

Q. Ryan, good round out there, can we get your thoughts on that?

RYAN EVANS: Yeah, I mean, you know, today's all about making top 24 really. I tried to set myself a goal of making the top 8. I just basically played how I've played the last couple of days. I've been swinging it really well, I've holed a couple of good putts, and to be honest the front nine I made a birdie and dropped a couple silly shots, didn't really get into the rhythm. Then holed a good sort of 20 footer down 10 and that really settled me down and then made three more from there to finish off a nice day.

Q. What pleased you most about the round, the putting?

RYAN EVANS: Yeah, patience as well. Like I say, it wasn't going the way I wanted to start with. I'd pick up a birdie and give one back to the course. I thought, you can't force this. The back nine does give a lot of opportunities, but it's about keeping it in play. You get it in play, you know, you're going to come out with a lot of wedge shots in, and holed a kind of nice putts so I'm pretty pleased.

Q. How tough is it out there in the heat?

RYAN EVANS: I'm not used to this. When I left home it was snowing so it's a little different. So very warm spots on the course where the wind doesn't really get you and it's very, very hot. So my caddie, Colin, this week just kept me hydrated, kept on throwing the water at me and saying you've got to keep on top of that. So, yeah, kept me hydrated, kept me cool -- well, as cool as I could be.

Q. It's exciting going into the match play tomorrow. How do you change that mentality of going from stroke play?

RYAN EVANS: You've just got to make as many birdies, I've made quite a few this week so hopefully I don't run dry going into match play stage. Potentially be a bit more aggressive but it also depends on what your partner -- not partner, what your playing opponent is doing. If he's sort of in trouble you might have to play a little bit safe and play a little bit different than you would in stroke play. So we'll see what happens tomorrow. Hopefully I have a good run and see where it goes.

Q. Do you enjoy match play, what's your record like?

RYAN EVANS: Yeah, not too bad. It probably doesn't count for much out here, but I won my county match play for five years running so, you know, it might come in handy. Probably had a good decent spell in England, amateur stuff in some of the match play events, so we'll see how it goes.