

# U.S Junior Amateur Championship

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Daniel Island Club (Ralston Creek Course)

## Joshua Bai

### Quick Quotes

**Q. You were really spot on this morning, especially in that four-hole stretch where you played 5-under for four holes. Talk about how hot you got there.**

JOSHUA BAI: Yeah, so I was just really in the zone there. Everything was clicking. Just all came together at that point.

**Q. That 3-wood that you cut into 14, talk about that shot that you hit there.**

JOSHUA BAI: Yeah, my caddie asked me, do you want to leave it out to the right, have a good angle to chip it, or do you just want to go for it. I said, I'm feeling pretty good, just going to cut it off that bunker, just go straight for it, and it worked out.

**Q. How did you feel at the break when you had the 1-up lead?**

JOSHUA BAI: Pretty normal, I guess. Made a nice putt, nice save on 18. That was pretty good. Big moment there.

**Q. What did you see in that putt? Obviously you had a little trouble coming out of that rough above the bunker, and then you had about 14 feet or so?**

JOSHUA BAI: Yeah, something like that, yeah.

**Q. What did you see in the putt?**

JOSHUA BAI: About a cup right to left. Pretty flat at the start and then breaks at the end, and yeah, read it with quite well. Hit it with good pace, and it dropped.

**Q. This afternoon he took the lead back, but you're still right there. How do you feel at the end of the day knowing you have more golf tomorrow?**

JOSHUA BAI: I still feel good. It's not like I'm playing bad. Brian has just been dropping putts from everywhere. I think if I just keep playing my game and then have a good



finish tomorrow, 10 holes left, I'm only 1-down, so I'm still in a good spot.

**Q. Considering how hot it is and everything, do you think it'll be to anyone's advantage to get a fresh start in the morning?**

JOSHUA BAI: Yeah, I guess he was sort of on a heater, so I think it would benefit me to have a fresh start because the momentum was riding his way. So I think it'll be good.

**Q. What do you think the key is for you tomorrow as you look to the finish here? What do you have to do well to win this?**

JOSHUA BAI: We're both playing so good right now. Just have to keep staying on top of my game, hit it well, make some putts.

**Q. Are you surprised at the level of play? The level of play has been really high all day long.**

JOSHUA BAI: I guess I did expect it, yeah. We're both in the finals, right? Two guys in the best form here. Yeah, the quality of golf, it was really fun out there.

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