

# RBC Heritage

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Hilton Head Island, South Carolina, USA

Harbour Town Golf Links

## Hudson Swafford

### Quick Quotes

#### Q. Your thoughts on your moving day round.

HUDSON SWAFFORD: Patient. Didn't have my best stuff probably tee to green. I thought I hit it a lot better maybe the first two days compared to today, but I was really patient. Rolled it great today. Didn't beat myself, didn't really get down. Kept it in play, missing in the right spots. Had a couple nice up-and-downs. It kind of just kept me going and made a few putts. It was nice.

#### Q. Was it hard to be patient at times when you saw there were some low scores? Then you still ended up shooting 66 in the end.

HUDSON SWAFFORD: Yeah, absolutely. I made a couple birdies early and then a couple bad swings on 7 and just overdrew it on 8 and made bogey. Hit a good putt and misread it on 9. Made the turn at 2-under, which is never terrible around here on the front nine. I was just like I feel like I'm losing ground.

But I wasn't hitting it -- my ball control wasn't quite good enough to really kind of press. So I wasn't really getting upset. Just kind of stayed patient, and I started to hit some pretty good shots and rolled in some putts, and it turned into a pretty good one.

#### Q. It sounds like to me the mental side of things was really on fire today, maybe not as much the physical side.

HUDSON SWAFFORD: Yeah, absolutely. I didn't beat myself today. Kind of just played within myself and just knew that just get it on the green. I was rolling it well. So just get it on the green as fast as possible, whether it was 30 feet or 2 feet.

Yeah, just try not to beat myself today. It wasn't great, but it was still a great result.

#### Q. The course obviously is much more gettable today without the 20 to 30 mile an hour winds. Would you kind of agree?



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HUDSON SWAFFORD: Yeah, absolutely. I played a really fantastic round of golf, I think, yesterday. I only missed like four greens. Everything was clicking yesterday, but blowing 30, it presents its challenges around here.

#### Q. Heading into Sunday, do you feel like your game is turning in the direction where you feel you've got a really great shot tomorrow to bring home the title?

HUDSON SWAFFORD: Absolutely. Just kind of stay patient like I did today. Rolling it well. I'm swinging at it great. So, yeah, it will be a fun back nine tomorrow. I'm looking forward to it.

#### Q. You quietly had a pretty good Masters week last week, under the radar. How much confidence did that give you?

HUDSON SWAFFORD: It was great. You know what, I played that place a little timid in my last few trips around there, and I got off to a little timid start on my front nine, and I just said screw it.

You can keep playing that way and not play well, and I started playing a little bit more aggressive and hitting those putts at six, seven feet, a little bit more aggressive and keeping them online.

Yeah, I played a great next few rounds for sure, and it was very close on Sunday. As you all know, it's a fine line there. Anything can kind of happen being one, two feet off. So a couple bogeys coming in. But I played really solid last week.

So really starting to see some things come together in my game. Just kind of looking forward to going forward.

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