ROUND 1 INTERVIEW: JOHN DALY

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Q. Obviously good to finish with a birdie at the last and a good start to your week?

JOHN DALY: Yeah, didn't hit it great off the tee. I mean, I had my moments, but I played the par 3s 2 under on the front nine, which always helps. I didn't really get the par 5s the way I wanted to, but I don't know, I hit it pretty good, made a couple putts, missed a couple. But, you know, if you hit the fairways out here and you're putting half decent, you can really score low on it because the course is in great shape.

Q. How did it feel to be back here? I know it's been quite a while since you played here.

JOHN DALY: Yeah, it's always great when you come back. I know it's been 20-something years. Unfortunately, like I said, the following year in '93 I was in the British and this tournament on the regular Tour was always the week of the British so I could never come back. But it's always good to come back where you've had success.

Q. How were the fans out there today, a big following obviously?

JOHN DALY: They're great. A lot of them were drunk at the end of the day, but it was cool, it was fun.

Q. What do you think it's going to take to keep it going on Saturday? Ending the way that you did, just confidence level, how are you feeling going into tomorrow?

JOHN DALY: I've just got to get my wedge game, like I said yesterday, I've just got to get the wedge game better. I put four wedges in this week to narrow the gap. Put a 56 in this week, a 95 to 110-yard shot makes it easier with that club. So when I had a couple of those today I did pretty good. It's just when you play three rounds, you've got to go low and get it to 15 to 17 under.