

## Charles Schwab Cup Championship (PGA TOUR Champions)

Phoenix Country Club • Phoenix, Ariz. • November 9-12, 2023

### Director of Agronomy

#### Craig Werline, GCSAA

Years as GCSAA Member: 28

Years at Phoenix CC: First year (started Jan. 1, 2023)

Previous Courses: FireRock CC (dir. of agronomy)

Education: Ohio State University

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### Other Key Golf Personnel

Ryan Volves, Assistant Superintendent

Esteban Sanchez, Assistant Superintendent

Albino Morales, Equipment Manager

Antonio Garcia Morales, Mechanic

Paul Griffin, PGA Professional

Number of Employees: 26

Number of Tournament Volunteers: 25

### Course Architect

Architect (year): Harry Collis (1919)

Renovation Architect (year): Tom Lehman and John  
Faught (2002)

### Twitter

Course - @PhxCountryClub

Tournament - @SchwabCupFinale

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### Tournament Set-up

Par: 36-35—71

Yardage: 6,860

### Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 5,750 sq. ft.

Acres of Fairway: 30

Acres of Rough: 50

Number of Sand Bunkers: 65

Number of Water Hazards: 4

Number of Holes Water is in Play: 7

Soil Conditions: Sand-plated fairways,  
native soil rough

Water Sources: Canal

Drainage Conditions: Very good

### Turfgrass

Greens: Champion ultradwarf

Bermudagrass .115"

Tees: Perennial ryegrass overseed .425"

Fairways: Perennial rye overseed .425"

Rough: Perennial ryegrass overseed 2"+

Tournament Fact Sheets for the PGA TOUR, LPGA, PGA TOUR Champions, Korn Ferry and Epson Tours and USGA and PGA of America championships can be found at: <https://www.gcsaa.org/media/tournament-fact-sheets>

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