## 104th U.S. Women’s Amateur Championship

**Qualifier Score**

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- **(79-71) Amie Cochran, Torrance, Calif.**
- **(52-74) Wai-Ling Lu, Taipei, Chinese Taipei**
- **(72-80) Katie Fischer, The Woodlands, Texas**
- **(76-76) Paula Creamer, Pleasanton, Calif.**
- **(74-76) Kathy Hartman, Birmingham, Ala.**
- **(78-78) Isabell Lendt, Goosenh, Conn.**
- **(73-77) Brittany Linconce, Seminole, Fla.**
- **(74-80) Magdalena Romko, Kissimmee, Fla.**
- **(73-73) Kristen Denison, Madison, Ind.**
- **(79-75) Maria Martinez, Caracas, Venezuela**
- **(77-74) Irene Cho, Los Angeles, Calif.**
- **(75-78) Jennifer Osborn, Huntington Beach, Calif.**
- **(72-76) Diana Ramage, Fayetteville, Ga.**
- **(78-76) Elsa Serrania, Barcelona, Spain**
- **(74-77) Marine Choil, Los Angeles, Calif.**
- **(80-73) Elizabeth Janangelo, West Hartford, Conn.**
- **(72-71) Sun Young Park, Seoul, Korea**
- **(78-77) Kristen Sw камерris, Hillsboro, Ore.**
- **(76-76) Lindsay Hallock, Littleton, Colo.**
- **(77-75) Kaliine Downs, Bend, Ore.**
- **(73-76) Kristen White, Doylestown, Pa.**
- **(76-76) Nicole Hayes, Coral Springs, Fla.**
- **(76-74) Joseph Shepley, Owen Sound, Ont., Canada**
- **(73-80) Margaret Shirley, Roswell, Ga.**
- **(71-74) Nicole Cutler, Cherry Hills Village, Colo.**
- **(78-77) Whitney Wade, Glenview, Ky.**
- **(78-73) LeAnne Wagger, Lebanon, Ky.**
- **(77-76) Amanda McCurdy, El Dorado, Ark.**
- **(71-77) Jennifer Hong, Windermere, Fla.**
- **(80-74) Ye-Nei Tsang, Taipei, Chinese Taipei**
- **(73-78) Grace Wei, Barnsfield, Calif.**
- **(73-78) Megan George, Plymouth, Minn.**

**Par:** 36-36-72  
**Yardage:** 6,365  
**Entries:** 868

Quarterfinal Round: Monday, Aug. 16

Grono
22 holes
Glocky Wedding, Wilmington, Ohio (81-74)
Nicole/Aznar-Zagarich, Los Angeles, Calif. (75-77)
Charlotte Meyers, Murrieta, Calif. (78-74)
Sarah Huarte, Shingle Springs, Calif. (86-73)
Jerry Suh, Fairfax, Va. (77-77)
Katie Bopkin, Spokane, Wash. (77-73)
Whitney Frymon, Azworth, Ga. (75-78)
Sarah Huarte, Shingle Springs, Calif. (86-73)

Pressel
3 and 2
Laura Matthews, Windsor, Ont., Canada (78-77)
Gina Ullrich, Redlands, Calif. (71-80)
Brianna Bredicker, Richmond, Va. (77-78)
In-Bee Park, Henderson, Nev. (74-73)
Korean-Chin Li, Taipei, Chinese Taiwan (74-80)
Angela Park, Torrance, Calif. (75-76)
Michelle Wie, Honolulu, Hawaii (75-78)
Hee-Yong Park, Seoul, Korea (72-71)

Allen
2 and 1
Shayna Miyajima, Waialua, Hawaii (79-70)
Heather Zolnikov, Sylvania, Ohio (75-77)
Beth Allen, San Diego, Calif. (78-74)
Tanai Elosegui, San Sebastian, Spain (68-81)
Bridget Dwyer, Kailua, Hawaii (78-76)
Carly Griswold, Shelly Beach, NSW, Australia (70-74)
Jenna Pearson, Wheaton, Ill. (78-76)
Jane Park, Rancho Cucamonga, Calif. (75-71)
Terra Petzinger, Arcadia, N.D. (79-76)
Kim Shin, Mountlake Terrace, Wash. (78-73)
Carolina Lazo, Medellin, Colombia (79-73)
Mina Harigae, Monterey, Calif. (74-74)

Horigae
3 and 2
Taylor Leon, Dallas, Texas (78-76)
Jennie Leu, Huntington Beach, Calif. (75-76)
Whitney Weir, Las Vegas, Calif. (75-78)
Complete Stroke-Play Results

