

# U.S. Girls' Junior

Tuesday, July 18, 2023  
Colorado Springs, Colo., USA  
Eisenhower Golf Club, Blue Course

## Tarapath Panya



**Q. You had a steady round, just one bogey, could you walk me through your round today?**

TARAPATH PANYA: My round was pretty good today. My putter was not working, but I had a lot of good saves.

**Q. Did you think the hole locations were harder today than yesterday?**

TARAPATH PANYA: I think the pins were harder than yesterday, especially on the last hole.

**Q. In terms of the course conditions, how did today compare to yesterday and then even to the practice rounds?**

TARAPATH PANYA: I played in the afternoon yesterday, and it was quite windier than it is today. I think today it was nicer weather because I played in the morning, it's not as hot as yesterday, so it was nice conditions today.

**Q. It looks like you'll be going into match play tomorrow, how do you feel in terms of approaching that style of play?**

TARAPATH PANYA: I feel like in match play you have to play a little bit different from stroke play. I need to make more birdies and keep my score in a good place.

**Q. You qualified for this championship in Colorado, you made it to the semifinals of the Colorado Golf Association's Women's Match Play. Is there something about playing Colorado that you're more comfortable with?**

TARAPATH PANYA: I think in Colorado, it's dry right? So, my distance, I gain more [distance], so I have to calculate more.

**Q. Do you enjoy playing in Colorado?**

TARAPATH PANYA: Yeah, but it's a bit dry for me.

**Q. The Thailand Golf Association sent the golfers over together for this summer, how many of you came together?**

TARAPATH PANYA: For the first two weeks, it was seven people. In the last three weeks, it's just been me and Pimpisa Rubrong.

**Q. Do you have any more events in the United States after this or are you going back to Thailand?**

TARAPATH PANYA: I'm going back to Thailand after this championship.

**Q. Have you enjoyed your time in the United States?**

TARAPATH PANYA: Yeah, but I miss my parents.

**Q. Is this your first time in the United States?**

TARAPATH PANYA: This is my first time here.

**Q. And how long have you been away from home?**

TARAPATH PANYA: It's been about 40 days.

**Q. You speak English well for this being your first time in the U.S., how did you learn?**

TARAPATH PANYA: I'm in international school in Thailand, so they teach us a lot in English.

**Q. Along with your mindset, do you think your strategy in terms of how you play the course is going to change at all?**

ANNA DAVIS: No, not necessarily. A lot of what match play is is basing your shot on what your partner did. So I'd say I'd probably play about the same, it just kind of depends on the pin, whether I'd attack or not.