

ROUND 1 QUICK QUOTES
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CAMERON YOUNG (-6)



Q. What did you feel like the strengths were today?

CAMERON YOUNG: I feel like I didn't strike it great in the middle, but just managed that part of the round well. I made a couple really nice relatively simple up-and-downs, but made them mostly stress free. Yeah, just kept it together pretty well.

Q. What about the par on your third hole after driving it in the water?

CAMERON YOUNG: Yeah, that was like 12 hours ago, I kind of forgot.

Q. What was the third shot in?

CAMERON YOUNG: Yeah, it was 205, I think. It was just a full 5-iron, it was kind of into and out of the left. Yeah, I kind of just, you know, the old chunk hook in the water off the tee with the driver happens here and there. That was, yeah, that was a nice one. Obviously that and make some birdies right after, was proud of that for sure.

Q. Was there a best birdie that stands out from the day?

CAMERON YOUNG: The one on 9 to finish the day was nice. It was getting pretty dark and kind of it's just a very flat light, it's hard to read the greens, so to make a nice like seven- or eight-footer there was nice.

Q. Curious, you got everything locked up for next year, what were the kind of goals or reason to come here?

CAMERON YOUNG: I've had some time off, I was kind of ready to go back to work and this is a nice place to bring my family, so they're all here with me. Yeah, I just -- you can only be at home I think so long and it was nice to just see what work I've done at home and kind of bring it to a tournament and see how it goes. Then I've gotten some more time off to kind of either go figure some more stuff out or kind of keep going the same direction.

Q. What were the biggest things you improved on or gained during the time off?

CAMERON YOUNG: I just kind of worked on some simple swing stuff. I haven't played a ton, been a lot of range work and just simple putting drills. It's nothing new really or different, just some time at home do it, which we don't get that often.

Q. Can you speak to the conditions in the middle of the round and just how much



they reaked havoc for you guys?

CAMERON YOUNG: Yeah, we got the worst of it on 4, the par 5. It's already like 625 or something and I hit about as good a drive as I can and about the best 3-iron I could have to still have like 125 yards in, which doesn't happen all that often. That hole was playing about 750 probably.

Yeah, it's hard. When it's off and on, it's tricky just because you go take your rain jacket off and you're so focused on keeping everything dry, all of a sudden it stops and you put all your stuff away. It's just, you just have to be patient with it. There's nothing you can do and everybody's kind of playing it. Yeah, it can be a little annoying, but I don't really mind it.

