

# HISTORY OF TOLEDO'S LPGA TOURNAMENT

The tournament that is now called the Marathon Classic presented by Owens Corning and O-I started in 1984 as the Jamie Farr Toledo Classic at the former Glengarry Country Club (now Stone Oak Country Club) in Holland. After four tournaments there (no tournament in 1986), it was moved to Highland Meadows Golf Club in Sylvania. That same year, it was shortened from 72 holes to 54 holes. The 72-hole format returned in 1997.

## 1984 TOP 10

Lauri Merten (Peterson) \$26,250  
Nancy Lopez, \$15,750  
Amy Alcott, \$11,375  
Vicki Singleton, \$8,020  
Therese Hession, \$8,020  
Patty Sheehan, \$8,020  
Marlene Hagge, \$5,250  
Vicki Fergon, \$4,156  
Betsy King, \$4,156  
JoAnne Carner, \$3,227  
Alice Miller, \$3,227  
Dianne Dailey, \$3,227

■ **RECAP:** Lauri Merten (then Lauri Peterson) shot a course-record 65 in the third round to open a three-shot lead over Nancy Lopez, whose 66 was the only other score in the 60s that day. Merten led by as many as six strokes in the final round but faltered — bogey, double-bogey and bogey on Nos. 8-10 — and the golfers fell into a tie with five holes left. A birdie on No. 14 put Merten one up, and she clinched the win with a par on 18 while Lopez bogeyed.

■ **THE MERTEN FILE:** She earned \$108,920 the year she won the Farr, one of only three times she cracked the six-figure mark. Biggest year was 1993, when she won the U.S. Women's Open, her only major championship, and earnings of \$394,744. She is no longer an active tour player.

## 1985 TOP 10

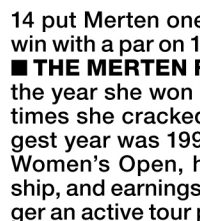
Penny Hammel, \$26,250  
Nancy Lopez, \$16,187  
Lori Garbacz, \$11,812  
Kathy Whitworth, \$9,187  
Laura Baugh, \$5,819  
Lauri Merten, \$5,819  
Colleen Walker, \$5,819  
Lauren Howe, \$5,819  
Cindy Hill, \$4,112  
Dianne Dailey, \$3,675

■ **RECAP:** Nancy Lopez had a piece of the lead from the start and Penny Hammel, a top rookie, shot a third-round 72 to stand two shots off the pace. Hammel, out of the spotlight that was following Lopez in the last group, fired a 65 to win her first tour event, while Lopez settled for second again. Hammel trailed Lopez by four at the turn, but a birdie on 10 and an eagle on 12 turned things around.

■ **THE HAMMEL FILE:** Went on to earn rookie of the year honors in 1985. Didn't win again until the 1989 Farr.

## 1986

■ No tournament held because the PGA Championship was played at Inverness Club.

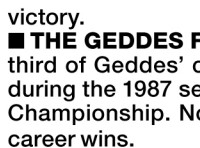


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73-72-72-72-289  
69-70-75-75-289  
68-69-75-76-289

Jane Geddes, \$33,750  
Jill Briles, \$18,000  
Nancy Taylor, \$17,999  
Laurie Rinker, \$10,687  
Julie Cole, \$10,687  
Marci Bozarth, \$7,875  
Ok-Hee Ku, \$6,244  
Sherri Turner, \$6,244  
Tammie Green, \$4,768  
Heather Drew, \$4,768  
Cindy Hill, \$4,768

■ **RECAP:** A struggling unknown named Nancy Taylor opened with a 4-under 68, then extended her lead to two shots with a second-round 69. Despite a 73 on Saturday, she maintained a two-shot edge. But Jane Geddes authored a final-round 67 for an 8-under 280 total and a two-shot

victory. ■ **THE GEDDES FILE:** The Farr title was the third of Geddes' career and one of her five during the 1987 season, including the LPGA Championship. Now retired, she posted 11 career wins.



■ **RECAP:** Nancy Lopez led Laura Davies by one shot after one round, by one shot after two rounds and by one shot after three rounds of a weather-plagued event. On the final day, Lopez finally lost the lead when she bogeyed No. 11 and Davies birdied. But it was Davies' stunning eagle on No. 12 that crushed Lopez. Davies, hitting from the bottom of a hill, hit an open wedge, then saw the ball check up on the second bounce and roll into the cup.

■ **THE DAVIS FILE:** She had won at least one tournament for six straight years before going winless in 1999. But she bounced back with two wins in 2000. Davies also won the U.S. Open in 1987, before joining the LPGA. The '88 Farr was the third of her 20 tour wins.

