



Tournament Fact Sheet

The Galleri Classic (PGA TOUR Champions)

Mission Hills Country Club (Dinah Shore) • Rancho Mirage, Calif. • March 28-30, 2025

Director of Agronomy

Jonas Conlan, GCSAA

Years as GCSAA Member: 30

Years at Mission Hills: 3rd

Years as Superintendent: 24

Previous Courses: Indian Wells Golf Resort (director of agronomy), Desert Princess Country Club (superintendent)
Hometown: St. Clair Shores, Mich.

Education: Michigan State (turfgrass) / Albion (bachelors)

Professional Tournaments Hosted: This is Conlan's 3rd Galleri Classic

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Other Key Agronomy Personnel

Matt Balesteri, GCSAA, Dinah Shore Course Superintendent

1 year at Mission Hills / 5 years as super

Edgar Mendoza, Palmer Course superintendent; Ivan Bravo, Pete Dye Course superintendent; Luis Bravo, head mechanic; Michal Holyk, PGA Professional / director of golf

Agronomy Employees: 65 / Tournament Volunteers: 15

Golf Course Dog: Roxie, 6-year-old yellow lab

Course Architect

Desmond Muirhead (1970)

Notable

- Since last year there has been some subtle fairway mowing and contour modifications, minor reshaping and improved cultural practices to bunkers.
- Prior to the 2024 tournament a step-cut (.750") around fairways was added; par 3 tees (8, 14, 17) were resurfaced; a few fairway mowing lines were slightly shifted; bridge at 18 was modified for a new Wall of Champions.
- Course is working towards Audubon Certification, focusing on pesticides and water.
- More than 20 bird boxes and a few owl boxes have been added.
- Jonas Conlan played college golf at Albion.

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Tournament Setup

Par: 36-36--72

Yardage: 7,165

Turfgrass

Greens: Poa trivialis overseed .909"

Collars: Perennial ryegrass overseed .325"

Approaches: Perennial ryegrass overseed .325"

Tees: Perennial ryegrass overseed .325"

Fairways: Perennial ryegrass overseed .350"

Rough: Perennial ryegrass overseed 2"

Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 6,963 sq. ft.

Acres of Fairway: 26

Acres of Rough: 100

Number of Sand Bunkers: 71 (2.82 acres)

Number of Water Hazards: 4

Number of Holes Water is in Play: 4

Soil Conditions: Blow sand

Water Sources: Aquifer

Drainage: Very good

Average Fairway Widths: 30-34 yards

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

Tournaments by State

- 2 – California
- 1 - Hawaii
- 1 – Florida
- 1 – Arizona

Yardage (par)

- 7,165 (72) – Mission Hills (Galleri Classic)
- 7,107 (72) – Hualalai (Mitsubishi Electric)
- 6,897 (72) – Tiburon (Chubb Classic)
- 6,856 (71) – La Paloma (Cologuard)
- 6,725 (71) – Newport Beach (Hoag)

Average Green Size

- 7,417 - Hualalai (Mitsubishi Electric)
- 6,963 – Mission Hills (Galleri Classic)
- 5,500 – Tiburon (Chubb Classic)
- 4,500 – La Paloma (Cologuard)
- 4,200 – Newport Beach (Hoag)

Number of Bunkers

- 84 - Hualalai (Mitsubishi Electric)
- 83 – Newport Beach (Hoag)
- 71 – Mission Hills (Galleri Classic)
- 65 – La Paloma (Cologuard)
- 36 – (also 21 waste areas) – Tiburon (Chubb Classic)

Green Turf Type

- 2 – Poa Trivialis overseed
- 1 – Paspalum
- 1 – Bermudagrass
- 1 – Poa annua

Rough Turf Type

- 2 – Perennial ryegrass overseed
- 1 – Paspalum
- 1 – Bermudagrass
- 1 – Kikuyu / Poa annua

Superintendents Tournaments Hosted (includes 2025)

- 20 – Dan Husek, Hualalai (Mitsubishi Electric)
- 15 – Grayson Grainger, Tiburon (Chubb Classic)
- 3 – Jonas Conlan, Mission Hills (Galleri Classic)
- 2 – Daniel Mayfield, La Paloma (Cologuard)

Superintendents GCSAA Membership Years

- 31 – Dan Husek, Hualalai (Mitsubishi Electric)
- 30 – Jonas Conlan, Mission Hills (Galleri Classic)
- 26 – Scot Dey, Newport Beach (Hoag)
- 20 – Grayson Grainger, Tiburon (Chubb Classic)

Superintendents Alma Maters

- 1 – Southern Illinois-Carbondale
- 1 – Horry-Georgetown Technical College
- 1 – Arizona
- 1 – Cal Poly San Luis Obispo
- 1 – Michigan State

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