Tournament Fact Sheet

UNC Health Championship (Korn Ferry Tour)
Raleigh Country Club • Raleigh, N.C. • June 1-4, 2023

Golf Course Superintendent
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Years as GCSAA Member: 22
Years at Raleigh CC: 20
Years as a Superintendent: 20
Previous Courses: Pinehurst Resort, Governors Club
Hometown: Sanford, N.C.
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Other Key Golf Personnel
Michael Taylor, Assistant Superintendent
Kevin Crill, Assistant Superintendent
Jeff Davis, Equipment Manager
Brian Kittler and Thomas Walker, PGA Professionals
Number of Employees: 19
Number of Tournament Volunteers: 10

Course Architect
Architect (year): Donald Ross, 1948

Course host an LPGA event from 1966-74.

Tournament Set-up
Par: 35-35-70
Yardage: 7,394
Stimpmeter: 12.5

Course Statistics
Average Green Size: 6,800 sq. ft.
Total Property Acres: 130
Acres of Fairway: 36
Acres of Rough: 53
Number of Sand Bunkers: 107
Number of Water Hazards: 5
Number of Holes Water is in Play: 5
Soil Conditions: Clay
Water Sources: Reclaimed irrigation water

Turfgrass
Greens: Pure Eclipse bentgrass .065"
Collars: TifGrand bermudagrass .250'
Approaches: 419 bermudagrass .350'
Tees: 419 bermuda / zoysia .350"
Fairways: 419 bermudagrass .400"
Rough: 419 bermudagrass 2.5"

Additional Notes
• The 2020 renovation included greens and bunker renovations, new irrigation system, drainage, new tees and tree removal (500).

• Some of the winterkill areas on a few bermudagrass tees, roughs, collars and approaches were resodded.

• Course water source is entirely reclaimed water.

• This is the last course designed by Donald Ross.

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