## 1987 TOP 10

71-73-69-67-280  
73-70-69-70-282  
68-69-73-72-282  
70-71-72-70-283  
70-74-68-71-283  
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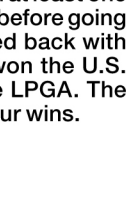
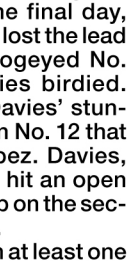
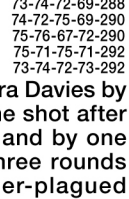
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71-69-73-74-287  
73-74-72-69-288  
74-72-75-69-290  
75-76-67-72-290  
75-71-75-71-292  
73-74-72-73-292

Tina Tombs, \$48,750  
JoAnne Carner, \$26,000  
Chris Johnson, \$26,000  
Cathy Gerring, \$12,058  
Sue Ertl, \$12,058  
Robin Walton, \$12,058  
Patti Rizzo, \$12,058  
Betsy King, \$12,058  
Elaine Eggeling, \$7,637  
Dale Crosby, \$6,249  
Jennifer Wyatt, \$6,249  
Penny Hammel, \$6,249

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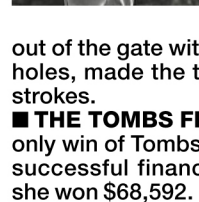
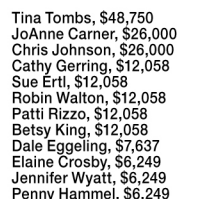
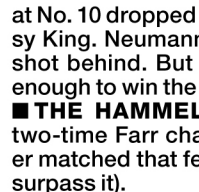
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71-70-70-211  
71-70-70-211

69-66-71-206  
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■ **RECAP:** JoAnne Carner was the big story of the first round, firing a 4-under 67 to tie for the lead with Tina Tombs. Carner was vying for her first win since 1985. Tombs was vying for her first win period. Betsy King grabbed the lead with a second-round 70, but Tombs stayed close and then took over in the final round. She roared out of the gate with five birdies in her first six holes, made the turn in 29 and won by four strokes.

■ **THE TOMBS FILE:** The Farr stands as the only win of Tombs' career. She had her most successful financial season in 1993, when she won \$68,592.

## 1991 TOP 10

69-66-70-205  
67-70-68-205  
71-66-71-208  
71-71-67-209  
74-70-66-210  
71-68-71-210  
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70-68-72-210  
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72-70-69-211  
72-68-71-211  
68-72-71-211  
69-70-72-211

x-Alice Miller, \$52,500  
Deb Richard, \$32,375  
Lynn Connelly, \$23,625  
Laurie Rinker, \$18,375  
Chris Johnson, \$12,483  
Kay Cockerill, \$12,483  
Vicki Goetze (amateur)  
Dale Eggeling, \$12,483  
Katie Peterson, \$7,502  
Lynn Adams, \$7,502  
Judy Dickinson, \$7,502  
Nancy Rubin, \$7,502  
Carolyn Hill, \$7,502  
x-won sudden death playoff

■ **RECAP:** Amateur Vicki Goetze was the first-round story with a 68 that left her one shot off Deb Richard's lead. A second-round 66 gave Alice Miller a two-stroke edge over Richard, and the latter authored a final-round 68 to tie things and prompt the Farr's first playoff. And what a playoff it was, with Miller winning on the third hole of sudden death with a 14-foot birdie putt. The triumph ended a six-year drought for Miller.

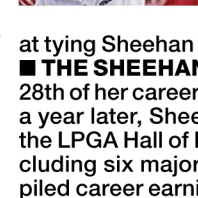
■ **THE MILLER FILE:** From 1983-85, Miller won seven titles, including a major (the Nabisco Dinah Shore), and earned more than \$600,000.



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■ **THE SHEEHAN FILE:** The Farr win was the 28th of her career. When she nabbed her 30th a year later, Sheehan qualified for entry into the LPGA Hall of Fame. She won 35 times, including six major championships, and compiled career earnings of \$5.5 million.



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70-73-66-209  
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70-68-72-210  
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72-68-71-211  
69-71-71-211  
65-77-70-212  
70-71-71-212  
67-74-71-212  
69-70-73-212  
68-70-74-212

Patty Sheehan, \$60,000  
Brandie Burton, \$25,663  
Heather Drew, \$25,663  
Tammie Green, \$25,663  
Deb Richard, \$25,663  
Hollis Stacey, \$12,982  
Pamela Wright, \$12,982  
Vicki Fergon, \$8,614  
JoAnne Carner, \$8,614  
Janice Gibson, \$8,614  
Marta Fig-Dotti, \$8,614  
Meg Mallon, \$8,614

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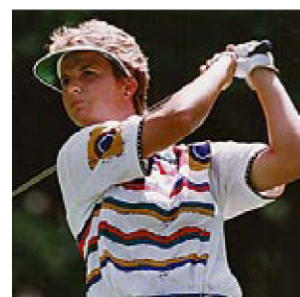


# 1993

## TOP 10

Brandie Burton, \$67,500  
 Hollis Stacey, \$41,891  
 Jane Geddes, \$30,569  
 Patty Sheehan, \$23,776  
 Colleen Walker, \$16,152  
 Amy Benz, \$16,152  
 Suzanne Strudwick, \$16,152  
 Marianne Morris, \$10,132  
 Michelle McGann, \$10,132  
 Dale Eggeling, \$10,132  
 Judy Dickinson, \$10,132

■ **RECAP:** Vicki Goetze again stole the spotlight by making her professional debut at the



Farr on a day when six players shared the first-round lead. Jane Geddes tied a course record with a 7-under 64 in round two and led by a pair of shots over Brandie Burton. It was Burton who proved to be cool on a scorching hot Sunday, bagging a

key birdie at the par-5 17th to edge three-time U.S. Open champ Hollis Stacey by a shot.

