

Guardian Championship (Epson Tour)

Capitol Hill (Senator) • Prattville, Ala. • September 15-17, 2023

Director of Golf Course Maintenance

Robert Wingo, GCSAA

Years as GCSAA Member: 33

Years at Capitol Hill: 20

Years as a Superintendent: 24

Previous Courses: Rock Creek (superintendent)

Hometown: Anniston, Ala.

Education: Mississippi State University

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Other Key Golf Personnel

Brian Stanford, Superintendent

Assistant Superintendents: Dave Bonarski (Senator), Rick
Jones (Legislator), Doug Cowling (Judge)

James Martin, Equipment Manager

Will Fisher, PGA Professional

Number of Employees: 35

Course Architect

Architect (year): Robert Trent Jones Sr. (1999)

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Tournament Set-up

Par: 36-36—72

Yardage: 6,599 (unofficial)

Stimpmeter: 11

Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 8,500 sq. ft.

Total Property Acres: 240

Acres of Fairway: 25

Acres of Rough: 100

Number of Sand Bunkers: 140

Number of Water Hazards: 1

Number of Holes Water is in Play: 1

Soil Conditions: Heavy clay

Water Sources: River

Drainage Conditions: Excellent

Turfgrass

Greens: TifEagle bermudagrass

Tees: Tifway 419 bermudagrass

Fairways: Tifway 419 bermudagrass

Rough: Tifway 419 bermudagrass 1.75"

Additional Notes

- The greens were re-done in 2020 with TifEagle bermudagrass.

- Capitol Hill features three courses on more than 1,500 acres of golf and nature.

- The Senator Course is a Scottish-links style course with 140 pot-hole bunkers and mounds 20-240 feet.

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