

# U.S. Women's Open

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Pine Needles Lodge and Golf Club

## Jin Young Ko

### Quick Quotes



**Q. Jin Young Ko, talk us through your round a little bit.**

JIN YOUNG KO: It was very challenging today. I think was getting tired, so there was times that I was losing my focus, so I had a birdie chance but sometimes I missed it.

But I think the end was good.

**Q. How did the course play today compared to yesterday?**

JIN YOUNG KO: I think it was a little bit more challenging today. The green was a little bit firm I and the wind direction was different.

So I had to think really hard which club that I need to select.

**Q. Has this course played easier than other Women's Open courses you've played in the past?**

JIN YOUNG KO: Well, it's difficult for me to answer. If I say it's easy then it's going to be more challenging tomorrow, and if I say it's difficult then it won't be easy.

So it's very difficult for me to answer, so I think that I'm going to say it was difficult. (Laughter.) That's my final answer.

**Q. Playing with Ingrid, what did you see from her today?**

JIN YOUNG KO: It was very impressive. She was playing with a lot of high level of confidence, and looking at her, I kind of looked at myself when I was an amateur. I also was playing with a lot of confidence, and after turning pro I had to think about a lot of things.

So it was very impressive to see her, how she was handling herself. And reminding myself.

**Q. And the chip in on 18, how can that give you some**

**momentum going into tomorrow?**

JIN YOUNG KO: Well it was very difficult the last one. If I was good it was par, but I didn't expect the result so I was ecstatic, euphoric, and so if I do well for the last four holes tomorrow I think that will have a good result.

**Q. How has your experience been in Pinehurst and Pine Needles specifically?**

JIN YOUNG KO: I think that both so hard. I said a chance to use the No. 4 course and I think there were some differences, but I would say they're both challenging.

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