

The Senior Open presented by Rolex

Quick Quotes

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Tom Watson



Q. Going out and coming in, it seemed like two different nines?

TOM WATSON: Well, sure they are. A lot of times the direction in nine holes, the other nine holes, it's the opposite direction. The wind blew hard today. It was a tough inward nine here. I made some mistakes and I paid the penalty for them.

Q. Overall, besides the mistakes you make, how would you look at your game right now and your optimism heading into tomorrow?

TOM WATSON: Well, I made two no-brain putts. In the dip in front of No. 5 for eagle and probably about an 85 or 95-foot putt at No. 13 for birdie, but yet I didn't play a very good second shot in No. 14. Put it in one of the little pot bunkers and ended up making 7 there, double-bogey. That didn't make me very happy there. But you know, all in all, I played some quality shots today and I was happy about the way I played. It was a tough golf course. She was tough today.

Q. You're still in the mix going into the final round. Nice to be in the Top-10?

TOM WATSON: Well, it's good to be in the position. I wish I had just been a couple shots lower, because it's going to take -- this course, it always bunches up. The players seem like they always bunch up on this golf course. Right now, I'm in a bunch just behind the leaders and going to have to play some really good golf tomorrow to be -- to come out in front.