

Price Cutter Charity Championship presented by Dr Pepper

ROUND 2 QUOTES

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SHAD TUTEN (-11)

Q. Shad, 11 under through the first two rounds. What's been working well with your game this week so far?

SHAD TUTEN: I've been hitting it good for a while and I've been actually putting it great. I made a little small tweak to my putter and seems to be working well. I see these greens well and I've played here a lot, so I'm comfortable here.

Q. Yeah, you mentioned you've had some good success here in your past starts. What is it about this course that kind of fits your game?

SHAD TUTEN: I guess it's one of those things where it's just kind of gung ho, you kind of go at everything. Everything's pretty soft. Obviously it's going to change for the weekend, but so far our game plan's been pretty aggressive. We're probably going to stick to that.

Q. How do you think this might change over the weekend now?

SHAD TUTEN: It will get a little firmer out here. You get a little more run in the fairway, so it will play a little shorter, but you can still be pretty aggressive.

Q. How have you felt about your game this year? You came in a little bit late dealing with some stuff. What's been your thoughts on the season so far?

SHAD TUTEN: Yeah, I know I've made every cut, but it's been an interesting grind. I've never experienced this type of kind of coming into the year in the middle of the year. I was ready to play literally a week, two weeks after like the end of the year, then that happened, then I had four months off. So it was definitely a challenge for me to kind of get back into it really. I was very rusty with tournament golf. I had played just a little bit beforehand, but I was pretty rusty. I mean, really, it was just developing my speed back, kind of developing what I did best in the past. You know, you kind of lose that if you haven't played competitively for a certain amount of time and it was about six months, so it took a toll on me mentally more than anything. I'm here and I'm playing and I'm happy.

Q. Do you feel like you're kind of back or do you feel like you're still slowly chipping away at it?

SHAD TUTEN: Yeah, I'd never say I'm 100 percent just because we're mid season and it is what it is, but my body feels good. For me, it's all about recovery. In the past it's been



basically heavily on trying to get my game where it needs to be, but I feel comfortable with that. It's a different aspect for me because I'm really focused on trying to stay healthy and happy and recover the right way.

Q. You talked about the Americas event with our crew and you said you weren't sure how many events you're going to play this year. You've been out here just about seven, eight straight now. Did you expect to do that and how are you feeling?

SHAD TUTEN: To be completely honest, no, that was never the plan. I told my wife, and we talked about it a lot, she helps me out a lot with this, but I told her kind of at the beginning we're just going to roll with the punches, see how it goes and play as little or as much as I felt like I could. If I felt like I could tee it up and compete, then I would. So that's kind of what it's been. I've taken one week off and I plan on taking another one off kind of before the end, but that's kind of the way it's been.

