# ROUND 3 INTERVIEW February 1, 2020

## STEPHEN AMES (-14)



# Q. Obviously not the finish that you wanted today. Can you just tell us about your mindset throughout your round?

**STEPHEN AMES:** It was up and down, but I think at the end of it was that I was able to get myself back into the hunt, make it a little bit more exciting coming down at the end there and I think that's good for me inside. I didn't give up, I kept trying, I grinded the round out. I still got 70 out of it even though I had four bogeys today. At the end of the day I didn't win, but I finished second. Next week's another week, or the week after's another week. It's a good start to the year for me, I'm very happy.

#### Q. Was it fun?

**STEPHEN AMES:** It was awesome, a lot of fun, yeah.

## Q. Were you nervous coming into this round today?

**STEPHEN AMES:** No, I was not actually. I was actually more nervous on the second day than I was today.

### Q. How come?

**STEPHEN AMES:** I don't know, that's just me, that's just the way I am. You always have problems when you play well the first round, you want to shoot a good round the second round. It's the hardest thing ever to do in golf and I achieved that yesterday by shooting 69. Today was a bit of a grind, but it was a nice grind.