

ROUND 2 INTERVIEW
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MIGUEL ANGEL JIMÉNEZ (-11)



Q. What adjustments have you made to your putting?

MIGUEL ANGEL JIMÉNEZ: I've been working also on the putting trying not to practice any straight putt. Sometimes we have two answers and practice the rhythm away from the hole just to get the suggestion that you have to make the putt, no? Nice thing I work on the green only.

Q. That's very interesting that you're working on curves and getting your eyes to look at different things, that's very interesting.

MIGUEL ANGEL JIMÉNEZ: I think it's not normally this -- sometimes you have a putt three, four, five feet that even when you make a putt, you miss the hole. Why we miss a short putt is because one of (inaudible) sometimes and then put the ball away from the line, you know? And then work on the slopes, practice the slopes, that you cannot see the hole. I play to the point.

Q. Nice round here today. You entered today as a leader. You're still hanging around right there at the top of the board.

MIGUEL ANGEL JIMÉNEZ: Yeah, I'm hitting very well. I make a 3-under par today, obviously not as good as yesterday but happy with the round. I played good. I make only one bogey today, one bogey on hole No. 3 where I missed the -- with my 3-wood I missed the fairway and then I hit it in the bunker and make a bogey there. And then a couple of safe (inaudible) but no chances for birdies. Anyways, my game is good.

Q. How do you handle kind of playing it safe with still being aggressive enough to stay ahead of the leader?

MIGUEL ANGEL JIMÉNEZ: I don't know if I play safe or no. Yesterday was amazing. Today was very good, too, but not as good as yesterday. I still feel like I left a lot of shots on the golf course.

Q. Do you feel like today was more of a grind than yesterday? I know Steve Stricker just told us that the course was playing a little bit longer today.

MIGUEL ANGEL JIMÉNEZ: Yeah, it was. The ball is rolling nothing. With the rain that we have yesterday, the roll is almost nothing, so it played a little longer, yeah. But the golf

course is in very good shape, the greens are fantastic and we hope to have good weather for the weekend and enjoy the tournament.

Q. How low do you think you'll have to score going into the weekend?

MIGUEL ANGEL JIMÉNEZ: People are playing well. Two more rounds, it's going to be close to 20, around 20.