

Shriners Children's Open (PGA TOUR)

TPC Summerlin • Las Vegas, Nev. • October 17-20, 2024

Golf Course Maintenance Director

Dale Hahn, CGCS, GCSAA

Years as GCSAA Member: 35

Years at TPC Summerlin: 22

Years as a Superintendent: 35

Previous Courses: Morgan Run Resort (super), Pala Mesa Resort (super)

Hometown: Beecher, Ill.

Education: San Diego Mesa College

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Other Key Golf Personnel

Luke Headley, Assistant Superintendent

Cruz Mortensen, Assistant in Training

Oscar Tejada, Equipment Manager

Alan Paulson, Horticulturist

Mike Messner, PGA Professional

Brian Hawthorne, General Manager

Number of Employees: 32

Number of Tournament Volunteers: 8

Golf Course Dog: Finley, 2-year-old Australian Shepherd

Course Architect

Architect (year): Bobby Weed (1991), Consultant: Fuzzy Zoeller

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Tournament - @ShrinersOpen

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Tournament Set-up

Par: 35-36--71

Yardage: 7,255

Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 7,400 sq. ft.

Total Property Acres: 150

Acres of Fairway: 32

Acres of Rough: 90

Number of Sand Bunkers: 92

Number of Water Hazards: 4

Number of Holes Water is in Play: 4

Soil Conditions: Gravelly loam

Water Sources: Ground water

Drainage Conditions: Excellent

Turfgrass

Greens: Dominator bentgrass .100"

Collars: TifGrand bermudagrass .225"

Approaches: Bandera bermuda .425"

Tees: Bermuda / ryegrass overseed .375"

Fairways: Bandera bermudagrass .425"

Rough: 419 bermudagrass 2.25"

Additional Notes

- In 2022 Dale Hahn became just the second superintendent inducted into the Las Vegas Golf Hall of Fame.
- Ahead of the 2022 tournament the greens and fairways were resurfaced.
- Course continues to remove turf to meet water restrictions put in place by the Las Vegas Valley Water District.
- Course is Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary for Golf Certified.
- Tournament maintenance volunteers are in from Canada, Arizona, Maryland, Tennessee, Connecticut and Louisiana.

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