

TOM HOGE (-10)

Q. Tom, second straight day you hit 14 greens in regulation, but two different rounds. How would you characterize them?

TOM HOGE: Yeah, I would say today was a little more work for sure. I was in the rough a little more often and, you know, a little out of position where I got above the hole on a few of the pins coming in, have some fast putts and a little more work. Hopefully, kind of got that out of my system and go make some birdies on the weekend now.

Q. Quick turnaround from afternoon tee time to then a morning tee time. What changed between the two days?

TOM HOGE: You know, not a lot. I was surprised that the golf course was kind of as dry as it was with as much rain as we got overnight. But I was in the rough quite a bit there early on and it was pretty thick and wet this morning, so a lot of shots you're just trying to get to the front of the green just coming from that thick rough. So just tried to manage it. Fortunate to be a few under today.

Q. Overall, how would you grade your day?

TOM HOGE: Yeah, you know, I had a few birdie opportunities I kind of let slip by there, some close putts on the last few holes that I'd like to have back, but all in all a good day. We're moving forward. Just know I've got to make a lot of birdies the next two days.

Q. What do you think you need to do to finally win a PGA TOUR event?

TOM HOGE: There's a lot to that question. You know, obviously you've got to play well, you've got to have a few breaks at the right time, but I'd say more than anything, just hole a few key putts at the right time. Kind of those putts, that eight, 10-footers for par that keep the momentum going in the right spots. And like I said, kind of get lucky at the right time, too.