■ **THE BURTON FILE:** Just 21 years old at the time, Burton had a huge year in 1993, adding two other wins to the Farr and earning \$518,000. She then went five years before winning again, but it was a biggie — her second major championship at the du Maurier.

# 1994

## TOP 10

x-Kelly Robbins, \$75,000  
 Tammie Green, \$46,546  
 Meg Mallon, \$33,966  
 Kris Tschetter, \$26,418  
 Beth Daniel, \$15,750  
 Michelle Estill, \$15,750  
 Judy Dickinson, \$15,750  
 Dottie Pepper, \$15,750  
 Lauri Merten, \$15,750  
 Dawn Coe-Jones, \$9,662  
 Kim Williams, \$9,662  
 Amy Alcott, \$9,662

x-won sudden-death playoff

■ **RECAP:** Kelly Robbins won with a birdie on the first hole of a sudden-death playoff against Tammie Green, but from week's start to end the big story was Kim Williams. The relative unknown was thrust into the headlines a week earlier when she suffered a freak gunshot wound. With the bullet still lodged near her

neck, Williams shot rounds of 68-72-70 to tie for 10th place.



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■ **THE ROBBINS FILE:** Robbins finished 1994 with 11 top-10 finishes and went on to win her first major the next summer when she captured the LPGA Championship. Robbins, a Michigan native, would win the Farr again in 1997.

# 1995

## TOP 10

Kathryn Marshall, \$75,000  
 Sherri Steinhauer, \$46,546  
 Pamela Wright, \$33,966  
 Pat Bradley, \$17,528  
 Kelly Robbins, \$17,528  
 Deb Richard, \$17,528  
 Beth Daniel, \$17,528  
 Betsy King, \$17,528  
 Brandie Burton, \$17,528  
 Laura Brown, \$9,309  
 Vicki Fergon, \$9,309  
 Lenore Rittenhouse, \$9,309  
 Muffin Spencer-Devlin, \$9,309

■ **RECAP:** They invented the game in Scotland, but in the history of the LPGA no native Scot had ever won a tournament. It appeared Pamela Wright would turn the trick after a 5-under 66 in the second round. But it was countrywoman Kathryn Marshall who got it done in the final round with her second 67 in three days. It was good for a one-shot win over Sher-



ri Steinhauer, who bogeyed the final hole. Wright was third.

■ **THE MARSHALL FILE:** A top amateur in Scotland, Marshall attended the University of Arizona and then scored her pro breakthrough in the '95 Farr. She put together her best financial season in '97, scoring four top-10 finishes and earning \$200,000. The Farr was Marshall's only LPGA win and she is no longer an active tour player.

# 1996

## TOP 10

Joan Pitcock, \$86,250  
 Marianne Morris, \$53,528  
 Catrin Nilsmark, \$31,345  
 Mitzi Edge, \$31,345  
 Nancy Bowen, \$31,345  
 Kris Monaghan, \$18,662  
 Beth Daniel, \$18,662  
 Dottie Pepper, \$14,322  
 Tracy Hanson, \$14,322  
 Dana Dormann, \$9,439  
 Rosie Jones, \$9,439  
 Gail Graham, \$9,439  
 Pat Bradley, \$9,439  
 Cathy Johnston-Forbes, \$9,439  
 Mayumi Hirase, \$9,439  
 Terry-Jo Myers, \$9,439  
 Alicia Dibos, \$9,439

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■ **RECAP:** Marianne Morris wrested the lead from Joan Pitcock on Sunday after a birdie at the par 4 No. 11, her fourth birdie in a six-hole stretch. But Pitcock tied it again with a birdie at the 13th and went back on top when Morris missed a three-foot par putt at the 16th. Morris missed a 14-foot birdie putt on No. 18 by inches, which would have pressured Pitcock. But Pitcock's 20-foot first putt



from the fringe was nearly perfect, leaving her two inches from the hole. She tapped it in.

■ **THE PITCOCK FILE:** She is among a number of players who scored their first career wins in the Farr Classic. She played in 224 tournaments, more than nine seasons worth, before winning the '96 Farr.

# 1997

## TOP 10

Kelly Robbins, \$105,000  
 Tammie Green, \$65,165  
 Nancy Lopez, \$47,553  
 Vickie Odegard, \$36,985  
 Terry-Jo Myers, \$27,298  
 Karrie Webb, \$27,298  
 Alicia Dibos, \$20,782  
 Helen Alfredsson, \$17,435  
 Missie McGeorge, \$17,435  
 Brandie Burton, \$12,210  
 Hiromi Kobayashi, \$12,210  
 Kris Monaghan, \$12,210  
 Joan Pitcock, \$12,210  
 Susie Redman, \$12,210  
 Tracy Hanson, \$12,210

■ **RECAP:** Kelly Robbins walked into the history book with her performance, a 19-under 265 that was at that time the lowest four-round



score in the history of the LPGA. Robbins opened up a six-shot lead during the third round and then had a nice walk during the final round, opening with two birdies on her first three holes to slam the door. Robbins was in the 60s for all four of her

rounds.  
 ■ **THE ROBBINS FILE:** Robbins had nine career victories — including two Farr Classic wins -- and won at least one tournament for seven straight years through 1999.

