

CPKC Women's Open (LPGA)

Earl Grey Golf Club • Calgary, Alberta, Canada • July 25-28, 2024

Golf Course Superintendent

Terry Shinkewski, GCSAA

Years as GCSAA Member: 7

Years at Earl Grey: 9

Years as a Superintendent: 21

Hometown: Calgary, Alberta, Canada

Education: Fairview College

Professional Tournaments Hosted: This is Shinkewski's 1st tournament as host.

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Other Key Golf Personnel

Dave Garnett, Assistant Superintendent

Clayton Kelm, Assistant Superintendent

Course Architect

Architect (year): Phillip Boese (1932)

Renovation Architect (year): Robbie Robinson (1965-66), Wayne Carleton (2017-18)

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Course - @EarlGreyGolf

Tournament - @cpkcwomensopen

GCSAA - @GCSAA

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Tournament Set-up

Par: 36-36--72

Yardage: TBD

Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 6,100 sq. ft.

Total Property Acres: 139

Acres of Fairway: 29

Number of Sand Bunkers: 67

Number of Water Hazards: 4

Number of Holes Water is in Play: 5

Soil Conditions: Excellent

Water Sources: Elbow River water shed

Drainage Conditions: Pretty good

Turfgrass

Greens: Poa annua / bentgrass .100"

Collars: Poa annua .300"

Approaches: Poa annua .380"

Tees: Poa / Kentucky bluegrass

Fairways: Poa annua / Kentucky bluegrass

Rough: 3"

Additional Notes

- Routing will have tournament finishing on the normal 10th hole.
- The average green size ties for 4th largest played on in U.S./Canada this year.
- Average fairway widths are 22-23 yards in most landing zones.
- Course is Audubon Certified.
- Course started two internship programs, including a turfgrass internship and an environmental science internship.
- Wildlife on course includes waterfowl, deer, coyotes, bobcat and bald eagles.

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GCSAA Notes

(LPGA U.S./Canada Courses Only)

2024 Notable For Courses Played

(thru Dana Open, July 21)

(does not include international courses)

(this week's course in red)

2024 Courses Played by Yardage

6,889 – The Club at Carlton Woods (Chevron)

6,765 – Shadow Creek (T-Mobile Match)

6,731 – Sahalee (PGA Championship)

6,677 – Liberty National (Mizhuo)

6,666 – Highland Meadows (Dana)

6,608 – Lake Nona (Hilton Grand Vacations)

6,583 – Lancaster CC (US Women's Open)

6,557 – Bradenton CC (LPGA Drive On)

6,556 – Blythefield (Meijer)

6,536 – Upper Montclair (Cognizant Founders)

6,534 – Seville G&CC (Ford Champ)

6,447 – JM Eagle LA Open (Wilshire)

6,277 – Midland CC (Dow)

6,258 – Palos Verdes (Fir Hills Seri Pak)

6,197 – Seaview (ShopRite)

2024 Avg. Greens by sq. ft. Played

7,000 – Upper Montclair (Cognizant Founders)

6,800 – The Club at Carlton Woods (Chevron)

6,200 – Seville G&CC (Ford Champ)

6,100 – Earl Grey Golf Club (CPKC)

6,100 – Lancaster CC (US Women's Open)

6,000 – Sahalee (PGA Championship)

6,000 – Seaview (ShopRite)

5,900 – Lake Nona (Hilton Grand Vacations)

5,800 – Bradenton CC (LPGA Drive On)

5,500 – Shadow Creek (T-Mobile Match)

5,200 – Midland CC (Dow)

5,000 – JM Eagle LA Open (Wilshire)

5,000 – Highlands Meadows (Dana)

4,653 – Liberty National (Mizhuo)

4,500 – Blythefield (Meijer)

3,952 – Palos Verdes (Fir Hills Seri Pak)

2024 Courses by Greens Turf Type Played

7 – Poa / bentgrass mix (Fir Hills Seri Pak, Cognizant Founders, ShopRite, Meijer, Dow, Dana, CPKC)

3 – Bermudagrass (Drive On, Ford Champ, Chevron)

3 – Bentgrass (T-Mobile Match Play, Mizhuo, USWO)

3 – Poa (Hilton Grand Vacations, JM Eagle, PGA Championship)

2024 Tournaments by State Played So Far

3 – New Jersey

2 – Florida

2 – California

2 – Michigan (Meijer, Dow)

1 – Arizona

1 – Nevada

1 – Texas

1 – Pennsylvania

1 – Washington

1 – Ohio (Dana)

All 2024 Tournaments by State

(multiple events only)

5 – Florida

3 – New Jersey

2 – California

2 – Ohio (Dana, Kroger)

2 – Michigan (Meijer, Dow)

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GCSAA Notes

(LPGA Tour – USA/Canada events only)

2023 Full Year

(this week's course in red)

2023 Longest Courses (6,600+)

6,824 – Club at Carlton Woods (Chevron Champ)
6,765 – Shadow Creek (Bank of Hope)
6,690 – Superstition Mountain (LPGA Drive On)
6,685 – Columbia Edgewater (Portland Classic)
6,685 – Shaughnessy (CPKC Open)
6,671 – Liberty National (Mizuho)
6,642 – Highland Meadows (Dana Open)
6,621 – Baltusrol (KPMG PGA Champ)
6,608 – Lake Nona (Hilton Grand Lake)

2023 Shortest Courses

6,197 – Seaview Golf Club (ShopRite)
6,277 – Midland (Dow Great Lakes)
6,349 – Pelican Golf Club (The Annika)
6,438 – Pinnacle (Walmart NW Arkansas)

2023 Largest Avg. Greens by sq. ft.

8,300 – Baltusrol (KPMG PGA Champ)
8,000 – Pelican (The Annika)
7,500 – Hoakalei (LOTTE)
7,000 – TPC Harding Park (Hanwha)
7,000 – Upper Montclair (Cognizant)

2023 Smallest Avg. Greens by sq. ft.

3,500 – Pebble Beach (U.S. Open)
3,952 – Palos Verdes (Seri Pak LA Open)
4,285 – Shaughnessy (CPKC Open)
4,500 – Blythefield (Meijer)
4,653 – Liberty National (Mizuho)

2023 Courses by Greens Turf Types

8 – Poa / bentgrass mix

6 – Poa

4 – Bentgrass

4 – Bermudagrass

1 – Paspalum

GCSAA Superintendent Notes

(LPGA Tour – USA/Canada events only)

Longest GCSAA Membership

38 – Gregory James, Liberty National (Mizuho)
34 – Kevin Welp, CGCS, Midland (Dow Great Lakes)

31 – Jim Myers, CGCS, Columbia Edgewater (Portland Classic)

30 – Scott Krout, Superstition Mountain (Drive On)

30 – Terry Kennelly, Pelican Golf Club (The Annika)

Note: Avg. GCSAA membership years for host superintendents is 20.6.

Most Professional Events Hosted (if known)

17 – Chase Turpin, Pinnacle (Walmart NW Arkansas)

11 – Collin Romanick, Blythefield (Meijer)

Superintendents by Alma Mater (if known)

6 – Penn State

5 – Michigan State

2 – UMass

2 – Ohio State