

SCOTT DUNLAP (-9)

Q. Really great round today.

SCOTT DUNLAP: Thanks.

Q. What were the conditions like when you started compared to when you ended the day? Less wind today?

SCOTT DUNLAP: About the same. The course is a little soft because of the rain, I guess, but much the same, almost out of the same direction, maybe a little bit more out of the -- I got turned around, I think more out of the west, I guess, than out of the south. Not much different. Other than just finishing bogey-par instead of par-birdie, I don't have much to complain about.

Q. Any birdies that really do stand out in your mind today that kept you motivated?

SCOTT DUNLAP: Well, I insist on not driving it in the fairway on the 14th, but then hit a great wedge shot from the rough and then made birdie there. If you hit it where I did, you think it might hit the tree and then God knows it didn't hit the tree, it's still not an easy shot, so making birdie there later in the round where I would have hoped to have made a par, but with the tee shot, who knows. That was kind of stealing one.

Q. Did you watch the leaderboard or did you sense how low the scores were today versus yesterday?

SCOTT DUNLAP: I knew they were a little better, but you know, you've got to go. On this tour, scoreboard watching ain't going to do you any good, you'd better just figure out how to birdie the next hole. This golf course holds up because the rough's tough, so I mean that's the equalizer. If you drive it in the fairway you're going to probably do quite well, but if you don't, I know you won't do well. That's kind of an equalizer. So I don't think guys shoot quite as low around here as they think they're going to.

Q. Going into tomorrow, last group again, how's the wrist holding up?

SCOTT DUNLAP: Well, it seems like I have a tape job that makes it feel better than it's felt in a long time, so hopefully that continues to be the case. I got lucky yesterday, I just said what if I go a little further up the hand and just almost immobilize it. It seems to have worked because then I thought maybe it was the shot that I took on Monday, when I took the tape off and gripped the clubs, I was like no, it's the tape because I wouldn't have wanted to hit it without the tape, so that's helped a lot.