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Nick Kyrgios, Italian Open: Chair throw, Australian defaulted after foul-mouthed spray, tennis news



Nick Kyrgios has well and truly spat the dummy. Again.

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Nick Kyrgios has apologised for being unceremoniously defaulted from the Italian Open after throwing a chair in his second-round clash.

And now it has emerged what Kyrgios said to a spectator in the moment that appeared to trigger the Australian's meltdown.

Apparently furious at movement from within the crowd as he was broken on serve by Caspar Rudd, Kyrgios turned to unleash before [fully losing the plot](#).

"You're a f***ing retard, bro. I'm serving. Can't you see that?" he said.

"It's bulls**t. I don't want to play while this s**t's going on."

Kyrgios then slammed his racket into the clay court then kicked bottles and threw a chair.

"What was that? I'm giving 100% only to deal with f***ing idiots like you," he added.

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“I’m done. I’m f***ing done. I’m f***ing done bro.”

He was subsequently defaulted from the match, handing Rudd a third-round clash with Juan Martin del Potro.

Kyrgios later apologised on Instagram, saying his “emotions got the better of me” in the “crazy atmosphere”.

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“Sorry Roma, see you again, maybe,” he said.

The controversial Canberran made international headlines before the match when he launched a withering attack on world No.1 Novak Djokovic, Rafael Nadal and Fernando Verdasco in an explosive podcast interview.

Kyrgios could face suspension from the ATP following his antics in Rome.

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