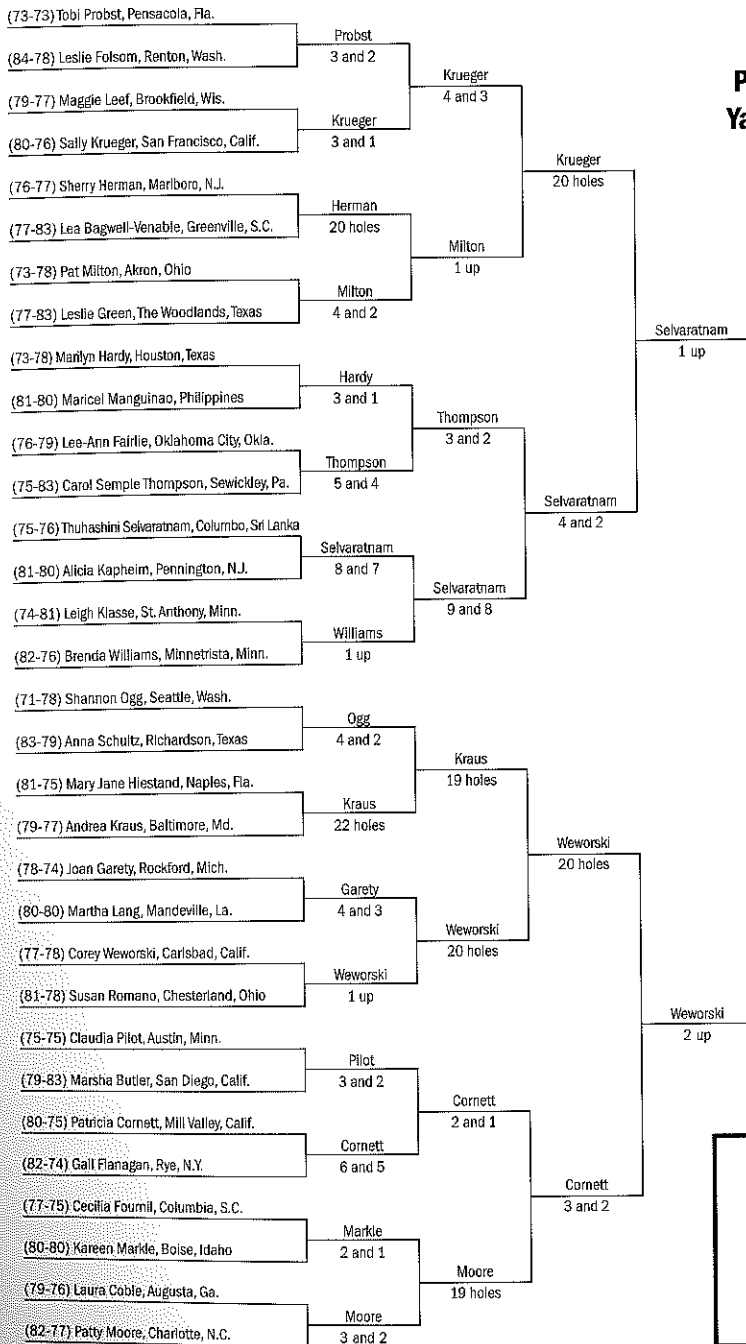


18th U.S. Women's Mid-Amateur Championship

Qual. Score 1st Round Sunday, Sept. 12 2nd Round Monday, Sept. 13 3rd Round Monday, Sept. 13 Quarterfinal Round Tuesday, Sept. 14 Semifinal Round Tuesday, Sept. 14



