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**Third-round leader quotes**

**AN INTERVIEW WITH MARCY HART**

DANA GROSS-RHODE: We have Marcy Hart, in the interview room. This is sixth time playing at Wegmans.

You've played every year you've been on Tour. Last year your career best round was 66. Do you want to just talk about that?

MARCY HART: Sure, yes. I haven't been playing well the last couple of weeks. I missed my last two cuts and missed qualifying for The Open by -- I think I missed the playoff by one shot. So last week on my week off I had a heart-to-heart with myself, no pun intended, and for me golf, people say it's all mental. Well, it is. But it's like a vicious cycle for me. When I have confidence in my swing, and if I'm making a few putts here and there. Of course, I'm going to have confidence. But you miss a few shots and you start second guessing yourself and you lose your confidence.

So, anyway, last week I went home and worked with my teacher and tried to work on the mental side, trying to stay patient and not being so hard on myself.

And, you know, that's what I have I've done the last three days is just take it one shot at a time.

You know, I told myself I need to be able to give myself birdie opportunities.

Actually, today I didn't hit the ball as well as I did the last two days. It's just that today was one of those days where everything kind of went my way, chip-in, hole out for eagle.

I don't know. I don't know if I answered the question.

DANA GROSS-RHODE: We will let the rest of the reporters ask questions.

Q. So Marcy is 66 a career low on the LPGA?

DANA GROSS-RHODE: 65.

Q. So you have gone this low before then. I was looking at your bio, and I think your best finish is a tie for ninth in your career, only two Top-10's in the career. I mean that is lot of girls out here who are in a similar position, but how frustrating is it, or how tough is it to keep pushing forward when you aren't getting results that you are hoping for. You're not making Top-10's or winning, how tough is it to keep going?

MARCY HART: Well, it is and it isn't. I mean trust me, there is days where I'm just like I'm done. I've always wondered if I am good enough to play out here. I don't want to just play out here. I want to play and be in contention and have a chance to win. I'm not content just making cuts every

week. That's not fun for me. I guess I've kept going because I think I can do it. I have a lot of improving to do. But I just started working with a teacher about a year ago, and I think my swing is finally coming around to where it needs to be. There is times where it doesn't always work exactly the way I want it to.

I love this game. And I love being out here. I love playing on Tour. So that's why I just keep working at it. You work for days like this and you wait for days like this to come.

Q. This tournament, you have played here obviously a bunch of times before, have you played anywhere close to this good at this particular golf course?

MARCY HART: Last year was my best finish.

DANA GROSS-RHODE: Tied for 22nd last year.

Q. So you're there, you were there last year, does it set up for you good, anything particular about the golf course that you like?

MARCY HART: Well, I don't hit it particularly long so, you know, you got to hit it fairly straight here. That's good for me because I hit it fairly straight.

DANA GROSS-RHODE: Third on the Tour in driving accuracy right now.

MARCY HART: So that sets up for me. Anyway, I love in golf course, that's why I come every year.

Q. Do you fly at maybe 210, 215 is that where you drive at, or what do you think? Where do you think it goes in the air?

MARCY HART: That's probably close. Actually this week, I know the fairways are firm, but I have been hitting some much longer ones. In the past I haven't been swinging at it very well, and that's why it doesn't go very far. This week I feel like I'm swinging at it much better. Therefore it goes farther. I would say on average that's pretty close.

Q. So you've been here before, are you surprised by the way, there were 65 rounds under par yesterday which is unheard of, are you surprised that it's playing as easy as it is. Even today, girls are lighting it up today, are you surprised or no?

MARCY HART: No, I mean I will tell you, I heard Annika make a comment, it was after she missed the cut in Kingsmill. I don't remember her exact words. She said something like you almost have to play perfect. Nobody is going to play perfect. But you just can't play mediocre out here because the competition is getting better and better every single year. It's not an easy golf course by any stretch. But I just think the girls are getting better and everybody raises their game to a different level. That's just kind of the way it is. You better bring it if you want to compete out here now.

Q. Once again, there is numerous Korean girls near the top, from your perspective is there anything, a common thread that runs through their games, why there is so many good Korean players, or is it individual strengths?

MARCY HART: I just think they work harder than probably anybody else, you know. They put a lot of time into it. And I think they are just really focused.

Q. Do you feel very confident going into tomorrow?

MARCY HART: You know I feel confident. I've only be in this position like one other time as to where I'm close to the lead going into the weekend. I'm a big believer, I think you have to be in this situation a couple of times to start feeling comfortable with it. You know, I just don't want to get ahead of myself tomorrow. I just want to take it one shot at a time and see how it goes.

So, yes, I guess I have to feel confident coming off a 6-under, you know. I think there will be a little bit more pressure in contention. So we'll see.

Q. What the other situation?

MARCY HART: I think it was maybe 2003, I was like in third place going into Saturday. Do you know?

DANA GROSS-RHODE: I don't remember.

MARCY HART: I think I was in the next to the last group on Saturday, I didn't play well.

Q. Where at?

MARCY HART: In North Augusta. We don't actually play there anymore. I think it was called the Ziurokin(phn.)

DANA GROSS-RHODE: We can look that up. We got it on file. Any other questions for Marcy?

Q. Just as the round went along, were you thinking, yes, this is working for me today?

MARCY HART: Yes, you know it's funny, golf, it's a funny game and actually today was an easy day. You would think that shooting 66 wouldn't be easy but it is. Everything just kind of falls into place and everything goes your way.

Days you shoot 75, it's just so hard and it's a struggle. But, yes, I'm just like whatever. I just kind of went with it. I've been waiting a while to have an easy round of golf. I've been struggling and having to work so hard to shoot a decent number.

Q. Marcy, who is the swing coach you have been working with, and are they here this week?

MARCY HART: No, he is not here. His name is Robert Linville. He is in Greensboro. Me and my husband just -- we lived in Arizona the last five or six years, but I'm from North Carolina and we just bought a house back there. Anyway that's where he is.

DANA GROSS-RHODE: How do you spell his last name?

MARCY HART: L I N V I L L E.

DANA GROSS-RHODE: Thank you. Any other questions? Thank you have coming in, Marcy.

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