GCSAA Tournament Fact Sheet

RBC Heritage (PGA TOUR)

Harbour Town Golf Links • Hilton Head, S.C. • April 17-20, 2025

Golf Course Superintendent

Jonathan Wright GCSAA

Years as GCSAA Member: 29
Years at Harbour Town: 27
Years as Superintendent: 16
Hometown: Lexington, Ky.
Education: University of Kentucky
Professional Tournaments Hosted: This is the 28th professional tournament Wright will host in his career.
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Other Key Agronomy Personnel

Kelly Shaw, assistant superintendent; Ian Seal, assistant superintendent; Shamus White, assistant superintendent; Caleb Jones, assistant superintendent; Daniel Barnes, equipment manager
Agronomy Employees: 56 / Tournament Volunteers: 10

Course Architect

Pete Dye, ASGCA (1969)

Notable

• Changes to the course since last year include converting No. 2 and No. 6 fairway bunkers back to waste areas and replacing a few of the bulkheads (retaining walls) on No. 1, 8, 13 tee, 15 tee, 16 tee.
• Rough height was 1.25" last year.
• A pro tee was added on No. 7 before the 2023 tournament.
• Ahead of the 2022 event new tees were added on No. 2, 5 and 17 and a palm tree was added to No. 10 greenside bunker.
• A renovation will start in May, including bunkers, laser leveling tees, replacing bulkheads.

Tournament Setup

Par: 36-35--71
Yardage: 7,213

Turfgrass

Greens: Poa trivialis overseed .115"
Collars: Poa trivialis overseed .325:"
Approaches: Perennial rye overseed .325"
Tees: Perennial rye overseed .325"
Fairways: Perennial rye overseed .375"
Rough: Perennial rye overseed 1.5"

Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 3,700 sq. ft.
Total Property Acres: 160
Acres of Fairway: 22
Acres of Rough: 47
Number of Sand Bunkers: 51
Number of Holes Water is in Play: 18
Soil Conditions: Sandy loam
Water Sources: Effluent
Drainage: Good

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2025 GCSAA Course and Superintendent Notes For Courses Played to Date
(PGA TOUR Only) (Primary Courses Only) (U.S. Courses Only) (This Week's Course in Red)

Tournaments by State

4 – Florida / California
2 - Texas / Hawaii
1 – Arizona / 1 – Georgia / 1 – South Carolina

Yardage (par)

7,765 (72) – Torrey Pines South (Farmers Insurance)
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7,596 (73) – Kapalua Resort (The Sentry)
7,555 (72) – Augusta National (Masters)
7,475 (70) – Memorial Park (Texas Children's Hospital)
7,466 (72) – Bay Hill Club (Cognizant)
7,438 (72) – TPC San Antonio (Valero Texas Open)
7,352 (71) – Innisbrook Resort (Valspar)
7,352 (72) – TPC Sawgrass (THE PLAYERS)
7,261 (71) – TPC Scottsdale (WM Phoenix Open)
7,213 (71) – Harbour Town (RBC)
7,210 (72) – PGA West Pete Dye Stadium (American Express)
7,167 (71) – PGA National (Cognizant)
7,044 (70) – Waialae (Sony Open)
6,972 (72) – Pebble Beach Golf Links (AT&T Pro Am)

Average Green Size (top five)

Largest
8,722 – Kapalua Resort (The Sentry)
7,500 – Bay Hill Club (Cognizant)
7,100 – Waialae (Sony Open)
7,069 – TPC Scottsdale (WM Phoenix Open)
7,000 – PGA National (Cognizant)
7,000 – PGA West Pete Dye Stadium (American Express)
7,000 – Memorial Park (Texas Children's Hospital)

Smallest
3,500 – Pebble Beach Golf Links (AT&T Pro Am)
3,700 – Harbour Town (RBC)
5,000 – Torrey Pines South (Farmers Insurance)
5,000 – Torrey Pines South (Genesis)
5,500 – TPC Sawgrass (THE PLAYERS)

Number of Bunkers (top five)

Most
116 – Pebble Beach Golf Links (AT&T Pro Am)
93 – Kapalua Resort (The Sentry)
92 – TPC Sawgrass (THE PLAYERS)
90 – PGA West Pete Dye Stadium (American Express)
84 – Bay Hill Club (Arnold Palmer)

Fewest
21 – Memorial Park (Texas Children's Hospital)
44 – Augusta National (Masters)
51 – Harbour Town (RBC)
64 – TPC San Antonio (Valero Texas Open)
65 – PGA National (Cognizant)
67 - TPC Scottsdale (WM Phoenix Open)

Green Turf Type

5 – Bermudagrass
6 – Poa
1 – Poa / bentgrass / ryegrass overseed
2 – Poa overseed
1 - Bentgrass

Rough Turf Type

10 – Ryegrass overseed
2 – Bermudagrass
1 – Ryegrass / Poa annua mix
1 – Ryegrass / fine fescue overseed
1 – Perennial ryegrass / fescue

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Superintendents Tournaments Hosted (includes 2025)
30 – Jeff Plotts, TPC Sawgrass (10th THE PLAYERS)
28 – Jonathan Wright, Harbour Town (RBC)
24 – Dave Nakama, CGCS, Waialae (Sony Open)
17 – Ryan Stewart, Innisbrook (Valspar)
17 – Chris Flynn, CGCS, Bay Hill Club (Arnold Palmer)
13 – Roby Robertson, CGCS, TPC San Antonio (Valero Texas)

Superintendents GCSAA Membership Years
39 – Brian Sullivan, CGCS, MG, PGA West (AE)
37 – Roby Robertson, CGCS, TPC San Antonio (Valero Texas)
34 – Ken Einwig, PGA National (Cognizant)
31 – Jeff Plotts, TPC Sawgrass (THE PLAYERS)
29 – Jonathan Wright, Harbour Town (RBC)
27 – Chris Flynn, CGCS, Bay Hill Club (Arnold Palmer)

Superintendents Alma Maters
2 – Penn State
1 – Arizona, Hawaii, Michigan State, Texas Tech, Lake City, SUNY-Cobleskill, Georgia, N.C. State, Kansas State, Purdue, Kentucky

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