

Lindsay Bernakevitch

Lindsay Bernakevitch was born in Saskatoon, grew up in Regina but learned to golf at the Kelliher sand green course. As a junior competitor he made the Saskatchewan team in 1996 and 1998.

Lindsay was Saskatchewan Men's Amateur champion for an unprecedented four years in a row from 2000 to 2003. He represented Saskatchewan as a Willingdon Cup team member five times, then once more as a member of B.C.



He was selected to Team Canada from 2001 to 2004. He represented Canada at nine international tournaments and had some amazing travels. He spent 3-4 weeks golfing in Argentina, Australia, New Zealand, Mexico and Scotland. It was a thrill to play the British Amateur at St. Andrews during the celebration of the 250th anniversary of the Royal and Ancient Golf Association.

As an amateur he won the prestigious Glencoe Invitational twice, recording the lowest tournament score ever at nine-under in 2003.

College golf included three years at the University of British Columbia then one year at Western Washington, being chosen as an All-American three times.

Turning professional, Lindsay was on the Canadian Tour from 2005 to 2008. Competitions started early in the year in California, Texas and Mexico, then crossed Canada during the summer season. He has great memories of these times with his wife, Jill, caddying for him and the long-lasting friendships made.

He was the assistant pro at Shaughnessy Golf and Country Club for the next five years, he's been head professional at Victoria Golf Club since 2014. As a member of the PGA of British Columbia he won tournaments in 2011, 2015 and 2018 and was runner-up several times.

His son Luke is an enthusiastic golfer and hockey player at age 10, and daughter Kate is an 8-year old soccer player.

Throughout his career Lindsay has modelled exemplary conduct, adhered to the rules of the game, and been gracious in victory or defeat. He was held in high regard as a talented team member when representing Saskatchewan, B.C, Canada, and Western Washington University. Lindsay Bernakevitch is being inducted into the Saskatchewan Golf Hall of Fame for his outstanding career as an amateur and professional golfer.

