

**Q. Same golf course second straight day. What was the biggest difference in a five-shot scoring difference?**

**PATRICK RODGERS:** Yeah, the conditions were awesome today. It was so fun to play. This is why we come to San Diego, for the sun, and there was hardly any wind out there today so it was really nice. If there was ever a day to get the South Course it might have been today, so it was fun to make a few birdies out there.

**Q. 2015 you finished tied 2nd at Wells Fargo, you've won on the Web.com Tour. What from those two experiences will potentially translate into a win for you tomorrow?**

**PATRICK RODGERS:** Yeah, no doubt you have to learn from every experience. I've been fortunate to have a few chances on the PGA Tour and tons in college and I don't take those lightly. I think those are still great experiences, great experiences down the stretch trying to figure out how to win. So I feel very comfortable in contention. That's probably when I'm the most comfortable out here and really excited for another chance tomorrow, it's going to be great.

**Q. Patrick, solid playing today, man. You get around Torrey Pines South without a blemish on the card, that's pretty special.**

**PATRICK RODGERS:** Yeah, definitely no complaints about that. I drove it really well today so I had a lot of chances to score. Probably left a few out on the golf course coming down the stretch, which I'll learn from. But no, clean card, solid day. The conditions were much better, and from the places I was driving it, I had a lot of chance to score it, so it was nice to get a solid round under my belt.

**Q. The guys I talked to today said the weather conditions were so much better and actually mown fairways. I never want to say Torrey South is easy, but man, it was a lot easier if you put the ball in the fairway.**

**PATRICK RODGERS:** If there was a day to get it, it was probably today. Like I said, no wind, the greens were really good today. If you drove it well, you could have a lot of chances with the greens still being a little bit soft. It was nice to get a few there in the middle of the round and hopefully carry that momentum into tomorrow.

**Q. Nine holes, you're going to be a leader for the first time on the PGA Tour. That's got to be fun, huh?**

**PATRICK RODGERS:** Yeah, of course, of course. That's kind of what I expected coming

out here so it's nice to be in that position and hopefully play my best golf tomorrow.

**Q. The class of 2011 is represented pretty well out here.**

**PATRICK RODGERS:** I think we're all pretty motivated by the way Justin's playing. Take nothing away from him, he's playing incredible golf, probably the best in the world right now, but we've played against him our whole life, he's one of my best friends, and so it's motivating to see him play so well so I think that's probably showing a little bit.

**Q. Does it help you to go against guys you've kind of been playing against most of your life to see them on this stage? Do you have confidence playing against them?**

**PATRICK RODGERS:** Yeah, playing with CT and then seeing Ollie's name up there today was fun. It felt like some college event or junior golf days. Just same stuff, different venue, so it should be fun to battle it out with them tomorrow.

**Q. Did you guys ever joke around when you were juniors about hey, just wait until we get to the PGA Tour?**

**PATRICK RODGERS:** I'm not sure too many of us had much doubt that we were going to be out here and I think that's probably the reason why we're all having a decent amount of success and we're all here at an early age. But it doesn't mean it's easy to get out here. It's really, really hard, really demanding, there's a lot of great players. But it's fun for me to have so many friends out here. That's what makes it really enjoyable.

**Q. Starting with Jordan, who's doing some weird things on his own, but did it test your patience at all last year?**

**PATRICK RODGERS:** Yeah, yeah. I mean, I think we all have the mindset that we want to come out and win right away. We all have the belief that we're a top player in the world, so especially when you win a ton in college and you have consistent success in amateur golf, I mean pro golf's a different animal but you kind of have the same expectations. Just managing those after seeing a lot of your friends have success has definitely been a challenge, but I knew my time would come. I just had to be patient and I think, who knows, it could be tomorrow.