ROUND 3 INTERVIEW July 4, 2021

PAUL GOYDOS (-10)



Q. So we'll start off with, great run, 4 under.

PAUL GOYDOS: Yeah, it was a combination of okay playing, a lot of good things happening. I had a really kind of ridiculous putt on 2, and I had a ridiculous up-and-down on 6, after birdieing 1 and 5. And a lot of times making a birdie you follow it up with bad shots and get away with it, it kind of keeps momentum going. I didn't hit a great shot on 10. I made a 30-footer for birdie there. And then just didn't execute down the stretch. I didn't hit a good putt on 12. I thought I hit an okay putt on 13, but it didn't go in. Didn't hit a good enough tee shot on 15. Didn't hit the wedge shot on 16. I didn't hit the good iron on 17 and drove it down -- so down the stretch, I just didn't execute like you need to keep doing. That's the way it is sometimes.

Q. You've played well at En-Joie.

PAUL GOYDOS: Uh-huh.

Q. Why?

PAUL GOYDOS: I like it here, first of all. It's a very comfortable place. I like the people. I like the concept of what it is, kind of a community event. I like the golf course, it fits me, you have to drive it pretty straight here. It's wet right now so it's not quite the same. And I just -- good things happen, it tends to snowball. This is going to be my fifth top 5 here. By far the best place for me on this Tour. It kind of fits what I do.

Q. Does it give you confidence going into next week?

PAUL GOYDOS: Well, it doesn't take confidence away. Yeah, I'm pretty happy with things.

I was hurt today. I hurt my neck a little bit and it did loosen up as the day went on, so that's a little concerning. But, yeah, I mean, I've had some success in the U.S. Senior Open from the same -- top 5 top finishes, no wins. But yeah, I have never been there, we'll see how the course is.