

MAGNIT CHAMPIONSHIP

ROUND 1 QUOTES
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WILL CHANDLER (-8)

Q. Will, 8-under 64 today. Walk us through, what were the highlights out there for you?

WILL CHANDLER: I don't know. I hit a lot of good shots. I wedged it good, drove it pretty good and some putts fell. It was solid.

Q. What's this kind of season been like for you? Open qualifying to five events this year, you top-10ed to get into another. I guess what's the season been like kind of going through that grind?

WILL CHANDLER: Yeah, I mean, it is what it is. You make the most of your opportunities. Haven't quite done that, but I'm looking forward to the rest of the season.

Q. What has kind of been your goal this year with all the Monday qualifiers and getting all those opportunities? Was it just to get status to Korn Ferry Tour or what was it you were kind of looking for?

WILL CHANDLER: I don't even know. You know, do the best I can each day and see where it puts me.

Q. After Georgia '21 you finished, right?

WILL CHANDLER: Yeah.

Q. So what have you been doing for the most part, mini tours?

WILL CHANDLER: Yeah, some mini tour events, I played the Canadian Tour last year, and then this year I've been able to get into a fair amount of Korn Ferry events. Just whatever. A lot of Mondays this year, some mini tour events and some Korn Ferry events.

Q. What was your takeaway from Canada last year being the first kind of PGA TOUR that you had membership on?

WILL CHANDLER: It was good. I didn't play as well as I would have liked, but I learned a lot and I'm doing my best to apply it to this year when I get into these events. There's no question it helped me a lot playing up there. I don't know how many events, 10 events. Just learned a lot. Played OK some, but not really that good. Certainly learned a lot, it was good



experience.

Q. What would you say was maybe your biggest takeaway from that experience?

WILL CHANDLER: Golf-wise?

Q. Golf, personal, whatever you want it to be.

WILL CHANDLER: These events are marathons. They're four-day events, 72 holes, so you've got to play smart, play the percentages, and over the course of four days it's going to probably leave you in a better position than just attacking flags. You know, you really got to think through things and that starts with the practice rounds.

Q. So 8 under today then, what's the plan as you go into tomorrow morning? Might be a little different setup tomorrow, different conditions.

WILL CHANDLER: Yeah, same thing today, hit some fairways and greens, good speed on the greens. Not much different. Game plan-wise, I don't know if -- they might move some tees around. Play pretty smart, play to the fat part of the green and when you have a good number, attack a little bit more.

