

COLIN MONTGOMERIE (-6)

Q. Bogey-free round, is that what you anticipated when you came into today?

COLIN MONTGOMERIE: No, no, not at all. It was breezy and cold so a bogey-free round is very good. Delighted with the start obviously. You know, you would expect, you know, 6 under around there today, you would expect to be leading. It's amazing the scoring around here and what people can do. You know, it's incredible. But it's a decent start, I guess. That's the main thing.

Q. What was it on those back-to-back-to-back birdies?

COLIN MONTGOMERIE: Just a couple of good putts at the third and the fourth and a couple of good iron shots at the second, and the fifth was stiff. So two good putts in the middle of two good iron shots, so that was a good run and it got me going obviously. Four under early on got me going. So it was good, it's a good start. That's all it is, it's a good start and a long way to go.

Q. You get into this particular spot, have you seen this kind of round coming?

COLIN MONTGOMERIE: Interesting you say, I've been playing very well recently, I just haven't holed the putts and today I did and that's as simple as that. We all know out here, if you don't hole putts, you're not going to perform or compete. So yeah, it's just a matter of if I can putt the way I did today over the next two days, I might have a chance. If I don't, I won't, simple as that. Straightforward, really.