



**Meijer LPGA Classic presented by Kraft Announces Final Field**  
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**GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. (July 16, 2015)** – The Meijer LPGA Classic presented by Kraft will host some of the biggest names in female golf at the Blythefield Country Club next week. The final field includes several players on the LPGA's Top 10 money list, including No. 1 in the world Inbee Park and Michigan native Morgan Pressel, as well as Meijer LPGA Classic defending champion Mirim Lee.

Other notable players scheduled to vie for the \$2 million purse include Lexi Thompson, Brittany Lincicome, Ai Miyazato and Cristie Kerr.

Two collegiate golfers – Cat Peters, of the University of Michigan, and Kaitlin Park, of Northwestern University – will join the professional golfers on the course. The two earned [sponsor exemption](#) spots into the official four-day tournament after an 18-hole qualifying tournament last month.

The Meijer LPGA Classic presented by Kraft will host a full field of 144 players in the 72-hole, four-day competition being held July 21-26 at Blythefield Country Club. Tickets for the tournament are on sale at [meijerLPGAclassic.com](http://meijerLPGAclassic.com).

Please click [here](#) to see the complete field list.

Similar to last year, proceeds from the tournament – and each of the week's festivities – will benefit the Meijer *Simply Give* program that restocks the shelves of food pantries throughout the Midwest. The inaugural Meijer LPGA Classic presented by Kraft raised more than \$600,000 for the *Simply Give* program.

For more information on the Meijer LPGA Classic presented by Kraft or to volunteer, please visit [meijerLPGAclassic.com](http://meijerLPGAclassic.com).

To view a video highlighting this year's two sponsor exemption, please visit <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tahbtxHGzUg>.

To view a video recapping the inaugural Meijer LPGA Classic presented by Kraft, please visit [meijerLPGAclassic.com](http://meijerLPGAclassic.com).

To view a video on the Meijer hunger relief efforts, including *Simply Give*, please visit <http://newsroom.meijer.com/meijer-simply-give-video>.

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### **About Meijer *Simply Give***

Meijer is a family-owned retailer based in Grand Rapids, Mich. with a fundamental philosophy aimed at strengthening the communities it serves. Meijer operates more than 200 supercenters and grocery stores throughout Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Kentucky, and proudly donates more than 6 percent of its net profit each year to charities throughout the Midwest. With hunger as a corporate philanthropic focus, Meijer partners with hundreds of food banks and pantries through its *Simply Give* and food rescue programs. Meijer also supports education, disaster relief, and health and wellness initiatives. For additional information on Meijer philanthropy, please visit [meijercommunity.com](http://meijercommunity.com). Follow Meijer on Twitter @twitter.com/Meijer and @twitter.com/MeijerPR or become a fan at [www.facebook.com/meijer](http://www.facebook.com/meijer).

### **About Blythefield Country Club**

Located just north of Grand Rapids, Blythefield has been providing families the best golf and social experience in West Michigan since 1928. With the Rogue River flowing through, Blythefield boasts one of the most beautiful championship layouts in Michigan. Previously, Blythefield has hosted the 1953 Western Amateur, the 1961 Western Open, won by Arnold Palmer, and the 2005 Western Junior won by Rickie Fowler. In 2014, Blythefield hosted the inaugural Meijer LPGA Classic presented by Kraft. Learn more about Blythefield Country Club at [www.blythefieldcc.org/](http://www.blythefieldcc.org/).

### **About the LPGA (Ladies Professional Golf Association)**

The LPGA is the world's leading professional golf organization for women. Founded in 1950, the association celebrates a diverse and storied membership with more than 2,300 members representing more than 30 different countries. With a Vision to inspire, empower, educate and entertain by showcasing the very best of women's golf, LPGA Tour Professionals compete across the globe, while dedicated LPGA Teaching and Club Professionals (T&CP) directly impact the game through teaching, coaching and management. The Symetra Tour consistently produces a pipeline of talent ready for the world stage. The LPGA is headquartered in Daytona Beach, Florida. Follow the LPGA on its television home, Golf Channel, and on the web via: [www.lpga.com](http://www.lpga.com), [www.facebook.com/LPGA](http://www.facebook.com/LPGA), [www.twitter.com/lpga](http://www.twitter.com/lpga), and [www.youtube.com/user/lpgavideo](http://www.youtube.com/user/lpgavideo).

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