

# **Tournament Fact Sheet**

# Principal Charity Classic (PGA TOUR Champions)

Wakonda Club • Des Moines, Iowa • June 2-4, 2023

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

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Email: danew@wakondaclub.com Years as GCSAA Member: 12 Years at Wakonda Club: 3 Years as a Superintendent: 9

Previous Courses: Medinah (asst. and superintendent),

Bonita Bay (superintendent) Hometown: Louisville, Ky.

Education: Western Kentucky University

# **Other Key Golf Personnel**

Tyler Kinney, Assistant Superintendent Matt Hansen, Assistant Superintendent Evan Armitage, Assistant in Training Troy Jansen, Equipment Manager

John Phillips, Senior Equipment Manager

Number of Employees: 19

Number of Tournament Volunteers: 25-35

Golf Course Dog: Kalea, 3-year-old Australian Shepard

#### **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 **Drainage Conditions: Poor** 

# **Turfgrass**

Greens: A-1/A-4 bentgrass .100"

Collars: Penncross bentgrass / Poa annua

Tees: Penncross bentgrass .400'

Fairways: PennLinks II bentgrass .400'

Rough: Kentucky bluegrass 2.5"

#### **Additional Notes**

- Average fairway widths in landing areas are 31 yards.
- Restoration project will begin on June 20 to restore original design and features. The project started with the removal of 162 trees during this past winter.

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