

ALEX CEJKA (-9)

Q. Birdies on four of your last five holes, how did that feel?

ALEX CEJKA: Oh, it's great to finish strong. I played pretty good all day long, but had a terrible start, made two stupid bogeys. Had a lot of good chances, couldn't make a putt with great shots. It's frustrating. You know, you're playing well, the others are making birdies and you're dropping down the leaderboard and you're hitting good shots. So I really hit some really great iron shots and made some good putts down the stretch. I'm pretty happy with the position I'm at. We'll see what happens tomorrow.

Q. What clicked? You said you turned it around on the back. What was it that --

ALEX CEJKA: I made a great putt on -- I hit a birdie putt on 12 from the par 3. I really hit it by four and a half feet and made that putt and that gave me confidence. I'm playing great golf and I'm 2 over par again. So I made it and then that gave me the confidence for the next couple holes on the greens and I make a putt.

Q. Was that one --

ALEX CEJKA: I just kept the momentum with that particular putt. First one wasn't good. If I miss it and you make four stupid bogeys with really great, great playing, that's really frustrating, but I think that was the putt that kept me going on 12 for the next couple greens.

Q. What is it about this place that you like?

ALEX CEJKA: I'm staying across the street, first of all. I'm fishing all afternoon or early evening, so I love it. It reminds me a little bit of a German golf course with the trees. It's not a Florida track where you have water, you see like every hole left and right. This is up and down, tough holes. You've got to really play with your brain a little bit and execute also the shots. You need a good strategy and execute your shots and that's what I've been doing. Just a couple bad shots, but everybody makes bad shots. You've got to make great recoveries and so far it's been great and I'm really excited for tomorrow's round.

Q. Has the local caddie helped?

ALEX CEJKA: Yeah, especially on the greens. A couple times on the read, the breaks and because he's been here over and over and knows the breaks, most of the time he tells me to play a little bit more, so that's definitely a bonus.