U.S. Girls' Junior

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Anna Davis



Q. First match of the week, you got the win under your belt, how does it feel?

ANNA DAVIS: It feels good. I haven't played in very many singles matches and done well, so it's kind of nice to come out with a strong start.

Q. You guys went back and forth a bit on the front, at what point did you feel like you might've taken control?

ANNA DAVIS: It was definitely a back-and-forth for the first 11 holes. Then I won 12 and 13 I was 3 up with 5 to play, and so that's when I felt more in control of the match.

Q. Despite being a 63 seed, your opponent was a fellow Wyndham Cup player, how would you describe the matchup?

ANNA DAVIS: Yeah I played against her at Wyndham Cup, too. She beat me with her partner, so she's definitely a great player. I think match play is just so much different than stroke play in general. She definitely made a lot of good putts, a lot of good saves that kept her in the match.

Q. What was it today that helped you beat her?

ANNA DAVIS: I think I just had more momentum in the match. I was up for a good amount of time, so I think I just had more momentum which helped. It's important to have in match play, having the upper hand, which is what I had the entire time.

Q. You guys were rained out for two hours, how did it affect you?

ANNA DAVIS: I don't know, I knew that I just had to tie at least one of the last three holes, just make a par on one of the last three holes. You can't really think about it too much in those two hours. But yeah, I think I was fine.

Q. Do you feel like the delay is more challenging mentally or physically?

ANNA DAVIS: Definitely more mental, I think. I think it'd be more physical if the situation was a little bit different, but I definitely think it's a lot more mental trying to keep the momentum that you had when you go back out there.

Q. In terms of strategy, what are you thinking for tomorrow?

ANNA DAVIS: Same thing, just steady golf – fairways, greens. Just try and do the same thing I've been doing all week.