# 1998

## TOP 10

Se Ri Pak, \$120,000  
 Lisa Hackney, \$74,474  
 Karrie Webb, \$53,346  
 Pat Hurst, \$34,888  
 Charlotta Sorenstam, \$34,888

67-64-67-67-265  
 67-69-70-67-273  
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71-61-63-66-261  
 69-68-68-65-270  
 67-70-67-67-271  
 68-69-69-67-273  
 67-68-71-67-273

Cindy Figg-Currier, \$34,888  
 Juli Inkster, \$20,128  
 Amy Alcott, \$20,128  
 Brandie Burton, \$20,128  
 Lorie Kane, \$20,128

■ **RECAP:** Records fell for the second straight year in the Farr Classic. Se Ri Pak shot an opening-



round 71, then bettered that the next day by 10 shots. Her 61 set a single-round LPGA record, as did her 261 total for 72 holes. Pak followed her 61 with a 63 in the third round, eliminating all suspense for the final round. Lisa Hackney ended up winning the race for second place, edging Karrie Webb by one shot, but finishing nine strokes behind Pak.

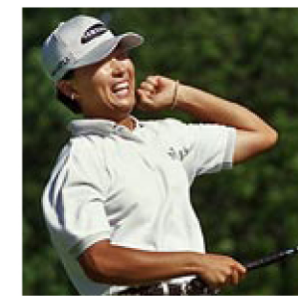
■ **THE PAK FILE:** Not a bad year for the 20-year-old LPGA rookie. Pak came to the Farr directly from a playoff win in the U.S. Women's Open, her second major championship of the summer. Two weeks after the Farr, Pak won another Ohio event in Warren. She finished the year with four victories worth earnings of \$872,170.

# 1999

## TOP 10

x-Se Ri Pak \$135,000  
 Kelli Kuehne \$52,534  
 Carin Koch \$52,534  
 Sherri Steinhauer \$52,534  
 Karrie Webb \$52,534  
 Mardi Lunn \$52,534  
 Dina Ammaccapane \$23,851  
 Mi Hyun Kim \$23,851  
 Jenny Lidback \$23,851  
 Cindy McCurdy \$19,021  
 x-won sudden-death playoff

■ **RECAP:** Carin Koch allowed a two-shot lead to melt away on the 72nd hole, and the result was the most populated sudden-death playoff in LPGA history. Six players went back to the 18th for the playoff, and all six reached the par-5 green in regulation. Only Se Ri Pak got her birdie putt to



fall, however, and the Farr Classic belonged to the young Korean for a second straight year.

■ **THE PAK FILE:** Se Ri duplicated her rookie season with four wins and became the Farr Classic's first back-to-back champion.

68-69-68-68-273  
 68-71-69-66-274  
 69-68-71-66-274  
 66-74-66-68-274  
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 67-68-70-72 - 277  
 69-67-70-72 - 278



## 2000

### TOP 10

x-Annika Sorenstam, \$150,000  
 Rachel Hetherington, \$93,093  
 Se Ri Pak, \$67,933  
 Beth Daniel, \$52,837  
 Jeong Jang, \$35,895  
 Jane Crafter, \$35,895  
 Heather Bowie, \$35,895  
 Cindy Figg-Currier, \$24,909  
 Terry-Jo Myers, \$24,909  
 Sara Sanders, \$21,135  
 x-won on second hole of sudden-death playoff

70-67-66-71 - 274  
 71-68-68-67 - 274  
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 71-71-69-68 - 279  
 67-72-69-71 - 279  
 72-68-68-72 - 280

■ **RECAP:** One of the most exciting finishes in tournament history. Annika Sorenstam came to the 72nd hole with a one-shot lead, and the large crowd around the green figured she and Rachel Hetherington were both lying two short of the green. But Sorenstam had hit a crooked drive, was forced to chip out and was lying three. Hetherington hit a superb approach to the par-5 18th to set up a good birdie chance, then Sorenstam hit what she called "probably the best pressure shot" of her career to that point to guarantee a par and a playoff. The Swede won on the second hole of sudden death.

■ **THE SORENSTAM FILE:** The greatest player of her era in the early 2000s, Sorenstam ended her competitive career at the end of the 2008 season. Career earnings of \$22.5 million leads the LPGA's all-time list.

## 2001

### TOP 10

Se Ri Pak, \$150,000  
 Maria Hjorth, \$93,093  
 Marnie McGuire, \$60,384  
 Heather Bowie, \$60,384  
 Laura Diaz, \$33,463  
 Moira Dunn, \$33,463  
 Meg Mallon, \$33,463  
 Kris Tschetter, \$33,463  
 Mi Hyun Kim, \$19,625  
 Carin Koch, \$19,625  
 Mhairi McKay, \$19,625  
 Vicki Goetze-Ackerman, \$19,625  
 Kelly Robbins, \$19,625

70-62-69-68 - 269  
 76-65-66-64 - 271  
 70-69-69-65 - 273  
 68-66-71-68 - 273  
 70-67-70-67 - 274  
 68-68-70-68 - 274  
 70-67-68-69 - 274  
 70-67-68-69 - 274  
 72-68-74-62 - 276  
 69-66-73-68 - 276  
 75-67-65-69 - 276  
 70-70-67-69 - 276  
 68-71-68-69 - 276

■ **RECAP:** As was the case in 1998, Se Ri Pak blew things open with an awesome second round, then pretty much coasted the rest of the way. This time it was a 62 during Friday's second round that gave her a two-shot lead. Her advantage grew to four after a third-round 69 and it wasn't until late in Sunday's round that Maria Hjorth caught fire and put on a little pressure.

