

## **KATHY GOOK**

Kathy Gook was born and raised in Northern British Columbia and moved to Phoenix in 1985 to pursue a career in golf. She began playing golf at the age of 23, after a successful college and semi-pro career in Basketball.

After playing golf professionally for 4 years on the European, Asian and Mini-Tours within the United States, Kathy found her passion in Teaching Golf. A member of the LPGA T&CP since 1992, Kathy has achieved her Class A status and has taught extensively throughout the United States and Canada to many Golfers, and has been a National Educator for the LPGA T&CP (Teaching the Teachers). In 2002, 2003, 2004 & 2005 *Golf For Women* magazine listed Kathy as one of the Top 50 Female Teachers in the Country. *Golf* magazine also listed her as one of the Top 15 Instructors in Arizona for 2004, 2005, 2006 & 2007. In 2003 Kathy was given the award as 'Teacher of the Year'. At the 2005 PGA show in Orlando FL, Kathy presented at an Education workshop, *Emotional Management for Golf, Career, and Life*. The LPGA listed Kathy as one of the Top 50 Golf Instructor, as voted by her peers for 2008/2009 season.