Complete Stroke-Play Results

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| 146 | Tobi Probst, Pensacola, Fla., 73-73 | 157 | Brookfield, Wis., 79-77; Mary Jane Hiestand, Naples, Fla., 81-75; Sally Krueger, San Francisco, Calif., 80-76; Shelley Anderson, Clarksville, Tenn., 75-81; Toni Wiesner, Fort Worth, Texas, 80-76 |
| 147 | Kathy Hartwiger, Birmingham, Ala., 77-70 | 158 | Sarah Phillips-Durst, Tallahassee, Fla., 80-77 |
| 149 | Kerry Postillion, Burr Ridge, Ill., 76-73; Shannon Ogg, Seattle, Wash., 71-78 | 159 | Brenda Williams, Minnetrista, Minn., 82-76; Carol Semple Thompson, Sewickley, Pa., 75-83; Desiree Ting, Walluku, Hawaii, 82-76; Sandra Nakagaki, Culver City, Calif., 79-79 |
| 150 | Claudia Pilot, Austin, Minn., 75-75; Susan Marchese, Omaha, Neb., 74-76; Susan Roh, Denver, Colo., 77-73 | | Akemi Khaiat, Huntington Beach, Calif., 76-83; Daria Cummings, Monroe, Conn., 82-77; Julie Massa, Holt, Mich., 83-76; Patty Moore, Charlotte, N.C., 82-77; Susan Romano, Chesterland, Ohio, 81-78 |
| 151 | Marilyn Hardy, Houston, Texas, 73-78; Thuashini Selvaratnam, Colombo, Sri Lanka, 75-76 | 160 | Brooke Cooper, New York, N.Y., 81-79; Julie Garner, Winter Park, Fla., 79-81; Karen Markle, Boise, Idaho, 80-80; Lea Bagwell-Venable, Greenville, S.C., 77-83; Leslie Green, The Woodlands, Texas, 77-83; Martha Lang, Mandeville, La., 80-80; Natalie McNicholas, Tulsa, Okla., 77-83 |
| 152 | Cecilia Fournil, Columbia, S.C., 77-75; Dawn Woodard, Cartersville, Ga., 78-74; Joan Garety, Rockford, Mich., 78-74; Lisa DeSimone, Carmel, Calif., 80-72 | 161 | Alicia Kapheim, Pennington, N.J., 81-80; Lyn Nelson, Half Moon Bay, Calif., 82-79; Maricel Manguinao, Philippines, 81-80 |
| 153 | Kathy Crumley, Dallas, Texas, 78-75; Martha Leach, Hebron, Ky., 78-75; Shery Herman, Marlboro, N.J., 76-77 | 162 | Anna Schultz, Richardson, Texas, 83-79; Char McLEAR, McHenry, Ill., 82-80; Kate Grace, San Diego, Calif., 80-82; Leslie Folsom, Renton, Wash., 84-78; Marsha Butler, San Diego, Calif., 79-83; Mina Hardin, Fort Worth, Texas, 81-81; Sandy Jockey, Agoura, Calif., 80-82 |
| 154 | Amber Marsh Elliott, Greensboro, N.C., 77-77; Pat Milton, Akron, Ohio, 75-79; Virginia Grimes, Montgomery, Ala., 79-75 | | |
| 155 | Corey Weworski, Carlsbad, Calif., 77-78; Debbie Adams, Blitmore Forest, N.C., 78-77; Jessica Soltes, Rancho Mirage, Calif., 79-76; Laura Coble, Augusta, Ga., 79-76; Lee Ann Fairlie, Oklahoma City, Okla., 76-79; Leigh Klasse, St. Anthony, Minn., 74-81; Lisa Anderson, Stoneham, Mass., 81-74; Marianne Towersey, Newport Beach, Calif., 79-76; Patricia Cornett, Mill Valley, Calif., 80-75 | | |
| 156 | Andrea Kraus, Baltimore, Md., 79-77; Ellen Port, St. Louis, Mo., 75-81; Gail Flanagan, Rye, N.Y., 82-74; Julie Carmichael, Indianapolis, Ind., 79-77; Maggie Leef, | | |

