

ROUND 2 QUICK QUOTES
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EMILIANO GRILLO

Q. Emi, how difficult was it?

EMILIANO GRILLO: You tell me, you were out there, too.

Yeah, it was windy. It was windy and soft, it's a weird combination. Usually when it's windy, you're used to some (inaudible) places. But, you know, the greens are pretty soft, very receptive and it's pretty bumpy out there, so it's kind of hard to make putts. You'll have to keep the ball on the green somehow and two-putt and just wait for the good opportunities.

Q. What do you think you did well all day?

EMILIANO GRILLO: The what?

Q. What do you think you did well all day?

EMILIANO GRILLO: Nothing. No, it was -- I don't know, it was super windy, so I think just keeping the ball in play, keeping patient. Was able to make two birdies in a row, which I'm pretty sure not a lot of people did today so that helps. No birdies on the back nine, which is a shame. Like I told you, I was able to stay patient. A couple bogeys on the back, but it was a tough day.

Q. You seem to always play decent when you get to this golf course here. What is it about Narashino --

EMILIANO GRILLO: Not really. I played well last weekend, last year, last weekend, and I think I know how to play this golf course. Just got to be patient. Everybody's kind of tired from the jet lag, and if you can manage to beat the jet lag, you'll be fine.

Q. (No microphone.)

EMILIANO GRILLO: Yeah, I thought something around par was going to be a good score. I'm pleased with the score. I didn't play -- I don't think I played my best. I wish I could have gave myself a few more opportunities out there. I just had to grind. The last nine, 10 holes, I just had to grind really hard.