

## RBC Heritage (PGA TOUR)

Harbour Town Golf Links • Hilton Head, S.C. • April 13-16, 2023

### Golf Course Superintendent

#### Jonathan Wright, GCSAA

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Years as GCSAA Member: 27

Years at Harbour Town: 25

Years as a Superintendent: 14

Hometown: Lexington, Ky.

Education: University of Kentucky

Professional Tournaments Hosted: Wright has hosted 25 professional events in his career.

### Other Key Golf Personnel

Assistant Superintendents: Kelly Shaw, Ian Seal, Shamus White, Daniel Haller

Equipment Managers: David Collins, Nathan Leach

Number of Employees: 56 (includes 23 from Harbour Town and 23 combined from Heron Point and Atlantic Dunes)

Number of Tournament Volunteers: 10

### Course Architect

Architect (year): Pete Dye (1969)

Rounds Per Year: 30,000

Course closes to public play the week of April 3

### Twitter

Superintendent - @jwrightH

Course - @Harbour\_Town

Tournament - @RBC\_Heritage

GCSAA - @GCSAA

*Tournament Fact Sheets for the PGA TOUR, LPGA, PGA TOUR Champions, Korn Ferry and Epson Tours and USGA and PGA of America championships can be found at: <https://www.gcsaa.org/media/tournament-fact-sheets>*

### Tournament Set-up

Par: 36-35—71

Yardage: 7,191

Stimpmeter: 11.5

### Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 3,700 sq. ft.

Total Property Acres: 160

Acres of Fairway: 22

Acres of Rough: 47

Number of Sand Bunkers: 54

Number of Holes Water is in Play: 18

Soil Conditions: Sandy loam

Water Sources: Effluent

Drainage Conditions: Good

### Turfgrass

Greens: Poa trivialis overseed .115"

Collars: Poa trivialis overseed .325"

Approaches: Perennial rye overseed .325"

Tees: Perennial ryegrass overseed .325"

Fairways: Perennial rye overseed .375"

Rough: Perennial ryegrass overseed 2.5"

### Additional Notes

- A new pro tee was added on No 7.

- Changes before last year's event included new tees on No. 2, 5 and 17 and a palm tree to No. 10 greenside bunker (replaced an old pine tree that was lost several years ago).

- A wet winter was followed by a warmer than normal February and a cooler than normal March.

- Wildlife on the course include deer, alligators, possum, rabbit, moles, otter, egret, heron, hawks, eagles, and osprey.

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