

# **Tournament Fact Sheet**

# LPGA Mediheal Championship

Lake Merced Golf Club • Daly City, Calif. • May 2-5, 2019

#### Golf Course Superintendent Matthew Dachowski

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Years as GCSAA Member: 14 Years at Lake Merced: 4 Years as a Superintendent: 6 Previous Courses: Los Angeles CC North Course (super) Hometown: Reading, Pa. Education: Penn State University

Number of Full-Time Staff Members: 18 Number of Tournament Volunteers: 4

#### **Other Key Golf Personnel**

Mitch Larson, Assistant Superintendent Bob Bordi, Assistant Superintendent Cameron Phelps, Assistant Superintendent Francisco Pinto, Equipment Manager Don Cozad, Horticulturist Paul Staley, Green Committee Chairman Alex Rodriguez, PGA Professional Pat LaRocca, Manager Jeff Pero, President

#### **Course Architect**

Architect (year): Willie Lock (1923) Renovation Architect (year): Rees Jones (1996)

#### **Tournament Set-up**

Par: 72 Yardage: 6,507 Stimpmeter: 12

#### **Course Statistics**

Average Green Size: 5,500 sq. ft. Average Tee Size: 1,000 sq. ft. Acres of Fairway: 34 Acres of Rough: 75 Total Course Acreage: 110 Number of Sand Bunkers: 74 Number of Water Hazards: 0 Soil Conditions: Sandy Water Sources: Tertiary and well water Drainage Conditions: Good

## **Turfgrass:**

Greens: *Poa annua* .105" Tees: Bentgrass .350" Fairways: Bentgrass .350" Rough: Ryegrass, *Poa annua*, fescues 2.5"

### **Additional Notes**

• Tiger Woods' first USGA appearance was at the 1990 USGA Junior Amateur hosted by Lake Merced in 1990. It is the only U.S. Junior he competed in that he didn't win (Matthew Todd defeated Dennis Hillman). Woods won the next three Junior Amateur events.

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