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Q. A marathon match, what did it take to pull it out?

CHRISTO LAMPRECHT: Yeah, kind of started off this morning not hitting good golf shots, put me on the back foot straight away. He was playing really good out of the gate, so I knew I was going to have to just claw my way back into the match.

I kind of got some momentum coming down 12, eagling 12. Yeah, it was a good match. Nothing extravagant happened, but we both played pretty good golf. Neither one of us kind of wanted to give it up. Yeah, I'm just pleased that I kind of got it done and hopefully my teammate can get it done too up there.

Q. When you're digging deep trying to close it out in extra holes, what do you tell yourself? What do you go to?

CHRISTO LAMPRECHT: It's basically just committing to what I've been doing for the past 15 years playing golf. As competitive golfers, we've hit billions of golf balls and we've hit a lot of good ones. I just kind of go off that and say I've hit this golf shot a million times, I've hit it really good a lot of the times, just trust that and just commit to that and not let anything else bother me. That's kind of my process. Kind of did a really good job of that this afternoon, so I'm really proud of myself.

Q. How much fun is match play when you guys get to do it in the fall?

CHRISTO LAMPRECHT: Yeah, we don't get a lot of it in the fall, but it's really cool if we do. I think it brings out the best golf in players. Generally for myself, I play my best golf when I play match play. I enjoy part of it kind of playing against the person, all you've got to do is beat him. A lot of feistiness going on and I enjoy that part of the game.

