

Elmsford girl falls to 3rd in tourney

PALM BEACH GARDENS, Fla. (AP) — Jean Zedlitz of Pleasanton, Calif., fired a 1-under-par 71 for a come-from-behind win in the girls' division of the PGA Junior Championship, knocking Elmsford's Margaret Platt into a tie for third place. Steve Termeer of Conroe, Texas, coasted to a 5-stroke victory in the boys' division despite a poor final round.

Zedlitz, whose previous best round of the tournament was a 75, pulled off a one-stroke victory over fellow Californian Dana Lofland of Oxnard. Zedlitz finished the 72-hole event at 12-over-par 300, while Lofland's final round of 70 left her at 301.

Third-round leader Platt slipped to a 77 Sunday to end up tied for third at 303 with Kathy Highfill of Monroe, La. Highfill fired a final-round 73.

Twelve-year-old Vicki Goetze of Hull, Ga., the youngest player in the tournament, was fifth at 304 after her final round of 79.

In the boys' division, Termeer shot a 78 over the PGA National course to maintain the lead he had held since the second round. His top competition, John Aber of Greensburg, Pa., made it a little easier by shooting a 79 Sunday.

Termeer finished at 4-over-par 292, while Aber was at 297.

Michael Finney of New Orleans took third at 76-298, followed by John Karcher of Darien, Conn., at 74-300 and Daniel Wilkinson of North Syracuse at 74-302.