

ROUND 2 INTERVIEW
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TOM PERNICE, JR. (-8)

Q. Can't say you came back with that, you just didn't make a move today. Conditions, seems like they're fairly vulnerable, no?

TOM PERNICE JR.: Well, north wind's a different wind, so your par 5s are all into the wind where yesterday they were downwind with the exception of 15. So that in itself --

Q. So there was some wind out there?

TOM PERNICE JR.: Oh, yeah, just a different direction. You don't feel it here. It was probably 5 to 10 depending where it was. But it was a different direction so that makes things a little bit different, you know. He's got a few holes left.

Q. You never know?

TOM PERNICE JR.: You know, and you could be playing well out there and shoot even par very easily. You don't make a few putts and miss-club a couple times. So you don't expect him to fall back too much. I mean, you really can't worry about him really, but he did help that he didn't go out and shoot a 7 or 8 under for the rest of us, let's put it that way.

Q. You have to be pleased with where you're standing?

TOM PERNICE JR.: I did, I've played nicely. It's the best I've struck the ball in a long time the last two days, ball tee to green's been good. New instructor last week, Joe Mayo in Las Vegas.

Q. Joe Mayo?

TOM PERNICE JR.: Joe Mayo. He's made some differences, so so far, so good.

Q. Five wins on this tour, five starts here with your highest being a T5 finish. How do you make that higher on Sunday?

TOM PERNICE JR.: Well, shoot a low score is the easiest way to put it. You know, I've got to continue to put the ball in play, continue to give myself chances, and you've got to convert and make some putts. I haven't made that many putts thus far, so I need to putt a little better. The scoring will probably be pretty good tomorrow. I don't think there's supposed to be much wind and a nice day.

Q. What did you gets fixed in Vegas?

TOM PERNICE JR.: What didn't I get fixed. Just good information. Really wrist conditions for me on my delivery and my path. He fixed my path and he fixed my wrist conditions, so I've been working on it. It was pretty uncomfortable for a while, but so far it's been okay.

Q. Sometimes you just need to hear a different message, don't you?

TOM PERNICE JR.: Well --

Q. The process never ends.

TOM PERNICE JR.: It never ends, that's true, so we'll see you tomorrow.