

ROUND 1 INTERVIEW
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BILLY HORSCHEL (-6)

Q. Billy, phenomenal start, seven birdies.

BILLY HORSCHEL: Yeah, good round of golf. You know, you're going to have to make some birdies this week. The course is soft, it's gettable, very little wind. This course plays different than what it used to do in February, so just looking at history, you're going to have to get to about 20, 22 under par. Today was a good start.

Q. How different was it because of the conditions and all the rain we got this week?

BILLY HORSCHEL: I don't think it was much. There were just a couple holes where the tees were considerably up, No. 5 and No. 9, so that made a little bit of a difference. The ball's not running out in the fairways and it usually doesn't run out too much in November. Ball in hand always helps. The greens, as I said, they're never very quick here. They're green speeds that you can be aggressive and not worry about a five-, six-footer coming back.

Q. How many times did you start the process yesterday, and who knows how long the wait's going to be now for Round 2?

BILLY HORSCHEL: You know, I warmed up -- Scott Stallings was making fun of me, sort of saying you're going to be warming up -- doing my warm-up, gym warm-up three or four times. He said three times and I think I did it twice.

But yeah, it's a long day. It's tiring because you know you've got some time, and then when you get closer to maybe going back out and playing, you're getting ready for it.

Yeah, it was nice to have a down day, but it wasn't like we could just not think about golf. Yeah, we're going to have to see what happens. I would be shocked to see if I play -- I won't play all 18 tomorrow. We'll will play some, but not many.