

# **Tournament Fact Sheet**

## Southwest Airlines Showcase at Cedar Crest (Amateur)

Cedar Crest Golf Course • Dallas, Texas • November 13-15, 2023

### Golf Course Superintendent Kevin Redburn, GCSAA

Years as GCSAA Member: 15 Years at Cedar Crest: 2 Years as a Superintendent: 18 Previous Courses: Tenison Park (sr. superintendent) Hometown: Oklahoma City, Okla. Education: Oklahoma State University For superintendent contact info, contact Mike Strauss, GCSAA at <u>mstrauss@gcsaa.org</u> or 785-312-5164

#### **Other Key Golf Personnel**

Charles "CT" Thornton, Assistant Superintendent Ira Molayo, PGA Professional Number of Employees: 8 Number of Tournament Volunteers: 12

#### **Course Architect**

Architect (year): A.W. Tillinghast (1907) Renovation Architect (year): Webring and Wolford (2004)

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#### **Tournament Set-up**

Par: 35-36—71 Yardage: 6,510 (men) / 5,804 (women) Stimpmeter: 10

#### **Course Statistics**

Average Green Size: 2,700 sq. ft. Total Property Acres: 125 Acres of Fairway: 25 Acres of Rough: 80 Number of Sand Bunkers: 32 Number of Water Hazards: 1 pond and numerous creeks Number of Holes Water is in Play: 8 Soil Conditions: Rock and clay Water Sources: City water / effluent Drainage Conditions: Excellent

#### **Turfgrass**

Greens: TifEagle bermudagrass .175" Collars: 419 bermudagrass .500" Approaches: 419 bermudagrass .500" Tees: 419 bermudagrass .500" Fairways: 419 bermudagrass .500" Rough: 419 bermudagrass 2"

#### **Additional Notes**

• Cedar Crest hosted the 1927 PGA Championship won by Walter Hagen.

• Average fairway widths are 20-30 yards in landing areas.

- Course has small greens (2,700 sq. ft.) which are even smaller than Pebble Beach (3,500 sq. ft.).
- Nine greens were re-sprigged in June.

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