



Tournament Fact Sheet

Valero Texas Open

TPC San Antonio – AT&T Oaks Course • San Antonio, Texas • April 4-7, 2019

Director Golf Course Operations

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Years as GCSAA Member: 31

Years at Course: 1

Years as a Superintendent: 28

Previous Courses: TPC Scottsdale, TPC Craig Ranch, TPC

Eagle Trace, Shangri-La Resort & CC, Quail Ridge

Hometown: Wellington, Kan.

Education: Kansas State University

Number of full-time staff members: 46

Number of tournament volunteers: 12

Other Key Golf Personnel

Jonathan Graham, Assistant Superintendent

Patrick Parkins, Assistant Superintendent

Sarah Jackson, Assistant Superintendent

Ryan Perez, Assistant Superintendent

Austin Corder, Assistant Superintendent

Sam Baldea, Equipment Manager

Robert Harris, Horticulturist

Andy Cummings, PGA Professional

Matt Flory, Manager

Scott Spurlock, President

Course Architect

Architect: Greg Norman (2010) with assistance from Sergio Garcia.

Course Owner: PGA Tour/Black Stone Properties

Tournament Set-up

Par: 72

Yardage: 7,435

Stimpmeter: 11

Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 6,400 sq. ft.

Average Tee Size: 7,800 sq. ft.

Acres of Fairway: 35

Acres of Rough: 35

Number of sand bunkers: 64

Number of water hazards: 3

Soil conditions: Sand cap/native clay

Water sources: Well water

Drainage conditions: Good

Turfgrass

Greens: Champion bermudagrass overseeded with *Poa Trivialis* and velvet bentgrass .115"

Tees: TifSport bermudagrass overseeded with *Poa Trivialis* .325

Fairways: TifSport bermudagrass overseeded with perennial ryegrass and chewing fescue .425"

Rough: Bandera bermudagrass overseeded with perennial ryegrass and chewing fescue 2"

Additional Notes

- Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary for Golf Courses
- The 36-hole facility includes the AT&T Canyons Course designed by Pete Dye. That course hosted the PGA Tour Champions San Antonio Championship from 2011-15.
- Native grasses and plants are prevalent throughout the course.
- Bunkers reflect a more natural design with the edges emulating the canopy of the native oak trees.

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