3M Open
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Golf Course Superintendent
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Years as GCSAA Member: 12
Years at TPC Twin Cities: 9
Years as a Superintendent: 3
Previous Courses: Silver Bay Golf Course (assistant)
Wayzata Country Club (assistant)
Hometown: Silver Bay, Minn.
Education: University of Minnesota-Crookston

Number of Employees: 27
Number of Tournament Volunteers: 45

Other Key Golf Personnel
Riley Soderstrom, Assistant Superintendent
Maxton Kelly, Assistant Superintendent
Matt Thorp, Equipment Manager
Alan Cull, Director of Golf
Chris Weinhold, PGA Professional

Course Architect
Course Owner: PGA Tour
Featured Holes: No. 6, 594-yard, par 5 risk/reward double-dog leg… No. 7, 381-yard par 4 reachable over water… No. 9, 502-yard par 4 with difficult long-iron approach… No. 14, 437-yard par 4 dogleg around Cavner’s Cove.

Tournament Set-up
Par: 71
Yardage: 7,441
Stimpmeter: 12

Course Statistics
Average Green Size: 6,500 sq. ft.
Average Tee Size: 1,000 sq. ft.
Acres of Fairway: 28
Acres of Rough: 59
Number of Sand Bunkers: 72
Number of Water Hazards: 27
Soil Conditions: Sand
Water Sources: Well and holding lake
Drainage Conditions: Very good

Turfgrass
Greens: Bentgrass .100"
Tees: Bentgrass .285"
Fairways: Bentgrass .325"
Rough: Bluegrass/Fescue 3"

Additional Notes
• 2018 renovation included narrowing of fairways, addition of bunkers and tees, repositioning tee complexes.

• Course is Audubon Certified.

• Practice area includes 12,000 square feet of putting greens and 5,000 square feet of chipping greens as part of a 27,000 square-foot, double-ended, double-tiered practice facility.

• TPC Twin Cities hosted the 3M Championship, the PGA TOUR Champions event, from 1993-2018.