



Tournament Fact Sheet

Masters Tournament

Augusta National Golf Club • Augusta, Ga. • April 10-13, 2025

Senior Director of Agronomy

Brent A. Seyer, GCSAA

Years as GCSAA Member: 17

Years at Augusta National: 15 (1st as senior director)

Years as Superintendent: 2

Hometown: Vincennes, Ind.

Education: Purdue University

Professional Tournaments Hosted: 1st as senior director

Other Key Agronomy Personnel

Scott Waddell, senior assistant superintendent; Connor Castor, assistant superintendent; Kurt Eller, assistant superintendent; Justin Henderson, senior manager irrigation; Fred Hartenstein, equipment manager; JJ Weaver, PGA professional; Ryan Sharp, PGA professional

Agronomy Employees: 60 / Tournament Volunteers: 113

Course Architect

Dr. Alister MacKenzie and Bobby Jones (1933)

Tournament Setup

Par: 36-36--72

Yardage: 7,555

Turfgrass

Greens: Bentgrass .125"

Collars: Bentgrass .250"

Approaches: Ryegrass overseed .312"

Tees: Ryegrass overseed .312"

Fairways: Ryegrass overseed .375"

Second Cut: Ryegrass overseed 1.375"

Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 6,486 sq. ft.

Acres of Fairway: 79

Acres of Second Cut: 35

Number of Sand Bunkers: 44

Number of Water Hazards: 6

Number of Holes Water is in Play: 5

Soil Conditions: Clay / sand

Water Sources: Pond / river

Drainage: Good

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2025 GCSAA Course and Superintendent Notes For Courses Played to Date (PGA TOUR Only) (Primary Courses Only) (U.S. Courses Only) (This Week's Course in Red)

Tournaments by State

- 4 – Florida / California
- 2 - Texas / Hawaii
- 1 – Arizona / **1 - Georgia**

Yardage (par)

- 7,765 (72) – Torrey Pines South (Farmers Insurance)
- 7,765 (72) – Torrey Pines South (Genesis)
- 7,596 (73) – Kapalua Resort (The Sentry)
- 7,555 (72) – Augusta National (Masters)**
- 7,475 (70) – Memorial Park (Texas Children’s Hospital)
- 7,466 (72) – Bay Hill Club (Cognizant)
- 7,438 (72) – TPC San Antonio (Valero Texas Open)
- 7,352 (71) – Innisbrook Resort (Valspar)
- 7,352 (72) – TPC Sawgrass (THE PLAYERS)
- 7,261 (71) – TPC Scottsdale (WM Phoenix Open)
- 7,210 (72) – PGA West Pete Dye Stadium (American Express)
- 7,167 (71) – PGA National (Cognizant)
- 7,044 (70) – Waialae (Sony Open)
- 6,972 (72) – Pebble Beach Golf Links (AT&T Pro Am)

Average Green Size (top five)

Largest

- 8,722 – Kapalua Resort (The Sentry)
- 7,500 – Bay Hill Club (Cognizant)
- 7,100 – Waialae (Sony Open)
- 7,069 – TPC Scottsdale (WM Phoenix Open)
- 7,000 – PGA National (Cognizant)
- 7,000 – PGA West Pete Dye Stadium (American Express)
- 7,000 – Memorial Park (Texas Children’s Hospital)

Smallest

- 3,500 – Pebble Beach Golf Links (AT&T Pro Am)
- 5,000 – Torrey Pines South (Farmers Insurance)
- 5,000 – Torrey Pines South (Genesis)
- 5,500 – TPC Sawgrass (THE PLAYERS)
- 5,822 – Innisbrook Resort (Valspar)

Number of Bunkers (top five)

Most

- 116 – Pebble Beach Golf Links (AT&T Pro Am)
- 93 – Kapalua Resort (The Sentry)
- 92 – TPC Sawgrass (THE PLAYERS)
- 90 – PGA West Pete Dye Stadium (American Express)
- 84 – Bay Hill Club (Arnold Palmer)

Fewest

- 21 – Memorial Park (Texas Children’s Hospital)
- 44 – Augusta National (Masters)**
- 64 – TPC San Antonio (Valero Texas Open)
- 65 – PGA National (Cognizant)
- 67 - TPC Scottsdale (WM Phoenix Open)

Green Turf Type

- 5 – Bermudagrass
- 6 – Poa
- 1 – Poa / bentgrass / ryegrass overseed
- 1 – Poa overseed
- 1 - Bentgrass**

Rough Turf Type

- 9 – Ryegrass overseed**
- 2 – Bermudagrass
- 1 – Ryegrass / Poa annua mix
- 1 – Ryegrass / fine fescue overseed
- 1 – Perennial ryegrass / fescue

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Superintendents Tournaments Hosted (includes 2025)

- 30 – Jeff Plotts, TPC Sawgrass (10th THE PLAYERS)
- 24 – Dave Nakama, CGCS, Waialae (Sony Open)
- 17 – Ryan Stewart, Innisbrook (Valspar)
- 17 – Chris Flynn, CGCS, Bay Hill Club (Arnold Palmer)
- 13 – Roby Robertson, CGCS, TPC San Antonio (Valero Texas)

Superintendents GCSAA Membership Years

- 39 – Brian Sullivan, CGCS, MG, PGA West (AE)
- 37 – Roby Robertson, CGCS, TPC San Antonio (Valero Texas)
- 34 – Ken Einwig, PGA National (Cognizant)
- 31 – Jeff Plotts, TPC Sawgrass (THE PLAYERS)
- 27 – Chris Flynn, CGCS, Bay Hill Club (Arnold Palmer)

Superintendents Alma Maters

- 2 – Penn State
- 1 – Arizona, Hawaii, Michigan State, Texas Tech, Lake City, SUNY-Cobleskill, Georgia, N.C. State, Kansas State, **Purdue**

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