

ROUND 2 INTERVIEW
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JERRY KELLY (-12)

Q. Jerry, man, having the lead heading into the final round, what's that feel like and what was your mindset going into today? Did you feel good all day?

JERRY KELLY: You always have to go low out here. Somebody's always going to shoot a good score and I'm glad it was me today. Played with Kenny yesterday, burned all the edges. All of a sudden I'm like, look at him, he's in the lead. Well, I'd better catch up to him. And then I birdied five in a row after I saw him up there. No, it's going to be the same thing tomorrow. I tried to tell myself on that par 5, you need to keep going, you need to get as many as you possibly can because somebody's going to go low tomorrow. That's the mentality we have every week and it's kind of fun. Can't wait to come out tomorrow.

Q. What's the number that's in your mind?

JERRY KELLY: Oh, I don't really care about the number. I'm going to come out here and make as many birdies, pars, whatever I have to do. That's the bottom line. That's all you do, you do whatever you can that day. I hope it's fantastic tomorrow, but who knows.

Q. Walk us through that stretch there at the beginning of the back nine where you had five in a row.

JERRY KELLY: Yeah, I hit the pin on 10, kicked me a little further away but still got the putt to drop. Then made a good 15-footer on 11. Knocked it fairly close, six feet on 12, but it was a downhill slider. It was a good putt. Next one again behind the hole about eight feet or so, that was a good slider putt, too. And then next one I knocked it to a tap-in. I liked par on the next hole best.

Q. You said you noticed Kenny, so you're a scoreboard watcher?

JERRY KELLY: Oh, absolutely, all the time. I love watching the scoreboard. I love knowing where I'm at, I love doing well once I know where I'm at. That's the most fun. So I'll be watching all day tomorrow, nobody's going to sneak up on me. I know guys are going to play well and catch up, but I hope they don't. I hope I just keep on putting the pedal down. But that's the game, got to go out and play it.

Q. What did you think about that crowd on 17 today?

JERRY KELLY: Oh, I had fun with them. They're great. We were just saying it's so great to be back here with these fans. It was really, really cool. We like it a lot.