



Tournament Fact Sheet

The Chevron Championship (LPGA)

The Club at Carlton Woods (Nicklaus) • The Woodlands, Texas • April 24-27, 2025

Director of Agronomy

Tim Huber, CGCS, GCSAA

Years as GCSAA Member: 20

Years at The Club at Carlton Woods: 15

Years as Superintendent: 14

Previous Courses: Carlton Woods Fazio Course (superintendent)

Hometown: Mentor, Ohio

Education: Penn State University

Professional Tournaments Hosted: This is Huber's 3rd professional event (all Chevron Championships).

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Other Key Agronomy Personnel

Edgar Villalobos, Nicklaus Course superintendent; Tracey Cattelino, assistant superintendent; Franciso Mata, equipment manager; Emile Asous, PGA professional

Agronomy Employees: 25 / Tournament Volunteers: 15

Course Architect

Jack Nicklaus, AGCSA (2001)

Renovation: Nicklaus Design (2023)

Notable

- This is very early for a non-overseeded bermudagrass course.
- Winter was very difficult with weather extremes of overcast, cold, wet, very warm, covering greens and 25 to 80-degrees in 10 days.
- No. 9 was lengthened and yardage added from last year's 6,889 and is the longest U.S. course so far on this year's tour.
- Course should play longer, rough is more mature, and greens, which are less than two years old, will play firm and fast.
- After the tournament some of the collar grass will be replaced due to contamination issues.
- After the 2023 tournament, the course underwent a renovation which included USGA greens, bunkers, full irrigation, an expansion and leveling of tees, and a new warm-up putting green behind #1 tee.

- Other changes included a new greenside bunker on No. 7 and the waste bunker on #8 was extended.

- GCSAA First Green presented by Tetra Technologies is in its 2nd year at the tournament with the focus of introducing and educating youth on the STEAM aspects of the golf industry and beyond.

Tournament Setup

Par: 36-36--72

Yardage: 6,911

Turfgrass

Greens: TifEagle bermudagrass .105"

Collars: 419 bermudagrass .375"

Approaches: 419 bermudagrass .375"

Tees: 419 bermudagrass .375"

Fairways: 419 bermudagrass .375"

Rough: 419 bermudagrass 2.5"

Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 6,800 sq. ft.

Total Property Acres: 140

Acres of Fairway: 35

Acres of Rough: 90

Number of Sand Bunkers: 62 (2.2 acres plus 4 acres of waste bunkers on No. 8 and No. 16)

Number of Water Hazards: 9

Number of Holes Water is in Play: 9

Soil Conditions: Sand

Water Sources: Surface

Drainage: Fair

High Elevation: 200' (putting green)

Low Elevation: 165' (hole #8)

Average Fairway Widths: 28 yards

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2025 GCSAA Course and Superintendent Notes For Courses Played (LPGA Only) (U.S. Courses Only, but includes HSBC in Singapore) (This Week's Course in Red)

Tournaments by State

2 – Florida

1 – Arizona / Nevada / California / Texas

Yardage (par)

6,911 (72) – The Club at Carlton Woods (Chevron)

6,775 (72) – Sentosa (HSBC) in Singapore

6,765 (72) – Shadow Creek (T-Mobile Match Play)

6,679 (72) – El Caballero (JM Eagle)

6,661 (72) – Whirlwind (Ford)

6,642 (72) – Lake Nona (Hilton Grand TOC)

6,557 (71) – Bradenton CC (Founders Cup)

Average Green Size

10,600 – Sentosa (HSBC) in Singapore

6,800 – The Club at Carlton Woods (Chevron)

6,300 – El Caballero (JM Eagle)

5,900 – Whirlwind (Ford)

5,900 – Lake Nona (Hilton Grand TOC)

5,800 – Bradenton CC (Founders Cup)

5,500 – Shadow Creek (T-Mobile Match Play)

Number of Bunkers

86 – El Caballero (JM Eagle)

74 – Shadow Creek (T-Mobile Match Play)

62 – The Club at Carlton Woods (Chevron)

58 – Lake Nona (Hilton Grand TOC)

54 – Sentosa (HSBC) in Singapore

53 – Whirlwind (Ford)

53 – Bradenton CC (Founders Cup)

Green Turf Type

3 – Bermudagrass

2 – Bentgrass

1 – Poa Trivialis overseed

1 – Poa / bermudagrass

Rough Turf Type

4 – Bermudagrass

1 – Zoysiagrass

1 – Poa trivialis overseed

1 – Ryegrass overseed

Superintendents Tournaments Hosted (includes 2025)

12 – Andrew Johnston – Sentosa (HSBC) in Singapore

5 – Nick Dolimpio - Lake Nona (Hilton Grand TOC)

3 – Tim Huber – The Club at Carlton Woods (Chevron)

1 – Matt Bachmann – Whirlwind (Ford)

1 – Jamie McCrosky – Bradenton CC (Founders Cup)

1 – Scott Delpiere – Shadow Creek (T-Mobile Match Play)

1 – Zach Stephens – El Caballero (JM Eagle)

Superintendents GCSAA Membership Years

25 – Jamie McCrosky – Bradenton CC (Founders Cup)

23 – Andrew Johnston – Sentosa (HSBC) in Singapore

20 – Tim Huber – The Club at Carlton Woods (Chevron)

19 – Zach Stephens – El Caballero (JM Eagle)

14 – Matt Bachman – Whirlwind (Ford)

10 – Scott Delpiere (Shadow Creek (T-Mobile Match Play)

9 – Nick Dolimpio - Lake Nona (Hilton Grand TOC)

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