

# PGA Championship

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Oak Hill Country Club

## Jordan Spieth

### Quick Quotes

**Q. What challenges did the playability present today? I know Oak Hill has presented a lot of challenges this week, I feel like we have seen all four seasons here. What kind of challenges did the playability today, what did it present for you?**

JORDAN SPIETH: It's just really difficult to keep everything dry, and so it starts with a grip, and then from there, if you get water on the ball or the driver face, the ball can really go anywhere.

You have to do a good job of -- it's just a different kind of routine, right. I was holding my driver face down as I was getting ready to hit, and I would set up and hit it pretty quickly. That really helped.

I drove the ball well. It seemed like it was coming off pretty normal where there was two drives I think I hit -- where right when I hit them, I looked up and I was like, oh, man, that's a water shooter. You just have to be so accurate off the tee here, and the rain makes it more difficult to be accurate.

**Q. Last thing would be how has your wrist impacted the week for you, whether it's what you have to do after a round or before a round or changing golf shots during?**

JORDAN SPIETH: I'm doing, obviously, a lot of recovery that I've been doing every day for the last, well, I guess eight days now since I injured it -- no, sorry, 14 days now.

But on course, there's been a couple scenarios where I bailed out of a couple shots that if it weren't a factor, I wouldn't have, and unfortunately those shots did affect my score. I was hoping that wouldn't be the case here but it's only been a couple times.

My normal swings, it's not an issue. It's just when you start getting bunker lips and stuff like that, and you've got to really flick under a flop shot or a bunker shot, I had that today where I just don't have the confidence in it not making it worse, so I just bail a little bit. I probably cost



myself a few shots on that. But coming in, I kind of figured that might be the case.

So like I just said over there, it's nothing -- nothing major, but it's significant enough that I would have liked to have had two or three weeks off before this event just to feel like I got prepared. It wasn't really a wrist thing as much it was just a lack of preparation.

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