



Performance Insights

Round 1 Recap: Meijer LPGA Classic for Simply Give

Top Notes to Know From Round 1:

- *Mi Hyang Lee: bogey-free 64; made 2 putts of 20+ feet in opening round
- *Grace Kim: 65; ties 2nd-lowest opening round score of LPGA Tour career
- *Grace Kim: 111 feet made of putts, 4 putts made of 10+ feet in opening round
- *Akie Iwai: 66 (-6); opened with 65 last week at ShopRite Classic (finished T-15)

*Mi Hyang Lee made two putts of at least 20 feet in her brilliant, bogey-free opening round 64. Entering this week, she made on average a little less than 2 of those putts every 72 holes.

Mi Hyang Lee

Season Averages vs Round 1

	Season Average	Round 1
Bogey average	2.45	0
Greens in regulation	72.7%	88.9%
Putting 5-10 feet	51.2%	60.0% (3-for-5)
Made per round of 20+ feet	0.47	2

*Mi Hyang Lee's approach play was on point during her opening round 64, hitting 16 of 18 greens in regulation and knocking 4 approach shots inside of 10 feet. It's an area of her game that has been improved as of late, gaining over three-quarters of a stroke per round across her last 4 starts entering the week:

Mi Hyang Lee SG Approach

LPGA Tour – This Season

	SG Approach
First 6 Starts	-0.07
Last 4 Starts	+0.80

*Hit 16/18 greens in regulation in round 1

*It was a fantastic day on the greens for Grace Kim, who needed just 23 putts to complete her round and sank well over 100 feet of putts. She holed four of ten feet or longer, as well.

Grace Kim Putting

Meijer LPGA Classic – Round 1

Total Putts	23
Feet of Putts Made	111'
Putts Made of 10+ Feet	4
Putting from 5-10 Feet	4-for-5



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*Kim started her week with a 65, tying the second-lowest opening round score of her LPGA career. The only lower first round was the 2024 JM Eagle Championship when she shot 64.

Grace Kim

Lowest 1st Round Scores – LPGA Career

		Finish
2024 JM Eagle LA Championship	64	T-25
2025 Meijer LPGA Classic	65	?
2025 Black Desert Championship	65	9th
2023 Maybank Championship	65	T-34

*Minjee Lee is quietly having an excellent season on the LPGA Tour with 7 top 25 finishes in 10 starts and has once again put herself in the mix with an opening round 67. She ranks 4th in strokes gained total this season, averaging more than 2 full strokes gained per round:

Strokes Gained Total Leaders

LPGA Tour – This Season (Entering Week)

	SG Total
Jeeno Thitikul	2.70
Nelly Korda	2.54
Angel Yin	2.38
Minjee Lee	2.18*
Yealimi Noh	2.09

*Gained 4.17 in round 1

*After a strong opening round 67, Andrea Lee finds herself inside the top 10 as she searches for her first win since 2022. Her improved putting could help lift her to that victory this weekend, as she ranks inside the top 30 in strokes gained putting after ranking outside the top 140 just two years ago:

Andrea Lee SG Putting

LPGA Tour – Last 3 Seasons

	SG Putting	Rank
2023	-0.58	141st
2024	+0.33	44th
2025	+0.63	28th