredith Ward	16		\$12,471
3	Kyeong Bae	18	2	\$49,810	33	Danielle Downey	14		\$12,408
4	Nicole Castrale	13	2	\$43,059	34	Ji Min Jeong	18		\$12,189
5	Sun Young Yoo	18	1	\$42,007	35	Meredith Duncan	18		\$11,993
6	Jenny Gleason	17	2	\$34,138	36	Seul Ki Kim	15		\$11,638
7	Julieta Granada	9	1	\$29,153	37	Natalie Wong	15		\$11,523
8	Lori Atsedes	18	1	\$28,800	38	Sarah Lynn Johnston	17		\$11,517
9	Hye Jung Choi	18		\$26,917	39	Janell Howland	13		\$11,459
10	Sarah-Jane Kenyon	18	1	\$23,351	40	Cortney Reno	11	1	\$11,369
11	Cristina Baena	16	1	\$22,784	41	Sasha Medina	17		\$11,346
12	Alena Sharp	16		\$22,615	42	Chiharu Yamaguchi	17		\$11,267
13	Stephanie George	11	1	\$18,012	43	Kris Tamulis	8		\$11,256
14	Kristy McPherson	16		\$17,874	44	Jessica Lewis	17		\$11,175
15	Meaghan Francella	17		\$16,023	45	Su A Kim	18		\$10,641
16	Charlotte Mayorkas	10		\$15,717	46	Ashley Prange	18		\$9,671
17	Allison Hanna	12		\$15,269	47	Becky Lucidi	15		\$9,298
18	Jin Young Pak	18	1	\$14,966	48	Lisa Fernandes	15		\$9,154
19	Jamie Stevenson	14		\$14,335	49	Bo Mi Suh	12		\$8,898
20	Christine Boucher	16		\$13,703	50	Linda Ishii	6		\$8,486
21	Kim Brozer	6	1	\$13,628	51	Adrienne Gautreaux	18		\$8,365
22	Kelly Lagedrost	17		\$13,362	52	Marianne Morris	15		\$8,333
23	Dana Lacey	17		\$13,330	53	Libby Smith	17		\$8,109
24	Katie Connelly	17		\$13,275	54	Julie Turner	17		\$7,194
25	Mollie Fankhauser	17		\$13,241	55	Jeanne Cho	16		\$7,161
26	Brandi Jackson	16		\$13,137	56	Kristina Tucker	15		\$7,079
27	Courtney Wood	15		\$12,978	57	Aimee Cho	18		\$6,970
28	Tara Bateman	18		\$12,681	58	Kristin Dufour	17		\$6,935
29	Anna Rawson	17		\$12,593	59	Kylie Pratt	18		\$6,714
30	Kellee Booth	17		\$12,533	60	May Wood	16		\$6,478

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professional win. "What would have happened if she had played the entire season? It's impressive that Julieta is that young and that good."

"She definitely deserved to win finishing like that with birdies on the last four holes," added Nirapathpongorn, herself a former grad of the Leadbetter Academy.

Granada's win enabled her to finish seventh on the season money list after only nine events. But more than anything, it gave the 5-foot-2, 120-pound teen a tidy boost heading into December's LPGA Final Qualifying Tournament. And it had Granada and her caddie/mom Rosa clasping in a hug that represented so many years of chasing a dream far from home in North America against some of the world's best junior golfers.

"Kids, they want to go for everything," said the mom, who talked her daughter into not hitting hero shots more than once this week.

But Rosa, take note. Really talented kids "go for everything" for a reason. They have the courage. They have the skills. And now this tough teen has her first professional title.

Rookie of the Year

Rank	Player	Events	Money
1	Sun Young Yoo	18	\$42,007
2	Julieta Granada	9	\$29,153
3	Hye Jung Choi	18	\$26,917
4	Sarah-Jane Kenyon	18	\$23,351
5	Charlotte Mayorkas	10	\$15,717
6	Jin Young Pak	18	\$14,966
7	Christine Boucher	16	\$13,703
8	Mollie Fankhauser	17	\$13,241

The Ostop Award

Rank	Player	Points
1	Nicole Castrale	9.2
1	Jenny Gleason	9.2
3	Allison Hanna	11.9
4	Kristy McPherson	12.6
5	Virada Nirapathpongorn	12.7
6	Lori Atsedes	13.2
7	Janell Howland	13.6
8	Katie Connelly	14.5

Scoring Average

Rank	Player	Rounds/ Average
1	V. Nirapathpongorn	44 70.614
2	Nicole Castrale	39 70.667
3	Seon-Hwa Lee	53 70.755
4	Kyeong Bae	53 71.038
5	Sun Young Yoo	53 71.415
6	Jenny Gleason	50 71.980
7	Hye Jung Choi	53 72.000
8	Alena Sharp	47 72.021

