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[00:00:20] >> The PGA Tour is proud to bring the season-long race for the FedEx Cup. Now, coverage of the 2022 Shriners Children's Open.

[00:00:51] >> Long history here in what is billed as the entertainment capital of the world for many reasons, the Strip about 12 miles from here, about 10 miles west of Downtown Las Vegas here. And 31 straight years that this golf course has been a part of this event, 15th year that it's been the sole host course. Checking out the man from the morning, Tom Hoge, with hoagie had a great year last year, got his first win. This at 9 for birdie.

[00:01:21] >> Yeah, the par 5, got it right up greenside into bunker. Not his best bunker shot, but man a good putter makes up for a lot.

[00:01:27] >> So looking to go back to back from just off the green at the 10th.

[00:01:30] >> Man, he was on fire at this point. A 5-under in a five hole stretch. Beautiful round from him.

[00:01:36] >> Ended up better than that, Trevor.

[00:01:37] >> Eight-under 63 to set the pace, Si Woo Kim, familiar putting stroke now for him.

[00:01:43] >> Yeah. And gone to this longer putter about a month ago. Played well in an event in Japan, used it at the President's Cup. And the stroke looks so much better to me, Terry. You see the rhythm of that, how comfortable he is. He's letting that putter head relax down on the surface after the stroke.

[00:02:00] >> To 7-under.

[00:02:00] >> I really like how it looks.

[00:02:02] >> Great round, 64. The afternoon wave now underway. Patrick Cantlay, 2017 champ, this the approach at 4, 350-yard drive down the 4th for Cantlay. Beautiful wedge from 87 yards.

[00:02:14] >> Flag barely move and not much wind at all. So we're going to see quite a bit of that I think this afternoon. Saw it in the morning. Hoge with a 63. Maverick McNealy, Las Vegas man, 7-under. Si Woo Kim also, one shot off the pace Day 1 in Vegas.

[00:02:29] >> Adam Schenk this moment ago.

[00:02:33] >> His approach at 18, and a good spot here coming from the fairway, just a wedge to this front hole location. There you go.

[00:02:42] >> He would knock that in. Now, Lipsky at 11.

[00:03:03][ Cheering and Applause ]

[00:03:09] >> Tom Kim a moment ago, this for eagle at 16. We've seen a few eagles already today at this hole. There's another one.

[00:03:19][ Applause ]

[00:03:28] >> Sungjae Im.

[00:03:30] >> It should be on -- just on the right edge I think by my vantage point.

[00:03:44] >> Make that the left edge. And actually tried to go left.

[00:03:46] >> Beautiful push.

[00:03:47] >> Has crept over the front edge.

[00:03:53] >> Fourteen.

[00:03:54] >> That's a nice high, like passing across the tree. That has 19, feeling the breeze, yeah, plus 2. Give it a little bit of height. I think it's going to be perfect.

[00:04:03] >> Yeah, in between the tree and that tree at the back there just --

[00:04:06] >> Yes, ride it.

[00:04:06] >> -- -- quickly ride it?

[00:04:07] >> Ride it up, yeah.

[00:04:08] >> Just 138, Cam Davis.

[00:04:10] >> Yeah.

[00:04:11] >> Yeah. They're also working in meters this week. It's a tough job being a guy that works in meters calculating that, as well as the 5% that the guys are playing with this afternoon due to elevation. Lots of -- A lot of numbers.

[00:04:23] >> That's a good point.

[00:04:24] >> But with this green here, it's -- everything is sloping left of this whole location. This pin is so dicey. This is way up in the air. Looks pretty good. That would do it.

[00:04:39] >> He would finish that off.

[00:04:42] >> This is at the 9th, Patrick Rodgers back bunker. This up and down for birdie, be nice day for him. This is looking great. Maybe eagle. Yeah, what a great shot. Played the run out going down the slope.

[00:05:00] >> The shoe was off.

[00:05:02] >> Here we go again. What do you think, Smylie? You probably went down there and looked at it.

[00:05:07] >> Yeah. I've had a chance to take a peek at it, Curt, and it's not quite as much in the water as it appeared to be back from the tee box. Looks to be sitting fine, but he's definitely going to get his half of his leg here, just a nice cool down. It's a hot day, so probably just wanted to get a little nice little cold tub here before the end of the day.

[00:05:28] >> Got to make sure that you keep your weight leaning left. As tough as what it is, you can see how deep that water is right there, because if you hit behind it at all, that ball is just going to come out with nothing on it. Nice.

[00:05:43] >> Yeah. This is well played here.

[00:05:44] >> You think? Well, do you think some Sungjae Im learned anything from Cantlay?

[00:05:55] >> Well, they always learn something. It's just a matter of whether or not they can execute to make it. You always love to see a putt before you have to hit one.

[00:06:08] >> Cantlay has wiggled right when it got to the hole.

[00:06:11] >> About that much. He learned.

[00:06:14] >> Yes, he did.

[00:06:14] >> We move ahead to 18.

[00:06:21] >> Sungjae with the drive off the tee way down here.

[00:06:23] >> Yeah, just 89 yards trip.

