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Giroux Makes History, Cranston Breaks Through at 30th Peloton Glencoe Invitational

Thomas Giroux becomes first player to win the championship as both an amateur and professional, while Katie Cranston claims her first professional title in just her second start

CALGARY, Alta. (June 20, 2026) – History, breakthrough performances and the next generation of Canadian golf talent were on full display Saturday as Thomas Giroux and Katie Cranston captured the Men's and Women's Professional Championships at the 30th Peloton Glencoe Invitational, while Wyatt Brook and Bella Yang claimed the Men's and Women's Amateur titles.

Playing through challenging final-round conditions that included sustained winds of 20-30 km/h and a brief weather delay, Giroux closed with a 2-under-par 70 to finish at 7-under-par 209 and secure a two-shot victory in the Men's Professional Championship. The victory earned Giroux a \$25,000 winner's cheque and an exemption into the PGA TOUR Americas ATB Classic later this summer. Cranston matched Giroux's final-round 70 to finish at 3-under-par 213, earning a three-shot victory, the first professional title of her career, a \$25,000 winner's cheque and an exemption into the 2026 CPKC Women's Open in Edmonton.

On the amateur side, British Columbia's Wyatt Brook captured the Men's Amateur Championship in a playoff, while Team B.C.'s Bella Yang delivered one of the week's most remarkable performances, winning the Women's Amateur title and finishing tied for third overall among all female competitors at just 14 years old.

Giroux Completes Historic Amateur-Professional Double

Giroux's victory added a new chapter to Glencoe Invitational history. The Ontario native became the first player in tournament history to win the championship as both an amateur and a professional, adding the 2026 Men's Professional title to the amateur crown he captured in 2019.

A steady final-round 70 proved enough to hold off a strong field, with Noah Steele and Lawren Rowe finishing tied for second at 5-under-par 211. Defending champion Hunter Thomson was among a group tied for fourth at 4-under-par 212.

In addition to the championship trophy and \$25,000 winner's cheque, Giroux earned an exemption into the PGA TOUR Americas ATB Classic, providing another opportunity to compete against some of the top emerging professional talent in North America.

Cranston Claims First Professional Victory

The Women's Professional Championship belonged to Oakville, Ontario's Katie Cranston.



Competing in only her second professional tournament, Cranston delivered a composed performance throughout the week, closing with a 2-under-par 70 to finish at 3-under-par 213.

Her three-shot victory over Lauren Zaretsky marked a significant milestone and provided the first professional win of her career.

In addition to earning the \$25,000 winner's cheque, Cranston also secured an exemption into the 2026 CPKC Women's Open, giving her the opportunity to compete alongside many of the world's best players when the LPGA Tour's Canadian national championship returns to Edmonton this August.

Cranston's breakthrough continues a longstanding Glencoe Invitational tradition, with many past champions using the event as a springboard to success at the next level.

Fourteen-Year-Old Yang Impresses Against Elite Field

One of the most impressive performances of the championship came from Bella Yang.

The 14-year-old Team BC member posted rounds of 74, 75 and 70 to finish at 3-over-par 219, earning the Women's Amateur title.

Yang's performance was notable not only because of her age, but because she finished tied for third overall among all women in the field, matching Women's Professional competitor Victoria Zheng and trailing only Cranston and Zaretsky.

Competing against elite amateurs and professionals, Yang demonstrated the poise and talent that have already established her as one of Canada's brightest young golfers.

Brook Prevails in Men's Amateur Playoff

The Men's Amateur Championship delivered the drama of the day.

Fresh off his victory at the BC Men's Mid-Amateur Championship, Wyatt Brook continued his strong run of form by firing a final-round 70 to finish tied with Glencoe Golf & Country Club's Jared Code at 2-over-par 218.

Brook secured the title on the first playoff hole, earning his first Glencoe Invitational Men's Amateur Championship and adding another significant victory to an already impressive summer season.

2026 Glencoe Invitational Champions

- Men's Professional Champion: Thomas Giroux (-7, 209)
- Women's Professional Champion: Katie Cranston (-3, 213)
- Men's Amateur Champion: Wyatt Brook (+2, 218; won playoff)
- Women's Amateur Champion: Bella Yang (+3, 219)

Established in 1992, the Peloton Glencoe Invitational has evolved into one of Canada's premier developmental golf championships, uniquely bringing together men's amateur, men's professional, women's amateur and women's professional competitors in a single event. More than 100 former



participants have advanced to professional tours around the world, making the championship a proven launching pad for future success.

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About the Glencoe Invitational

Established in 1992, the Glencoe Invitational is one of Canada's premier golf championships and a recognized development pathway for elite amateur and professional golfers. The tournament features men's amateur, men's professional, women's amateur and women's professional divisions competing simultaneously over 54 holes at The Glencoe Golf & Country Club's Forest Course. The championship is part of Golf Canada's She Plays Golf Championship Series and has helped launch the careers of many of Canada's top professional golfers.

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