141. Annie Cohen, Torrance, Calif., 70-71
143. Sun-Yong Yoo, Seoul, Korea, 72-71; Juriya Granada, Aumonie, France, 73-70; Hee Young Park, Seoul, Korea, 72-71
145. Nicole Cutter, Cherry Hills Village, Colo., 71-74
146. Karen Demond, Madison, Ind., 73-73; Morgan Pressel, Boca Raton, Fla., 69-77; Jane Park, Rancho Cucamonga, Calif., 75-71
147. In-Bea Park, Henderson, Nev., 74-73; Diana Ramage, Fayetteville, Ga., 72-75
148. Jennifer Hong, Windermere, Fla., 71-77; Mika Hargreaves, Monterey, Calif., 74-74
149. Tanja Elesgut, San Sebastian, Spain, 68-81; Sarah Huarte, Shingle Springs, Calif., 76-73; Kristin White, Doylestown, Pa., 73-76
150. Kathy Hartwig, Birmingham, Ala., 74-76; Britany Uneccomo, Seminole, Fla., 73-77; Nikki Garrett, Shelly Beach, NSW, Australia, 76-74; Katie Brough, Joelton, Wash., 77-73; Jessica Shepley, Owen Sound, Ont., Canada, 76-74
151. Leah Wigger, Louisville, Ky., 76-73; Irene Chu, Los Angeles, Calif., 77-74; Sara Unckley, Redlands, Calif., 71-80; Lindsay Hulwick, Littleton, Colo., 76-76; Kim Shirk, Mountainaire Terrace, Wash., 76-73; Grace Uba, Barbados, Calif., 73-78; Jennie Lee, Huntingdon Beach, Calif., 75-76; Angee Park, Torrance, Calif., 76-76; Marina Cho, Los Angeles, Calif., 75-77
152. Amanda McDonagh, El Dorado Ariz., 77-75; Charlotte Mayerkess, Murrieta, Calif., 79-74; Cori ella Umana, Medellin, Colombia, 79-73; Beth Allen, San Diego, Calif., 78-74; Karin Owens, Bend, Ore., 77-75; Katie Putcha, The Woodlands, Texas, 72-82; Paula Creamer, Pleasanton, Calif., 76-76; Heather Ziekamp, Sylvania, Ohio, 75-77; Nicolas Azarn-Zanganeh, Lasarossa, Switzerland, 75-77; Jamae Pearson, Wheaton, Ill., 77-76; Whitney Frymier, Anawroth, Ga., 75-78; Margaret Shirley, Roswell, Ga., 73-80; Brianna Bradie, Richmond, Mo., 77-76; Whitney Welsh, Las Vegas, Nev., 75-76; Jennifer Osburn, Huntington Beach, Calif., 75-78; Elizabeth Annamalai, West Hartford, Conn., 80-73; Michelle Wie, Honolulu, Hawaii, 79-79; Megan George, Plymouth, Minn., 73-80
153. Kaz-Chi Lu, Taipai, Chinese Taipei, 74-80; Elise Senramia, Barcelona, Spain, 78-76; Matti Martinez, Caracas, Venezuela, 79-75; Niziel Hag, Coni Springs, Fls., 78-76; Yau-Wi Tseng, Taipai, Chinese Taipei, 89-74; Mayeke Trommberg, Kaiserslau, Fls., 74-80; Isabelle Lendl, Goshen, Conn., 76-78; Jenny Suh, Fairfax Va., 77-77; Taylor Leon, Dallas, Texas, 76-75; Bridget Dwyer, Kailua, Hawaii, 76-75
154. Kristen Swinarski, Hillsboro, Ore., 78-77; Sayya Muyogina, Waikiki, Hawaii, 79-76; Gabby Wrestling, Wilmington, Ohio, 81-74; Terra Pettigrew, Avilla, N.D., 79-76; Whitney Wade, Groton, Ky., 78-77; Laura Matthes, Windsor, Ont., Canada, 78-77
155. *Helio-Ching Lu, Taipai, Chinese Taipei, 82-74 (4,2)
156. *Sin Han, Torrance, Calif., 82-74 (4,3); *Anna Temple, Berkeley, Calif., 78-74 (4,3); *Lisa Ferreira, Lodi, Calif., 77-79 (4,4); *Laura Tomby, St. Michaels, Md., 80-76 (4,4); *Meghan Bolger, Hadleigh Cour, N.J., 79-79 (4,4); *Kori Lee, Paramus, N.J., 79-79 (4,4); *Erin Anderson, Los Angeles, Nev., 79-79 (5); *Becky Sennem, Eife, Pa., 76-80 (5); *Lauren Crawford, Lancaster, S.C., 78-70 (5); *Seena Sodarke, Toronto, Ont., Canada, 80-76 (5)
157. Katie Quinnin, Jacksoonville Beach, Fla., 79-78; Sophia Sherian, Chula Snapchat, Mexico, 75-82; Virginia Gilmans, Montgomery, Ala., 80-77; Eline Kurokawa, Redondo Beach, Calif., 79-72; Christa Spedding, Granbury, Texas, 83-74; Lee Ann Fairlie, Oklahoma City, Okla., 80-77; Carol Green, Tucson, Ariz., 81-76; Sukjin-Lee Winsloff, Iona River, N.J., 76-82; Carol Semple Thompson, Seawick, Pa., 80-77; Lisa Musholb, Blooming Prairie, Minn., 78-79
158. Party Moore, Chrichte, N.C., 79-78; Ashley Hoagland, Palmetto, Fla., 79-78; Sydney Moore, Mananinie, Mich., 79-79; Annie Thurman, Highland, Utah, 80-79; Shanana Ogg, Seattle, Wash., 76-82; Emily Milbanger, Olde, Kan., 80-78; Maree Hill, Palon, Manet, N.Y., 78-80; Tisha Miller, Miami, Fla., 80-78; Hui Ning Vou, Hong Kong, Peoples Republic of China, 80-78; Briana Vies, North Andover, Mass., 79-78; Sally Kraeg, San Francisco, Calif., 77-81; Leanne Owen, De Moines, Iowa, 79-79
159. Marilyn Hardy, Housto, Texas, 77-82; Ashley Gomes, Pleasanton, Calif., 78-81; Elise Port, St. Louis, Mo., 76-83; Ashley Frey, Katy, Texas, 82-77; Rebecca Durham, St. Simon Island, Ga., 82-77
160. Susan Ramon, Chestertown, Ohio, 83-77; Courtney Mather, Igoke, Kan., 81-79; Christine Yum, Bradenton, Fla., 83-77; Brittany Lang, McKinney, Texas, 80-80; Kelly Schaefer, Greiley, Colo., 80-80
161. Minnaus Polliis, Brighton-Le-Sands, NSW, Australia, 80-81; Erin Falla, Bowling Green, Ky., 79-82; Mani McDowell, Grand Blanc, Mich., 79-82; Nancy Fitzjarl, Carmel, Ind., 82-79; Lauren Johnson, The Woodlands, Texas, 81-80
162. Michelle Daye, LeGrange, Ga., 79-72; Kay Jarchow, Rides, NSW Australia, 84-76; Kimberly Leonard, Rock, Mount, N.C., 86-76
163. Yu-Bin Bang, Venice, Fla., 83-80; Ashley Knoll, The Woodlands, Texas, 80-83; Kirstin Welf, Johnstown, Pa., 85-78; Jennifer Ackerman, Alton, Texas, 78-85; Kelsy Luthi, Victoria, Texas, 88-78
164. Maria Galang, Buenos Aires, Argentina, 79-85; Lauren Todd, Phoenix, Ariz., 83-81; Ana Andrade Tantico, Boca Ricol, City, Philippines, 83-81; Kimberly Danon, Hojioal, Mass., 81-83; Amir Martel Efford, Greenbo, N.C., 81-83
165. Laura Mielk, Gulf Stream, Fla., 84-81; Heather Rosa, Chillicothe, Ohio, 84-81; Alessandra Badgerman, Palm City,
Championship History

