ROUND 2 INTERVIEW June 25, 2021



MARCO DAWSON (-2)

Q. Can you just start by telling us about your round today?

MARCO DAWSON: Let's see. I'm putting better this week than I have, you know, in recent weeks. I'm hitting my irons better than I have been in recent weeks. Still driving the ball pretty well. Managing my way around the course pretty good. So making the putts really does help because then it sets you up. You feel some sense of relief coming into some tougher holes knowing that you can make some mistakes, still make some putts and be okay. Just a few more putts, a few better iron shots this week and it suits this course better, that's usually what it comes down to.

Q. How do you sort of approach the weekend? Obviously you're in the mix and chasing, I guess.

MARCO DAWSON: Yeah, you just can't get ahead of yourself. We've only got halfway through the tournament so we've got another half to go. There's a lot that can happen. And I only have control over my game, so I'm just going to try and keep doing what I'm doing, hopefully keep making the putts, hit some good iron shots, hit the fairways and see what happens.

Q. Is it nice to be in the mix?

MARCO DAWSON: Yeah, it is. It's been a long time, been a while. I saw some success or some improvement in the last month and a half in certain parts of my game and now it's -- they're all starting to come together a little bit more, so the scores are reflecting it in the last couple days. Even last week in Madison I played pretty good, but there were some things that I -- you know, a couple shots here and there that got loose, and didn't quite make some putts. Kind of figured some things out and things are better this week.