

Riviera Maya Open

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Mayakoba, Quintana Roo, Mexico

El Camaleón Golf Course

Arpichaya Yubol

Quick Quotes

Q. All right, here with Arpichaya Yubol after her final round of the Riviera Maya Open at Mayakoba. Runner-up finish this week. Can you talk about all the emotions and playing with Nelly and everything that came with this final round?

ARPICHAYA YUBOL: It's kind of fun day for me. So, okay, she is like the world No. 1, right? Of course I'm very excited to play with her. I know how she play too much like on television, right?

And so the fun thing, I'm think I can control my game actually I think better than yesterday, but I don't keep my like my (shapes?) for myself a lot.

But it's kind of fun day. I play with her. She's really consistent, and then we talk a little bit about the weather, and, yeah. It's enjoy day.

Q. And you mentioned yesterday it was a dream come true to play with her. You played really well today. How nice was it to play really well when you were playing with Nelly?

ARPICHAYA YUBOL: So mostly -- so normally when I play with like another player and they have like a big crowd, so my brain is kind of crazy a little bit, and sometime it's too hard to like control your game and control your brains, anything.

But this time, it's kind of like, I don't know, maybe it's my birthday, too. Like I'm growing up; 24 already. Like I talk to myself like all the time. Like even I'm hit bad I'm still talk to myself, you can do it. You can come back any time. Just play your game and everything happen is happen, yeah.

Q. And then like you said, it's your birthday today. Happy birthday.

ARPICHAYA YUBOL: Thank you.

Q. Does it feel good to give yourself a little birthday present and play well and finish runner-up?

ARPICHAYA YUBOL: Yes. How do you say, so finish two is kind of winner for me, too. It's feel like that,



because I can make birdie on the last hole for like finish, too. And after this week it's going to do like (indiscernible) and make me stress too much.

Now everything is gone. Like bid gift for me, like big money again for me and my dad share together, kind of like that. Yeah, so kind of big gift for me, yeah.

Q. And then you said your dad is on the bag this week. He might not be on the bag going forward. How nice was it to have him on the bag this week playing so good?

ARPICHAYA YUBOL: So before this week start we have to talk when we travel in the airport together. So I talk with dad, dad, we have to doing good this week because the reshuffle is coming, and then you going to plan your life like not easy if you not doing good this week.

So now like the stress, everything is go out and then we know how to should to do keep going for the next tournament.

Maybe he going to caddie for the U.S. Open qualifier, 36 hole. For him should be fun, yeah.

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