

**ROUND 2 INTERVIEW**  
**July 8, 2022**

**KRAMER HICKOK (-11)**



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**Q. Eleven under through two rounds, in great position. Long day today, I know. Just a few comments about today.**

**KRAMER HICKOK:** Yeah, it was a long day. Woke up early this morning, but that's just the nature of the beast. We knew it was going to be rainy and we knew it was going to be spotty, so the chances of coming off the golf course were pretty high. Just got to stay patient out there and just try and golf your ball. Just kind of stay in the moment and really not worry about all the extra stuff going on around you. If you get pulled off the course, it's fine. If you've got to get back early again, it's fine. Luckily we got it done, it was a long day, so going to go focus on getting some rest now.

**Q. What did you do to kill the five hours, five and a half, whatever it was?**

**KRAMER HICKOK:** Yeah, just went inside, had some lunch and just chilled out. Actually booked a fly fishing trip with my wife and I for next week. We're going up to Montana, so was able to knock that out and kind of have something cool to look forward to obviously if we're not going over to St. Andrews, so it's a win-win for me, I guess.

**Q. Speaking of St. Andrews, how much is that in the back of your mind, and I don't want to put it in your mind, but --**

**KRAMER HICKOK:** It's there, but I think the way you get there is by focusing and playing freed up golf and to do your job, which my job's to focus on each shot and just recognize I'm starting to play some good golf, so I'm excited about that.

It's been a struggle the last two months, but starting to limit the mistakes and I'm starting to get balls up and down, starting to make some putts. So I'm just happy with where my game's at and the state of my game and kind of just looking forward to getting out and playing again. It feels good to go under par and just feels good to be in contention. It's been a while since I've been here, I guess it's been since Houston. But I love being in contention, so I'm looking forward to the weekend.