

## ANA Inspiration

Mission Hills Country Club (Dinah Shore Tournament Course) •  
Rancho Mirage, Calif. • Sept. 10-13, 2020

### Golf Course Superintendent

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Years as GCSAA Member: 7

Years at Mission Hills: 4

Years as a Superintendent: 4

Previous Courses: Annenberg Retreat at Sunnylands  
(assistant), Brookhaven CC (assistant)

Hometown: Simi Valley, Calif.

Education: College of the Desert

Number of Employees: 14

Number of Tournament Volunteers: 0

### Other Key Golf Personnel

David Hay, CGCS, Director of Agronomy

Efrian Vega, Equipment Manager

Rodney Silvagni, PGA Professional

Steve Swiackey, Green Committee Chair

Michael Walker, General Manager

### Course Architect

Architect (year): Desmond Muirhead (1970)

Course Owner: Club Corp

*Tournament Fact Sheets for the PGA, LPGA, Champions  
and Korn Ferry Tours can be found all year at:*

<https://www.gcsaa.org/media/tournament-fact-sheets>

### Tournament Set-up

Par: 72

Yardage: 6,780 (unofficial)

Stimpmeter: 12

### Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 7,000 sq. ft.

Average Tee Size: 2,500 sq. ft.

Acres of Fairway: 21

Acres of Rough: 100

Number of Sand Bunkers: 73

Number of Water Hazards: 3

How many holes is water in play: 4

Soil Conditions: Blow sand

Water Sources: Aquifer

Drainage Conditions: Very good

### Turfgrass

Greens: 328 bermudagrass .995"

Tees: Bermudagrass .350"

Fairways: Bermudagrass .350"

Rough: Bermudagrass 3.5"

### Additional Notes

- New collection areas on No 4, 8, 16 and expanded on 17.

- Three bunkers were added to No. 18, one on No. 2. The one bunker on No. 9 fairway was renovated and is now three separate bunkers.

- 100 trees have been removed from the course.

- Tournament was originally scheduled for April 2-5 and is longest running major at a single venue next to Augusta (started tournament here in 1972 and became a major in 1983).

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