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UNITED STATES GOLF ASSOCIATION
U.S. Open Local Qualifier – The King Kamehameha Golf Club

For the fourth consecutive year, The King Kamehameha Golf Club (KKGC) hosted the U.S. Open Local Qualifier for 41 entrants (professionals and amateurs) on Saturday, May 11. Both qualifiers shooting impressive scores of 69 (3-under par), PGA professional at The Dunes at Maui Lani, Garrett Okamura and 18-year old resident of Japan, Kyohei Nomura captured the two spots that allow them to advance to the next stage to play in one of the thirteen 36-hole Sectional qualifiers for the 113th U.S. Open Championship to be played on the famed Merion Golf Club June 13-16. Garrett will play in the Columbus, Ohio Sectional and Kyohei will play in Newport Beach, CA Sectional.

Kyle Hayashi secured the first alternate spot with a 2-under, 70, and Canadian professional, Mitch Evanecz, beat California professional, Peter Campbell, in a 1-hole sudden-death play-off to serve as second alternate. Both Evanecz and Campbell shot even par, 72.

Many thanks to The King Kamehameha Golf Club, its members, volunteers, Rick Castillo, KKGC Director of Golf, the KKGC Staff and Jeff Halpin (USGA Official In-Charge) for supporting a well-run tournament.

Garrett Okamura 69
Kyohei Nomura 69
Kyle Hayashi 70
Mitch Evanecz 72
Peter Campbell 72
David Havens 74
Tyler Munetake 74
Kalena Preus 74
Bryce Iwasaki 75
TJ Figueroa 76
Royden Heirakuji 76
Jonathan Galarita 76
Mark Jensen 76
Jay Kurisu 77
David Saka 77
Justin Ngan 77
Chris Adam 78
Kirk Nelson 79
Kyler Tripp 79

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