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PARKER COODY (-15)



Q. Parker, on top of the leaderboard after two rounds. How are you feeling heading into the weekend?

**PARKER COODY:** Feel good, yeah. No, I mean, obviously the spot you'd like to be 36 holes in, but you're obviously 36 holes out, too. There's a lot of golf to be played.

Q. Seems like your game is really, really trending over the last couple months but especially in the last couple weeks. Is there anything specific that you kind of turned around or is everything just kind of clicking for you?

**PARKER COODY:** No, I mean, in the beginning of the year my game was OK, but yeah, it's definitely trending in the right direction. I'd say mentally I'm a better spot, just really taking care of what I can take care of. It's been nice, and hopefully do that for another 36 holes.

Q. This course is well known for having some low scores. Entering the week is there a number in mind when you come in here or is it really just each round, try and just stack up the birdies?

**PARKER COODY:** It's each round. You know you've got to get to mid to high 20s. Like I said, we're only 36 holes in so there's no point in stopping, you've got to keep moving. Everyone's going to keep going. There's half the field to play this afternoon and who knows what it will look like.

Q. Parker, eight birdies and a bogey on Thursday, eight birdies again today. How hard is it to find consistency in this game to keep putting up numbers like that?

**PARKER COODY:** I mean, it's tough. At times it's tough and at times it feels easy. Right now, luckily, it feels easy, but tomorrow's a new day and we'll see how things feel. It's just, it's a pretty scorable course. As long as you don't get ahead of yourself, you're going to have opportunities, just keep doing that.

Q. You've strung together three birdies a couple of days in a row on back-to-back holes. What's working best for you, your game personally, out here at Highland Springs this week?

PARKER COODY: Just staying one shot at a time. I'm hitting it nice, I'm rolling it -- I really



haven't even made a putt outside 15 feet, which sounds crazy but it's just good wedge shots, taking care of the par 5s and just really just solid golf.

Q. We've got to ask, it's you and your brother obviously, you guys are chasing it down. So how often have you guys been in this situation where you guys are both vying for contention early in a tournament?

**PARKER COODY:** More so when we were younger it was, but the last time we did this was at Augusta State's tournament last year and Pierceson ended up winning that tournament. It is a little different feeling with us playing together. I mean, obviously we care so much about each other and how we actually play. Hopefully we both play well this weekend and we both kind of stay in our own lanes and in the end it will all work out.

Q. So, growing up, who was the more competitive brother?

**PARKER COODY:** I'd say we're pretty similar, we both want to beat each other as much as we can, but if I'm not winning or he's not winning, we both want each other playing well. So I want him to play well and I want to beat him playing well, that would be ideal.

Q. Tonight will there be any talk of bragging rights, like hey, I'm winning right now but maybe you might catch me, or is it just like you guys are both just each other's biggest champions?

**PARKER COODY:** No, we're both each other's biggest fans. Like I said, we've still got a ton of golf to play and there's still a lot of guys out here that you want to beat, not that you're necessarily playing a single person. So if I just sit there and say I'm playing solely my brother, I mean, it's not that it's going to work out the best I feel like. Obviously he's a good player so sometimes it might work, but yeah, just keep playing the golf course.

Q. Golf, as you mentioned, every shot's an adventure, right? Sometimes it's good, sometimes it's bad. How are you guys -- I mean, so many of you guys were able to play through the rains early on and then just heat up once it goes away or just stay consistent. How hard is it to be patient and play within yourself when you've got the rain coming down adding to what can already be a challenging round?

**PARKER COODY:** It just adds another element, but at this point everyone's done it so many times that you kind of get a feel for this pretty quickly and you know what to expect. Luckily we played enough golf this morning where you could really get a feel for it, especially on the greens and how all your approaches were reacting. So there was a little stretch where it got pretty windy and nasty, which that was fun, but other than that, it's just business as usual I feel like.

Q. On the heels of obviously one of your best finishes on the tour so far, is there anything certain that you've been doing or, as you said earlier, everything's kind of clicking right now with you just playing the way you played today and yesterday?



**PARKER COODY:** Everything's just been kind of clicking nicely, and mentally I'm in a really good spot. Again, just focus on what I can do and hopefully it turns out well this weekend.

