

**ROUND 1 INTERVIEW**  
**May 5, 2022**

**MARC LEISHMAN (-2)**



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**Q. How would you characterize the round out there today?**

**MARC LEISHMAN:** A the lot of good and obviously disappointed with 17, but yeah, playing really well and nice to see some putts going in. I haven't been seeing that for a few months, so it's good to see a few roll in.

**Q. Was it good to be able to come back after the miscue on 17 and post an under-par round?**

**MARC LEISHMAN:** Yeah, definitely. Obviously you never want to make bogeys and doubles and to have to get up and down for triple was very frustrating, but glad I did it and fought back with a birdie there on 18. Yeah, obviously you never want that to happen, but when it does, you've just got to handle it well and try and bounce back.

**Q. Why do you feel like this course sets up for your game? You've had success here in the past.**

**MARC LEISHMAN:** It feels a lot like Melbourne golf, I feel. The greens, you have to think about where you're hitting it and where you're hitting it off the tee. There's places you can miss it and can't miss it. Just felt the greens break like Melbourne, just feels like Melbourne and what I grew up on and I enjoy that. It's close to home as well, I drove up here. It's nice having what feels like a home game.