



Tournament Fact Sheet

Dow Championship (LPGA)

Midland Country Club • Midland, Mich. • June 26-29, 2025

Golf Course Superintendent

Greg Pattinson, GCSAA

Years as GCSAA Member: 26

Years at Midland: 1

Years as Superintendent: 22

Previous Courses: Highland Meadows (10 years), Indianwood (3 years), Captains Club (10 years)

Hometown: Burton, Mich.

Education: Michigan State University

Professional Tournaments Hosted: Hosted 10 LPGA events at Highland Meadows. This is his first at Midland.

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Other Key Agronomy Personnel

Rod Dutton, assistant superintendent; Ian Moxey, assistant superintendent; Shaena Reder, horticulturist; Raymond Davis, equipment manager

Agronomy Employees: 26 / Tournament Volunteers: 4

Course Architect

Gilbert A. Currie (1928)

Renovation: Larry Packard (1970), Jerry Matthews (1990), Craig Schreiner (2018), George Dillon (2021)

Notable

- Superintendent Greg Pattinson is hosting his 11th LPGA event, but his first at Midland Country Club. He hosted 10 events at Highland Meadows in Ohio (Marathon Classic, Dana Open).
- Midland's 41 bunkers are the fewest seen so far on the LPGA Tour (U.S. courses only).

Tournament Setup

Par: 35-35--70

Yardage: 6,277

Turfgrass

Greens: Poa annua / bentgrass .105"

Collars: Poa annua / bentgrass .400"

Tees: Bentgrass .400"

Fairways: Poa annua / Poa trivialis .450"

Rough: Poa annua / Poa pratensis 2.75"

Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 5,200 sq. ft.

Total Property Acres: 127

Acres of Fairway: 22

Acres of Rough: 40

Number of Sand Bunkers: 41 (1.25 acres)

Number of Water Hazards: 2 ponds, 1 creek

Number of Holes Water is in Play: 10

Soil Conditions: Clay

Water Sources: City water

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2025 GCSAA Course and Superintendent Notes For Courses Played (LPGA Only) (U.S. Courses Only, *but includes HSBC in Singapore*) (This Week's Course in Red)

Tournaments by State

2 – Florida / New Jersey / Texas / **Michigan**
1 – Ariz. / Nev. / Calif. / Utah / Wisconsin

Yardage (par)

Longest (top 7)

6,911 (72) – The Club at Carlton Woods (Chevron)
6,829 (72) – Erin Hills (US Women's Open)
6,775 (72) – Sentosa (HSBC) in Singapore
6,765 (72) – Shadow Creek (T-Mobile Match Play)
6,690 (72) – Liberty National (Mizuho)
6,679 (72) – El Caballero (JM Eagle)
6,661 (72) – Whirlwind (Ford)

Shortest (top 7)

6,263 (71) – Seaview (ShopRite)
6,277 (70) – Midland (Dow)
6,556 (72) – Blythefield (Meijer)
6,557 (71) – Bradenton CC (Founders Cup)
6,604 (72) – Fields Ranch East (KPMG Women's PGA)
6,629 (72) – Black Desert Resort (Black Desert)
6,642 (72) – Lake Nona (Hilton Grand TOC)

Average Green Size

Biggest (top 7)

10,600 – Sentosa (HSBC) in Singapore
7,300 – Fields Ranch East (KPMG Women's PGA)
7,000 – Black Desert (Black Desert Championship)
6,800 – The Club at Carlton Woods (Chevron)
6,500 – Erin Hills (US Women's Open)
6,300 – El Caballero (JM Eagle)
6,000 – Seaview (ShopRite)

Smallest (top 7)

4,500 – Blythefield (Meijer)
4,653 – Liberty National (Mizuho)
5,200 – Midland (Dow)
5,500 – Shadow Creek (T-Mobile Match Play)
5,800 – Bradenton CC (Founders Cup)
5,900 – Lake Nona (Hilton Grand TOC)
5,900 – Whirlwind (Ford)

Number of Bunkers

Most (top 7)

132 – Erin Hills (US Women's Open)
110 – Liberty National (Mizuho)
96 – Fields Ranch East (KPMG Women's PGA)
93 – Seaview (ShopRite)
86 – El Caballero (JM Eagle)
74 – Shadow Creek (T-Mobile Match Play)
64 – Blythefield (Meijer)

Fewest (top 7)

41 – Midland (Dow)
44 – Black Desert (Black Desert Championship)
53 – Bradenton CC (Founders Cup)
53 – Whirlwind (Ford)
54 – Sentosa (HSBC) in Singapore
58 – Lake Nona (Hilton Grand TOC)
62 – The Club at Carlton Woods (Chevron)

Green Turf Type

5 – Bentgrass
4 – Bermudagrass
3 – Bentgrass / poa
1 – Poa Trivialis overseed
1 – Poa / bermudagrass

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Rough Turf Type

- 5 - Bermudagrass
- 3 - Kentucky bluegrass
- 2 - Poa or Poa trivialis overseed
- 1 - Zoysiagrass
- 1 - Ryegrass overseed
- 1 - Fine fescue
- 1 - Bluegrass / ryegrass / fescue

Superintendents Tournaments Hosted (includes 2025)

- 12 - Andrew Johnston - Sentosa (HSBC) in Singapore
- 11 - Greg Pattinson - Midland (Dow)
- 11 - Collin Romanick - Blythefield CC (Meier)
- 8 - Gregory James - Liberty National (Mizuho)
- 5 - Nick Dolimpio - Lake Nona (Hilton Grand TOC)
- 4 - Roger Meier - Fields Ranch East (KPMG Women's PGA)
- 4 - Zach Reineking - Erin Hills (US Women's Open)
- 3 - Tim Huber - The Club at Carlton Woods (Chevron)
- 2 - Ken Yates - Black Desert (Black Desert Championship)
- 2 - William Leedom - Seaview (ShopRite)
- 1 - Matt Bachmann - Whirlwind (Ford)
- 1 - Jamie McCrosky - Bradenton CC (Founders Cup)
- 1 - Scott Delpiere - Shadow Creek (T-Mobile Match Play)
- 1 - Zach Stephens - El Caballero (JM Eagle)

Superintendents GCSAA Membership Years

- 39 - Gregory James - Liberty National (Mizuho)
- 29 - Roger Meier - Fields Ranch East (KPMG Women's PGA)
- 27 - Collin Romanick - Blythefield CC (Meijer)
- 26 - Greg Pattinson - Midland (Dow)
- 25 - Jamie McCrosky - Bradenton CC (Founders Cup)
- 23 - Andrew Johnston - Sentosa (HSBC) in Singapore
- 22 - Zach Reineking - Erin Hills (US Women's Open)
- 20 - Tim Huber - The Club at Carlton Woods (Chevron)
- 19 - Zach Stephens - El Caballero (JM Eagle)
- 14 - Ken Yates - Black Desert (Black Desert Championship)
- 14 - Matt Bachman - Whirlwind (Ford)
- 10 - Scott Delpiere - Shadow Creek (T-Mobile Match Play)
- 9 - Nick Dolimpio - Lake Nona (Hilton Grand TOC)
- 6 - William Leedom - Seaview (ShopRite)

Superintendents Alma Maters

- 4 - Penn State University
- 3 - Michigan State University
- 1 - Delaware State University
- 1 - Rhode Island University
- 1 - University of Arizona
- 1 - University of Massachusetts
- 1 - Iowa State University
- 1 - University of Wisconsin
- 1 - SUNY Cobleskill

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