ROUND 2 INTERVIEW July 3, 2021

JOEY SINDELAR (+2)



Q. Joey, a little bit of a struggle, 2 over today, but just your thoughts on the round?

JOEY SINDELAR: My round, I don't want to see anything like that again. It was like a bug hitting a windshield, I think. It's never fun to chop it around. Driving's good, but just not hitting the irons good enough to shoot the kind of scores that you will see out there today.

The course is playing longer than we're used to here due to the wet lead-up to this tournament and then the wet week and fertilization and a little bit of cool air. We're hitting clubs we're not used to hitting into these greens. The greens are also very soft, which can be good if you're up close, but you're losing a little bounce there.

So the course is defending itself well and I'm sure it will be a great shootout at the end, but it would surprise me if it got to those monster numbers that we've seen in years past. It's just playing a little harder.

Q. How did the swing feel when we had so many changing conditions today? On rain, off rain, on rain. What kind of impact did that have?

JOEY SINDELAR: It's never easy, but that's not my problem. My problem is my problem. But yeah, it didn't quite get to the point today like it did in the pro-am. You know, pro-am day, the first pro-am, it was hard to even make your body move after a while and you couldn't hold the club well, and it never got that bad today. But if you caught it at the wrong time, a couple of those heavier rain bursts with a little bit of wind could cost you 30 yards on a tee shot if you caught the wrong one. It didn't happen to our group. It was like holy cow, I wish I could with played that hole five minutes later, but I'm sure that happened to somebody because that's what golf does.

Q. And what will you be focusing on for tomorrow to help for a bounce-back round to finish strong on the final day?

JOEY SINDELAR: I've got to get to the range and see if I can figure out what I haven't figured out yet and hopefully bring that to the course. It's strange, I feel like I'm putting well and I haven't made a putt, not even close; like a couple of four footers. So that's weird. But really it's my iron game that I've got to get better at and go see if there's some magic out on the range or if I'm just going to make the worms mad.