

KPMG Women's PGA Championship (PGA of America)

Baltusrol Golf Club (Lower Course) • Springfield, N.J. • June 22-25, 2023

Director of Grounds and Golf Maintenance

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Years as GCSAA Member: 25

Years at Baltusrol: 5

Years as a Superintendent: 19

Previous Courses: The CC of Scranton (super, 2008-19),
Glen Oak CC (superintendent, 2004-08)

Hometown: Shinnston, West Va.

Education: Ohio State University

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

Other Key Golf Personnel

Shawn Haverdink, GCSAA Superintendent

Dan Spall, Project and Grounds Superintendent

Assistant Superintendents: Miguel Torres, Sean Carroll,
Chris Mullaly, Martin Paget, Dhenilson Pizarro, Ty Leahy

Carmen Tino, Equipment Manager

Kathy Musico, Administrative Assistant

Ryan Fountaine, PGA Professional

Number of Employees: 68

Number of Tournament Volunteers: 50

Course Architect

Architect (year): A.W. Tillinghast (1922)

Renovation Architect (year): Gil Hanse (2021)

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Tournament Set-up

Par: 35-36--71

Yardage: 6,621

Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 8,300 sq. ft.

Total Property Acres: 500

Acres of Fairway: 30

Acres of Rough: 70

Number of Sand Bunkers: 119

Number of Water Hazards: 4

Number of Holes Water is in Play: 6

Soil Conditions: Sandy loam

Water Sources: Well-fed irrigation pond

Drainage Conditions: Very good

Turfgrass

Greens: *Poa annua* / bentgrass 115"

Collars: *Poa annua* / bentgrass 200"

Approaches: *Poa annua* / bentgrass 200"

Tees: Bentgrass .300"

Fairways: *Poa annua* / bentgrass 300"

Rough: Turf Type Tall Fescue 3"

Additional Notes

- Renovation included rebuilt greens, bunkers, tees, drainage, irrigation, PrecisionAire greens.
- May weather was very dry.
- Average fairway widths in landing areas are 35 yards.
- The 1985 U.S. Women's Open was played on the Lower Course.
- Lower Course also hosted 2 PGA Championships (2005, 16) and 4 U.S. Opens (1954, 67, 80, 93).

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