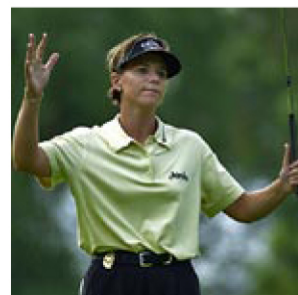
■ **THE PAK FILE:** The Farr was one of five wins, including the Weetabix Women's British Open, a major, for Pak in 2001. She would win five times again the following year.

## 2002

### TOP 10

Rachel Hetherington (Teske), \$150,000  
 Beth Bauer, \$91,325  
 Laura Diaz, \$58,750  
 Karrie Webb, \$58,750  
 Amy Fruhwirth, \$37,500  
 Kelli Kuehne, \$37,500  
 Danielle Ammaccapane, \$23,875  
 Mhairi McKay, \$23,875  
 Natalie Gulbis, \$23,875  
 Se Ri Pak, \$23,875

67-73-64-66 - 270  
 69-67-67-69 - 272  
 70-64-72-67 - 273  
 72-65-66-70 - 273  
 70-70-68-66 - 274  
 71-66-69-68 - 274  
 73-68-72-62 - 275  
 71-71-68-65 - 275  
 73-67-70-65 - 275  
 72-67-68-68 - 275



■ **RECAP:** Because of personal business in Florida, then missing a flight and having another one cancelled, Rachel Hetherington (then Rachel Teske) barely arrived in Toledo in time for her Wednesday program tee time. Had she not made it, she would have been disqualified from the tournament. Instead, she positioned herself

nically for the weekend, then played the final two rounds in 12-under for the two-shot win.

■ **THE HETHERINGTON FILE:** A native of New South Wales, Australia, Hetherington followed her Farr win with two tour victories in 2003.



## 2003

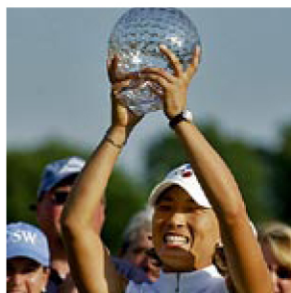
### TOP 10

Se Ri Pak, \$150,000  
 Marisa Baena, \$79,364  
 Hee-Won Han, \$79,364  
 Heather Bowie, \$46,58  
 Mi-Hyun Kim, \$46,589  
 Danielle Ammaccapane, \$31,227  
 Janice Moodie, \$31,227  
 Jennifer Rosales, \$21,657  
 Kristal Parker-Manzo, \$21,657  
 Rachel Hetherington (Teske), \$21,657  
 Laura Diaz, \$21,657

69-67-64-71 - 271  
 68-68-67-70 - 273  
 68-67-66-72 - 273  
 67-71-70-66 - 274  
 67-73-66-68 - 274  
 70-71-67-67 - 275  
 71-69-67-68 - 275  
 68-70-72-66 - 276  
 70-71-67-68 - 276  
 66-72-70-68 - 276  
 65-67-70-74 - 276

■ **RECAP:** Se Ri Pak, bidding for her fourth Farr title in six years, grabbed the upper hand with a third-round 64, but it was a tight leaderboard with Hee-Won Han one shot behind and Laura Diaz just two back. Pak left the door open with an even-par 71 on Sunday, but none of the top contenders could break 70 and apply any pressure.

■ **THE PAK FILE:** Four Farr wins and she still wasn't done. Keep reading.



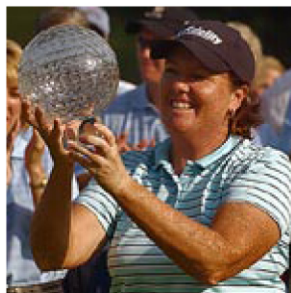
## 2004

### TOP 10

Meg Mallon, \$165,000  
 Se Ri Pak, \$86,873  
 Karen Stupples, \$86,873  
 Rachel Hetherington (Teske), \$56,510  
 Lorie Kane, \$45,484  
 Lorena Ochoa, \$31,884  
 Brandie Burton, \$31,884  
 Jeong Jang, \$31,884  
 Marcy Hart, \$21,708  
 Catriona Matthew, \$21,708  
 Leta Lindley, \$21,708  
 Marilyn Lovander, \$21,708

66-69-74-68 - 277  
 66-72-72-68 - 278  
 65-72-68-73 - 278  
 72-69-70-68 - 279  
 72-71-67-70 - 280  
 69-72-69-71 - 281  
 67-69-74-71 - 281  
 71-70-68-72 - 281  
 70-73-73-66 - 282  
 67-74-71-70 - 282  
 70-69-71-72 - 282  
 72-67-69-74 - 282

■ **RECAP:** It would have been hard to imagine a more appropriate champion as the Farr Classic celebrated its 20th anniversary. Meg Mallon, a sponsor exemption in the very first Farr Classic in 1984 who was playing in the event for the 19th time, finally moved into the winner's circle by scoring birdies on three of the last four holes. She capped it with



a 10-footer on the 72nd hole that finished off a final-round 68 for a 7-under 277 winning total. Se Ri Pak, who was gunning for a fifth Farr title, had to settle for a second-place tie with Karen Stupples, who came to Toledo fresh off her victory in the Women's British Open.

