

AT&T Byron Nelson (PGA TOUR)

TPC Craig Ranch • McKinney, Texas • May 11-14, 2023

Golf Course Superintendent

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Years as GCSAA Member: 23

Years at TPC Craig Ranch: 4

Years as a Superintendent: 9

Previous Courses: Las Colinas CC (super), Bear's Best Atlanta (super), The Clubs at Cordillera Ranch (asst), The CC of Birmingham (asst)

Hometown: New London, Iowa

Education: Iowa State University

Professional Tournaments Hosted: Third Byron Nelson, two LPGA events at Las Colinas and one Korn Ferry Q-School

Other Key Golf Personnel

Zach Barber, Senior Assistant Superintendent

Dakota Brown, Assistant Superintendent

Tyler Jolley, Assistant Superintendent

Carlos DeJesus, Equipment Manager

Number of Employees: 20

Number of Tournament Volunteers: 40

Golf Course Dog: Bentley, a two-year old lab

Course Architect

Architect (year): Tom Weiskopf (2004)

Twitter

Superintendent - @turf_2_envy

Tournament - @attbyronnelson

Tournament Fact Sheets for the PGA TOUR, LPGA, PGA TOUR Champions, Korn Ferry and Epson Tours and USGA and PGA of America championships can be found at: <https://www.gcsaa.org/media/tournament-fact-sheets>

Tournament Set-up

Par: 36-35--71

Yardage: 7,414

Stimpmeter: 11.5

Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 6,778 sq. ft.

Total Property Acres: 240

Acres of Fairway: 35

Acres of Rough: 150

Number of Sand Bunkers: 83

Number of Water Hazards: 4

Number of Holes Water is in Play: 13

Soil Conditions: USGA greens / sand capped fairways

Water Sources: Well / city

Drainage Conditions: Good

Turfgrass

Greens: Bentgrass .100"

Tees: Bermudagrass .350"

Fairways: Zoysiagrass .450"

Rough: Bermudagrass 2.75"

Additional Notes

- Rowlett Creek runs through the property and crosses 14 of the 18 holes.

- A cool/dry spring has led to many issues with grass breaking dormancy. The turf density will not be what it was in past years.

- Winter storm caused damage on greens collars and low-lying fairway areas which required sodding.

- TPC Craig Ranch is a certified Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary.

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