

Tournament Fact Sheet

Wyndham Championship (PGA TOUR)

Sedgefield Country Club • Greensboro, N.C. • July 31-August 3, 2025

Golf Course Superintendent

Chad Cromer, GCSAA

Years as GCSAA Member: 24 Years at Sedgefield: 10 Years as Superintendent: 18 Previous Courses: Trump National Doral (superintendent), Jennings Mill (superintendent), TPC Sugarloaf (assistant), Capital City Club (assistant), Greensboro CC (assistant) Hometown: High Point, N.C. *Contact: Mike Strauss: <u>mstrauss@gcsaa.org</u> / 785-865-8444*

Other Key Agronomy Personnel

Tim Stroud, assistant superintendent; Sam Harris, assistant superintendent; Gene Westbrook, equipment manager; Eric Ferguson, PGA professional Agronomy Employees: 20 / Tournament Volunteers: 45 Golf Course Dog:

Course Architect

Donald Ross (1926) Renovation: Kris Spence (2007)

Notable

• Chad Cromer has been involved with 22 professional events in his career.

- The 507-yard 18th hole plays as a par five for members, but it is a par four for the tournament.
- The Wyndham Championship was founded in 1938 as the Greater Greensboro Open.

Tournament Setup

Par: 35-35--70 Yardage: 7,131

Turfgrass

Greens: Champion bermudagrass .120" Collars: Bermudagrass .325" Approaches: Bermudagrass .325" Tees: Bermudagrass .325" Fairways: Bermudagrass .400" Rough: Bermudagrass 2.5"

Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 6,000 sq. ft. Total Property Acres: 130 Acres of Fairway: 25 Acres of Rough: 75 Number of Sand Bunkers: 52 Number of Water Hazards: 5 Number of Holes Water is in Play: 6 Soil Conditions: Clay Water Sources: Pond Drainage: Average

Links

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

Tournaments by State

5 – California 4 – Florida / Texas 2 – Hawaii / South Carolina / Pennsylvania / North Carolina 1 – Ariz. / Ga. / La. / Ohio / Canada / Ct. / Mich. / III. / Ky. / Minn

Yardage (par)

Longest (top 10) 7,765 (72) – Torrey Pines South (Farmers Insurance) 7,765 (72) - Torrey Pines South (Genesis) 7,626 (71) – Quail Hollow (PGA Championship) 7,596 (73) – Kapalua Resort (The Sentry) 7,569 (72) – Muirfield Village (Memorial) 7,561 (71) – TPC Craig Ranch (CJ CUP Byron Nelson) 7,555 (72) – Augusta National (Masters) 7,480 (71) – Tahoe Mountain Club (Barracuda) 7,475 (70) – Memorial Park (Texas Children's Hospital) 7,466 (72) – Bay Hill Club (Cognizant) Shortest (top 5) 6,844 (70) – TPC River Highlands (Travelers) 6,972 (72) – Pebble Beach Golf Links (AT&T Pro Am) 7,044 (70) - Waialae (Sony Open) 7,056 (70) – Hurstbourne (ISCO) 7,119 (70) – Philadelphia Cricket Club (Truist) 7,131 (70) – Sedgefield (Wyndham)

Average Green Size (top five) Largest 8,500 – Oakmont (US Open) 8,722 – Kapalua Resort (The Sentry) 7,500 – Bay Hill Club (Cognizant) 7,100 – Waialae (Sony Open) 7,069 - TPC Scottsdale (WM Phoenix Open) Smallest 3,500 – Pebble Beach Golf Links (AT&T Pro Am) 3,700 – Harbour Town (RBC) 4,750 – Hurstbourne (ISCO) 5,000 – TPC River Highlands (Travelers) 5,000 - Colonial Country Club (Charles Schwab) 5,000 – Torrey Pines South (Farmers Insurance) 5,000 – Torrey Pines South (Genesis) 5,000 – Muirfield Village (Memorial) Number of Bunkers (top five) Most 168 - Oakmont (US Open) 118 - Philadelphia Cricket Club (Truist) 116 – Pebble Beach Golf Links (AT&T Pro Am) 106 – TPC Louisiana (Zurich) 95 – Tahoe Mountain Club (Barracuda) Fewest 21 – Memorial Park (Texas Children's Hospital) 44 – Augusta National (Masters) 48 – TPC Toronto (RBC Canadian)

- 51 Harbour Town (RBC)
- 52 Sedgefield (Wyndham)

Green Turf Type

- 11 Poa or Poa overseed
- 8 Bentgrass
- 7 Bermudagrass
- 4 Bentgrass / Poa
- 1 Poa / bentgrass / ryegrass

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Rough Turf Type

13– Ryegrass

- 8 Bluegrass and/or bluegrass mixes
- 5 Bermudagrass
- 4 Ryegrass and fescue mixes
- 1 Tall fescue

Superintendents Tournaments Hosted (includes 2025) (top 5)

- 30 Jeff Plotts, TPC Sawgrass (10th THE PLAYERS)
- 28 Jonathan Wright, Harbour Town (RBC)
- 24 Dave Nakama, CGCS, Waialae (Sony Open)
- 17 Ryan Stewart, Innisbrook (Valspar)
- 17 Chris Flynn, CGCS, Bay Hill Club (Arnold Palmer)
- 17 Keith Wood, Quail Hollow (PGA Championship)

Superintendents GCSAA Membership Years (30+ years)

- 39 Brian Sullivan, CGCS, MG, PGA West (AE)
- 37 Roby Robertson, CGCS, TPC San Antonio (Valero Texas)
- 34 Walter K. Pritchett, CGCS, Hurstbourne (ISCO)
- 34 Ken Einwig, PGA National (Cognizant)
- 31 Stephen Gross, CGCS, TPC Craig Ranch (THE CJ CUP)
- 31 Jeff Plotts, TPC Sawgrass (THE PLAYERS)

Superintendents Alma Maters

- 4 Ohio State
- 2 Penn State, Michigan State, UMass
- 1 Arizona, Hawaii, Texas Tech, Lake City, SUNY-Cobleskill,

Georgia, N.C. State, Kansas State, Purdue, Kentucky, Mississippi State, Virginia Tech, Rutgers, Connecticut, West Virginia, Aquinas, North Dakota State

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