

# Invited Celebrity Classic

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Irving, Texas, USA

Las Colinas Country Club

## Paul Broadhurst

### Quick Quotes

#### Q. Paul, just overall takeaways from round 1. You had kind of a start --

PAUL BROADHURST: Yeah, I made a couple of errors, silly errors really. Got a good birdie at 10 and then came up short in the trap. Tried to be cute and left it in, then managed to get a bogey in the end.

No. 15 I three-putted from about 20 feet, which was really annoying because I played the hole really well, gave myself a chance for birdie, run it four feet by and missed it coming back.

I got the round going, stayed patient. I've been working with my mind man back home and my son on my game, so we had a couple of good weeks just trying to sort a few things out mentally.

I stayed positive, and I stayed one shot at a time like I've been told to do.

Yeah, I got it going around the front nine. I played solid, hit some good shots. Didn't hit a great drive at 9 and then hit a bit of a whirly second shot that apparently hit the hole, and I missed it from about three, four feet on the last. Tricky putt, downhill, right-edge putt with the grain going right, and I've just got to dribble it, and I didn't hit a very good putt, dribbled it left.

#### Q. Still at the top of the leaderboard --

PAUL BROADHURST: Yeah, it would have been nice to make that one on the last. That would have been a bonus. But obviously happy with 6-under.

#### Q. Unsure about the weather conditions going into the weekend --

PAUL BROADHURST: Yeah, I think everybody is aware that tomorrow looks pretty bad. So it was important to get off to a good start in case it may end up being 36 holes. I don't know, but we'll have to see what happens tomorrow. It doesn't look very good I don't think from the forecast.



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But yeah, we'll just see. I've been in this position a few times recently, and I've not taken advantage. It's important to keep this going now.

#### Q. This format is so different adding in the celebs and the ams. Does that distract you at all?

PAUL BROADHURST: It doesn't distract me at all. I played for three and a half years when I finished on the European Tour, and all I did, I played PGA pro-ams. These guys can play. They hit it miles. I'm the back marker by a long way most of the time. But no, we had some good fun. I don't necessarily know Hall-of-Famers, being from the UK, but I make sure we read up on them before we play and at least we know a little bit about them.

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