[00:06:26] >> Just flipping a little one in which is tougher at these front hole locations. Just you got to be a little more exact, a little more precise with your landing spot. This one's going to get down.

[00:06:52] >> There you go, using the ridge.

[00:06:54] >> That was brilliant.

[00:07:02] >> And moment ago, Harry Hall at 14.

[00:07:05] >> On a roll right now.

[00:07:10] >> Sure is.

[00:07:12] >> Nearly. Another one.

[00:07:14] >> That landed.

[00:07:23] >> This is to finish with three in a row.

[00:07:29] >> We got a lovely view here. What did you say? Right edge.

[00:07:38] >> That's kind of what I figured based on what I saw from those two guys.

[00:07:41] >> It's pretty much where he's got it lined up. Just needs to keep the speed up. Don't let it dive left. Yeah.

[00:07:54] >> Wow. Opened up 63, 65 last year, on his way to 24-under the win, and the defending champ is the last three-year to open up with a 65.

[00:08:05] >> In his first start at TPC Summerlin, Tom Kim is adjusting nicely.

[00:08:09] >> You either get a lot of opportunities on par 5s, and you know, you don't have a lot of long par 4s. And obviously, you do have some hard holes here, I'm not going to lie. But definitely, there's a lot of birdie opportunities. It was fun, because obviously, I had my partner with me, and my Saturday afternoon partner, and obviously playing with Max on Sunday. So, it was -- I had -- we had so much fun.

[00:08:30] >> Si Woo Kim is keeping his President's Cup magic going firing a 64 just one back of Tom Hoge. Round 2 is next.

[00:08:50] >> 1983, the first time this event was held. For the 31st straight year, it's being held right here. TPC Summerlin, this community -- planned community of 120,000, still growing strong and 15 straight year that this is the sole host course. Early highlights from today, Cam Davis going out there just taken apart the back nine, Trev.

[00:09:16] >> Yeah, particularly this hole right here. Second day in a row he's driven the green on the reachable par 4, and eagle today.

[00:09:23] >> To get it to 7-under, he would birdie the par-5 60 to come here to get it to 9-under, 6-under on a five hole stretch.

[00:09:29] >> Yeah, what a run he's on there. That's his third too in a four-hole stretch. Crazy golf.

[00:09:33] >> Sixty-six today, 2017 champ, Patrick Cantlay playing well again. This is ninth hole of the day. Finally starting to get that putter warmed up.

[00:09:43] >> Eventually 67, he's got it the 8-under. Kevin Streelman trying to win for the first time since 2014 at the 4th.

[00:09:50] >> You mentioned 2014, was actually second here that year. So like the golf course.

[00:09:54] >> Sixty-seven, he's 9-under, Chad Ramey at the 9th to get it to 5-under.

[00:09:59] >> Proof that he could get it done earlier this year when he won at Punta Cana. Nice birdie there.

[00:10:04] >> Posted a 66. He's got it to 9-under. A bunch of guys right there at 8, 9-under, including Si Woo Kim. Until he came to the 5th, he birdied 1, 4, and 5.

[00:10:14] >> Since he put this putter in the bag about five weeks ago, he has rolled it beautifully.

[00:10:18] >> Coming up with 64 yesterday in the window this afternoon. So that group is a good one. Si Woo Kim playing along with Tom Kim and Max Homa as we are underway in the afternoon wave here. Day 2 of the Shriners Children's open.

[00:10:31] >> Mito Pereira, 0, 2, and 1 at Quail Hollow a week and a half ago. This his second. He's got 7-under.

[00:10:38] >> Actually, I spoke to him this morning on the range. He's feeling a little under the weather.

[00:10:42][ Applause ]

[00:10:49] >> All right, back here at 7. Tom Kim has this for birdie.

[00:10:53] >> Yeah, he's got a veteran presence on the bag with Joe Scarborough. And he's one of my favorite caddies out on the PGA Tour. And having a guy with that much experience is so vital for a young player on tour. He's seen all the golf courses. And you can see Joe just being -- just a great influence on him here this week in Vegas.

[00:11:10] >> All those years with Rickie Fowler, Joe Scarborough, very popular.

[00:11:20] >> Another one.

[00:11:21] >> Wow. That is just beautiful. This is at the 9th, Rickie Fowler. Short putt here for birdie for Fowler. He's going to have to get going. We were looking at it. We were talking about the cut line before we came on the air. Probably going to be at 4-under. And so, he's going to have to make some birdies. And there are a lot of birdies to be made, especially on that back nine in holes 13 through 18.

[00:11:59] >> Looks like he's trying to sneak it just past the right side of that coin. Putting style looks a little different to me this week. Got a wider stance than what I'm used to from him. There you go.

[00:12:16] >> That looked like Rickie Fowler from a few years ago, that stroke

[00:12:23] >> Third for Si Woo Kim at 10 now from beyond.

[00:12:29] >> Yeah, just over the green is totally fine. Everything is uphill on this chip shot. He's probably just going to put a little back of in the stance. Maybe open the face just fractionally, and just try to clip it. But fairly easy shot here.