■ **THE MALLON FILE:** Meg's win at the Farr polished off a phenomenal five-week run which saw her capture her second U.S. Women's Open title as well as the Canadian Women's Open. The Farr Classic was her 18th and last LPGA Tour title. Mallon, who grew up in the Detroit area and attended Ohio State University, retired after the 2010 Farr Classic.

## 2005

### TOP 10

x-Heather Bowie, \$180,000  
 Gloria Park, \$109,852  
 Sung Ah Yim, \$70,669  
 Hee-Won Han, \$70,669  
 Paula Creamer, \$45,108  
 Jeong Jang, \$45,108  
 Pat Hurst, \$30,172  
 Leta Lindley, \$30,172  
 Meg Mallon, \$30,172  
 Marilyn Lovander, \$24,358  
 x-won on third hole of sudden-death playoff

72-66-69-67 - 274  
 67-70-71-66 - 274  
 69-70-68-68 - 275  
 69-67-66-73 - 275  
 72-68-72-64 - 276  
 68-69-67-72 - 276  
 71-70-67-69 - 277  
 69-69-68-71 - 277  
 68-69-68-72 - 277  
 69-68-68-73 - 278

■ **RECAP:** Heather Bowie, who was in a tie for sixth after the third round, and Gloria Park, who was tied for 10th, moved past everyone on the leaderboard with fine Sunday rounds while others struggled. Bowie looked to have a sudden-death playoff won on each of the first two holes, only to see



Park rally on and around the greens. But Park couldn't keep it going, driving into the rough and then hitting into the water hazard on No. 18, opening the door for Bowie's first LPGA victory.

■ **THE BOWIE FILE:** With three top-five finishes during her first five Farr appearances, Bowie said she always felt as though Highland Meadows could be the course on which she broke through for her first LPGA victory. She enjoyed her biggest earnings season — \$677,425 — and slipped over the \$2 million mark in career earnings. She later played as Heather Young.

## 2006

### TOP 10

x-Mi Hyun Kim, \$180,000  
 Natalie Gulbis, \$106,155  
 Paula Creamer, \$77,007  
 Se Ri Pak, \$59,570  
 Reilley Rankin, \$47,949  
 Brittany Lang, \$36,034  
 Sung Ah Yim, \$36,034  
 Annika Sorenstam, \$28,768  
 Nicole Castrale, \$25,860  
 Sherri Steinhauer, \$21,891  
 Jackie Gallagher-Smith, \$21,891  
 Diana D'Alessio, \$21,891  
 x-won on the third hole of sudden-death playoff.

68-66-67-65 - 266  
 67-66-68-65 - 266  
 67-67-68-65 - 267  
 68-68-66-66 - 268  
 66-68-68-70 - 272  
 71-68-69-66 - 274  
 66-69-69-70 - 274  
 69-68-68-70 - 275  
 68-70-71-67 - 276  
 73-71-68-65 - 277  
 73-68-68-68 - 277  
 67-69-69-72 - 277

■ **RECAP:** After the storms, after the flooding, after the delays and overnight suspensions in play, Mi Hyun Kim of South Korea was the last golfer standing in the 2006 Farr Classic. She not only survived all of nature's obstacles, she also survived a three-hole, sudden-death playoff against crowd favorite Natalie Gulbis. Gulbis lost her grip on a four-shot lead she owned just



before making the turn and Kim roared from behind to tie her with a birdie on the 72nd hole. When she birdied the hole again on the third hole of sudden death it proved to be the winning stroke. Gulbis settled for pars on her last 11 holes, including the playoff.

■ **THE KIM FILE:** Se Ri Pak won the first of many Farr Classic titles as an LPGA rookie in 1998. She also won two major championships that year and her friends playing in Korea noticed. Mi Hyun Kim was one of the first to follow in her footsteps, coming to the LPGA Tour in '99, and she fashioned a fine career of her own. The Farr represented her seventh career title.

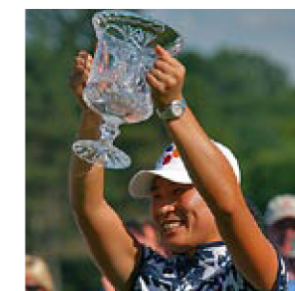
## 2007

### TOP 10

Se Ri Pak, \$195,000  
 Morgan Pressel, \$119,590  
 Wendy Ward, \$63,020  
 Laura Davies, \$63,020  
 Laura Diaz, \$63,020  
 Carri Wood, \$63,020  
 Angela Stanford, \$34,702  
 In-Kyung Kim, \$34,702  
 Stacy Prammanasudh, \$27,828  
 Linda Wessberg, \$27,828

63-68-69-67 - 267  
 68-70-64-68 - 270  
 71-70-67-68 - 276  
 71-69-67-69 - 276  
 69-70-68-69 - 276  
 68-69-70-69 - 276  
 69-70-69-69 - 277  
 72-68-65-72 - 277  
 71-70-69-68 - 278  
 73-68-66-71 - 278

■ **RECAP:** Pak took the upper hand quickly with an opening-round 63, but lost her grip on the lead during the final round when young tour star Morgan Pressel grabbed a brief, three-shot lead with a hole-in-one at No. 6. When the deafening roar subsided, playing partner Pak answered with an 8-iron shot to 22 feet and sank a putt with a lot of break. Game on, she seemed to say. By the 15th hole, Pak was back on top and she cruised to a three-shot win for her fifth Farr Classic title.



