

ROUND 1 INTERVIEW
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ANDRES ROMERO (-6)

Q. Can you just talk about the round and the strong finish?

ANDRES ROMERO: (through interpreter) Well, I have been playing well for a while. I'm really happy with the round. Mainly it was my putting that was letting me down lately and today was very good, so it gives me a lot of confidence for the whole game.

Q. Does it help to get off to a good start at an event like this? Obviously already at the top of the leaderboard, not have to worry as much about the cut line tomorrow?

INTERPRETER: Well, he says that of course the round of today, it gives him some relax, you know, but he's got to keep playing hard and keep playing strong and shot by shot, and probably the putting still good so that will help a lot.

Q. How about playing in the wind, how do you stay patient? How do you manage to play so well when it's this breezy out?

INTERPRETER: He says he likes playing in the wind, he always liked playing in the wind, but of course it very tough for everyone, not only for him. So yeah, he has to think a lot more than a regular round because, for example, No. 15, he hit a 6-iron from 150 yards, but yeah, he was playing well and feeling confident so that helped a lot.