

ROUND 1 INTERVIEW
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TIM PETROVIC (-5)



TIM PETROVIC: Turn 56 on the 16th. That's a few days away.

Q. But hey, that's a great finish right there, I think 3 under for the final three holes, right?

TIM PETROVIC: Yeah, you always like to start good, but it's always how you finish. Yeah, I just hit three perfect shots on 8, bombed it down there about 330 off the tee and had like a little 5-iron in there. It's a tight little shot. Squeezed it in there, got it behind the pin, it bounced around and went in somehow. But yeah, it was a good way to finish.

Q. Is there a secret to getting around Snoqualmie mountain course here? Is there a secret to it?

TIM PETROVIC: No, I just think with the poa annua greens you've just got to be patient. You're going to miss some. I missed a couple short ones today, but you've just got to hang in there because the ball's going to bounce around a little bit and you're going to miss them. You're going to miss some putts you think you should make. Basically, it's a patience game out here.

Q. I was looking at some stats this year, you've been in this position before. You've had some top-5s and four top-10s, I think. So you're setting up pretty good here for another two days.

TIM PETROVIC: Yeah, I feel fresh. I took a couple weeks off of we came back from the British. I played OK at the British, but it was a long trip for one week and I just needed two weeks off, so feeling a little bit refreshed. And got my wife out here this week and I've got a buddy of mine caddying, so it's been fun.