

Marion Miley - 1991

Ms. Miley first stepped onto a golf course at the age of 12, and by the time she had reached the age of 17, she had won the Women's Kentucky State Amateur Championship twice (1931 and 1932). In 1934 she won the Riviera Championship, the Bellair Invitational, and the Women's Kentucky State Amateur Championship. She was named to the United States Curtis Cup Team in 1936 and 1938. Her life ended tragically at the age of 27 when she was murdered during a robbery at Lexington Country Club. The club has hosted the Marion Miley Invitational Golf Tournament as a tribute to her achievements, and event has become one of the most coveted titles in women's amateur golf in Kentucky.