

# U.S. Senior Amateur Championship

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Country Club of Detroit

## Chip Lutz

### Quick Quotes

**Q. You still haven't played the 16th hole, but that's not the one you wanted today.**

CHIP LUTZ: I know. It wasn't my best day, unfortunately. The wind came up, the conditions were way different, and I didn't adapt the way I normally do.

**Q. Was your putter cold again?**

CHIP LUTZ: It was to start with. It ended up the green speeds were probably a foot, foot and a half faster. I hit the first one by and then missed it coming by, and then you go the other way and you hit it short. Really my distance control wasn't what I had for the tournament. It was just really off.

That kind of got me kind of perplexed.

**Q. Does that get in your head a little bit?**

CHIP LUTZ: Yeah, of course. Yeah, of course it does. You sort of second-guess those things and you try to adjust and manage, and I was kind of still staying in the match despite not my best ball-striking, either.

It was a tough day. The winds were up quite a bit today. It really changed how the course played. The setup was different. But usually I'm pretty good at making those adjustments, but I didn't handle it very well.

**Q. You played Craig, who you beat --**

CHIP LUTZ: I beat him the same round, I think, in Oregon last time so now we're all squared, or tied, so we'll have to have a rubber match.

**Q. Maybe next year at Kittansett. He's also a British Seniors champion, too.**

CHIP LUTZ: Yes, he beat Gene Elliott. I don't know how that match is going.



**Q. Gene is 1-up.**

CHIP LUTZ: Yeah, it'll be interesting to see if they play each other.

**Q. Another great run for you at a Senior Amateur. Your record speaks for itself.**

CHIP LUTZ: Well, you know, there's both pleasure and disappointment, obviously, and that's golf. You never seem to -- only one guy gets to walk away really happy. But it's pretty nice that I got this far and I made a good showing out of it, so I'm happy about that.

Take away most of the positives that's been around all week, but unfortunate that it wasn't with me today.

**Q. You get to go to Kittansett next year, which I hear is fantastic.**

CHIP LUTZ: It is. I've heard the same thing. I'm in the United States Senior Golf Association. They've got an annual event there, so I'm going to try and get to see that before I go.

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