



Q. Ben, great round today, 5-under 66 with a birdie at the last. Obviously coming away from round one with some good feelings?

BEN CRANE: Yeah, you know, it's my first time here and this is a big boy golf course. You could play a major championship here, no problem. The course is in great shape, feeling great about my game and just played solid all day. Made a couple of those critical saves and just made a great up-and-down with an 8-iron on the last hole for birdie to get it to 5 under, so off to a great start.

Q. You said you're feeling good about your game. Is there something specific that's really kind of coming around for you?

BEN CRANE: You know, I feel like all aspects of my game this year have all progressively gotten a little better, a little clearer, and the simplicity is increasing and for a golfer that's huge. I'm feeling really good about ball striking, my short game and I just feel like it's starting to come together, so it's a good time of year for that to happen.

Q. And lastly, it looks like this is the kind of course that position on the greens is just crucial.

BEN CRANE: It is. If you put the ball in play in the fairway, you're going to have a chance to get the ball in some buckets, right? Every green's like three greens, right? But if you can just get it in the proper section, a lot of times you can get a feed down into that section so it's going to get you closer to the hole. So it really rewards good play and repels bad play, you know what I mean? It's pretty fun that way.

Q. Hence, big boy golf course.

BEN CRANE: Big boy golf course