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‘The Classic’



An aerial view of the clubhouse at Corning Country Club, which will welcome back the LPGA in 2027. PROVIDED BY CORNING

Corning returns to LPGA schedule in 2027

Beth Ann Nichols and Jeff Smith
Golfweek
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The Corning Classic is back. One of the longest-running events in LPGA history – 31 years – will return to the tour’s schedule in 2027 after an 18-year absence.

It will be the same town, same course, same sponsor – only different.

“This is not your grandmother’s Corning,” said Corning executive Lewis Stevenson.

Forget cookware; today’s Corning develops everything from cell phone cover

glass that won’t scratch or break to the optical fiber that’s delivering the call. In June, Corning and Amazon announced a multi-billion dollar deal for Corning to deliver the optical fiber needed to expand U.S. data centers. In May, Nvidia announced a new partnership with Corning that will create upwards of 3,000 new jobs in the U.S. In January, Corning announced a multiyear partnership with Meta that’s worth up to \$6 billion to build out its data centers.

“We are at the epicenter of doing AI from an infrastructure standpoint,” said Stevenson.

As Corning celebrates 175 years, the company has decided to get back into the business of hosting the best players in the world in Corning, New York. The event, now simply called “The Classic,”

will be held May 27-30, 2027 and feature a stout purse of \$5 million purse, among the highest of non-major events.

A beloved LPGA stop for decades, past champions include some of the greatest to ever play the game – JoAnne Carner, Betsy King (twice), Patty Sheehan, Pat Bradley, Beth Daniel and Annika Sorenstam.

The last player to win the event in 2009 was, fittingly, five-time major winner Yani Tseng, who is in the midst of her own comeback. She’ll return with a twist of her own – putting left-handed.

“Community support was always at the heart of what made this

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GRANULA MURAL

Event to include marker unveiling, live music

Beth McDermott
Hornell Evening Tribune
USA TODAY NETWORK

Dansville residents and visitors will have an opportunity to celebrate the completion of the new Granula Mural during a public dedication ceremony at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 8 in downtown Dansville.

The celebration is being organized by the Dansville ArtWorks Mural Committee and Board, according to a community announcement. Following the dedication, the Dansville Area Historical Society will unveil a new historical marker recognizing granula’s importance to the community.

The event will take place at the mural site on the north-facing wall of Sunrise Restaurant, 188 Main St., which is owned by the Mitrousis family, and on the lawn of the Dansville Public Library. If weather conditions require a change of plans, the ceremony will move indoors to the library.

Attendees will be offered light refreshments, including locally made granola donated by The Dansville Granola Company.

Aug. 8 was selected to coincide with Second Saturday Dansville, a program of the Dansville Area Chamber of Commerce’s Events Committee. Heritage Day is the August theme for the monthly event, which features organizations, vendors and businesses throughout the downtown area.

Live music will be provided by Connie & Henry beneath the Star Theatre marquee from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Organizers encourage dedication attendees to visit participating

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Hornell Kiwanis Club’s Kid’s Quarter-Miler, Health Fair set for Aug. 8

Hornell Evening Tribune
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The 35th Annual Hornell Kiwanis Club’s Kid’s Quarter-Miler and Health Fair is set for Saturday, Aug. 8 at Maple City Park’s track and football stadium.

The Health Fair, sponsored by Oak Orchard Health in Hornell, starts at 9 a.m. and runs until noon in the parking lot between the baseball and football stadium.

There is a \$5 registration for the race, starting at 9 a.m., and races start at 11 a.m. The event is for boys and girls ages 2-12.

Every racer receives a Burger King Gift Certificate and participation ribbon. Top three winners in each age group receive a trophy.

Hornell Kiwanis Club was founded in 1939 and has raised hundreds of

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