[00:12:46] >> Oh, yeah.

[00:12:47] >> Well executed.

[00:12:47] >> Made it look easy.

[00:12:48] >> Beauty. Kept the speed up so nicely through impact there to generate all of that spin.

[00:12:55] >> Maverick McNealy second at 18 from 143.

[00:13:00] >> Hole location all the way in the back hit today, 50 on.

[00:13:05] >> That was way up front yesterday. Oh, that's brilliant. What a shot.

[00:13:10] >> McNealy would finish that off. Now, Pereira for birdie at the 4th.

[00:13:17] >> Shouldn't be much in it at all. Trying to make his seventh 3 on this round. And there is.

[00:13:23] >> Never a doubt. Never a doubt. Sole possession of the lead at 11-under, 3-under on this 9. Look at that string of birdies today.

[00:13:34] >> Lashley's third at the 9th.

[00:13:46][ Cheering and Applause ]

[00:13:55] >> Meanwhile, the man up by one, the second at 6th for Mito Pereira.

[00:13:59] >> That's 95 yards. Very dangerous little wedge shot. That might have to go.

[00:14:03] >> Oh, it did.

[00:14:04] >> Yeah, go in.

[00:14:07] >> Back at 15, Si Woo Kim.

[00:14:10] >> Yeah. A little bit short side. He's going to have to put a bunch of spin on this. That first bounce is going to be pretty big coming off that ridge of the bunker.

[00:14:17] >> Oh, yes.

[00:14:18] >> Look at that.

[00:14:18] >> Get in there.

[00:14:19] >> Look good. Yes.

[00:14:19] >> Oh, yeah.

[00:14:20] >> How about that? The fist pump.

[00:14:22] >> Nice bounce back.

[00:14:24] >> Pereira trying to figure out this birdie putt he has left.

[00:14:31] >> Just to double check and make sure he's got that line. He's been doing it same routine every time. Making sure that line is right where he wants it.

[00:14:41] >> Leading the field right now, Aaron, strokes gained tee to green. It's been fantastic from tee to green.

[00:14:46] >> That's not surprising. Not a ton of movement in this putt I wouldn't think coming back up the hill.

[00:14:55] >> He only missed one green in regulation today. And a good way to finish for Mito Pereira. That gets him to 12-under par and a two shot lead over Tom Kim and Maverick McNealy. They still have holes to play.

[00:15:10] >> All right. Homa trying to get it to 8-under.

[00:15:15] >> Yeah he pulled his tee shot off the tee and was forced to lay up and hit a sensible shot from 140 yards to about 25 feet here. It's going to be a downhill putt moving to his left. He saw that to be Si Woo's. Not quite as fast as he may have thought.

[00:15:33] >> Did it. Yeah, it did. It got there.

[00:15:37][ Cheering and Applause ] Dramatic pause before dropping.

[00:15:46] >> Taylor Pendrith, second at 18 now from the fairway.

[00:15:51] >> Needs a birdie. How about an eagle?

[00:16:02] >> Better than that.

[00:16:04] >> Oh my goodness. Gosh, how did that miss, Terry?

[00:16:07] >> Pendrith finishes with a birdie moving to 4-under. South Korea's S.H. Kim put together a solid Round 2 following up his Round 1 65 with a 2-under 69. Saving par from just off the green at the 11th, and then rolling in this 37-foot birdie putt on the 12th, vaulting Kim to a tie for 9th heading into the weekend. Chilean Mito Pereira leads the way at 13-under, while young star Tom Kim is 2 back. The Third Round is next.

[00:17:03] >> Fortieth edition of this event. Always great to be here in Las Vegas, about 15 minutes from the Strip, Red Rock Canyon not far away from where we are. Some of the crew members early this morning out there to get a workout before the show. Trevor, no, yes?

[00:17:17] >> I wish I was that brave.

[00:17:18] >> He made his way in through that entrance right here to TPC Summerlin where they've played for the last 31 years, 15 years as the sole host course. And it looks like this all week, and barely a breeze. So, check out some of the highlights. Low scores all the time at this event. But how about Aaron Rai goes out in 5-under 30, birdies 14, 15, comes to the par 5.

[00:17:40] >> Yeah, great drive down the middle, 221 yards over that massive water that guards the front portion of this green. Nice shot here toward that back edge. Makes another birdie.

[00:17:53] >> Two putts for birdie there. Then has a chance to go back to back again.

[00:17:58] >> Yeah, 9 feet, ninth birdie of the day.

[00:18:02] >> Fourteen, 15, 16, 17, career low 62 on the PGA Tour, 9-under, gets it to 14-under. Cantlay though, red hot. Birdies five of his first six to start on this front nine.

[00:18:15] >> Yeah, birdies this first four, makes the par at 5, started the day with six 3s in a row.

[00:18:21] >> 2017 champ, so feeling great today. Even better start on that front nine than Aaron Rai had went on in 5-under. Cantlay post 29. So those two at the top of the leaderboard. Tom Hoge started with a 63, lead after the opening round and struggled a bit yesterday, but now playing great.

