

# Betfred British Masters hosted by Danny Willett

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The Belfry

## Hurly Long

### Quick Quotes



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#### **Q. Talk us through that opening round 67 today?**

HURLY LONG: It was good. I struggled a little bit with my game the last few events but struck it nicely today. I've been putting it well, so gave myself some opportunities. Solid start. I'm happy.

#### **Q. We've obviously seen a few tournaments played here the last couple years. How is the course scoring at the moment, and what do you need to do this week to provide a low number?**

HURLY LONG: It's tough to say. It doesn't appear the scoring is crazy low right now which makes sense because there's a lot of tough tee shots out here. You have to drive it well to give yourself chances and there's some long holes. I can't put a number on it but I don't think 25-under is going to win, that's for sure.

#### **Q. In your rookie season here on the DP World Tour, you've had back-to-back top five finishes and you seemed to settle in quite quickly. How comfortable do you feel out there?**

HURLY LONG: Yeah, it's been a good start. I feel very comfortable right now. I think one thing that was nice for me was having a Challenge Tour winner's category allowed me to play out here and get acclimated. Once I got my rookie season underway, I was settled in halfway already.

#### **Q. Are you taking it one tournament at a time, or do you have your eye set on achieving something concrete this year?**

HURLY LONG: It's a little bit of both. I always try to do the best I can do definitely. I certainly want to do as well as I can, let's put it that way. I would certainly like to win out here if I can. If I play well, I think I have the game to.

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