Portland Classic (LPGA)
Columbia Edgewater Country Club • Portland, Ore. • Aug. 31-Sept. 2, 2023

Golf Course Superintendent
Jim Myers, CGCS, GCSAA
Years as GCSAA Member: 31
Years at Columbia Edgewater: 5
Years as a Superintendent: 24
Previous Courses: The Plateau Club (super), Vail Golf Club (super)
Hometown: Detroit, Mich.
Education: Ferris State, Georgia, Ohio State
Professional Tournaments Hosted: This is the 4th LPGA event for Myers at Columbia Edgewater.

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Other Key Golf Personnel
Assistant Superintendents: Nate Ulrich (sr. asst.), Jake Sabel, Keaton Strunk, Jeff Olson, John Grant (intern), Dean Stanovich (horticulturist)
Ralph Terry, Equipment Manager
Adrian Burtner, PGA Professional
Number of Employees: 27
Number of Tournament Volunteers: 15

Course Architect
Architect (year): A.V. Macan (1925)

Turfgrass
Greens: Poa annua .090"
Collars: Poa annua .250"
Approaches: Poa annua .310"
Tees: Poa annua .385"
Fairways: Poa annua .5 ryegrass 5"

Tournament Set-up
Par: 36-36-72
Yardage: 6,685
Stimpmeter: 13

Course Statistics
Average Green Size: 5,500 sq. ft.
Acres of Fairway: 30
Acres of Rough: 30
Number of Sand Bunkers: 54
Number of Water Hazards: 6
Number of Holes Water is in Play: 7
Soil Conditions: Sand topdressing
Water Sources: Well
Drainage Conditions: Excellent

Additional Notes
• For the second week in a row the LPGA will be playing at an A.V. Macan-designed course.
• Tournament maintenance volunteers are coming from Colorado, Texas, Oregon, Washington, and Wyoming.
• Columbia Edgewater has hosted LPGA events from 1974-2008, 2013-20, 22-23.

Tournament Fact Sheets for the PGA TOUR, LPGA, PGA TOUR Champions, Korn Ferry and Epson Tours and USGA and PGA of America championships can be found at: https://www.gcsaa.org/media/tournament-fact-sheets
• Eight past champions are scheduled to play including past Columbia Edgewater champions Hannah Green-2019, Georgia Hall-2020 and Andrea Lee-2022.

• Columbia Edgewater was the seventh 18-hole golf course in Portland when it opened on July 11, 1925.

• The original clubhouse burned to the ground in a Christmas tree fire in 1979 and the current clubhouse opened its doors in July, 1981.

• The course hosted the PGA TOUR’s Portland Open from 1961-63, 66.

• The course hosted the Oregon Amateur in nine different decades (1928, 38, 52, 61, 73, 84, 97, 2007, 20).

• GCSAA superintendent Jim Myers, CGCS (certified golf course superintendent) has played golf in more than 20 countries on five different continents.

• Myers spent 15 years at Vail Golf Club in Colorado, which hosted the President Jerry Ford Invitational and the Ford Cup.