[00:18:44] >> Yeah, he is tearing it up out there today.

[00:18:46] >> Hoge he would finish that off.

[00:18:48] >> But it's not good. You know what I mean? I mean, we're looking landing, we're looking back of that camera thing back there.

[00:18:58] >> For sure, for sure.

[00:18:58] >> Yeah, all right.

[00:18:59] >> And I saw one of these. I liked the club.

[00:19:01] >> OK.

[00:19:04] >> Well, he also likes to fade it, Trev. So this should set up to his eye really well. And he's been spot on to start the day. Just one kind of little mishap on the last hole where he drove through the fairway to the bunker and was lucky to make par quite honestly. But outside of that, it's been pretty much a stripe show.

[00:19:22] >> Yeah. Let's see if he can fly it high enough to stop it in time. Only has a flatter ball flight with the medium to long irons.

[00:19:34] >> This is aggressive as well.

[00:19:37] >> Oh, yeah.

[00:19:40] >> Great shot.

[00:19:41][ Applause ]

[00:19:50] >> Well, we got the read here for Tom Kim.

[00:19:54] >> Tricky little read. I think you get a good idea off of Robby Shelton's. They are very similar lines. But to stay committed to what you saw, I think that's going to be the hard thing.

[00:20:04] >> We're definitely not going to lose him out there, and that should, Aaron.

[00:20:07] >> No, no.

[00:20:11] >> Loves wearing a white shoes.

[00:20:13] >> Is that right?

[00:20:14] >> Yeah. At the President's Cup, he wasn't a fan of the days when we had to wear or wanted to wear black shoes. He said his feet get too hot.

[00:20:23] >> And as a captain, you let him wear the white shoes.

[00:20:27] >> I did. Yeah. Been when a good round for Beau Hossler. This a moment ago trying to finish up with this at 18. Oh, yeah.

[00:20:42][ Applause ]

[00:20:50] >> Good look at the par-5 9th green. And that's Tom Kim just short there in the pink. What kind of shot does he have left here, Aaron?

[00:20:57] >> An awkward one from this distance, especially with the front hole location. Just kind of one that he walked up twice and kind of looked at a landing area. And, you know, this is one of those ones that I call it the -- it requires a very professional short game shot. Kind of a medium trajectory floatie spinner with one hop kind of stopper. That's not an easy shot to play if you're going to get it within that 5-foot range.

[00:21:19] >> So you don't think there's any chance of him trying to bump the short of the green?

[00:21:22] >> He might be looking at that. But I see a lot of loft. It just -- And I'm in an area where behind the green where I really can't see where he's going to put it in the stance, Trevor.

[00:21:31] >> It should break right as well. And there are two sprinkler heads right there. You can see him right in front of his shirt. So that might have something to do with it as well.

[00:21:39] >> Yeah. This requires some real soft arms, kind of Freddie Couples-ish, if you will.

[00:21:45] >> Yeah, he's got that face way open motioning like he's trying to land it on the green.

[00:21:56] >> That was brilliant.

[00:21:58] >> Yeah, really well done. Took a hop then it checked on the second one.

[00:22:02] >> That's a birdie for Tom Kim.

[00:22:05] >> Moment ago at the 12, Cantlay second.

[00:22:07] >> Yeah, pushing it way down here off the tee, Terry. Only 107 yards. Anything outside of 10 feet, he won't be happy. And this looks good.

[00:22:14] >> Right at it. Beauty. And he had said that often, pushing it way down the fairway here. That's what he's been doing all day today.

[00:22:21] >> Poston at 17 tee. He's 4-under on this back nine. Making a nice move, 12-under total. And a beauty there.

[00:22:37] >> Poston is now 5-under on the back.

[00:22:41] >> Well, back here at the 11th, Tom Kim.

[00:22:46] >> You want to push it down the hill a little bit again?

[00:22:48] >> Yes, exactly. Yup.

[00:22:51] >> He's just got it on a string right now, Curt. Another beautiful drive with the driver, just 96 yards. He can completely attack.

[00:22:58] >> As firm as this green is right now, he should be able to spin it enough to go right at it. Keep it around the hole. Sounded good, didn't it?

[00:23:12] >> Yeah.

[00:23:13] >> Tom Kim moves to 14-under.

[00:23:17] >> Taking to 16. I'll tell you upfront, Jim Herman, he birdied the 16. That's not that unusual, but hit a second shot in the water. This from the trap zone. That's one way to birdie it, Trev.

[00:23:32] >> Nice. And he needed that too. He made a double at 14, the par 3, and bogeyed the drivable 15, so.

[00:23:39] >> There you go.

[00:23:40] >> Nice little bounce back there after the ball in the water.

[00:23:45] >> Par 3, 151, a moment ago, Hadwin.

[00:23:56] >> Get it, get in.

[00:23:58] >> Oh, come on now. There you. Get in indeed.

[00:24:03][ Cheering and Applause ]

[00:24:14] >> Back here at 13, Cantlay trying to make another one.

