**2022 U.S. Junior Amateur Championship**

**Monday, July 25, First Round, Stroke Play,**

**Bandon Dunes Golf Resort (Bandon Dunes course & Bandon Trails course)**

**Nick Dunlap, Tuscaloosa, Ala. – (70, 1-under, Bandon Trails course)**

(on his rollercoaster round)

“I hit some bad golf shots at the wrong time. I hit a good drive on No. 4, caught a bad break and had to punch it out. I battled all day and I hit some great shots coming in. I missed a short eagle putt on 16 and on 18 I had 10 feet for par and three-putted.”

(on what got him on right track)

“It was on No. 8 where I had a little wedge shot from 75-80 yards. It was one of those shots that can kick-start a round. I hit good wedges on 8 and 9 and missed a fairly reasonable good look on 10 and then kind of kept it going.”

(on a key shot that kept him moving in the right direction)

“The two-putt on [hole] 15 after I birdied 13 and 14. The hole played difficult today. I had 40 feet for birdie, not an easy two-putt, and I made a 5-footer for par. Then I played 16 and 17 well and then the mishap on 18.”

(on his view heading into the second round of stroke play)

“Just go out there and try and navigate your goal. Keep it in front of you tomorrow, take your birdies when you can, and try and shoot even-par.

(on being comfortable with the courses)

“It can play so differently with the wind. You could be hitting a 3-iron off holes and it could be a driver the next day. They are not really any gimmes out here just because how much the wind blows.”