

Amy Read



Rookie year: 1987
Status: Non-exempt
Career-best finish: T4
Career-low round: 65
Career earnings (rank): \$336,680 (221)
LPGA career holes-in-one: 1
Education: University of Kentucky (1986, Recreation)

Professional

Career Highlights

- In 2001, returned to the LPGA Final Qualifying Tournament and tied for 25th to retain her non-exempt status for the 2002 season.
- In 2000, recorded her career-best finish with a tie for fourth at the Oldsmobile Classic; the \$32,708 paycheck was the largest of her career.
- In 1999, carded her first career hole-in-one during the first round of the Mercury Titleholders Championship; underwent knee surgery for the second time in two years.
- In 1998, best finish was a tie for 15th at the Wegmans Rochester International; competed in only nine events due to knee surgery.
- In 1997, top finish was a tie for eighth at the Sara Lee Classic.
- In 1996, season-best finish was a tie for 10th at the inaugural CoreStates Betsy King Classic.
- In 1995, recorded her career-low round of 65 during the final round of the JAL Big Apple Classic; competed in only nine events due to wrist and knee surgery.
- In 1994, best finish was a tie for 15th at the HEALTHSOUTH Palm Beach Classic.
- In 1993, best finish was a tie for 12th at the Sara Lee Classic.
- In 1992, recorded four top-20 finishes, including a tie for ninth at the JAL Big Apple Classic; played a limited schedule due to a wrist injury.
- In 1991, top finish was a tie for 28th at the LPGA Corning Classic.
- In 1990, played a limited schedule due to recurring injuries in her shoulder and ankle; best finish was a tie for 20th at the Centel Classic.
- In 1989, missed most of the season due to reconstructive ankle surgery.
- In 1988, recorded her first top-10 finish with a tie for 10th at the Jamie Farr Toledo Classic.
- In 1987, her rookie season, best finish was a tie for 29th at the Rochester International.
- In 1986, qualified for the Tour by tying for 29th at the LPGA Final Qualifying Tournament to earn non-exempt status for the 1987 season.

Amateur

Read won the 1984 Illinois State Amateur Championship, was a semifinalist at the 1986 Women's Southern Amateur and participated in the USGA Women's Amateur from 1981-85. She was chosen for the Southeastern Conference Team from 1985-86.

Personal

5'7", brown hair, blue eyes...Credits Bob Hamilton, Craig and Dick Harmon and mother Barbara Read as the individuals most influencing her career...Qualified for the Tour on her first attempt.

Major Championship History

The U.S. Women's Open became an LPGA major in 1950; the McDonald's LPGA Championship Presented by AIG became a major in 1955; the Kraft Nabisco Championship became a major in 1983; and the Weetabix Women's British Open became a major championship in 2001. From 1979-2000 the LPGA's fourth major was the du Maurier Classic. The Weetabix Women's British Open replaced the du Maurier Classic in 2001. (KNC, Kraft Nabisco Championship; LPGA, McDonald's LPGA Championship Presented by AIG; OPEN, U.S. Women's Open; WB, Weetabix Women's British Open; DM, du Maurier Classic)

	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96-02
KNC	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
LPGA	DNP	MC	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	MC	DNP	DNP	DNP
OPEN	MC	DNP	DNP	MC	T49	DNP	T53	T31	MC	DNP
DM/WB	MC [^]	MC [^]	DNP [^]	DNP [^]	DNP [^]	T33 [^]	MC [^]	DNP [^]	DNP [^]	DNP

[^] indicates finishes in the du Maurier Classic.

Read's LPGA Record

Information above the line indicates record before originally qualifying for the LPGA Tour.

Year	# of events	Cuts made	Wins	2nd	3rd	Top 10s	Best finish	Earnings	Rank	Scoring average
1985	1	0	0	0	0	0	MC	N/A	N/A	78.50
1987	23	7	0	0	0	0	T29	\$ 6,790	139	75.30
1988	28	15	0	0	0	1	T10	18,723	104	74.66
1989	2	0	0	0	0	0	MC	N/A	N/A	76.33
1990	13	3	0	0	0	0	T20	11,151	142	75.43
1991	11	5	0	0	0	0	T28	8,699	155	74.48
1992	13	8	0	0	0	1	T9	41,121	101	72.95
1993	24	12	0	0	0	0	T12	33,731	110	73.51
1994	19	12	0	0	0	0	T15	38,731	109	72.74
1995	9	4	0	0	0	0	T35	8,661	166	73.87
1996	12	5	0	0	0	1	T10	18,160	143	74.22
1997	20	15	0	0	0	2	T8	66,641	93	72.33
1998	9	5	0	0	0	0	T15	22,431	142	73.25
1999	14	2	0	0	0	0	T56	3,245	199	73.28
2000	10	6	0	0	0	1	T4	43,877	131	72.66
2001	18	5	0	0	0	0	T43	9,367	171	74.05
2002	8	2	0	0	0	0	T52	5,350	188	73.65