[00:24:19] >> Yeah, Curt, I kind of agree with you. I probably wasn't very -- his best effort there on that chip shot. But, you know, this is a very makeable six-footer here for Patrick, one that he routinely is able to make. But once again, you got to be able to take care of these par 5s on this scorable back nine holes.

[00:24:39] >> Yeah. He said after his round yesterday how happy he is with his stroke right now. It feels like he's putting really well.

[00:24:45] >> Look how that putter shaft and his forearms just go up in one line there. There's no real hit in the stroke. It's a nice long, smooth stroke. All kind of melts into the putter face.

[00:25:01] >> Yeah. Eighth birdie of the day. That gets him to 16-under, and the solo lead.

[00:25:09] >> Hit a terrific approach shot here, a chance to finish with four birdies in a row, get it to 14-under.

[00:25:14] >> And a little 63. Yes.

[00:25:18][ Applause ]

[00:25:22] >> This is at 15, and that's S.H. Kim, second shot.

[00:25:26] >> Yeah, just behind the green in a great spot, probably going to bump this just shorter the hole, and have a trickle under the green.

[00:25:32] >> Headed behind his back foot, definitely going low.

[00:25:35] >> That was awesome.

[00:25:37] >> Yeah.

[00:25:40] >> Even though he headed way back in his stance, he didn't dig that leading edge into the ground. Kept it nice and shallow.

[00:25:49] >> Cantlay has this for birdie.

[00:25:51] >> Yeah, Curt, I think it's kind of a little bit of a tricky downhill eight foot putt. I think it's going to want to stay straight, almost be a little left early and then fall right towards the end of this putt.

[00:26:02] >> For his ninth birdie of the day.

[00:26:11] >> Yeah, good read, good stroke.

[00:26:15] >> Fifty-nine is still on.

[00:26:22] >> Kim trying to make a birdie putt here at 13.

[00:26:26] >> Even from the back of the green, Curt, when you've got a lot of green to work with, it's not an easy pitch shot. And Tom was over there and kind of a rough line, pitched it to this point. And you hate given up shots on par 5s when you're in the middle of the fairway.

[00:26:47] >> Yeah.

[00:26:48] >> Big putt there.

[00:26:49] >> Yup. They put their heads together and got a good dial on the read there.

[00:26:57] >> Cantlay.

[00:27:00] >> Yeah. One of the changes on this golf course, they soften the back of this green. It used to be much worse past this hole location. But if you're Patrick here, you're just looking to be about 6 or 7 yards short of this hole and be putting up the hill.

[00:27:15] >> Big full swing.

[00:27:16] >> Just heading a little bit right.

[00:27:19] >> Not much though.

[00:27:21][ Applause ]

[00:27:28] >> Pereira for birdie.

[00:27:30] >> Yeah, just a great opportunity here. Couple of balls outside the right.

[00:27:37] >> Beautifully judged.

[00:27:38] >> This is where the final group is right in front of that leaderboard at 14.

[00:27:48] >> I don't know that Tom Kim knows exactly what Patrick Cantlay's record is around this place. But if he does, he knows he can't look in the rearview mirror. He's got to keep making birdies in bunches. Great opportunity here to get another one. Just a little off the right edge.

[00:28:07][ Cheering and Applause ]

[00:28:10] >> Patrick Cantlay lay for eagle, get it to 19-under and be 11-under par on the day.

[00:28:17] >> Yeah, Terry, every person that was behind the green on 15 decided we're going to go watch Patrick Cantlay finish this round out. And it is a huge crowd around this green. It's an amphitheater. Look, and I know Patrick is ready to mix, see if these guys will get some noise and get it all out here.

[00:28:37] >> Breaking off of his right. It's given enough speed here.

[00:28:51] >> Keep going.

[00:28:54] >> Oh, had it. He had it.

[00:28:57] >> He had it.

[00:29:05] >> Birdie at the par 5 though, 18 under. He is 10-under par on the round. It's a par 71 golf course.

[00:29:13] >> And two holes still left.

[00:29:16] >> Cantlay at 17.

[00:29:24] >> I think he really liked the club here. Didn't take long to make a decision. It's going to be OK.

[00:29:31] >> This should feed down.

[00:29:32] >> Yeah.

[00:29:32] >> Oh, here we go.

[00:29:34][ Applause ]

[00:29:38] >> I think it's easy to miss this putt on the right here, Curt.

[00:29:43] >>Let's see if they have it figured out. They do. Wow.

[00:30:06] >> What a good read.

[00:30:07] >> How good is that read?

[00:30:09] >> Unreal. What a clinic this has been.

[00:30:14] >> Tom Kim for birdie now at 15.

[00:30:23] >> Good read, good stroke. To 17 under and two back.

[00:30:33] >> Just walking down there to the mid part of the putt trying to find the spot that he wants that ball to roll over to where it can stay on the high side and have a good chance all the way down there.

[00:30:48] >> There we go.

[00:30:53] >> Cantlay for the course record and a 59.

[00:31:26] >> Sixteen, moment ago, Tom Kim.

[00:31:29] >> To 22, this a great flight for him in the back. Starting to left, trying to feed it right on top of it. Has gripped over the water and good now.