The U.S. Women’s Amateur Championship marks the beginning of women’s competitive golf in this country. Along with the U.S. Amateur and the U.S. Open, the Women’s Amateur was one of the USGA’s first three championships.

The first Women’s Amateur Championship was arranged on short notice one month after the 1895 Amateur and Open Championships.

The following small item appeared in the social column of a New York newspaper shortly after the completion of play: “Thirteen ladies played 18 holes of golf at the Meadow Brook Club, in Hempstead, recently. Mrs. Charles S. Brown, whose husband plays at the Shinnecock Hills Club, in Southampton, L.I., made the best score and thus won the United States championship for lady golfers.”

Very few early golf clubs encouraged women to play. There were exceptions, of course, most notably Shinnecock Hills, whose private property the Women’s Amateur title would become for the first four years. When Lucy Barnes elected not to defend in 1896, Shinnecock came up with a replacement in Beatrix Hoyt, who would become its best-known player. Miss Hoyt was the granddaughter of Supreme Court Chief Justice Salmon P. Chase. She won the next three championships.

Although a stroke-play format was selected for the first championship, the Women’s Amateur became a match-play competition in 1896, and has remained so ever since.

The most noteworthy champion is the late Glenna Collett Vare, a lifelong amateur who won the Cox Cup a record six times. In the 1920s and 1930s, Vare was the darling of the sports world, much as Bobby Jones was during that era.

Second only to Vare is JoAnne Gunderson Carner, who won five Women’s Amateur Championships. Combined with her two wins in the U.S. Women’s Open and a single win in the U.S. Girls’ Junior, Carner’s record of eight USGA titles is eclipsed only by Jones, who won nine.

Women’s Amateur champions seem to have a remarkable facility to repeat. Hoyt, Alexa Stirling, Vare, Virginia Van Wie, and Juli Simpson Inkster have all won the Women’s Amateur three times consecutively. A noteworthy six champions—