

Mitsubishi Electric Championship (Champions Tour)

Hualalai Golf Course • Kailua-Kona, Hawaii • January 20-22, 2022

Director of Golf Course Maintenance

Dan Husek, GCSAA

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Years as GCSAA Member: 28

Years at Hualalai: 17

Years as a Superintendent: 13

Previous Courses: Ke'olu (assistant), Mangilao (assistant)
PGA National (assistant)

Hometown: Benson, Ill.

Education: Southern Illinois-Carbondale

Professional Tournaments Hosted: This is Husek's 17th
Mitsubishi Electric Championship.

Other Key Golf Personnel

Leonard Ambrosio, Superintendent

Will Kalua'u, Assistant Superintendent

Number of Employees: 54 for two courses

Number of Tournament Volunteers: 5

Course Architect

Architect (year): Jack Nicklaus (1996)

Renovation Architect (year): Jon Garner (2020)

Twitter

Tournament Twitter - @MEC-golf

Tournament Fact Sheets for the PGA, LPGA, Champions and Korn Ferry Tours and USGA and PGA of America championships can be found all year at:

<https://www.gcsaa.org/media/tournament-fact-sheets>

Tournament Set-up

Par: 36-36—72

Yardage: 7,107

Stimpmeter: 11-12

Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 7,417 sq. ft.

Acres of Fairway: 45

Acres of Rough: 67

Number of Sand Bunkers: 84

Number of Water Hazards: 3

Number of Holes Water is in Play: 1

Soil Conditions: Cinder / ash mix

Water Sources: Brackish well water

Blended with reverse osmosis brine

Drainage Conditions: Fair

Turfgrass

Greens: Platinum paspalum .095"

Tees: Sea Isle 2000 paspalum .325"

Fairways: Sea Isle 2000 paspalum .325"

Rough: Tifway II bermudagrass / Sea

Isle 200 paspalum mix 1.25"

Additional Notes

- In 2020 a renovation began converting bermudagrass to current paspalum. That renovation continued in 2021.

- Dan Husek's father has traveled from Illinois to volunteer and collect moisture and stimp reading for the tournament for the past 14 years.