

**ROUND 1 INTERVIEW: FRAN QUINN (-5)**  
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**Q. How's the course playing there? A little rain in the morning but it seems like it might be providing some low scores?**

**FRAN QUINN:** Yeah, it started out as very difficult the first three holes. We had a little bit of wind but a lot of rain, the ball wasn't going very far, but once that subsided, the golf course couldn't have played easier. It was pretty benign out there, conditions were soft, you could throw it at the pin and we made a few putts.

**Q. Last time I looked at the leaderboard it was somewhere around 5 or 6, somewhere around there. Is that going to hold up as we get later in the day?**

**FRAN QUINN:** I would expect 6 or 7 under to come in. The golf course right now is, like I said, soft. The greens are rolling beautifully, the course could not be in better shape. So with the conditions like this, you're going to see some low scores. If, in fact, we get a little bit more rain and so forth and they have to deal a little bit with what we had to deal with early, you know, then 5 or 6 might be leading.

**Q. To get a nice round like this under your belt, what does that do for confidence heading into the next rounds?**

**FRAN QUINN:** Well, I was feeling really good coming into this week. I played well here recently but I just really hadn't quite got the results I wanted. Just drove the ball really well today and made a few putts, so yeah, it's definitely a good boost to the confidence.

**Q. Nice to have a good round before some Bon Jovi tonight?**

**FRAN QUINN:** I hear that. And my wife's coming in, we're looking forward to the concert.