

1st ROUND INTERVIEW TRANSCRIPT: GARY WOODLAND
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Q. Talk about your round.

GARY WOODLAND: Yeah, I played well. You know, I really drove the golf ball well, which was huge, and I felt like I had a great speed on the greens. Anytime you see putts go in out here, it's nice because if you drive the ball in play, you'll have a lot of wedges and you'll give yourself a lot of putts.

Q. Is there any sort of thought process in terms of which course you would rather play first, or is it just whatever they give you, you want to survive on the South course and thrive on the North course?

GARY WOODLAND: Yeah, it's nice -- when you play the North course, you know you've got to have a good round. So it's nice to go out there and post a round and hopefully drive the ball in play tomorrow and attack the par 5s.

Q. What's been working for you? Starting in the fall you didn't play well at the --

GARY WOODLAND: Yeah, everything's really starting to come together. I'm healthier. We put a lot of work in this off season. Really focus on driving the golf ball and I feel like I'm starting to do that really well now. The putts are starting to go in a little bit. Played pretty good on the weekend last week, kind of gave me some confidence and kind of carried that over to today.

Q. You've had a few nagging injuries here and there. What's been kind of the main --

GARY WOODLAND: I just had some wrist injuries the last couple years, but I'm all healthy, feel great and I'm looking forward to a big weekend.

Q. What's your schedule going forward?

GARY WOODLAND: Looks like playing this week, playing next week and taking a couple weeks off before match play. Go out, I feel like I'm playing well, hopefully have a big week this week and continue next.