

Q. Justin, a closing round of 70 for a total of 9 under. How do you reflect on your week?

JUSTIN ROSE: You know, I just couldn't quite get it going on the South Course. I got off to a good start on the North and then just kept it around even par for the most part for the rest of the week on the South Course. Today I actually played beautiful golf. I felt like it could have been 66 today I felt like. Jon Rahm closed the door pretty firmly today coming down the stretch. But when I made the putt even at 16, I still felt like I had a chance if I finished birdie-birdie-birdie. But yeah, I mean, I played well enough to win today and win this week, but another good week for me so just keep this momentum going.

Q. Going to show you the putt at 13 here for eagle. Didn't quite manage to make it, but that put you in position where you were two behind with five or six to go. What's the mindset then?

JUSTIN ROSE: Yes, I tried to read -- I thought it was going to break a little bit earlier and it just kind of stayed straight for so long. But yeah, I saw Jon Rahm made eagle there so I kind of knew that something good was happening when I saw him fist pumping and jumping up and down so I kind of figured he was going to be the man to beat, and I kept my eye on him a little bit from behind there. He looked like he hit every fairway coming down the stretch and really closed it out in fashion, so good for him on his first win.

Q. Showing stats from years earlier I've assembled for your tee-to-green performances and your putting performances on the PGA Tour over the last six, seven years. Obviously we can see brilliant numbers here, obviously always in the top 5 or 6 in terms of ball-striking, and the putting numbers nothing like as good. And these stats are pretty accurate, strokes gained really is about your putting. I know it's only a couple of tournaments in, but if you can turn that putting around and get into a decent ranking position, you're going to be one hell of a player, aren't you?

JUSTIN ROSE: Yeah, that's the idea, Tim. Yeah, if I can keep this going, if I finish the year 21st, I mean I think that would be a massive year for me. That's probably going to equate for a bunch of wins and flying up the world rankings. Yeah, that's exciting. It's good to see that the long game -- I've worked on elements of my game. I hit the ball so much further than I did a few years ago, so if I can kind of add another dimension by making some putts that would be an exciting thing.