

# The Senior Open presented by Rolex

Quick Quotes

Friday, 26 July 2019

## Wes Short

### **Q. You got off to a good start today with three birdies in the first five holes?**

WES SHORT: Yes, I got off to a great start, and then hit actually a pretty good shot on the -- I guess the sixth hole, and got one of those bunkers and had a little trouble there.

Then hit a very poor tee ball on the next hole and made another 6, and then birdied the last on the front, No. 9, and then -- no, I didn't. I birdied 10. I can't remember it all. But I suppose but I suppose if you go into bunkers here you will be penalised here.

They are a true penalty, and it's -- you need to avoid them. I've been only in a few, but that was the bad one. So I need to make sure I don't get in any of those.

### **Q. I suppose you like the links golf course here?**

WES SHORT: Yes, I like it. It makes you think. I played a lot of different shots off the tee and tried to avoid the bunkers and had a really nice birdieing the last three.

### **Q. Birdieing the last three holes that must give you a lot of confidence going into the weekend?**

WES SHORT: Yes, I hit some really good shots, too, coming in and I made the putt, so I feel my iron game is really good. I still need to drive it just a little better but trying to keep it out of the bunkers, I'll be all right.

### **Q. How do you feel for tomorrow, you're in the last group leading, you can have a good night's sleep tonight and you're not going to tee off until 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon?**

WES SHORT: Yeah, preview for today, what time we're going to tee off tomorrow. That helped out a lot, too, I think.

### **Q. Weather conditions, could be a bit wet over the weekend, might be different conditions?**

WES SHORT: Yes, that's what they are calling for. I had not looked at the wind but the rain is supposed to definitely come. We'll just have to bring our wet suit and I guess hopefully there will be no lightning so we can play.

### **Q. Have you been leading in a major before?**



WES SHORT: No, I have not. This will be the first one, so we'll see what happens.

### **Q. Looking forward to playing with Scott?**

WES SHORT: Yes, I like Scott. We play quite a few -- he has not played as much this year because he's been injured but yes, I've played with him quite a bit.