

# **Tournament Fact Sheet**

# **ShopRite LPGA Classic (LPGA)**

Seaview Hotel and Golf Club (Bay) • Galloway, N.J. • June 6-8, 2025

# Director of Agronomy William Leedom, GCSAA

Years as GCSAA Member: 6

Years at Seaview: 1

Years as Superintendent: 1

Previous Courses: Fieldstone (assistant)

Hometown: Bensalem, Pa. Education: Penn State University

Professional Tournaments Hosted: This is Leedom's second

LPGA event.

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## Other Key Agronomy Personnel

Daniel Marczyk, Bay superintendent; Scott Hulse, Pine superintendent; Francisco Rivera, equipment manager; Jeff Carsell, director of golf; Zach Bush, PGA professional Agronomy Employees: 18 / Tournament Volunteers: 10

#### **Course Architect**

Hugh Wilson and Donald Ross, ASGCA (1914) Renovation: Robert Cupp, Jr., ASGCA (1998) 2014 enhancement included bunker renovations.

## **Notable**

- At 6,263 yards the course is the shortest played in the USA on the LPGA Tour so far this season.
- Seaview's 93 bunkers are the third most of a course played in the USA this season.

## **Tournament Setup**

Par: 37-34--71 Yardage: 6,263

## **Turfgrass**

Greens: Bentgrass / poa annua .115"
Collars: Bentgrass / poa annua .400"
Approaches: Bentgrass / poa annua .400"
Tees: Bentgrass / poa annua .400"
Fairways: Bentgrass / poa annua .400"
Rough: Bluegrass / ryegrass / tall fescue 3"

#### **Course Statistics**

Average Green Size: 6,000 sq. ft. Total Property Acres: 250

Acres of Fairway: 25 Acres of Rough: 150

Number of Sand Bunkers: 93 Number of Water Hazards: 1 Number of Holes Water is in Play: 1

Soil Conditions: Sandy loam

Water Sources: Well Drainage: Good

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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 / New Jersey

1 - Ariz. / Nev. / Calif. / Texas / Utah / Wisconsin

#### Yardage (par)

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

6,829 (72) - Erin Hills (US Women's Open)

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

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

6,690 (72) – Liberty National (Mizuho)

6,679 (72) - El Caballero (JM Eagle)

6,661 (72) - Whirlwind (Ford)

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

6,629 (72) – Black Desert Resort (Black Desert)

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

6,263 (71) - Seaview (ShopRite)

#### **Average Green Size**

10,600 – Sentosa (HSBC) in Singapore

7,000 – Black Desert (Black Desert Championship)

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

6,500 - Erin Hills (US Women's Open)

6,300 – El Caballero (JM Eagle)

6,000 - Seaview (ShopRite)

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)

4,653 - Liberty National (Mizuho)

#### **Number of Bunkers**

132 - Erin Hills (US Women's Open)

110 – Liberty National (Mizuho)

93 - Seaview (ShopRite)

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)

44 - Black Desert (Black Desert Championship)

#### **Green Turf Type**

5 - Bentgrass

3 - Bermudagrass

1 - Poa Trivialis overseed

1 - Poa / bermudagrass

1 - Bentgrass / poa

#### **Rough Turf Type**

4 - Bermudagrass

2 – Kentucky bluegrass

1 - Zoysiagrass

1 – Poa trivialis overseed

1 – Ryegrass overseed

1 – Fine fescue

1 – Bluegrass / ryegrass / fescue

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#### **Superintendents Tournaments Hosted (includes 2025)**

- 12 Andrew Johnston Sentosa (HSBC) in Singapore
- 8 Gregory James Liberty National (Mizuho)
- 5 Nick Dolimpio Lake Nona (Hilton Grand TOC)
- 4 Zach Reineking Erin Hills (US Women's Open)
- 3 Tim Huber The Club at Carlton Woods (Chevron)
- 2 Ken Yates Black Desert (Black Desert Championship)
- 2 William Leedom Seaview (ShopRite)
- 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**

- 39 Gregory James Liberty National (Mizuho)
- 25 Jamie McCrosky Bradenton CC (Founders Cup)
- 23 Andrew Johnston Sentosa (HSBC) in Singapore
- 22 Zach Reineking Erin Hills (US Women's Open)
- 20 Tim Huber The Club at Carlton Woods (Chevron)
- 19 Zach Stephens El Caballero (JM Eagle)
- 14 Ken Yates Black Desert (Black Desert Championship)
- 14 Matt Bachman Whirlwind (Ford)
- 10 Scott Delpiere (Shadow Creek (T-Mobile Match Play)
- 9 Nick Dolimpio Lake Nona (Hilton Grand TOC)
- 6 William Leedom Seaview (ShopRite)

#### **Superintendents Alma Maters**

- 3 Penn State University
- 2 Michigan State University
- 1 Delaware State University
- 1 Rhode Island University
- 1 University of Arizona
- 1 University of Massachusetts
- 1 Iowa State University
- 1 University of Wisconsin

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