■ **THE PAK FILE:** Through '07, Se Ri had played in the Farr Classic 11 times, producing five wins, one runner-up slot, one third, and one fourth-place finish. Total Toledo earnings during that stretch: \$995,073.

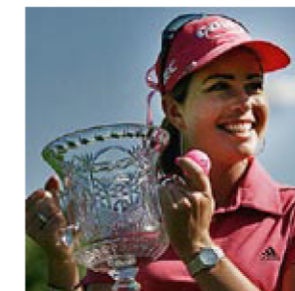
## 2008

### TOP 10

Paula Creamer, \$195,000  
 Nicole Castrale, \$118,169  
 Eun-Hee Ji, \$85,723  
 Shanshan Feng, \$66,314  
 Karrie Webb, \$53,375  
 Katherine Hull, \$43,671  
 Kristy McPherson, \$34,290  
 Brittany Lincicome, \$34,290  
 Angela Stanford, \$28,790

60-65-70-73 - 268  
 70-69-67-64 - 270  
 65-66-68-72 - 271  
 69-70-64-69 - 272  
 70-71-62-70 - 273  
 69-68-70-67 - 274  
 74-66-64-71 - 275  
 70-67-67-71 - 275  
 69-70-67-70 - 276

■ **RECAP:** The LPGA's Pink Panther won the (Owens Corning) Pink Panther's tournament. Paula Creamer did it by opening with a course record 60 and followed with a 65. She wasn't as sharp on the weekend and actually had to fend off a challenge from Nicole Castrale, who went



low on Sunday with a 64 but ended two shots in arrears.

■ **THE CREAMER FILE:** The Farr was one of Paula's four victories in 2008 and, during the course of the year, she became the fastest in LPGA history to surpass both \$4 million and \$5 million in career earnings.



# 2009

## TOP 10

x-Eunjung Yi, \$210,000  
 Morgan Pressel, \$126,385  
 Michelle Wie, \$73,231  
 Seon Hwa Lee, \$73,231  
 Song-Hee Kim, \$73,231  
 Yani Tseng, \$42,902  
 Suzann Pettersen, \$42,902  
 Lindsey Wright, \$29,753  
 Nicole Castrale, \$29,753  
 Lorena Ochoa, \$29,753  
 Mikaela Parmlid, \$29,753  
 x-won on the first hole of sudden-death playoff.

■ **RECAP:** Defending champion Paula Creamer withdrew prior to starting the first round with a thumb injury and, through 36 holes, the '09 Farr was a dogfight with 28 players within five shots of the lead. That changed on Saturday when Eunjung Yi went low to the tune of a 61, one shot off the Highland Meadows course record. Her four-shot lead disappeared during the final round, but she managed to get into a playoff with Morgan Pressel and won with a birdie on the first hole of sudden death. Phenom Michelle Wie closed with a 64 to head a three-way tie for third.

■ **THE YI FILE:** The Farr title was the first of Yi's LPGA career and she accomplished it at age 21.

# 2010

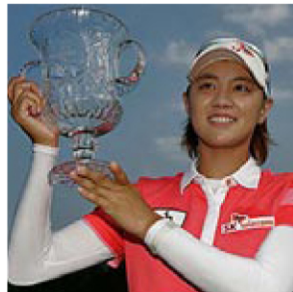
## TOP 10

x-Na Yeon Choi, \$150,000  
 In-Kyung Kim, \$68,808

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 70-63-68-67 - 268  
 64-71-64-69 - 268  
 68-68-65-68 - 269  
 65-69-67-68 - 269  
 66-68-71-65 - 270  
 70-66-67-67 - 270  
 67-68-67-68 - 270  
 69-70-62-69 - 270

Song-Hee Kim, \$68,808  
 Christina Kim, \$68,808  
 Jiyai Shin, \$40,776  
 Inbee Park, \$33,362  
 Hee Young Park, \$24,795  
 Meena Lee, \$24,795  
 Katherine Hull, \$24,795  
 Beatriz Recari, \$16,936  
 Kris Tamulis, \$16,936  
 Alena Sharp, \$16,936  
 Stacy Prammanasudh, \$16,936  
 Azahara Munoz, \$16,936  
 Kristy McPherson, \$16,936  
 x-won on the second hole of sudden-death playoff.

■ **RECAP:** There was no language barrier during the four-person playoff in the 2010 Farr. Na Yeon Choi clashed with fellow South Koreans In-Kyung Kim and Song-Hee Kim, not to mention Christina Kim, American born of Korean parents. If that wasn't enough, Jiyai Shin missed the playoff by a stroke and Inbee Park by two shots.



Choi, who lost a once-comfortable lead on the back nine, steadied herself to make the playoff and then prevailed with a three-foot birdie putt on the second hole of sudden death. Still, a big day for all the Seoul Sisters.

