

DOC REDMAN (-10)

Q. Talk about the difference between today's winds and yesterday's winds, and was it an easier golf course to play today?

DOC REDMAN: Yeah, I feel like with the wind switching, it was a little easier. No. 7, that was a pretty easy hole if you played it well. And it was still really windy, but yesterday was, you know, incredible. We couldn't have been far away from stopping play yesterday. That made it a little easier. And the greens roll great, so if you have looks at it you can make birdies.

Q. It seemed (inaudible) only one shot that you mis-hit or when you got gusted, I'm talking about No. 9, your only blemish of the day.

DOC REDMAN: Yeah, I think that was just kind of not the best club choice, either. That was going to get up in the wind either way, but it happens, especially when it's this windy. It would be pretty incredible to hit every shot great, that's just how it goes.

Q. Young players are just supposed to hit the ball far and just keep going, but on 17 you made the decision to play shorter off the tee, play three shots. Talk about the decision why you decided to do that.

DOC REDMAN: Yeah, I think we thought my 4-iron was going to get a little closer than that, maybe 10 or 15 yards, which would have been a really nice 3-wood for me and it just didn't happen. If I went up to 3-iron, then I bring the bunker into play and maybe a hard kick, the water left. That's just tough with that wind for a guy who hits a cut. Left-to-right wind and then me hitting a little fade, it could go miles right if I don't really catch it right. I had a great number with the wedge and hit a pretty good shot and the putt didn't go in, so that's golf.

Q. And final thing, you've got a chance to win tomorrow. There's a lot of golf to play, a lot of guys who have a chance here, but how exciting is it for you given the route you took to get here to the PGA TOUR just over a year ago?

DOC REDMAN: Yeah, no, it's very exciting to be here and I've had a lot of good results recently and I think, like you said, it's just exciting to have a chance. For people to say that, that's kind of all you can hope for because even if you had a three-shot lead, you still have to play tomorrow. I think whoever plays the best tomorrow wins and I think I have a good chance of doing that.

Q. You've had a couple of top-3s recently. What do you attribute the uptick in form recently to?

DOC REDMAN: I think it all started last summer when we came back, I started to play better and I think I just kind of got out of my own way a little bit and allowed myself to just keep making birdies and keep climbing up the leaderboard, and now I'm just taking all that confidence and everything I've learned and putting it together more often.

Q. No. 11, I notice that hole in particular seemed to play different. How did it play different for you today than yesterday?

DOC REDMAN: Yeah, it's great, 180, wind there. Yesterday I'm sure some of the longer hitters probably were green side, and it was tough with that back pin yesterday straight downwind from short yardage, but today straight into the wind, you had to hit a really good drive and a good second shot, too. That was nice to be able to do that.

Q. What were your distances in on 11 yesterday versus today?

DOC REDMAN: Yesterday probably to that back pin I had probably like 75 yards, which ended up you've got to hit a really good shot. And then today I had like maybe 135 and I hit 7-iron. Quite a bit different.

Q. This course, on a scale of 1 to 10, how important is off the tee here? Seems like everyone's in a similar spot off the tee.

DOC REDMAN: Yeah, especially with this wind, being in the fairway is really nice. You know, you never really want to be in the rough, so I think being in the fairway's really nice because you can control your ball flight a lot better, and your distance. So I think on some holes it definitely helps, but for me I just want to be in the fairway.

Q. How do you prepare for the final round tomorrow? We've got a time change. What do you do? We're playing early, so it's not --

DOC REDMAN: No, no, I don't think any different. Just get a good meal, get some rest and tomorrow's just like any other round just in a slightly different position, but that's not going to change anything.