NCAA Division 1 Men’s and Women’s Championships (NCAA)
Grayhawk Golf Club (Raptor Course) • Scottsdale, Ariz.
Women – May 20-25 / Men – May 27-June 1

Director of Agronomy
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Years as GCSAA Member: 29
Years at Grayhawk: 22
Years as a Superintendent: 29
Previous Courses: Terravita (super), Briarwood (super)
Hometown: Scottsdale, Ariz.

Other Key Golf Personnel
Ryan Voyles, Assistant Superintendent
Victor Ramirez, Assistant Superintendent
Eduardo Ayala, Equipment Manager
Jorge Ortiz, Horticulturist
Travis McCutchan, PGA Professional

Number of Employees: 50
Number of Tournament Volunteers: 5

Course Architect

Turfgrass
Greens: MiniVerde bermudagrass .087”
Tees: Tifway bermudagrass .350”
Fairways: Overseeded perennial ryegrass over Tifway 419 bermudagrass .350”
Rough: Overseeded perennial ryegrass over Tifway 419 bermudagrass 2.5”

Additional Notes
• Biggest challenge is keeping the ryegrass alive due to extremely warm weather. That helps with firmness of the course and aesthetics.

• Director of Agronomy Ernie Pock is a Scottsdale native and a third-generation golf course superintendent.

• Recent renovations include new bunkers on No. 4, 9, 15, 17, 18, extended fairway bunkers on No. 1, 2, 3, 11, 15 and new tee boxes on No. 1, 3, 5, 8, 11, 15, 16, 17.

• The Talon course is open for play during the tournaments.

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

Tournament Set-up
Par: Women (72) / Men (70)
Yardage: Women (6,384) / Men (7,289)

Course Statistics
Average Green Size: 6,500 sq. ft.
Acres of Fairway: 40
Acres of Rough: 25
Number of Sand Bunkers: 62
Number of Water Hazards: 2
Number of Holes Water is in Play: 2
Soil Conditions: Decomposed granite
Water Sources: Effluent / reclaimed

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