

## **KPMG Women's PGA Championship (PGA of America)** PGA Frisco (Fields Ranch East) • Frisco, Texas • June 19-22, 2025

### **Senior Director PGA Properties Golf Course Maintenance Operations, PGA of America**

#### **Roger Meier, GCSAA**

Years as GCSAA Member: 29

Years with PGA of America: 15

Years at PGA Frisco: 6

Previous Courses: Valhalla Golf Club, TPC Network

Professional Tournaments Hosted: Meier hosted the Senior PGA Championship at Fields Ranch East in 2023 and was the superintendent at Valhalla for the 2011 Senior PGA Championship, 2014 PGA Championship and 2015 Boys Junior PGA Championship.

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### **Other Key Agronomy Personnel**

Bryce Yates, GCSAA, managing superintendent; Nic Zicefoose, GCSAA, East Course superintendent; Donald Patterson, assistant superintendent; Andrew Burris, assistant superintendent; Andrew Picard, equipment manager; Trish Holt, PGA professional; Paul Earnest, director of golf  
Agronomy Employees: 78 / Tournament Volunteers: 20

### **Course Architect**

Gil Hanse (May 2, 2023)

### **Notable**

- Holes No. 9 and No. 18 are flipped for the tournament.
- Spring saw wet and below average temperatures which resulted in slower grass transition from dormancy.
- Warmer temperatures, high evapotranspiration rates and less rainfall should aid in producing firmer, faster playing conditions.
- Wind will play a factor in difficulty of the golf course.
- The facility includes Fields Ranch West (designed by Beau Welling), The Swing (a lighted 10-hole par-3 short course) and The Dance Floor (a 2-acre putting course).

### **Tournament Setup**

Par: 36-36--72

Yardage: 6,604

### **Turfgrass**

Greens: TifEagle bermudagrass

Collars: Northbridge bermudagrass

Approaches: Northbridge bermudagrass

Tees: Northbridge bermudagrass

Fairways: Northbridge bermudagrass

Rough: Northbridge bermudagrass

### **Course Statistics**

Average Green Size: 7,300 sq. ft.

Total Property Acres: 650 (2,500-acre master development)

Acres of Fairway: 64

Acres of Rough: 20

Number of Sand Bunkers: 96 (3.5 acres)

Number of Water Hazards: 0

Soil Conditions: Sand cap

Water Sources: Effluent

Drainage: Subsurface greens, tees and fairways

High Elevation: 620

Low Elevation: 545

Average Fairway Widths: 45 yards

### **Links**

GCSAA Tournament Fact Sheet Home:

<https://www.gcsaa.org/media/tournament-fact-sheets>

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# Tournament Fact Sheet

## 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 / Texas

1 – Ariz. / Nev. / Calif. / Utah / Wisconsin / Michigan

### 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)

6,604 (72) – Fields Ranch East (KPMG Women's PGA)

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

6,556 (72) – Blythefield (Meijer)

6,263 (71) – Seaview (ShopRite)

### Average Green Size

10,600 – Sentosa (HSBC) in Singapore

7,300 – Fields Ranch East (KPMG Women's PGA)

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)

4,500 – Blythefield (Meijer)

### Number of Bunkers

132 – Erin Hills (US Women's Open)

110 – Liberty National (Mizuho)

96 – Fields Ranch East (KPMG Women's PGA)

93 – Seaview (ShopRite)

86 – El Caballero (JM Eagle)

74 – Shadow Creek (T-Mobile Match Play)

64 – Blythefield (Meijer)

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

4 – Bermudagrass

2 – Bentgrass / poa

1 – Poa Trivialis overseed

1 – Poa / bermudagrass

### Rough Turf Type

5 – Bermudagrass

3 – 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
- 11 – Collin Romanick – Blythefield CC (Meier)
- 8 – Gregory James – Liberty National (Mizuho)
- 5 – Nick Dolimpio - Lake Nona (Hilton Grand TOC)
- 4 – Roger Meier – Fields Ranch East (KPMG Women's PGA)
- 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)
- 29 – Roger Meier – Fields Ranch East (KPMG Women's PGA)
- 27 – Collin Romanick – Blythefield CC (Meijer)
- 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**

- 4 – 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
- 1 – SUNY Cobleskill

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