

Q. Tommy, I know the bogey on the last doesn't make it feel any better, but how would you kind of characterize the round as a whole today?

TOMMY FLEETWOOD: Well, I played so well. Yeah, just a few putts really on the back nine. No. 11 was a great chance where I hit a good putt; 15, hit such a good drive, should really be making birdie there, and then 16's a chance and then 18. That was a bit frustrating, but overall played so well, got off to such a great start and you have to be happy with so many things.

So it's still by all accounts a really, really good round. You can shoot one worse but make a par on the last and I'd probably feel better about it, it's just strange that way. Overall, got to be happy with how I felt out there and how I played.

Q. We've talked over the last few months about how good your game feels. Is this as good as it's felt maybe in the last year or so?

TOMMY FLEETWOOD: I think, yeah, I think I've played consistently well for a while now. I think if you look at my last year, I feel like I've played a lot of good stuff, but yeah, I'm putting in a nice run at the moment where just seem to be doing a lot of good things. I've just got to keep that going and keep believing in that.

It's nice every week to be teeing off late on a Saturday, teeing off late on a Sunday. The more I can do that, the better really. A lot of things feel good. Like I say, today the way I played it was clearly a scorable day. There's a lot of good scores out there, but you've got to be one of the guys that shoots those scores. I felt very, very comfortable out on the golf course.

Q. You'll be a few back heading into tomorrow. You've got a lot of memories to pull on from past wins even though you still don't have one over here in the States. When you go into the final round in contention, what do you kind of use not for motivation but to kind of fall back on when you're on the golf course?

TOMMY FLEETWOOD: I think for me it's just about I don't want to go out there and try too hard, don't force it, do all the good things that I'm doing so often. I'm trying to bring that to a Sunday in contention and see where we sit at the end of it. That's all you can do really. For me, the pleasing thing is that I'm continuing to get there now, so what you do is keep playing your game and hopefully my turn will come.

Yeah, for sure, it's about getting experience every time, trusting yourself, trusting your game



and doing your thing really and seeing where you stand at the end of it and I've just got to keep doing that.

