

CHRIS KIRK (-5)

CHRIS KIRK: Pretty solid. Really happy with the way I drove it, hit a lot of good shots. A couple loose ones here and there, but overall really good. I think my three-putting the first hole from like 15 feet probably woke me up a little bit and I was just really steady, a lot of good shots, holed some nice putts.

Q. How much did that win on the Korn Ferry Tour do for your confidence?

CHRIS KIRK: Yeah, it just gave me a little bit more belief. I think that before that, I knew that I was playing well, but obviously wasn't seeing much in the way of results. But was happy with my golf swing and felt like I was working on the right things with my putting, but nothing can replace the confidence you get from shooting some low numbers and playing well when it counts.

Q. Does that help to come out here, a place where low numbers were the thing last year, Nate Lashley shooting 25 under, knowing that you've got to make some birdies out here?

CHRIS KIRK: Yeah, for sure. This is just an awesome golf course. I wasn't here last year, but yeah, from the first time going out there, it's just such a beautiful, classic golf course, really fun greens. Yeah, just really enjoyed playing. I played well on Tuesday and I was able to keep it going today.