

## Price Cutter Charity Championship presented by Dr Pepper

### ROUND 2 QUOTES

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### COOPER DOSSEY (-14)



**Q. Cooper, 5 under today, nice way to follow up your 9-under round yesterday. Was it the same story today or what was working well on the course?**

**COOPER DOSSEY:** I feel like I hit it better today. I had a lot of really good looks all day and had a hard time getting the speed out there to start. Then I made a long putt on 9 and got hot early on the back nine, was hitting it really close, but I still feel like I left a lot out there, which is good. I'm hitting it well and I'm still hitting my putts the way that I want to. But we'll see. I'm really excited with how I'm hitting it.

**Q. A lot of golf left still, but you've set yourself going into the weekend here. What does that mean to you in terms of giving yourself this opportunity to potentially win or a strong showing this weekend?**

**COOPER DOSSEY:** Yeah, I've been waiting for good golf and it's been nice this week to have no nerves or being comfortable on the golf course again. I feel like I've been up near the lead a lot this year, I've just had one day -- it seems like every cut I've made I've had one day that's just killed me. That's the difference between 20th and being in contention on the back nine on Sunday. I'm just going to keep hitting greens and let the Spider go to work, honestly.

**Q. You said a lot about being consistent. In your game is there something you ever notice where that's missing, that one round that kind of separates good from falling out of contention?**

**COOPER DOSSEY:** I'd say my patience. I can run pretty hot. I don't really like throw clubs or it's probably not too noticeable to the fan, but my caddie probably would tell you that I can run hot.

So I think I've tried to put an emphasis the last probably month and a half, ever since Greenville, in just having fun out there and allowing myself to get hot but not letting it carry over. If I can just stay patient and calm and smiling, then I play good golf.

And that's really hard because golf's really frustrating, but I feel like I'm doing a good job of that. It's always going to be hard for me, but it's getting closer.

**Q. Is there anything active when you maybe notice yourself get hot a bit that you'll actively do to try and get yourself back in the zone or calm down a bit?**



**COOPER DOSSEY:** Yeah, I would say what I've been working with my mental coach is, for me my faith means a lot to me and outlining God's creation, whether that be trees or houses or the different views we get to see, that kind of brings me back to earth again and makes me realize I get to do this, I don't have to do this. I think when I feel like I have to do this, my anger comes out, but when I realize I get to do it, it's a lot more fun. I'd say that's what I try to do when I run hot.

