

## PGA Championship (PGA of America)

Oak Hill Country Club (East Course) • Rochester, N.Y. • May 18-21, 2023

### Manager Golf Course and Grounds

#### Jeff Corcoran, GCSAA

Email: [jcorcoran@oakhillcc.com](mailto:jcorcoran@oakhillcc.com)

Years as GCSAA Member: 26

Years at Oak Hill: 20

Years as a Superintendent: 23

Previous Courses: The Weston Golf Club (super)

Internship: Oak Hill (1994)

Hometown: Penfield, N.Y.

Education: Penn State University

Professional Tournaments Hosted: This is the second PGA Championship for Corcoran (2013) who also hosted two Senior PGAs (2008, 2019).

### Other Key Golf Personnel

Assistant Superintendents: Mike Kincaid, Marcus

Chestnut, Aleks Schuler, Kevin Carpenter

Ron Senski, Equipment Manager

Jason Ballard, PGA Professional

Number of Employees: 60-65

Number of Tournament Volunteers: 70

### Course Architect

Architect (year): Donald Ross (1926)

Restoration Architect (year): Andrew Green (2019)

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### Tournament Set-up

Par: 35-35--70

Yardage: 7,394

### Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 4,500 sq. ft.

Total Property Acres: 350

Acres of Fairway: 28

Acres of Rough: 90

Number of Sand Bunkers: 78

Number of Water Hazards: 1

Number of Holes Water is in Play: 6

### Turfgrass

Greens: Bentgrass

Approaches: Bentgrass

Tees: Bentgrass / *Poa annua*

Fairways: Bentgrass / *Poa annua*

Rough: Tall fescue/Kentucky bluegrass/ryegrass mix

### Additional Notes

- Oak Hill's East Course is the only one in America that has hosted all six rotating men's golf championships (U.S. Am-1949, 98, 2027, U.S. Open-1956, 68, 89, PGA-1980, 2003, 13, 23, U.S. Sr. Open-1984, Ryder Cup-1995, Sr. PGA-2008, 19).

- Other than three years in Boston (2000-03), Jeff Corcoran has been at Oak Hill since an internship in 1994. He has been involved in seven of the events listed above.

- The 2019 restoration included replacing the old bentgrass/*Poa annua* greens with pure bentgrass, restoring shapes and contours of greens, extensive tree removal, bunker removal and relocations, adding new back tees, and a new drainage system.

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