[00:31:42] >> Good job.

[00:31:51] >> There it is, 60 for Cantlay. Tie in the course record, 190under a through three rounds. And up by 2, looking to win this for the second time.

[00:32:06] >> Yeah, there shouldn't be all that much in this.

[00:32:09] >> No, just keep the speed up. I almost think he could keep it inside the hole to a certain extent.

[00:32:13] >> In a way, it reminds me a little bit about -- of the putt that he made on the last hole. I know it's a few feet longer, but --

[00:32:18] >> Yeah.

[00:32:18] >> -- it's similar style coming back up the hill.

[00:32:20] >> Yup.

[00:32:22] >> Three eagles so far today on 16.

[00:32:27] >> We can have three in this group. Motioning like it was a misread. But still, that's four birdies in a row for him.

[00:32:57] >> We move ahead to Tom Kim at the 18th.

[00:33:00] >> Right.

[00:33:00] >> It's a 55 hole.

[00:33:01] >> Fifty-hole, yeah. Just stop. You agree?

[00:33:11] >> Yup.

[00:33:11] >> Tom Kim's got a lot of confidence, but I would think Joe Scarborough has got just as much confidence in Tom Kim as Tom King has in himself, as basically they want him to go right at it. Great angle farther on the left-hand side of this fairway. Just the face control that this guy has is unbelievable.

[00:33:43] >> Yup. That would be right at it I think.

[00:33:47] >> There you go.

[00:33:57] >> Shouldn't be anything in this forum. Spotted beautifully all day. This was 62.

[00:34:06] >> Sixty-two it is. The 20-year-old from South Korea, 20 years of age.

[00:34:22] >> It's a President's Cup rematch in the final group. Who will prevail? Patrick Cantlay or Tom Kim. The final round is next.

[00:34:35] >> It's the dawn of a new season. Familiar faces. And new names. Big tournaments. And great locations. The race for the FedEx Cup has begun.

[00:35:11] >> Third event of the new season. Back to Las Vegas once again. Big sports weekend here, including the PGA Tour just about 12 miles northwest of the Strip. Summerlin, this development on 120,000 people here. They've been playing here for many years. And to look like that all week, blue skies, sunshine, temperature again near 90, not much of a breeze. Terry Gannon, Trevor Immelman again with you. Taking a look at some of the early highlights. S.H. Kim, how about this start from 102 at the first, Trev?

[00:35:40] >> Yeah. Starts the day four behind. So looking to get off to a quick start. See if he can put a little pressure on those leaders. And that would qualify.

[00:35:52] >> That'll do.

[00:35:52] >> It's a hot start.

[00:35:52] >> Yup. To 17-under.

[00:35:55] >> To try to put some pressure on, but Cantlay just own this place. Not only has he won with those second place finishes, share of eight, shot 60 yesterday.

[00:36:03] >> Yeah. This place and this hole, that's the third time that he birdied this first hole this week.

[00:36:09] >> To 20-,under but he bogeyed the second. Tom Kin playing with him in the final group to get it to 20-under.

[00:36:14] >> Yeah. First birdie of the day. That will give him a little bolt of confidence here.

[00:36:18] >> And all that excitement at the President's Cup. These two saw a lot of each other, played against each other in a couple of four-ball matches. This from outside at 25 feet.

[00:36:27] >> Yeah. This fifth hole actually playing as the toughest hole on the golf course. So a 2 there. Very impressive from Cantlay.

[00:36:33] >> But then the bogey at 6 to drop back to 19-under. But an up and down day so far to start. Much different than yesterday for Patrick Cantlay when he went out in 29, and eventually posted that 60. Tee at 8, Tom Kim.

[00:36:49] >> You got your target?

[00:36:53] >> Yeah.

[00:36:53] >> OK.

[00:36:54] >> Now, this guy is comfortable cutting the ball. And this flight should set up really nicely for him.

[00:37:01] >> I've watched him play quite a lot in the last few months. And I'll tell you what, you're going to be hard pressed to find a guy that hits medium to long irons better. And he says that, really, it's a part of the game that he has to put a lot of work into. Because he's not one of the longest hitters out there, he has to be able to still find a way to be aggressive with the medium to long iron. So it's something he really pays a lot of attention to. And he can strip these clubs.

[00:37:26] >> Now, find me a guy right now on the PGA Tour who has better face control than this guy.

[00:37:47] >> Trying to work to the right. Feeding its way to the middle of the green. Good solid shot.

[00:37:56] >> Just 20 years of age, already got a win on the PGA Tour, and trying to become the first player since Tiger to win twice before his 21st birthday.

[00:38:04] >> Ten, 10 Tom Hoge let after a 63 on Day 1, struggled Day 2, came back strong with a 65 yesterday.

[00:38:12] >> That is beautiful there. That's one of the first putt we've seen go in with some speed.

[00:38:20] >> Back here at 8. And Tom Kim with a birdie opportunity.

[00:38:27] >> Another tricky read. It's just this back right portion of this green looks like when you walk around behind this flag, it almost looks like it goes away from the player. So this putt to my eye looks like it almost wants to go left, Trev.