■ **THE CHOI FILE:** This was the third win of Choi's short LPGA career, but the biggest was yet to come. Choi won the U.S. Women's Open, her first major, in 2012.

# 2011

■ No tournament held because U.S. Senior Open was played at Inverness Club.

70-66-68-66 - 270  
 66-67-67-70 - 270  
 67-70-70-64 - 271  
 67-66-70-69 - 272  
 70-68-71-64 - 273  
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 69-67-72-66 - 274  
 68-70-68-68 - 274  
 65-68-73-68 - 274  
 69-67-69-69 - 274  
 70-68-66-70 - 274  
 68-68-67-71 - 274

So Yeon Ryu, \$195,000  
 Angela Stanford, \$119,765  
 Chella Choi, \$77,045  
 Inbee Park, \$77,045  
 Jennie Lee, \$49,178  
 I.K. Kim, \$49,178  
 Mika Miyazato, \$34,753  
 Jiyai Shin, \$34,753  
 Beatriz Recari, \$27,868  
 Hee Kyung Seo, \$27,868

■ **RECAP:** There was a four-way tie atop the leaderboard heading into the final round, but So Yeon Ryu ended the drama with six straight birdies starting at No. 9, where she ran in a 30-foot putt. A deft chipping touch set up the other birdies, as no putt was from outside of eight feet. None of the other co-leaders starting



the day broke par, but Angela Stanford came on strong with a closing 66 to grab a distant second place. Ryu's final-round 62 produced a 20-under-par total that was second best in tournament history.

■ **THE RYU FILE:** The last Farr Classic represented the first win and the eighth top-10 finish of Ryu's rookie season, but the South Korean was no stranger to the winner's circle. A year earlier, as a non-member of the LPGA Tour, she won the U.S. Women's Open, scoring birdie on the 18th hole to force a three-hole aggregate score playoff. She beat Hee Kyung Seo. Ryu turned pro at age 17 in 2007 and won eight times on the Korean LPGA Tour.

67-68-67-62 - 264  
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# 2012

## TOP 10

# LPGA STATISTICS

### Through June 30

#### Scoring

1, Inbee Park, 69.67. 2, Stacy Lewis, 70.09. 3, Na Yeon Choi, 70.43. 4, Suzann Pettersen, 70.46. 5, Jiyai Shin, 70.58. 6, I.K. Kim, 70.63. 7, So Yeon Ryu, 70.66. 8, Jessica Korda, 70.70. 9, Lizette Salas, 70.71. 10, Karrie Webb, 70.72.

#### Driving Distance

1, Nicole Smith, 274.9. 2, Brittany Lincicome, 271.6. 3, Maude-Aimee Leblanc, 270.1. 4, Lexi Thompson, 270.0. 5, Marina Stuetz, 269.2. 6, Gerina Piller, 268.8. 7, Daniela Iacobelli, 267.6. 8, Jessica Korda, 267.4. 9, Yani Tseng, 265.7. 10, Karin Sjodin, 264.5.

#### Greens in Regulation Pct.

1, Suzann Pettersen, 74.40%. 2, Jodi Ewart Shadoff, 73.80%. 3, Paula Creamer, 73.70%. 4, Chella Choi, 73.50%. 5, Stacy Lewis, 73.30%. 6, Azahara Munoz, 72.80%. 7, Jennifer Johnson, 72.80%. 8, Na Yeon Choi, 72.70%. 9, Jessica Korda, 72.60%. 10, Shanshan Feng, 72.50%.

#### Putting Average

1, Inbee Park, 1.702. 2, Stacy Lewis, 1.749. 3, Jiyai Shin, 1.760. 4, Alison Walshe, 1.762. 5, Hee Kyung Seo, 1.764. 6, Ai Miyazato, 1.771. 7, Caroline Hedwall, 1.772. 8, Na Yeon Choi, 1.776. 9, Karrie Webb, 1.777. 10, Lizette Salas, 1.777.

#### Birdie Average

1, Stacy Lewis, 4.26. 2, Jessica Korda, 4.15. 3, Inbee Park, 4.12. 4, Na Yeon Choi, 3.80. 5 (tie), Karrie Webb and So Yeon Ryu, 3.72. 7, Jiyai Shin, 3.71. 8, Caroline Hedwall, 3.63. 9, Ai Miyazato, 3.58. 10, Suzann Pettersen, 3.55.

#### Sand Save Percentage

1 (tie), Jennifer Song and Paz Echeverria, 63.64%. 3, Morgan Pressel, 61.40%. 4, Yani Tseng, 61.19%. 5, Inbee Park, 61.11%. 6, Moira Dunn, 60.87%. 7 (tie), Dewi Claire Schreefel and Danielle Kang, 60.00%. 9, Beatriz Recari, 59.57%. 10, Mo Martin, 59.52%.

#### Rounds Under Par

1, Inbee Park, .694. 2, Stacy Lewis, .684. 3, Jiyai Shin, .646. 4, Karrie Webb, .617. 5, Suzann Pettersen, .614. 6, Shanshan Feng, .595. 7, Paula Creamer, .592. 8, Beatriz Recari, .588. 9, Jessica Korda, .574. 10, I.K. Kim, .571.