FUTURES Tour Tournament Schedule

Date	Tournament	Golf Course	Charity	Purse	Champion
March 11 - 13 Pro-am: March 9 & 10	Lakeland FUTURES Golf Classic	Cleveland Heights Golf Course 2900 Buckingham Avenue Lakeland, FL 33803 (863) 682-3277	The First Tee of Lakeland at YMCA Par 3	\$ 65,000	2005 Champion: Jin Young Pak
March 18 - 20 Pro-am: March 16 & 17	Tampa Bay FUTURES Golf Classic	East Lake Woodlands Golf & Country Club 1055 East Lake Woodlands Parkway Oldsmar, FL 34677 (727) 784-7270	Various Local Charities	\$ 65,000	2005 Champion: Sarah-Jane Kenyon
April 22 - 24 Pro-am: April 21	Jalapeno FUTURES Golf Classic	Palm View Municipal Golf Course P.O. Box 220 McAllen, TX 78505 (956) 688-3444	McAllen Hispanic Chamber of Commerce	\$ 70,000	2005 Champion: Virada Nirapathpongporn
April 29 - May 1 Pro-am: April 28	IOS FUTURES Golf Classic	Underwood Golf Complex, Sunrise Course 3200 Coe Avenue El Paso, TX 79904 (915) 562-7255	The Rotary Club of West El Paso Foundation	\$ 70,000	2005 Champion: *Kyeong Bae
May 6 - 8 Pro-am: May 5	Lawrence FUTURES Golf Classic	EagleBend Golf Course 1250 E. 902 Road Lawrence, KS 66047 (785) 748-0600	Various Local Charities	\$ 70,000	2005 Champion Lori Atsedes
May 26 - 28 Pro-am: May 25	Northwest Indiana FUTURES Golf Classic presented by Horseshoe Casino Hammond	The New Innsbrook Country Club 6701 Taft Street Merrillville, IN 46410 (219) 980-9060	Lake Area United Way	\$ 70,000	2005 Champion: *Nicole Castrale
June 3 - 5 Pro-am: June 2	Quality Concepts Kankakee FUTURES Golf Classic	Kankakee Elks Country Club 2283 Bittersweet Drive Saint Anne, IL 60964 (815) 937-9547	Harbor House & The Illinois Elks Crippled Children's Corp	\$ 70,000	2005 Champion: Nicole Castrale
June 10 - 12 Pro-am: June 9	Lima Memorial Hospital FUTURES Golf Classic	Lost Creek Country Club 2409 Lost Creek Boulevard Lima, OH 45804 (419) 228-8244	Lima Memorial Hospital Foundation	\$ 70,000	2005 Champion Jenny Gleason
June 17 - 19 Pro-am: June 15 & 16	Michelob ULTRA FUTURES Charity Golf Classic presented by Ameren and Miles Chevrolet	Hickory Point Golf Course 727 Weaver Road Forsyth, IL 62535 (217) 421-7444	Various Local Charities	\$ 70,000	2005 Champion: *Jenny Gleason
June 24 - 26 Pro-am: June 23	Bank of Ann Arbor FUTURES Golf Classic	Lake Forest Golf Club 3110 W. Ellsworth Road Ann Arbor, MI 48103 (734) 994-8580	TBA	\$ 65,000	2005 Champion: Cristina Baena
July 8 - 10 Pro-am: July 7	CIGNA Chip In For A Cure Connecticut FUTURES Golf Classic	Gillette Ridge Golf Club 1360 Hall Boulevard (RT 218) Bloomfield, CT 06002 (860) 726-1430	Chip In For A Cure	\$ 70,000	2005 Champion: Virada Nirapathpongporn
July 15 - 17 Pro-am: July 14	Albany FUTURES Pro Golf Classic	Capital Hills at Albany 65 O'Neil Road Albany, NY 12208 (518) 458-5689	Albany Police & Fire Foundation	\$ 70,000	2005 Champion: Seon-Hwa Lee
July 22 - 24 Pro-am: July 21	Laconia Savings Bank FUTURES Golf Classic	Beaver Meadow Golf Course 1 Beaver Meadow Road Concord, NH 03301 (603) 228-8954	The Havenwood-Heritage Heights Trust Fund (Resident Support Fund)	\$ 65,000	2005 Champion: Kyeong Bae
July 29 - 31 Pro-am: July 28	M&T Bank Loretto FUTURES Golf Classic	The Links at Erie Village 5900 North Burdick Street Syracuse, NY 13507 (315) 656-4653	The Loretto Foundation	\$ 65,000	2005 Champion: Kim Brozer
August 5 - 7 Pro-am: August 4	Children's Hospital FUTURES Golf Classic	Cross Creek Golf Club 12800 Bay Hill Drive Beltsville, MD 20705 (301) 595-8901	Children's National Medical Center Foundation	\$ 70,000	2005 Champion: Cortney Reno
August 12 - 14 Pro-am: August 10 & 11	Betty Puskar FUTURES Golf Classic	The Pines Country Club 3062 Point Marion Road Morgantown, WV 26505 (304) 296-3462	Betty Puskar Breast Care Center	\$ 70,000	2005 Champion: Sun Young Yoo
August 19 - 21 Pro-am: August 18	Hunters Oak FUTURES Golf Classic	Hunters Oak Golf Club 500 Amberly Lane Queenstown, MD 21658 (410) 827-0800	TBA	\$ 65,000	2005 Champion: Stepahnie George
August 26 - 28 Pro-am: August 24 & 25	YWCA FUTURES Classic	Regents' Glen Country Club 1000 Golf Club Drive York, PA 17403 (717) 505-4653	YWCA of York	\$ 75,000	2005 Champion: Julieta Granada

* Won in a Playoff **Rain-shortened to 36 holes