



## Marian Gault

(1923 - 1996)

**Marian Gault** was born in Kansas City, graduated from Southwest High School in 1941, attended Gulf Park College and received a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree from the University of Arizona in 1945. She attended Parsons School of design and earned a degree in 1948.

For 13 years Gault lead the Kansas City Golf Association's Junior Girls' program. Thinking it would be a one or two year assignment, she was so successful in recruiting young players no one would accept her resignation until she finally called it quits in 1963.



Marian Gault won the Missouri Women's Amateur in 1952 and 1955 and was runner-up four other times. Gault's cumulative match play record in the state amateur was 36 wins, 9 losses.

From 1942 to 1957 she was a constant threat in the Kansas City Women's Match Play winning six times and finishing runner-up in three other appearances. She was qualifying medalist eight times.

She received the KCGA "Gof-fer" award in 1948, '52, '54, and '55 as the area's top woman player; was inducted into the KC Amateur Hall of Champions; and was the first recipient of the Bernice Edlund Award from the Missouri Women's Golf Association in 1952

for outstanding conduct, demeanor and sportsmanship.

For her success on the course and her involvement with the KCGA, the Board of Directors is proud to include Marian Gault in the 2016 class of the Kansas City Golf Hall of Fame.

### *Ms. Gault's record:*

*Missouri Women's Amateur Champion 1952, 1955; runner-up 1947, 1948, 1949, 1962*

*Kansas City Women's Match Play champion 1942, 1946, 1948, 1950, 1951, 1952; runner-up 1941, 1956, 1957; Medalist 1946, 1948, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1954, 1959, 1960*