

ROUND 2 QUICK QUOTES

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MAVERICK McNEALY (-10)



Q. Good playing. Looks like the two days were both hard, but you would be in a better position to judge. Which was tougher?

MAVERICK McNEALY: I think, they were tough for different reasons. I would say yesterday was a little bit tougher and my game was a little bit sharper. I think the challenge on the back nine today was when that wind started to die down, it got a lot gustier and you're guessing is this ball going to carry 30 yards further, five yards further than the number. That was the challenge. I really feel like everything was a 10 out of 10 yesterday and closer to 8 out of 10 today, but walking on that range this morning and not being able to feel my hands, I was saying to myself if I get to double digits I'll be pretty happy with that and I did that today.

Q. Do you consider yourself a good wind player?

MAVERICK McNEALY: I do now, I'm definitely a lot better in the wind than I was six months ago. Kind of the stuff I've been working on, swing direction, swinging more left allows me to get on top of the ball and hit down on the ball and flight it lower and that's been absolutely huge for me this week.

Q. And how much are you looking forward to a weekend where the wind is supposed to die down and you've got a trophy to chase?

MAVERICK McNEALY: It will be a lot of fun. Scout and I were talking, it's been a really windy fall. We had 40-mile an hour winds at Shriners and then we go Bermuda, hats were flying off, and even Cabo we had some crazy windy days. It will be fun to see those greens get quick and I think that plays into my strengths where there's a little bit less guesswork and a little more touch and skill in the putting and that's what I pride myself on. Hopefully we can see that ball fly a little bit higher and get adjusted for that.