

**STEVE FLESCH**

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**Q. Weir had it going for a while today and everything. Is there something about this course and left-handers or something?**

**STEVE FLESCH:** The last hole for me. No, I don't know. I just putted well all week. I have been putting well kind of the last half of the year, so -- and I have actually been hitting my irons well. And that's what you have to do here. You got to put the ball in position. You got to control your distances well. And I have just had the putter going. But my irons have been great, so yeah.

**Q. How has the reality of the Champions Tour meshed with what you expected before you came out here?**

**STEVE FLESCH:** Well, I got a lot of good information from my buddies Paul Goydos and Kevin Sullivan. They turned 50 four years or so before me, so I watched them play. And they -- I saw the reality. I mean, up got to shoot low out here. I don't know what the courses are, but the courses to me are longer than I anticipated. Luckily, I still hit the ball out there pretty good. But I was under the impression we played shorter golf courses out here, but we're playing proper golf courses, which is refreshing. So --

**Q. Would this be kind of on the short side compared to what you have been playing?**

**STEVE FLESCH:** Maybe, yeah. I don't know exactly how long this place is. But, I mean, most the par 5s are reachable. There's some shortish par 4s. But the greens are everything here. You got to be on the right spot. So I just think it's the best Tour out there. We have so much fun playing this Tour, and the guys are great. Everybody roots for you, so I'm having the time of my life playing out here.

**Q. When you started that run on nine, any long putts in there? You said you were putting well. But 9, 11, 12, 13?**

**STEVE FLESCH:** Nine I made about a four-footer, 11 was about 15 feet. 12 was about 15 feet. 13 was about eight feet.

**Q. And then 16 was the last --**

**STEVE FLESCH:** 16 was about -- gee, that was about 18 feet. Probably the longest one I made all day. Just hit a lot of good putts and a lot of good shots.

**Q. You said you have been putting better lately. Was there -- did you change putters, did you get a good lesson? Did you start doing anything differently, or --**

**STEVE FLESCH:** I started using the arm lock. I was using a long putter. I was using claw. I started using the arm lock, and it felt more traditional to me than a long putter. So I just think my feel is better, and I kind of just -- I changed my routine quite a bit to where I just stand over, take one look and go. Try and keep everything clutter -- all the clutter out of my mind. So --

**Q. Is there a particular distance that that's helped you with? Eight to ten footers, long ones?**

**STEVE FLESCH:** You know, honestly, it's helped me with all of them, just the ball just gets on line better for me doing it. But, yeah, I mean, the shorter ones tend to be easier because the ball's on line right off the bat. But if you can dial in the line, it's going to be -- if you can dial in your read, it's going to be on line with that method, so I'm thrilled with it.

**Q. Perfect. That's all I need. Thank you, Steve.**

**STEVE FLESCH:** Thank you.