

U.S. Women's Open Championship 2016

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Gerina Piller

Quick Quotes

Q. Can you just talk about today? Solid round for the afternoon especially.

GERINA PILLER: Yeah, you know, I bogeyed my first hole, but hit a great shot in there. Just really stayed patient, I know as cliché as that sounds.

The afternoon was definitely a lot tougher. The wind picked up pretty good and the course is drying out very fast. So I felt like I played really smart today. If I couldn't go at the pin, I left myself in a position where I could get up-and-down and I did it so that always helps.

Staying patient and allowing -- just give myself opportunities for birdies, I think that's key out here.

Q. When you see an 8-under on the board at a Women's Open to start the day, got to wonder what goes through your mind?

GERINA PILLER: You know, playing the practice rounds this week, the morning, the course played definitely a lot different than in the afternoons. And you know what, we have three more rounds to go. You can't get caught up in that, especially at a U.S. Open. You can't go out there and expect to be 5, 6-under. I'm 1-under at the time or even, and you kind of -- it's almost like you have to forget there's other girls out there and just play the golf course and I feel like I did that really well today.

