

ROUND 3 QUICK QUOTES
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LUDVIG ÅBERG (-6)



Q. Ludvig, can you take us through the hole-in-one? Pitching wedge, is that what it was?

LUDVIG ÅBERG: Yeah, it was a pitching wedge. I think it played 115 meters, something like that. It was one of them that I actually hit the shot I wanted to as well, which is nice when it goes in.

Yeah, hit a little cut pitching wedge up in the wind and landed behind it and came back. It was a really cool moment. I've never made a hole-in-one in tournament play before, so it was a first for sure.

Q. Does that affect the bet that you have with your caddie?

LUDVIG ÅBERG: It did, it got me one closer. I'm at five now. I like my chances.

Q. You almost seemed a little surprised that it went off the way it did. Have you had one that didn't go off the way you wanted to that went in?

LUDVIG ÅBERG: No, I'm just saying sometimes you hear stories about how guys don't hit the nice shot, they kind of chunk it and it rolls up there, you thin it and it goes up there. But this was actually a nice shot kind of the way we wanted to, so it was nice.

Q. How many have you had on the PGA TOUR?

LUDVIG ÅBERG: This is my first one.

Q. What is most difficult about this course, because we're seeing scores from guys that we don't usually see, like Scottie and Rory? What's the hardest part about it?

LUDVIG ÅBERG: It's hard. Off the tee it's hard, but the good thing or the cool thing I think about this course is, I mean I had a front row seat to Patrick today, he played amazing and he was great off the tee. You can be rewarded and have a lot of good chances into the greens, but as soon as you start missing the fairways, it gets pretty difficult, you've got to scramble. It sort of becomes more of a get the ball up and down as much as you can. It's a great golf course, it's a U.S. Open golf course and it definitely played that way today I thought.

Q. I know this was your first PGA TOUR hole-in-one, but when was the last time you had a hole-in-one?



LUDVIG ÅBERG: I had a hole-in-one, I played in Lubbock in Texas last fall. I played with the team. This was when I recently turned pro, but I had a hole-in-one at Lubbock Country Club when we played there last year.

Q. Was that also a pitching wedge?

LUDVIG ÅBERG: That was a 6-iron in off the left wind, so a draw back left pin. That was a little cooler shot, but I'm pleased with the one today.

Q. Was it on TV though?

LUDVIG ÅBERG: There was no TV.

