

ROUND 1 QUICK QUOTES
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HARRISON FRAZAR (-5)

Q. Harrison, 5-under 65, currently co-leader going into tomorrow. Obviously a lot of golf left, but got to like where you stand at the end of Round 1.

HARRISON FRAZAR: I'm very happy with the way this whole thing has gone this week. I've felt pretty good. I went home last week, gave myself a good, swift kick in the butt about attitude. My attitude was killing me, so I decided to try to see if I could be a little more positive.

So yes, there's a long way to go, one out of four, but so far, yes, I'm happy.

Q. What is it about this course that suits your game so well?

HARRISON FRAZAR: Well, it's long, so that helps me. But other than that, it doesn't help me much. A lot of these fairways, the way they tilt, the way they shape, the way the wind's moving, very, very tough for me to hit them, but I feel like I can scale back and hit some driving irons, hit 3-woods off the tees and just keep myself between the trees.

Q. Biggest takeaways from today?

HARRISON FRAZAR: Biggest takeaway is just keep doing what I'm doing. I got a little tip on Tuesday during the practice round, I'm going to keep focusing on that and just keep trying to have a good attitude.

Q. Can you expand on that tip?

HARRISON FRAZAR: Well, I had a practice round with Justin. We've known each other for 40-some odd years and watched each other hit millions of golf balls. He just told me my ball position was too far up and therefore the good shots, the solid shots were starting left and the little weak ones were moving way too far right. So I just moved it back.

Sometimes you're not as far off as you think you are, but like I said, attitude was getting in the way more than anything. Just trying to stay level.

Q. Scaling back off the tee box, is that a conscious effort from Tuesday in your pro-am round?

HARRISON FRAZAR: No, not really. It was playing fast. The fairways are pretty firm and the rough, you can get a bad lie, but for the most part if you just -- they kind of throat in a little bit the closer they get to the green. So even though you might be in the rough, you're a



little wider. A 3-wood just gives me a little bit more room, or driving iron, to where I can at least play. I still hit a couple in the trees today and that's a chip-out, so you just want to avoid the chip-outs.

Q. How bad was the wind today compared to previous, being a Texas boy?

HARRISON FRAZAR: I didn't think it was too windy at all. The hard part was we were expecting it to be out of the west but it felt like it was out of the north, so it was just kind of confusing for a little while. But it settled in there the last five or six holes. I feel like it's coming out of the north. It just took a while.

