



## Performance Insights

### Round 2 Recap: Buick LPGA Shanghai

#### Top Notes to Know From Round 2:

- \*Minami Katsu: 61 in round 2 marked the new course record; made 162 feet of putts
- \*Minami Katsu: +3.76 strokes gained per round over her last 6 rounds played on the LPGA Tour
- \*Ina Yoon: One of two players to rank top 10 in strokes gained off the tee and approach this season
- \*Arpichaya Yubol: 34 total putts, 50 feet of putts made in round 2 (made 194' in round 1)
- \*Jeeno Thitikul: 2nd-highest win probability of any player entering the weekend (25.7%)

\*Minami Katsu's 61 in round 2 is a new course record at Qizhong Garden Golf Club, bettering the 62's shot last season by Sei Young Kim and Hye-Jin Choi:

#### Lowest Rounds

##### Buick LPGA Shanghai – Tournament History

	Round	Score
2025 Minami Katsu	2	61 (-11)
2024 Sei Young Kim	1	62 (-10)
2024 Hye-Jin Choi	4	62 (-10)

\*Katsu was excellent on the greens on her way to a course record 61 in round 2 in Shanghai, needing just 24 total putts and sinking over 150 feet of putts, including a 39-footer on her final hole of the day to set the new record:

#### Minami Katsu Putting

##### Buick LPGA Shanghai – Round 2

Total Putts	24
Feet of Putts Made	162'
Putts Made of 10+ Feet	5
Putts Made of 30+ Feet	2
Putting from 5-10 Feet	7-for-7



## Performance Insights

\*Katsu entered the week fresh off a 3rd place finish in Hawai'i and has kept the positive momentum rolling. Over her last 6 rounds played, she now has a scoring average of 67.3, making birdie or better on a third of the holes she has played and averaging over 3.5 strokes gained per round:

### Minami Katsu Scoring LPGA Tour – Last 6 Rounds

Scoring Average	67.3
Score to Par	-28
Birdie or Better Pct.	33.3%
Total Bogeys	8
SG Total	+3.76

\*Finished 3rd last week at LOTTE Championship

\*Ina Yoon opened with consecutive rounds in the 60s for just the second time in her career to sit two shots off the pace and in solo 2nd entering the weekend. She will need to rely on her excellent ball-striking this weekend to bring home her first LPGA Tour win; only her and Haeran Ryu rank inside the top 10 in both strokes gained off the tee and approach this season:

### Top 10 in SG Off the Tee and Approach LPGA Tour – This Season

	Haeran Ryu	Ina Yoon
Off the Tee	T-5th	T-5th
Approach	1st	10th

\*Only players to rank top 10 in both categories

\*Despite entering the weekend 4 strokes off the lead, KPMG Performance Insights still give Jeeno Thitikul the second highest win probability come Sunday behind only leader Minami Katsu:

### KPMG Performance Insights Win Probability Buick LPGA Shanghai – After Round 2

Minami Katsu	28.6%
Jeeno Thitikul	25.7%
Ina Yoon	8.3%
Minjee Lee	7.3%
Lindy Duncan	5.2%



## Performance Insights

\*After her putter caught fire on her way to the round 1 lead, Arpichaya Yubol cooled down in a major way on the greens on Friday, sinking just 50 total feet of putts:

### Arpichaya Yubol Putting

#### Buick LPGA Shanghai – First 2 Rounds

	Round 1	Round 2
Total Putts	28	34
Feet of Putts Made	194'	50'
Putts Made of 10+ Feet	6	1
Putting from 25+ Feet	3-for-4	0-for-2

\*Lindy Duncan continues her excellent season, sitting in a tie for third through 2 rounds as she eyes her first LPGA Tour victory this weekend. She has been excellent on approach shots from 125-150 yards this week, averaging under 20 feet to the hole and making birdie on 6 of 11 approaches from that range:

### Lindy Duncan Approaches from 125-150 yards

#### This Season vs. This Week

LPGA Tour Average	27' 6"
Lindy Duncan – Season Average	30' 4"
Lindy Duncan – This Week	19' 11"

\*Made birdie on 6 of 11 approach shots from that range