ROUND 1 INTERVIEW November 15, 2019

BRENDON TODD (-8)



Q. Brendon, you almost had the unthinkable, birdies at 16, 17, if not for a little short miss at 18, but what a great round.

BRENDON TODD: Thanks a lot. Yeah, I played pretty solid today and putted very well. Just nice to be under par again.

Q. Riding the wave of good play, we talk so much about the confidence you got to get back to where it was in Bermuda. What does that confidence now do for you as you tee it up here?

BRENDON TODD: It does a lot. I proved in Bermuda that I can kind of get into that mentality where I can go low again, and I basically started the day and said let's try and birdie every hole, I know it's going to be soft and there's going to be birdies out there. So I was able to pick up a few on the front nine and play well coming in.

Q. Is it realistic to birdie all 18 out here as soft as it is?

BRENDON TODD: You know, we've never seen 54, or 53 I guess is what it would take on this golf course, so it's probably not terribly realistic, but that's what you shoot for, that's why we play the game.

Q. More to that point of how gettable this golf course is, you know it's going to take a low one when you start the week here, but is it even a bigger opportunity to go lower because of how much rain we've gotten?

BRENDON TODD: It is, and a lot of that is they've moved a couple of the tees up so we could hit the ball into a spot on the fairway that was a little bit drier. So there was some holes playing a little bit shorter, like five and nine, and I was able to take advantage of a couple of those.

Q. Outside of confidence in your form, anything in particular from today that you have -- that you carry into round two?

BRENDON TODD: Yeah, my iron play was really good and I seem to have a great feel for the greens, so when I do those things well, I can make a lot of birdies.