

Sentry Tournament of Champions

Kapalua Resort (Plantation Course) • Lahaina, Hawaii • Jan. 2-5, 2020

Director of Agronomy

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Years as GCSAA Member: 1

Years at Kapalua Resort: 1.5

Years as a Superintendent: 15

Previous Courses: The Classic Club, The Golf Club at Lansdowne, The Address Montgomerie Dubai, Monte Rei Golf and Country Club, Escena Golf Club, Shadow Lakes Golf Club, Whirlwind Golf Club, La Paloma Country Club, Medinah Country Club

Hometown: Memomonee Falls, Wis.

Education: University of Arizona

Number of Employees: 43

Number of Tournament Volunteers: 10

Other Key Golf Personnel

Chris Parde, Plantation Course Superintendent

Kirk Bender, Bay Course Superintendent

Tyler Krim, Assistant Superintendent

Bryan Pierce, Assistant Superintendent

Michael Cobb, Equipment Manager

Michael Castillo, PGA Professional

Alex Nakajima, General Manager

Course Architect

Architect (year): Bill Coore and Ben Crenshaw (1991)

Renovation Architect (year): Coore and Crenshaw (2019)

Course Owner: Tadashi Yanai

Signature Hole: No. 18 – 680-yard, par 5 is extremely long, scenic, spectacular and representative of all the holes.

Rounds Per Year: 34,000

Tournament Set-up

Par: 73

Yardage: 7,596

Stimpmeter: 10-10.5

Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 8,722 sq. ft.

Average Tee Size: 1,440 sq. ft.

Acres of Fairway: 44.5

Acres of Rough: 52.1

Number of Sand Bunkers: 93

Number of Water Hazards: 0

Soil Conditions: Weathered volcanic clays

Water Sources: Surface water from West Maui Mountain

Drainage Conditions: Good

Turfgrass

Greens: TifEagle bermudagrass .105"

Tees: Celebration bermudagrass .375"

Fairways: Celebration bermudagrass .475"

Rough: Celebration bermudagrass 2.5"

Additional Notes

- A nine-month renovation (course reopened Nov. 23, 2019) included: New bunkers on holes 3, 5, 15 and 16; Capillary concrete liner system in all 93 bunkers; New tee boxes on holes 1, 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 15; Added 5 acres of native rough; All greens rebuilt from the drainage up.

- The course was built on old pineapple fields. The irrigation system is pressurized and is run solely using force of gravity.

- Weather very dry March-November, wet leading into tournament.

- The leeward waters of Maui have the densest humpback whale population in the world during the winter months.

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