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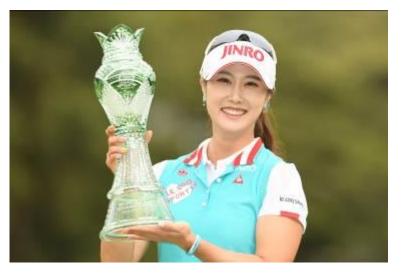
Smile Queen Ha-Neul Kim Wins WORLD LADIES CHAMPIONSHIP SALONPAS CUP For Back-to-Back Victories!

Only 8 JLPGA players have ever won back-to-back events that included a Major

HONMA GOLF CO., LTD. (Head office: Roppongi Hills Mori Tower 35F, 6-10-1 Roppongi, Minato-ku, Tokyo; representative director & president: Yasuki Ito) congratulates Tour staffer Ha-Neul Kim on winning 2017's first JLPGA major event, the JLPGA WORLD LADIES CHAMPIONSHIP at Ibaraki Golf Club's West Course in Ibaraki. That marks back-to-back victories, as she also captured last week's Cyber Agent Women's Golf Tournament. Kim also won the JLPGA's final Major last year, the JLPGA Tour Championship Ricoh Cup.

Starting the final round at Ibaraki as the sole leader, she scored consecutive birdies on holes 3 through 5. She then used her Honma TW737 FW to birdie No. 17 and clinch the victory. Kim finished the event at 9-under-par, winning by a three-stroke margin over her nearest competitor.

TOUR WORLD × TEAM HONMA prove the high performance and strength on tours all over the world again this season, and we are hoping for your continuous support of TEAM HONMA.



Ha-Neul Kim

[Date of Birth]	December 17, 19	88			
[Nationality]	Korea				
【Height】	169cm				
[Club Setting]					
1W : TOUR WO	RLD TW727 455 F	PROTO	9.5°	VIZARD	YA55 (R)
3W : TOUR WO	RLD TW737 FW		15°	VIZARD	EX-Z65 (SR)
UT : TOUR WO	RLD TW737 UT		22°	VIZARD	IN75U
UT : TOUR WO	RLD TW737 UT		25°	VIZARD	IN75U
Iron : TOUR WO	ORLD TW737 Vs		#5 ~ #	[±] 6	NS PRO 950GH(R)
Iron : TOUR WO	ORLD TW737 V			#7 ~ #10	NS PRO 950GH(R)
AW : TOUR WC	RLD TW-W			48°	NS PRO WV105
AW : TOUR WC	ORLD TW-W			52°	NS PRO WV105
SW : TOUR WC	ORLD TW-W			58°	NS PRO WV105
[JLPGA money	list] 1st				
[JLPGA Mercedes-Benz Player of the Year Rankings] 1st					
[Average stroke	e]	1st			
[Par-saving per	centage】	1st			
[Putting average	e】	1st			
(※As of March	7,2017)				

Comment from Ha-Neul Kim

I am really happy to achieve consecutive-week victories, as well as win another major tournament after last year's JLPGA Tour Championship Ricoh Cup.

I felt a lot of pressure during today's final round, but the course conditions were good for driving and I was able to make some solid shots and win.

I appreciate everyone's continued support.