

## **Tournament Fact Sheet**

### Notah Begay III Southern Texas Regional

The Clubs of Kingwood (Forest) • Kingwood, Texas • June 14-15, 2023

# Director of Golf Course Maintenance Jeremy Lewis, GCSAA

Phone: 281-348-2261 Email: Jeremy.lewis@invitedclubs.com Years as GCSAA Member: 14 Years at The Clubs of Kingwood: 7 Years as a Superintendent: 14 Previous Courses: The Falls, Twin Rivers, Sammons Park, Great Hills, Lakecliffe Hometown: Pflugerville, Texas

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

Kyle McFarland, Superintendent Forest & Marsh Courses Terrell Gallman, Superintendent, Deerwood Course Tyler Kirchhofer, Superintendent, Island & Lake Courses Assistant Superintendents: Aaron Stack, Colby Cook, Steve Ray, Zane Hamilton Donavon Tomlinson, Equipment Manager Michelle Davis, Administrative Assistant Dick Smith, Jr., PGA Professional Number of Employees: 64 Golf Course Dogs: Smokey and Brittany

#### **Course Architect**

Architect (year): Joe Finger and Ken Dye Rounds Per Year: 40,000

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

Par: 36-36--72 Yardage: Boys 14-15, 16-18: 6,550 Boys 12-13: 5,948 Boys 10-11: 5,491 Girls 14-15, 16-18: 5,948 Girls 12-13: 5,491 Girls 10-11; 4,807

#### **Course Statistics**

Average Green Size: 5,500 sq. ft. Total Property Acres: 150 Acres of Fairway: 40 Acres of Rough: 85 Number of Sand Bunkers: 58 Number of Water Hazards: 7 Number of Holes Water is in Play: 10 Soil Conditions: Sandy Ioam / clay Water Sources: Recycled Drainage Conditions: Fair

#### Turfgrass

Greens: TifEagle bermudagrass .110" Collars: 419 bermudagrass .500" Approaches: 419 bermudagrass .500" Tees: 419 and Celebration bermuda .500" Fairways: 419, Celebration bermuda .500" Rough: 419 bermuda and Sonesta 2"

#### **Additional Notes**

• Lewis was named the 2019 Southern Region Invited Clubs Superintendent of the Year. He is the current vice president of the South Texas GCSAA.

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