

Tournament Fact Sheet

Walmart NW Arkansas Championship

Pinnacle Country Club • Rogers, Ark. • June 28-30, 2019

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Years as GCSAA Member: 17 Years at Pinnacle CC: 13 Years as a Superintendent: 6

Previous Courses: Pleasant Valley CC (assistant)

Hometown: Fort Smith, Ark. Education: University of Arkansas

Number of Employees: 28

Number of Tournament Volunteers: 10

Other Key Golf Personnel

Brian Cornett, Assistant Superintendent
Jeff Caperton, Assistant Superintendent
Mike Hales, Equipment Manager
DJ Ransom, PGA Professional
John Michael Hudson, Manager
Michael T. Hudson, Course Owner / President

Course Architect

Architect (year): Don Sechrest (1990)

Renovation Architect (year): Randy Heckenkemper (2009)

Course Owner: Hudson family

Tournament Set-up

Par: 71

Yardage: 6,438 Stimpmeter: 11.5

Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 6,000 sq. ft. Average Tee Size: 3,000 sq. ft.

Acres of Fairway: 30 Acres of Rough: 85

Number of Sand Bunkers: 62 Number of Water Hazards: 17 Soil Conditions: Rocky clay Water Sources: Effluent

Drainage Conditions: Drains quickly

Turfgrass

Greens: Tyee creeping bentgrass .110"

Tees: Zorro zoysiagrass .450" Fairways: Zorro zoysiagrass .500 Rough: Bermudagrass 2.5"

Additional Notes

- 2009 renovations included rebuilt greens, new drainage and irrigation, seeded creeping bentgrass, rebuilt tees, recontoured and sodded approaches and fairways.
- 2015 Better Billy Bunker Method installed in all bunkers.
- This is the 13th year Pinnacle Country Club is hosting the Walmart NW Arkansas Championship.
- The 151-yard, par-three 17th hole is "The Gatorade Loudest Hole on Tour."

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