Failed to Qualify

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| 163 | Amy Tolton, York, Pa., 86-77; Ann Lahey, Kentfield, Calif., 82-81; Colette Rosenberg, Pacific Palisades, Calif., 82-81; Donna Mummert, Lebanon, N.J., 83-80; Ivy Steinberg, Cedar Valley, Ont., Canada, 81-82; Jana Jacob, Upper Arlington, Ohio, 81-82; Lynn Simmons, Phoenix, Ariz., 81-82; Marci Kornegay, Columbia, S.C., 79-84; Nancy Fitzgerald, Indianapolis, Ind., 84-79; Taffy Brower, Boynton Beach, Fla., 81-82 | 169 | Mandeville, La., 82-86; Lisa Baxter Cobler, Livermore, Calif., 86-82; Maria Sera, St. Paul, Minn., 85-83; Rita Gregory, Manhattan, Kan., 82-86; Robin W. Donnelly, Lake Forest, Ill., 87-81; Sharyn Costello, Lansing, N.Y., 85-83 |
| 164 | Camille Clay, Austin, Texas, 82-82; Charlotte Grant, Greensboro, N.C., 82-82; Kathy Glennon, St. Albans, Mo., 83-81; Lisa Schlesinger, Laytonsville, Md., 82-82; Sandy Prsby, Hinsdale, Ill., 79-85; Valarie Ogawa, Rancho Palos Verdes, Calif., 84-80 | 170 | Doris Herren, Cave Springs, Ark., 83-86; Sandy Scitti, Baltimore, Md., 84-85 |
| 165 | Karen Bouloucou, West Milford, N.J., 85-80; Rhonda Ferguson, Orange Park, Fla., 82-83; Tami Green, Hamilton, Ala., 83-82 | 171 | Caroline Rupp, Muttontown, N.Y., 84-86; Donna Marden, Tucson, Ariz., 89-81; Louella Kanew, Los Angeles, Calif., 80-90; Shawn McCullough, Alexandria, Va., 82-88 |
| 166 | Deborah Anderson, Rancho Mirage, Calif., 82-84; Donna Young, Ewing, N.J., 80-86; Lecia Alexander, Stafford, Texas, 82-84; Sydney Moore, Menominee, Mich., 85-81; Tiffany Priest, Whispering Pines, N.C., 82-84 | 172 | Alison Hurley, Scottsdale, Ariz., 86-85 |
| 167 | Allisyn Terry, Leesburg, Va., 82-85; Beth Williams, Atlanta, Ga., 85-82; Dianne Yelovich, Pinehurst, N.C., 83-84; Karen Mabl, Palos Verdes Estates, Calif., 83-84; Linda Pearson, Glendale, Calif., 83-84; Sue Gilstrap, Carlsbad, Calif., 82-85 | 173 | Tina Barker, Castro Valley, Calif., 85-87; Tori Fishburn, Ogden, Utah, 86-86 |
| 168 | Jamie Hoffman, Escondido, Calif., 84-84; Kay Daniel, | 174 | Karen Brannon, Poway, Calif., 82-91; Kim Briele, New Bern, N.C., 92-81; Lee Ann Lewis, Great River, N.Y., 84-89; Maggie Weder, Greenville, N.C., 84-89 |
| | | 175 | Christine Gear, Minneapolis, Minn., 85-89; Dot Bolling, Salem, Va., 86-88; Sandra Jackson, New York, N.Y., 83-91; Tina Jones, St. Louis, Mo., 85-89 |
| | | 176 | Amy Drake, Arlington, Texas, 88-87; Helen Stovell, Fairfield, Conn., 88-87 |
| | | 177 | Diane Henry, Richmond, Texas, 86-90; Lynn Anderson, Minneapolis, Minn., 86-90; Sandra Macpherson, Lakeside, Calif., 89-87 |
| | | | Annette Gaiotti, Salt Lake City, Utah, 86-91; Terri Mc Angus, Swansea, Ill., 85-92 |

178	Susan Godwin, Dallas, Texas, 95-83	193	Emily Hess, Newton, Mass., 100-93
179	Cindy Ball, Carrollton, Texas, 95-84; Shelley Mayer, San Marcos, Calif., 88-91	WD	Elizabeth Haines, Gladwyne, Pa., 79
184	Mary Riddell, Springfield, Va., 92-92		
186	Leslie Henry, Ennis, Texas, 93-93		

Championship History

The U.S. Women's Mid-Amateur Championship originated in 1987 as a result of a need determined by an ad hoc committee headed by Dena Nowotny, a member of the USGA Women's Committee.

The Women's Mid-Amateur, the USGA's 13th championship, was created to provide a national competitive arena for amateurs age 25 and older.

By 1987, it had become increasingly difficult for female amateur golfers beyond college to compete equitably with their collegiate counterparts, for whom golf was nearly a full-time vocation.

One must go back to 1973 and Carol Semple Thompson to find the last career amateur to win the U.S. Women's Amateur.

As with any new championship, there was initial concern with the level of entries. In this case, women amateurs responded with enthusiasm. The first championship attracted 320 entries, only 22 fewer than the number that had entered the 1987 Women's Amateur a few weeks earlier.

The starting field of 130 players was determined by sectional qualifying. The first Women's Mid-Amateur was played at Southern Hills Country Club in Tulsa, Okla. The inaugural championship was won by Cindy Scholefield, 27, of Malibu, Calif.

The Women's Mid-Amateur has been the setting for a number of noteworthy finals. In 1989, Robin Weiss, of Palm Beach Gardens, Fla., defeated Page Marsh Lea on the 22nd hole. In 1990, despite the tremendous pressure of competing on her home course as a crowd favorite, Carol Semple Thompson, 41, of Sewickley, Pa., defeated Page Marsh Lea, 3 and 1, at the Allegheny Country Club, where Semple Thompson had learned the game.

Sarah LeBrun Ingram, of Nashville, Tenn., in 1994 became the first player to capture consecutive Women's Mid-Amateur championships. She had previously won in 1991 and 1993 and is one of just two three-time winners.

In 2000, Ellen Port, 39, of St. Louis, Mo., won her third Women's Mid-Amateur Championship at Big Canyon Country Club in Newport Beach, Calif. She also won the title in 1995 and 1996.