

## LOTTE Championship (LPGA Tour)

Hoakalei Country Club • Ewa Beach, Hawaii • April 12-15, 2023

### Golf Course Superintendent

#### Tim Brubaker, GCSAA

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Years as GCSAA Member: 1

Years at Hoakalei: 4 months

Years as a Superintendent: 18

Previous Courses: Ko'olau Golf Club (superintendent)

Hometown: Honolulu, Hawaii

Education: UMass Amherst

Professional Tournaments Hosted: This is the first pro event for Brubaker.

### Other Key Golf Personnel

Seth Valdez, Assistant Superintendent

Bermar Sarandi, Equipment Manager

Darren Sano, PGA Professional

Number of Employees: 24

Number of Tournament Volunteers: 2

### Course Architect

Architect (year): Ernie Els (2013)

Rounds Per Year: 50,000

Course does not close to outside play prior to event.

### Twitter

Superintendent - [@timhoakalei13](https://twitter.com/timhoakalei13)

Course - [@ClubHoakalei](https://twitter.com/ClubHoakalei)

Tournament - [@LPGALOTTE](https://twitter.com/LPGALOTTE)

GCSAA - [@GCSAA](https://twitter.com/GCSAA)

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### Tournament Set-up

Par: 36-36--72

Yardage: 6,573

Stimpmeter: 10.5

### Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 7,500 sq. ft.

Total Property Acres: 200

Acres of Fairway: 30

Acres of Rough: 90

Number of Sand Bunkers: 112

Number of Water Hazards: 9

Number of Holes Water is in Play: 13

Soil Conditions: Clay

Water Sources: Recycled / Well

Drainage Conditions: Good

### Turfgrass

Greens: Seashore paspalum .900"

Collars: Seashore paspalum .390"

Approaches: Seashore paspalum .390"

Tees: Seashore paspalum .390"

Fairways: Seashore paspalum .440"

Rough: Seashore paspalum 2"

### Additional Notes

- Average fairway widths in landing areas are 30 yards.

- There have not been any changes to the course since last year.

- Area has seen a wet winter with some heavy winds knocking down 22 Kiawe trees. Weather has improved of late and course is drying up.

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