

European Girls' Team Championship – Quick Facts

2023 event

The 2023 edition of the European Girls' Team Championship will take place from 11 to 15 July at Golf Club d'Hossegor in France.

History

The European Girls' Team Championship was first played in **1991**, with this year's edition being the **29th**.

Notable Facts

Sweden is the country having won the most victories (**8**) of this championship.

Famous previous players who participated in the championship include:

- Charley Hull (ENG) – 2012
- Bronte Law (ENG) – 2011, 2012
- Georgia Hall (ENG) – 2011, 2012
- Anne Van Dam (NED) – 2011, 2012
- **Céline Boutier (FRA) – 2010, 2011**
- Sophia Popov (GER) – 2008, 2009, 2010
- Caroline Hedwall (SWE) – 2006, 2007
- Carlota Ciganda (SPA) – 2005
- Anna Nordqvist (SWE) – 2005
- Pernilla Lindberg (SWE) – 2003, 2004
- Lydia Hall (WAL) – 2003

The last edition took place in 2022 at Oddur Golf Club (ICELAND) with France claiming the title and Sweden as runner-up. The French team will then try to defend their title this year.

It is the **second time** France welcomes this competition. First time was in 2004, at Le Golf National in Paris.

Format

- 6 players per team
- 5 competition days (2 stroke play qualifying then 3 match play)
- 5 of 6 best stroke play scores each day count towards the teams' totals
- Stroke play totals determine which bracket the countries qualify for and which seeding they are awarded:
 - Flight (bracket) A: 1st - 8th
 - Flight (bracket) B: 9th - 16th
 - Flight (bracket) C: 17th and up
- Teams go head-to-head on the match play days (1st vs. 8th 2nd vs. 7th etc.)
 - Matches where teams could still win a medal = 2 foursomes & 5 singles
 - Matches where teams can no longer win a medal = 1 foursomes & 4 singles
- Individual matches cannot be halved (unless the overall result is decided). The team with most individual/ foursomes match wins 'advances'
- Losing teams will continue to play each day for final position
- The champion team must qualify for Flight A and then win all three matches
- Silver and bronze medals are awarded to the teams placed 2nd and 3rd

About the EGA

The European Golf Association (EGA) is a non-profit organization which was founded in 1937. It is an association of 49 national golf authorities in the European Zone aiming to further promote golf at the highest level of amateur competition, strengthen the unity of its members, and coordinate best practice for the development and sustainability of golf throughout Europe.

The EGA organizes and coordinates over 20 European amateur golf championships and international matches for elite amateur golfers every year in collaboration with its member federations. The EGA also oversees the application of the World Handicap System in Europe.

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