

ROUND 1 QUICK QUOTES
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DAVIS THOMPSON (-10)



Q. Davis, 62 today, incredible round of golf. If we can get some comments on your play.

DAVIS THOMPSON: Yeah, the wind was down so felt like I could attack out there. Got off to a great start. Yeah, just kind of rode the wave going in the back nine and was able to make birdies on 8 and 9 coming in to kind of cap it off.

Q. Davis, with the way the weather is today and the way the weather's going to be the rest of this week, is this going to be what we're going to see all four days, the scoring?

DAVIS THOMPSON: That would be nice. I don't know. I mean, we'll just kind of regroup and see what it's going to be like tomorrow. You've just got to be patient out there because when the wind's down you're going to have a lot of wedges and a lot of birdie opportunities. Just got to be patient and hopefully catch fire and just kind of ride that momentum.

Q. You say patient, but a lot of guys are going to shoot a lot of low numbers this week. So is it hard to figure out where the line is between being patient and staying aggressive so you just kind of keep up with everybody?

DAVIS THOMPSON: Yeah, I feel like you just kind of stay patient until kind of the back nine on Sunday and see where you're at and kind of adjust from there. Hopefully you're kind of in contention and can kind of adjust when needed.

Yeah, I mean, I've got to be mentally prepared to see a lot of birdies and just be comfort -- just have comfort within myself.

Q. How long have you lived in this area?

DAVIS THOMPSON: I moved down here after college but my parents moved down here when I went to school in college, so I guess technically since 2017.

Q. OK. Have you in any way -- because you live here and because your dad's the tournament director, have you in any way put any pressure on yourself to play well here?

DAVIS THOMPSON: Yeah, I think that's natural. A lot of family and friends come down here and watch this tournament so I think it's natural for me to put more pressure on myself, but this week I'm really trying to kind of block that out and just go play golf and just enjoy it

and have fun.

Q. How did you -- how long was the putt on 18?

DAVIS THOMPSON: I hit a good one in there, it was only about four feet.

Q. What did you hit in?

DAVIS THOMPSON: 5-iron.

Q. What was your number?

DAVIS THOMPSON: Let's see. We had 220 and that flag was all the way on the left. The only way to get it close, you have to hit a draw in there and I played it really well and it --

Q. Any long putts in there today?

DAVIS THOMPSON: I made a nice one on 7 from about 20 feet and same on No. 9, it was a good way --

Q. You hit it close most of the time?

DAVIS THOMPSON: Yeah, outside of those two putts it was a lot of tap-ins and putts inside of 10 feet.