HomeTown Lenders Championship

ROUND 2 INTERVIEW April 29, 2023

PIERCESON COODY (-9)



Q. Pierceson, 6-under second round, take us through your round. Kind of what was working for you?

PIERCESON COODY: I drove it really well, hit a bunch of fairways. It's kind of fairway or bust out here. The ledges would be an understatement, so you've got to be in the fairway. From there it was really gettable with all the rain and everything, hit a lot of wedges really tight. I would have liked to get a couple more, but 6 under's a really good round.

Q. The delays Thursday and early yesterday, how did that kind of affect either mindset or really anything going into it?

PIERCESON COODY: Doesn't really matter. What did I do? Thursday I watched the whole season of Suits, so I did absolutely nothing. Went to the gym for like an hour. Other than that, didn't leave my bed, so I had a great day. I think this is four in a row for me and I'm going to play four more after this. So to have a reason to just lay in bed for a whole day was awesome.

Q. Talk about the tournament being moved to 54 holes. Does that change any sort of approach or do you think it's like at a certain point you have to get more aggressive?

PIERCESON COODY: I mean, you know if you're not within three or four of the lead, you don't really have a chance I guess on the last 18. So I had a good first round, I had a really good start to my second round and I knew that I needed to keep going to stay within touch of the lead. If I end up tied for the lead or one or two back, I put myself in good position for tomorrow.

Q. Obviously focus is finishing out this week, but got to be looking forward to next week, Wells Fargo?

PIERCESON COODY: Wells Fargo's going to be awesome, and I'll play the Byron Nelson after that, so I've had an awesome stretch of golf playing out here and then playing on the PGA TOUR. It's been really great for me. Yeah, I really enjoyed it.

Q. We talked last week and you mentioned you felt like you haven't had your best stuff lately. How have you managed to find momentum and build on that even when you don't feel like you have your best stuff?



PIERCESON COODY: Yeah, I keep getting healthier each week. My hand keeps feeling better, I keep getting stronger, so some of the little shots especially with like three-quarter shots I've struggled with a lot just controlling the clubface through impact. So the stronger I get, hopefully I continue to hit better golf shots.