

Truist Championship

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Charlotte, North Carolina, USA

Quail Hollow Club

Sungjae Im

Quick Quotes

Q. 2-under par today. You're currently leading at 9-under for the tournament. If we can get some thoughts on your play in the second round.

SUNGJAE IM: I'm leading now, but there's a few more players to finish the round. So I'm leading now, but it might change later. But I'm very happy that I'm leading and before this week I had a plan to birdie the par-5s and I know this course pretty well because of the Presidents Cup. So it's working out to my plan.

Q. What's been the key through 36 holes? I see that you're first in strokes gained tee to green and then also nine out of 10 in scrambling. So just talk a little bit about that.

SUNGJAE IM: I feel like I'm driving the ball very well. I'm keeping it in the fairways, as you see there on the data. So it makes it easier for me to hit my second shots on the green in difficult pin positions. Also, I know this course very well, so I'm taking advantage of that.

And then the scrambling, because of the play with the Presidents Cup, I know where to miss the greens, I'm very familiar with this golf course. But I didn't putt very well today, but I'm happy with where I'm at.

Q. How were you feeling coming into the week with the state of your game?

SUNGJAE IM: I haven't been playing very well coming into this tournament because of my wrist injury. But I'm happy with how my game is progressing and the way I'm striking the ball. And I'm happy with where I'm at at the moment and I want to keep this going for two more days and hopefully I'll have a very good finish.

Q. I was going to ask about the wrist injury. Are you feeling a hundred percent, has it been a process getting back or are you a hundred?

SUNGJAE IM: No, it's a hundred percent, yeah.



Q. You're comfortable on this course? You talked about great finishes here, Presidents Cup.

SUNGJAE IM: I know this course very well. I've had a lot of experience here and finished with good results here. So I think that's an advantage for me. I know the holes to make birdies and those I need to make pars, and that's the reason why I'm playing so well and the score is showing it.

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