[00:38:42] >> Yeah, it is a tricky one to read. But Curt mentioned earlier, this is where he got his round going yesterday. He was 8-under from this point on in yesterday's round when he made a birdie too here. Let's see if we can do the same.

[00:38:58] >> How about going around through the tournament not making a bogey too?

[00:39:01] >> Yeah. That is -- It's always special. Now, this golf course has played quite easy this week, playing in elevation courses only right around 7,000 yards. And there's been hardly a breath of wind. So players really have been able to go out there and show off. But still, you got to think at some point, you got to make --

[00:39:19] >> Yeah.

[00:39:19] >> -- an error that --

[00:39:20] >> Mistake.

[00:39:20] >> -- could cost you.

[00:39:21] >> Sure.

[00:39:38] >> There you go.

[00:39:39] >> Got it. Wow. From long range.

[00:39:47] >> Up ahead, that pitch shot for S.H. Kim.

[00:39:50] >> Yeah, completely shortsighted. This is a difficult chip shot. This looks really good though.

[00:39:56] >> Oh my gosh, was that any good. How about that technic?

[00:40:01] >> That's a birdie for S.H. Kim.

[00:40:07] >> Should -- like I goes -- if I went straight the pin, it's going to break left at the start of the hole --

[00:40:13] >> Yes.

[00:40:13] >> -- as soon as it gets over, right?

[00:40:14] >> Yes.

[00:40:14] >> I just have cutting them back.

[00:40:16] >> Yeah. I think you perfect its landing at it or just left of it. Yeah.

[00:40:21] >> Being up by 2 dictate what you're doing too?

[00:40:24] >> I think Joe Scarborough just said it right there. That's a --

[00:40:26] >> Yeah.

[00:40:27] >> -- little bit of safety first if you go just left to this flagstick.

[00:40:31] >> I agree. Couldn't agree more.

[00:40:32] >> Yeah. They know that they can use that side bank that's going to kick it a little bit to the left.

[00:40:38] >> He's been putting so well, guys. I mean, don't take chances you don't need to.

[00:40:48] >> Uh-oh.

[00:40:50] >> Oh my.

[00:40:50] >> He actually got really lucky right there.

[00:40:55] >> So lucky.

[00:40:57][ Applause ]

[00:41:01] >> At 16, the third at the par 5 for Day.

[00:41:06] >> Hundred and four, should be able to get enough spin here to stop it in time. There you go.

[00:41:12] >> Beautiful shot.

[00:41:13] >> Day just to 16-under.

[00:41:15] >> What a good break that was, and what a great opportunity to make another birdie here, Aaron.

[00:41:19] >> Boy, Trevor, spot on. I mean, where he missed it, the putt doesn't get much easier from this distance to this flag on this green.

[00:41:30] >> Not a lot of movement up the hill. He can be aggressive.

[00:41:34] >> Coming up that birdie at the 8th. Right in the middle. Boy, he knew it too. He was walking it in.

[00:41:49] >> And just heaps more pressure on Cantlay now.

[00:41:52] >> Sure does. This has to be considered a pretty big putt here, Aaron. I agree I think that the way Tom Kim's going, he's not showing any fear, any backup at all. This would go a long way for Patrick's confidence for sure going into that back nine. I think he needs it.

[00:42:26] >> And he got it. Really good. I think in his mind, he knew that was pretty important to make the turn with that birdie.

[00:42:37] >> We pick up the leaders on the 16th. Tom Kim has a one shot lead over Cantlay.

[00:42:42] >> Aaron, how about Cantlay?

[00:42:43] >> That's perfect. You know, 182, I got to think that this is probably just a solid 7-iron, maybe even a big 8.

[00:42:53] >> Looks like an eight to me.

[00:42:55] >> Yeah.

[00:42:55] >> Maybe you get a signal from Revy, the caddie.

[00:43:00] >> Revy has been a little quiet with the hand signals today, I'm not going to lie.

[00:43:04] >> Let's see.

[00:43:16] >> Oh, this looks so good.

[00:43:18] >> It is. Get to the point where you just have to assume he's going to hit great shots in this event. If he's anywhere near the lead. So that for eagle to get it to 25-under par.

[00:43:41] >> Here at 17, Mito Pereira trying to make three birdies in a row.

[00:43:46] >> Has been struggling with the putter a little bit on this back nine, Curt.

[00:43:49] >> Why? Disappointing. Heck of a tee shot there. He'll stay at 19-under. Made too many bogeys today. Made three bogeys today.

[00:44:05] >> Which on this golf course, you're really losing ground.

[00:44:09] >> Shadow of the Strip. Some cloud cover, but it's been terrific, the conditions throughout the four days.

[00:44:19] >> So 16 over the water, the third coming up for Tom Kim.

[00:44:22] >> You get a room back here. It looks like there's less than you vision right here.

[00:44:30] >> You're OK a 459?

[00:44:33] >> Yeah, absolutely. I think that's perfect right now.

[00:44:37] >> Is it a full one or is it just a stock one?

