



32nd South Carolina Junior Girls Rock Hill Country Club Rock Hill, SC

July 7-10, 2009

Champion: Elizabeth Thompson, Charleston

16-year-old Elizabeth Thompson of Charleston won her first CGA Championship title by defeating Louise Oxner of Greenville. Thompson quickly edged off her opponents in her semifinal and championship matches to take home the silver. Thompson defeated Anne Marie Covar of Edgefield, SC in the morning by a 4 & 2 margin. Thompson then faced off against Oxner who advanced to the championship match defeating Katelyn Bensch of Greenville 3 & 2. "I can't explain how much this win means to me," said Thompson. "I really wanted to play on the Carolinas Junior Girls Team this year and I guess I was just really focused out there. I am so happy!" In the championship match, Thompson got off to a 2 up start after two holes

and continued to build on the momentum she carried. On the par 3 6th, her tee shot hit the flagstick and the ball finished 3 feet from the hole securing another win. The match continued with Thompson maintaining her solid play, closing out the match on the 13th hole winning 7 & 5.

First Round

Anna Martin, Piedmont, SC def. Brittany Lowe, Spartanburg, SC, 4 & 3
Morgan Webber, Moore, SC def. Katie Rose Higgins, Charleston, SC, 3 & 1
Kristi Goodman, Easley, SC def. Collins Bradshaw, Columbia, SC, 1 up
Louise Oxner, Greenville, SC def. Kalie Goodman, Easley, SC, 4 & 2
Danielle Dunnagan, Lexington, SC def. Sarah Timms, Moore, SC, 7 & 6
Leah Stephens, Greer, SC def. Shelby Winters, Mount Pleasant, SC, 4 & 3
Alexandra Vandine, Columbia, SC def. Mary Catherin Ligon, Chester, SC, 4 & 3
Katelyn Bensch, Greenville, SC def. Kendra Collins, Bluffton, SC, 20 holes
Nicole Chin, Irmo, SC def. Anna Jenkins, Rock Hill, SC, 4 & 3
Anne Marie Covar, Edgefield, SC def. Cynthia Smith, York, SC, 5 & 4
Kelsey Badmaev, Blythewood, SC def. Elizabeth Hill, Gaston, SC, 7 & 6
Chelsey Couch, Ware Shoals, SC def. Katy Funk, Spartanburg, SC, 5 & 3
Maureen Dunnagan, Lexington, SC def. Tara Lyons, Little River, SC, 4 & 3
Kelli Murphy, Elgin, SC def. Rachel Wyatt, Blythewood, SC, 6 & 5
Torey Johnson, Moore, SC def. Amanda Hall, Tega Cay, SC, 2 & 1
Elizabeth Thompson, Charleston, SC def. Kaitlin Matheson, Easley, SC, 2 up

Round of 16

Webber def. Martin, 1 up
Oxner def. Goodman, 1 up
Stephens def. Dunnagan, 19 holes
Bensch def. Vandine, 1 up
Covar def. Chin, 8 & 7
Couch def. Badmaev, 2 & 1
Dunnagan def. Murphy, 5 & 4
Thompson def. Johnson, 1 up

Quarterfinals

Oxner def. Webber, 19 holes
Bensch def. Stephens, 2 & 1
Lower Bracket:
Covar def. Couch, 6 & 5
Thompson def. Dunnagan, 22 holes

Semifinals

Oxner def. Bensch, 3 & 2
Thompson def. Covar, 4 & 2

Final

Thompson def. Oxner, 7 & 5

South Carolina Junior Girls Champions

Date	Winner, Runner-up, Medalist	Score	Site
2000	Whitney Sylvan, Columbia d. Jordan Daniel, Charleston 73-Sylvan	8 & 6	Lake Marion GC Santee
2001	Laura Crawford, Lancaster d. Dinah Plyler, Chapin 74-Conner Atkinson, Charleston	3 & 1	Rock Hill CC Rock Hill
2002	Dinah Plyler, Chapin d. Laura Crawford, Lancaster 75-Plyler	3 & 2	Midland Valley CC Aiken
2003	Mallory Hetzel, Summerville d. Sarah Sturm, Spartanburg 76-Hetzel	6 & 4	Green Valley CC Greenville
2004	Mallory Hetzel, Summerville d. Lauren Hunt, Little River 78-Elizabeth Freeman, Anderson	1 Up	Palmetto Hall (Cupp) Hilton Head
2005	Emily Rapp, Simpsonville d. Lauren Tomlinson, Greeleyville 72-Rapp	5 & 4	Wyboo GC Manning
2006	Rachel Uremovich, Hilton Head d. Maureen Dunnagan, Lexington 69-Casey Kennedy, Lexington	6 & 4	CC of Orangeburg Orangeburg
2007	Austin Ernst, Seneca d. Cayci Ruppe, Gaffney 74-Haley Stephens, Greer	4 & 3	Furman University GC Greenville
2008	Haley Stephens, Greer d. Maureen Dunnagan, Lexington 71-Anna Martin, Piedmont	5 & 4	The CC at Woodcreek Farms Elgin
2009	Elizabeth Thompson, Charleston d. Louise Oxner, Greenville 69-Anna Martin, Piedmont	7 & 5	Rock Hill CC Rock Hill

Photo Gallery: South Carolina Junior Girls



(L-R): Louise Oxner carries her bag in the final match. Champion, Elizabeth Thompson was in shock after she won her first CGA Championship. Torey Johnson was defeated by Thompson in the 2nd round but decided to caddie for her in the finals.