

ROUND 2 QUICK QUOTES
March 8, 2024



CHRIS NIDO (-4)

Q. So, Chris, a great round, 3 under today with three birdies in your four last holes. Your impressions about your round, please?

CHRIS NIDO: It felt great out there. I played well the whole day and played well yesterday, just stayed in it, stayed patient. Didn't get many putts to drop the first 12 holes. I knew my game's good enough to make the cut and play well on the weekend, so had to stay patient and keep it going and it was nice to finish.

Q. How was playing with Rafa in the first two rounds of the tournament?

CHRIS NIDO: Amazing. He does such a good job out there, he played his ass off. Sorry. He played very well. Just great to play with a fellow Puerto Rican and someone I look up to and have looked up to my whole life.

Q. Describe for us your last four holes, please.

CHRIS NIDO: So on 15 the par 5, I knew I had two par 5s coming in so I could get it going, make some birdies. Just hit two good shots into the green, hit a really good pitch up there from about 40-something yards and tapped it in.

Made a great birdie on 16, which is a tough par 3 today, really hard downwind, so did a good job there. Hit a great shot on 17 and the putt just lipped out. And then 18, hit a great drive and good 3-iron up there just short of the green and good up-and-down, so I'm very pleased with that.

Q. With 4 under you're going to play the weekend, so what's going to be the key to have a good final two rounds?

CHRIS NIDO: Yeah, I'm looking forward to the weekend. I've played here four times. This is my fourth time and haven't made the cut yet, so very exciting for me and my family. This weekend, just got nothing to lose, go out there and try to make some noise, see what I can do.