



Tournament Fact Sheet

Procore Championship (PGA TOUR)

Silverado Resort (North) • Napa, Calif. • September 11-14, 2025

Director of Agronomy

David Walter, GCSAA

Years as GCSAA Member: 19

Years at Silverado: 4

Years as a Superintendent: 8

Previous Courses: Potomac Shores (superintendent)

Hometown: Chagrin Falls, Ohio

Education: Ohio State University

Professional Tournaments Hosted: This is the 4th Procore hosted by Walter, who was also a part of the 2008 PGA Championship agronomy team at Oakland Hills.

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Other Key Agronomy Personnel

Jeremy Sanchez, superintendent; Jose Tena Jr., assistant superintendent; Richard Last, assistant superintendent; Roberto Perez, equipment manager; Jose Madrigal, landscape superintendent

Agronomy Employees: 34 / Tournament Volunteers: 20

Golf Course Dog: Carmen, 7-year-old Pointer

Course Architect

Ben Harmon (1955)

Renovation: Robert Trent Jones (1966), Johnny Miller (2011)

Notable

- Since last year all par 3 tees were laser leveled; 15 yards was added to tournament No. 15; fairways on tournament No. 13 and No. 15 were widened by 10 yards in the landing zone.
- Tournament routing is member hole numbers: 1-5, 13, 7, 12, 6, 14-17, 8-11, 18.
- David Walter's wife Kayla is a PGA/LPGA teaching professional at Silverado.
- Walter hosted a GCSAA First Green event for fifth graders at Vichy Elementary School on Friday, Sept. 5. Learn more about First Green at www.TheFirstGreen.org
- Bay area has recorded one of the coolest summers on record.

Tournament Setup

Par: 35-37--72

Yardage: 7,138

Turfgrass

Greens: Poa annua / bentgrass .110"

Collars: Poa annua / bentgrass .375:

Approaches: Poa annua / ryegrass .375"

Tees: Poa annua / ryegrass .375"

Fairways: Bermuda / Poa annua / ryegrass .375"

Rough: Bluegrass / Ryegrass 2.5"

Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 5,400 sq. ft.

Total Property Acres: 297

Acres of Fairway: 22

Acres of Rough: 77

Number of Sand Bunkers: 53

Number of Water Hazards: 2

Number of Holes Water is in Play: 2

Soil Conditions: Clay loam

Water Sources: Well

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./Canada Courses Only) (This Week's Course in Red)

Tournaments by State

6 – California

4 – Florida / Texas

2 – Hawaii / South Carolina / Pa. / North Carolina / Georgia

1 – Ariz. / La. / Ohio / Canada / Ct. / Mich. / Ill. / Ky. / Minn /
Tenn. / Md.

Yardage (par)

Longest (top 10)

7,765 (72) – Torrey Pines South (Farmers Insurance)

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7,626 (71) – Quail Hollow (PGA Championship)

7,601 (72) – Caves Valley (BMW 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)

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)

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)

4,500 – TPC Southwind (FedEx St. Jude)

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 – Sedgfield (Wyndham)

Green Turf Type

11 – Poa or Poa overseed

9 – Bermudagrass

9 – Bentgrass

5 – Bentgrass / Poa

1 – Poa / bentgrass / ryegrass

Rough Turf Type

13 – Ryegrass

9 – Bluegrass and/or bluegrass mixes

7 – Bermudagrass

5 – Ryegrass and fescue mixes

1 – Tall fescue

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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

6 – Ohio State

- 3 – 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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