ROUND 3 INTERVIEW July 4, 2020



RYAN ARMOUR (-16)

Q. Ryan, 17 good holes and one you would probably like to get back. Can you just

give your thoughts on the day?

RYAN ARMOUR: Yeah, I mean, if you would have told me 5 under when I woke up, I probably wouldn't have came to the golf course. I would have been, yeah, I'll take it, and try for Sunday. You know, I just had it going. It felt like the front nine was in cruise control, I had looks all the time. Then the back nine, it got a little squirrelly there early and got more looks coming as I came. then I made the mistake on 17 of trying to go after one and that's not my game. You learn from it. Like I said to Lisa earlier, I just got the wedge up too high in the air. With the high temperatures, I needed that flighted down a little bit.

Q. Looks like you're going to be a couple shots back, potentially in the final pairing tomorrow. What's your mindset going into the final round?

RYAN ARMOUR: You know, I haven't even looked at the board since I made double, so I don't even know what's going on. Same thing, I need to hit fairways. I have to put it in the fairways to give myself a chance to make birdies. If I can do that, you know, we'll see what happens.

Q. Given the struggles you had early in the year, did the break almost come at a good time --

RYAN ARMOUR: Absolutely.

Q. -- for you to reach for the reset button?

RYAN ARMOUR: Yeah, I loved having the break. It was a blessing. I was hurt a little bit. I was working on something with my instructor and it gave me time to just work on it. As golfers, we never really have that mid-season break ever. It was great to kind of step back and spend some time with the kids and just reenergize.

Q. What was the injury issue?

RYAN ARMOUR: I pulled a couple muscles in my neck. Nothing serious, just trying to play through them was tough.

Q. This is a place where you had some success through 36 holes last year. Is there something about this course that especially fits your eye?

RYAN ARMOUR: I mean, I grew up up north, I grew up in Akron, tree-lined, old-school golf courses, and I love the way here at Detroit Golf Club everything's framed by the trees. You can set a picture in your eye of what shot you want to hit based on the framing of the trees. I think it's really pretty.