Charles Schwab Challenge
Colonial Country Club • Fort Worth, Texas • June 11-14, 2020

Golf Course Superintendent
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Certified Golf Course Superintendent (CGCS): Yes
Years as GCSAA Member: 26
Years at Colonial Country Club: 15
Years as a Superintendent: 22
Previous Courses: Northwood (superintendent),
   Preston Trail (assistant), BentTree (assistant)
Hometown: Fort Worth, Texas
Education: Texas A&M University

Number of Full-Time Staff Members: 25
Number of Tournament Volunteers: 10

Other Key Golf Personnel
Bart Bellmon, Assistant Superintendent
Tyler Bryson, Assistant Superintendent
Jan Dixon, Equipment Manager
Mark Jones, Horticulturist
Jonathon Mock, Green Committee Chairman
Dow Finsterwald, Jr., PGA Professional
Kip Adams, President

Course Architect
Architect (year): John Bredemus / Perry Maxwell (1936)
Course Owner: Members

Tournament Set-up
Par: 70
Yardage: 7,209

Course Statistics
Average Green Size: 5,000 sq. ft.
Average Tee Size: 1,000 sq. ft.
Acres of Fairway: 24
Acres of Rough: 65
Number of Sand Bunkers: 84
Number of Water Hazards: 4
Number of holes water is in play: 6
Soil Conditions: Clay
Water Sources: Trinity River
Drainage Conditions: Good

Turfgrass
Greens: A-4 bentgrass .100"
Tees: Tifway 419 bermudagrass .350"
Fairways: Tifway 419 bermudagrass .375"
Rough: Bermudagrass mix 3"

Additional Notes
• Colonial Country Club was founded in 1936 by Marvin Leonard, who was
determined to introduce bentgrass greens to the Southwest.
• Holes No. 3-5 are known as the "Horrible Horseshoe" due to their difficulty.
• There are 14 on-course bluebird houses, which has provided a notable bluebird population.
• Colonial hosted the 1941 U.S. Open.
• No PGA event has been played at the same course for longer than this event (1946).

Tournament Fact Sheets for the PGA, LPGA, Champions and Korn Ferry Tours can be found all year at: https://www.gcsaa.org/media/tournament-fact-sheets