[00:44:40] >> What are you thinking of getting out of stock right now?

[00:44:44] >> No. Dude, for some reason, I feel like it could go a little far, doesn't it?

[00:44:52] >> Yeah. So what are you thinking you're getting out of stock right now?

[00:44:57] >> Twenty-five.

[00:44:58] >> Yes. So it stocks a little more because we want a landing like 97-ish.

[00:45:06] >> We've been like at Vegas, we visit today. I guess we'll make it 100 yard a little bit.

[00:45:11] >> Well, that's what I'm saying. What do you have going here just to stop?

[00:45:15] >> If I hit really good, I'll get 100 yard of it.

[00:45:17] >> Yeah, so let's just hit a stock. That's perfect.

[00:45:18] >> See, like 100 shot or what?

[00:45:19] >> I like 97 to 100. So like stock.

[00:45:21] >> Yeah, 95 cover. What was the middle?

[00:45:22] >> Ninety-holes. Ninety-four cover, 99 hole. It's just a nice solid one.

[00:45:24] >> Yeah.

[00:45:24] >> You don't need to complicate it.

[00:45:25] >> There you go. Keep it simple.

[00:45:25] >> We eventually got there from Joe. Don't complicate it. Hit a full lob wedge for us.

[00:45:27] >> That's right. Kiss method. Ninety-nine total.

[00:45:42][ Applause ]

[00:45:50] >> Maybe he gives this one a little bit more knowing that maybe it's not that fast.

[00:45:54] >> It should go to the right off the start. But as it gets closer to the hole, I think it's going to flatten out. I don't think it's going to continue breaking.

[00:46:01] >> What we saw out of NeSmith is pretty much what we've seen so far today. Players have been a little light on speed on this putt. They think it's going to be quicker going down the hill. He's got the speed.

[00:47:05] >> Hang on now. Making pars on the par 5s here on the second nine, not helpful. So Kim before Cantlay. And this is for par.

[00:47:22] >> Just inside of 3 feet.

[00:47:30] >> No problem.

[00:47:32] >> But he stays at 24-under with that tee shot on the right rough after clipping the tree, had to lay up, and it is a part at the par 5.

[00:47:43] >> Cantlay to get it to 24-under.

[00:48:02] >> Two holes to play and they are tied at the top up.

[00:48:07][ Cheering and Applause ]

[00:48:12] >> Up at 18, exactly, Pereira, this to finish up with a birdie. He did it. Thirty-three of his last four.

[00:48:29] >> Cantlay on the green at 17 for birdie.

[00:48:48] >> In the hole.

[00:48:54] >> Not bad. I mean, it wasn't terrible.

[00:48:56] >> It was one of those putts, one of those strokes, Curt, that when he made it, he just -- he didn't look sure that he hit it the way he wanted to hit it or what it was going to do. I've seen him make a couple of strokes like that this week walking with him.

[00:49:13] >> Yeah, you don't need to get too athletic with this one. That's for sure.

[00:49:25] >> It's all about the speed. If it goes in, great. But don't leave yourself 4 feet.

[00:49:37] >> In the hole.

[00:49:40] >> Get going.

[00:49:45] >> Tom Kim and Cantlay settle for pars at 17 and head to 18 tie.

[00:49:53] >> Cantlay who drove left off the tee is hitting 4 after having to take a drop.

[00:50:03] >> That got him at 162, in that 162 to 165 range.

[00:50:16] >> Tree again.

[00:50:16] >> This has got to go. This has got to go.

[00:50:19] >> This is something else. It's hard to believe watching this.

[00:50:25] >> Very interesting decision, even after the two of them were discussing what second place was.

[00:50:31] >> Not to play out right short.

[00:50:33] >> Yeah.

[00:50:33] >> All right. So over -- Finally, to Tom Kim ready for a second here at 18.

[00:50:38] >> I mean, basically now, it's just right at the Golf Channel Tower. Basically, Matthew NeSmith's ball and just let it go there.

[00:50:48] >> Yeah.

[00:50:48] >> Keep it dry and it's all over.

[00:50:49] >> Yeah. It's over if you keep this dry.

[00:51:13] >> That's what he did.

[00:51:16] >> That's very safe on the green.

[00:51:19] >> It's a 7 for Cantlay, and Kim has the tournament in his hands.

[00:51:24] >> President's Cup teammates, and S.H. Kim waiting around the green.

[00:51:29] >> Who I would think is a future international team member the way he's playing at such a young age. Brilliant player.

[00:51:34] >> No doubt.

[00:51:45] >> In the hole.

[00:51:45] >> Go, go.

[00:51:45] >> Fantastic touch.

[00:52:00] >> Down to the 72nd hole, and Tom Kim is a two-time winner before the age of 21 on the PGA Tour.

[00:52:09][ Applause ]

[00:52:23] >> That's a partnership we will watch for a while.

[00:52:26] >> Sure is. Seem to work so well together.

[00:52:32] >> This concludes the PGA Tours coverage of the 2022 Shriners Children's Open from TPC Summerlin in Las Vegas, Nevada.

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