

# U.S. Adaptive Open

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Village of Pinehurst, North Carolina, USA

Pinehurst Resort & C.C. (Course No. 6)

## Ryanne Jackson

### Quick Quotes

**Q. Here with Ryanne Jackson, 3-over 75 today. Can you talk us through your round out there.**

RYANNE JACKSON: Yeah, I was 1-over through 17 hole and unfortunately double bogeyed the last hole. For the most part of the day my driving of the ball was very consistent. Hit a lot of greens, made a lot of two-putts.

**Q. You are sitting atop the leaderboard right now. What would it mean to win a USGA championship if you're able to pull it off?**

RYANNE JACKSON: It would mean a lot to win it. Coming from college golf, I haven't had many opportunities to be at the top of the leaderboard, so it's a different experience.

But it's kind of a nice one.

**Q. You did say you had a double bogey today and a bogey yesterday. How are you going to have to finish a little bit better tomorrow in order to take home the title?**

RYANNE JACKSON: Yeah, as we saw today, Kim Moore had a really solid round, so we know she's capable of it, so I'll have to go out and put up another really strong round to be able to win.

**Q. Last year Kim was in the lead going in. Now you're in the lead. What have you learned from last year that can help you out in this final round?**

RYANNE JACKSON: Well, I think one big difference between last year and this year is my putting has been a lot more consistent. I finished day one last year with 40 putts, and that number did not get much smaller as the rounds went on. So I've been a lot more consistent around the greens.

**Q. What have you worked on in your game the last 12 months to get yourself better, in a better position maybe this time around?**



RYANNE JACKSON: Well, if I'm being honest, I really started practicing for this tournament about 10 days ago. Hit a lot of range balls, played one round of 18 holes since August. But it hasn't hurt me, I guess.

**Q. It seems to be working right now.**

RYANNE JACKSON: I don't know. No expectations going into it, I would say.

**Q. Was there expectations last year?**

RYANNE JACKSON: I mean, I told myself going into this last year that I wanted to finish top 10, and so after the first day, I would say I knew that that was a good possibility.

This year I knew I had a chance to win, but I wasn't going into it with like oh, I'm going to be disappointed if I don't finish this way.

**Q. What are your plans for tonight?**

RYANNE JACKSON: Dinner, a shower, nap.

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