

# U.S. Girls' Junior Championship

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## Lucy Li

### Quick Quotes

**Q. 14 holes versus 43 yesterday; a little bit of a lighter load. I know you had to wait a long time, but you really kind of kicked it in gear.**

LUCY LI: Yeah, definitely. 14 holes, at least I'll get to rest today. After all that golf yesterday, I went home and my feet hurt and my legs hurt, so it'll be good to take the rest of today off and get ready for a long day tomorrow.

**Q. You started off and you lost the first two holes, and then you won six in a row there to basically close it out.**

LUCY LI: Yeah, definitely. I did not get off to a good start, three-putted the first hole, missed like two six-footers the first two holes, then really got it back there. I birdied No. 5, and then I eagled 10, and kind of just was -- yeah.

**Q. You birdied 5; what was the shot into 5?**

LUCY LI: Well, I hit it to like six or seven feet for birdie. She made a long putt for par, so I was like, okay, I need to make this, because I'm 2-down. That putt gave me a lot of confidence actually because my putting wasn't too good the last two rounds. But after that, like my putting was really good after that.

**Q. On 10 did you chip in for eagle?**

LUCY LI: No, I actually hit this wood, and I was trying to hit it into the bunker, and it landed short and then like skipped over the bunker to like 10 feet downhill, and I made it. Kind of lucky.

**Q. And then obviously at that point you start thinking --**

LUCY LI: Yeah.

**Q. Your thoughts about possibly playing Alexa Pano, another Drive, Chip and Putt national champion; you guys I'm sure know each other from junior golf?**

LUCY LI: Yeah, definitely. We played a lot of tournaments together, AJGA's. We hung out a lot this week. Yeah, it'll be fun to play against here. I just played with her last week in the Junior PGA.

**Q. You were paired with her?**

LUCY LI: Yeah.



**Q. Do you have an idea what her game is?**

LUCY LI: Well, yeah, I've known her for a while.

**Q. What will you do tonight? Will you soak the feet?**

LUCY LI: Yeah, I think I'm just going to rest, stretch, eat some food. That's pretty much it.

**Q. What about today, dealing with all the -- I'm sure you got to the course early ready to go?**

LUCY LI: Actually I didn't. I think a lot of the girls got here way earlier than I did. I got here at like 10:30 because I woke up at like 6:40 and then I saw the delay, so I ate breakfast, and then I saw it was delayed again, so I went up and then took a nap and just hung out, stretched and then came out.

**Q. A lot better than yesterday.**

LUCY LI: Yeah, a lot better.

**Q. Do you feel a little more refreshed today?**

LUCY LI: Yeah, definitely.

**Q. This is the farthest you've ever been in a USGA championship, right, a semifinalist?**

LUCY LI: Yeah.

**Q. You're already in the Amateur, so you're really playing for the big prize?**

LUCY LI: Yeah.