

World Hickory Open 2026 Prize Winners

Archie Baird International Team Event

Archie Baird International Team Event Champions: Switzerland 1 97 pts
Jurgen Muller, Joerge Schmitt, Richard Redding, Rudolph Hunziker

Archie Baird International Team Event Runners up: Transatlantic Alliance 87pts
Clive Mabutt, Robert Williams, Jani Lahtinen, Carlos de Baros

World Hickory Open Individual Event

Ladies World Hickory Champion (gross):	Maeda Yuko (Japan)	287
Ladies World Hickory Champion (net):	Taylin Park (South Korea)	224
Men's W H Amateur Champion (gross):	Jim Reichert (USA)	241
Men's W H Amateur Runner-up (gross):	Dalibor Prochazka (Czechia)	248
Men's W H Amateur Champion (net):	Deal Hudson (USA)	203
Men's W H Amateur Runner-up (net):	Katsuyuki Fukumoto (Japan)	209
Honourable 70 Champion (gross):	David Brown (USA)	255
W H Seniors over 50 Champion (gross):	Stefan Russmann (Switzerland)	266
World Hickory Professional Champion:	Mathius Lorentzen (Denmark)	213
World Hickory Runner-up:	Peter Ruymann (USA)	218
Best dressed golfer:	Greg Smith (USA)	

Thank you to everyone who participated in the World Hickory Open 2026. The week was again blessed by magnificent weather and wonderful camaraderie.

To organise and coordinate the event in the spirit Lionel Freedman had intended and to ensure the competitors enjoy and experience golf as it began. In Lionel's own words;

***"Can I put all that in a single word? I'm not sure. But I'll try.
If pushed, I'd say the word is FUN. The hickory game is FUN. Go out there and enjoy it"***

In memory of Lionel Freedman, who passed away on January 10th 2017

***We look forward to welcoming you back in 2027 for the World Hickory Open
21st birthday celebration***