

# **Tournament Fact Sheet**

# **Principal Charity Classic**

Wakonda Club • Des Moines, Iowa • June 4-6, 2021

# **Golf Course Superintendent Dane Wilson, GCSAA**

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Years as GCSAA Member: 10 Years at Wakonda Club: First Year Years as a Superintendent: 7

Previous Courses: Medinah (asst and super), Bonita

Bay (super)

Hometown: Louisville, Ky.

Education: Western Kentucky University

## **Other Key Golf Personnel**

Zeb Osen, Assistant Superintendent Chuck Rognes, Assistant Superintendent

Jason Cox, Assistant in Training Troy Jansen, Equipment Manager

John Phillips, Senior Equipment Operator

Number of Employees: 24

Number of Tournament Volunteers: 25-35

#### **Course Architect**

Architect (year): William Boyce Langford (1922) Renovation Architect (year): Roger Rulewich (2002)

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## **Tournament Set-up**

Par: 36-36--72 Yardage: 6,851

#### **Course Statistics**

Average Green Size: 6,500 sq. ft.

Acres of Fairway: 26 Acres of Rough: 80

Number of Sand Bunkers: 42 Number of Water Hazards: 6 Number of Holes Water is in Play: 2

Soil Conditions: Loam Water Sources: City water Drainage Conditions: Poor

## **Turfgrass**

Greens: A1/A4 bentgrass .110"
Tees: Penncross bentgrass .425"
Fairways: PennLinks II bentgrass .425"
Rough: Kentucky bluegrass 2.5"

#### **Additional Notes**

- Added drainage and new tee box construction on No. 3.
- Slow growth to start the season along with low rainfalls in April and May.

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