

BRYSON NIMMER (-7)

Q. Bryson, solid start to the week. How would you assess your round? What was clicking for you?

BRYSON NIMMER: It was really good. I hit my irons really, really well today. I lost the driver there kind of in the middle of the round, but figured it out. The putting was there, too. So, I mean, everything clicked a little bit.

Q. What was kind of your approach? You Mondayed in but had a week off, unique scenario. How did you spend that week?

BRYSON NIMMER: It was really nice. It's just hard if you Monday in the week of because you're like where am I staying, where am I flying, but I had a nice week to figure it out. Got here, relaxed Sunday, got practice rounds in. It's been nice.

Q. And you mentioned kind of losing the driver in the middle. Did you just have a couple wayward drives or lose a little bit of confidence?

BRYSON NIMMER: Yeah. I hit the one on 1, you know, water all up the right and I tried -- we were aiming left and I just came out of it. And I did it again on 2. Little thing with my golf swing that I needed to figure out, but we fixed it by No. 5, or 6, I guess. That's when it started to click, I guess.

Q. What was that that you needed to fix?

BRYSON NIMMER: I tend to get behind it a little bit, and out here you're swinging so hard at it because it's a long golf course and my tendency is to fall back and kind of come out of it. So I just kind of reminded myself to stay tall and commit to the shot.

Q. Where are you based out of it?

BRYSON NIMMER: I just moved to St. Simons, Georgia, so Sea Island.

Q. When did you move there?

BRYSON NIMMER: Two weeks ago actually. Pretty recent.

Q. And you were in South Carolina?

BRYSON NIMMER: I was. I was right near Hilton Head Island, Bluffton.

Q. Like where you grew up?

BRYSON NIMMER: Where I grew up, exactly.

Q. Sea Island, why did you choose Sea Island?

BRYSON NIMMER: Just a lot of really good guys down there. I wanted to try to put myself around some really good players and that's where they are. There's guys that have been out here forever, guys that have a lot of knowledge and I've been lucky in the last few weeks to be able to play with some of those guys. And it's crazy how much it helps your confidence and your game, so it's been a good move.

Q. How do you describe the (inaudible) of a year you don't have status, just what's that like trying to build a schedule?

BRYSON NIMMER: It's really hard. You just don't know where you're going to play, I think that's the hardest part. The Mondays, you know, it's an opportunity, it's just a chance to get out here. I've been trying to take advantage of it. This is the second one of the year that I've gotten through, so it's really nice that we have those chances and those opportunities and it would be really nice to get some status though.

Q. So you moved like a few days before the Monday?

BRYSON NIMMER: Actually, it was the week prior to that. So the Monday I guess was not Zurich week but the week before, so I moved that weekend prior.

Q. So you like got a moving truck?

BRYSON NIMMER: Oh, yeah, whole thing, U-Haul down. My parents helped me move down, brought all my stuff from Bluffton, took us about a day to get everything in and been there since, so it's been nice.

Q. Do you have a roommate?

BRYSON NIMMER: I do. Actually, he was playing right behind me today, Ben Griffin. So we just moved in together. It's been nice.

Q. That's awesome.

BRYSON NIMMER: Yeah, it's kind of cool.

Q. You know him from college and stuff?

BRYSON NIMMER: We played a lot together. He was in North Carolina. He's a year older

than me and we've played a ton together, we've traveled a lot together and he's a great guy and we heckle each other a lot.

Q. Cool to see him playing well starting the year on KFT?

BRYSON NIMMER: Oh, my gosh, yeah. It's crazy. I mean, I was joking with him the whole week, he was a loan officer this time last year, so now he's on the PGA Tour. Big difference.

Q. And then the Puntacana, what do you take away from that week? I guess a little bittersweet at the end, you were so close to the top-10.

BRYSON NIMMER: Yeah, it was tough. It's like you get that close. I missed a putt on 17 that I really should have made. I kind of told myself, I was like it's not going to matter, I'm still going to get through, I'm going to get through, and then missed out by one. It hurts, but you learn from it and it makes you want it even more.