

KORN FERRY TOUR CHAMPIONSHIP
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ROUND 3 QUOTES
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BLADES BROWN (-16)

Q. Blades, in the lead heading into Sunday. I guess maybe take us through the round today. You got off to a good start on the front nine and then maybe dropped a couple coming in.

BLADES BROWN: Yeah, got off to a great start, was just playing easy, stress-free golf. I was maybe 5 under through the first 10 holes. Then kind of leaked a bit coming in, but I'm going to go to the range and (inaudible) some stuff and get ready for tomorrow.

Q. What's something you are kind of looking to work on at the range?

BLADES BROWN: I mean, I love easy golf when it's just fairway, green and have the opportunity to make a putt. I think Scottie Scheffler has the perfect concoction to golf, that's the way that he plays. He stripes the ball off the tee, stripes it into these greens and when his putter gets hot, he runs away from the field. So I try to make my game as simple as possible.

Q. You've been in this spot before a couple times out here, last group on Sunday. In the past, how much of it's been nerves versus excitement on those days?

BLADES BROWN: I mean, I think anything you do for the first couple times, it takes you a second to get used to it. I'm still figuring out how to win out here. As far as I'm focused out here, I'm just focused on the small wins. Waking up on time, aiming smart shots into the greens and targets. It's going to be (inaudible.)

Q. How important is it to be in contention before being officially Tour Bound?

BLADES BROWN: I mean, it's about the best case scenario if you'd ask me. We're out here fighting for our Tour cards. I'm excited to watch Austin and play with him tomorrow. It's going to be I think Barend as well is going to be up there. They're both buddies of mine and it's going to be a lot of fun. We'll make a lot of birdies.

Q. Were you enjoying watching the leaderboard today?

BLADES BROWN: Yeah.

Q. Like with the points list and everything?



BLADES BROWN: Yeah, I looked at it a couple of times. I'm just trying to focus on me, but it is exciting because that's what I love about the Korn Ferry Tour is the camaraderie out here is indescribable. It's great, everybody's kind of rooting for each other. We're still out here competing, but it's good (inaudible.)

