

**ROUND 2 INTERVIEW: PATRICK RODGERS**  
**Friday, November 13, 2015**



**Q. After 67 on Thursday, one better for Patrick Rodgers on Friday with a 66. How would you describe it out there for you?**

**PATRICK RODGERS:** It was nice. Tried my best to take advantage of a really early tee time, that's when it's calm down here. It can get a little blustery in the afternoon. But I knew I needed to show up this morning and take advantage of an early start.

**Q. Obviously you put yourself in a good spot through 54 holes last week, not the Monday finish you were looking for. What positives have you been able to roll over to this week to put yourself into this spot going into the weekend?**

**PATRICK RODGERS:** Yeah, I've been here a lot of times now. I've put myself in this position week after week, so definitely learning a lot on the weekends and I have a lot of confidence that I can finish a tournament off.

**Q. What's been clicking with your game so far?**

**PATRICK RODGERS:** I just feel like I'm being really patient. It's nice now at the start of this season, I have a really broad time horizon knowing how many tournaments I can play this year, able to set my schedule. So I'm not playing with so much pressure week to week so it's been nice.

**Q. Your second round?**

**PATRICK RODGERS:** It was nice, really early start, that's when it's calm down here. It can get really blustery in the afternoon so I knew I needed to take advantage of a nice early tee time and the calm conditions this morning.

**Q. So six birdies, that's awesome for one round.**

**PATRICK RODGERS:** Yeah, thank you. I feel like I can generate a lot of birdies out here. Three par 5s that I can take advantage of, and if I put the ball in the fairway I have a lot of wedges in my hand so I have to take advantage of a few of those holes.

**Q. (Inaudible.)**

**PATRICK RODGERS:** Yeah, those calm conditions and I'm starting to hit the ball pretty nice. Definitely need to clean up some struggles that I've had a little bit with the putter but I'm excited for a chance this weekend for sure.

**Q. Patrick, you were very first off on the front. How was the golf course early today?**

**PATRICK RODGERS:** It was great. I knew I was going to get some calm conditions. I was hoping that the rain held off and luckily for us it did. But like I said, I had the mindset that I was going to have some good conditions today and I needed to take advantage.

**Q. This golf course tends to give itself up to some runs and you got on a nice run to close out your front nine?**

**PATRICK RODGERS:** Yeah, there's some birdies out here for sure. The three par 5s I can take advantage of. And if you're putting the ball in the fairway, especially today with ball in hand, there's a lot of wedges, so I feel like I can generate a lot of offense out here.