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Day 1 Recap: The ANNIKA Driven by Gainbridge at Pelican

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Top Notes to Know From Day 1 (Play Suspended)

- *Jiwon Jeon: 64; made hole-in-one on hole 3 (3rd career ace on LPGA Tour)
- *Charley Hull: 64; lowest opening round score of LPGA Tour career
- *Charley Hull: made 112 feet of putts in round 1 (made 4 putts of 10+ feet)
- *Nelly Korda: 66; 3rd time opening tournament this year with 66 or lower (won previous 2)
- *Nelly Korda: 16'9" average approach from 100-125 yards today (season average 20'11")

*Charley Hull's opening round 64 ties the lowest round of her LPGA Tour career. She has shot scores of 64 on three other occasions.

Charley Hull

Lowest Rounds of LPGA Tour Career

	Round	Score
2017 Toto Japan Classic	2	64
2021 CME Group Tour Champ.	4	64
2022 Ascendant LPGA	4	64
2024 THE ANNIKA	1	64

*Hull made more than 110 feet of putts in the first round, including four from ten feet or longer.

Charley Hull

Round 1 Putting – THE ANNIKA

Total putts	26
Made of 10+ feet	4
Putting 10-15 feet	2-for-3
Feet of putts made	112'

*This is the third time in 2024 that Nelly Korda has started an LPGA Tour event with a score of 66 or lower. She went on to win the other two instances.

Nelly Korda

1st Round of 66 or Lower – This Season

	Score	Finish
LPGA Drive On Championship	65	Won
Ford Championship	66	Won
THE ANNIKA	66	?



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*Nelly Korda's strong start gave her a slight boost to her overall tournament win probability.

Nelly Korda Win Probability – The ANNIKA

Entering Round 1	11.0%
Entering Friday	18.8%

*Nelly had four approach shots from 100 to 125 yards in round one. She hit three of them to 15 feet or closer – and her average for the day from that range was more than four feet closer than her season average in 2024:

Nelly Korda Approach Shots from 100-125 Yards

Season average	20'11"
Round 1*	16'9"

*Hit 3 of 4 shots to 15 feet or closer

*Jiwon Jeon had a hole-in-one on the 177-yard, par 3 third hole on Thursday, but it wasn't her only stellar approach shot from the 175 to 200 yard range. She also hit approaches from that range to 9 and 16 feet, respectively, in round one.

Approach Shots from 150-175 Yards LPGA Tour This Season

	Proximity
LPGA Tour average	40'6"
Jiwon Jeon – Season	36'4"
Jiwon Jeon – Round 1	8'4"*

*3 approach shots (including hole-in-one) all 16 feet or closer

*Cheyenne Knight entered this week as an above average putter this season from five to ten feet away. She was excellent from that range on Thursday, making four of five tries. Her 66 ties her lowest opening round score of the year:

Putting from 5 to 10 Feet LPGA Tour This Season

Tour make percentage	56.2%
C. Knight – This Season	58.4%
C. Knight – Round 1	80.0% (4-for-5)