MIKE WEIR (-9)



Q. Mike, maybe not the finish you wanted today, but your first time at the Shaw Charity Classic. Overall, what feelings are you leaving Canyon Meadows with?

MIKE WEIR: I really like the golf course, I thought it was great. It was a nice test of golf. It was difficult on the greens, I found it difficult on the greens, especially on the weekend. I got stuck in neutral the last two days here, but I love the place and Shaw and Suncor did an amazing job, so it was good to be back up north.

Q. Are you ready to come back and improve on this finish next year?

MIKE WEIR: Yeah, yeah, first time around. There's a few things I need to sharpen up around here for next year and you get a little more comfortable with the course and hopefully I can do a little better.

Q. Having the support from the fans, you just signed some autographs here. Nice to be back in front of the fans?

MIKE WEIR: Oh, wonderful. I was saying yesterday, I came off here and I wasn't too happy with my day and Ashley, who was one of the volunteers here, gave me some raspberry jam, homemade. So that was just like coming home, that was really sweet and nice. Coming home to Canada felt really good.

Q. Anything to the hotel fire last night and how much that affected your guys' games today?

MIKE WEIR: I think everybody was in the same boat. It's unfortunate that we had that. I don't think it affected my game at all, no, not at all. Just kind of unfortunate for everybody to get rattled in the night and you're wondering kind of what's happening, but it didn't affect my game.

Q. What's the first thing you grab when you hear that alarm?

MIKE WEIR: Passport. Passport, wallet, phone and backpack and I was out the door. Plenty of times I've been sitting at hotels when fire alarms have gone off and that was the first time I've ever had to go outside actually. Usually they're false alarms. But when I heard the fire trucks coming and I could smell the smoke, that was a little disconcerting for sure.

Q. Outside of that memory, is there one that's going to stick out in your mind in your time here?

MIKE WEIR: Memory? I guess just coming up here and seeing the fans, seeing some familiar faces, good friends here. That's kind of what I'll remember about this week.

Q. David Morland said he grabbed his clubs.

MIKE WEIR: Yeah, he was one of the only guys who grabbed his clubs coming down stairs. If the place would have burnt down, maybe he would have been playing a one-some out here and won the tournament. Yeah, I didn't even think of that, I was just trying to get, like I said, my passport and things like that and get outside.

Q. Have you ever played in smoke like this before?

MIKE WEIR: Well, where we live in Utah we get a little of it, California, Oregon, so we're getting some of this, but this is pretty bad today. Today is about as bad as I've felt it. You feel it in your chest and your eyes, constantly putting drops in my eyes today. That's unfortunate because early in the week it was great, it was sunny and nice. Yeah, hopefully they can get a handle on it pretty soon.