



Tournament Fact Sheet

Portland Classic (LPGA)

Columbia Edgewater Country Club • Portland, Ore. • August 13-16, 2026

Director of Agronomy

Jim Myers, CGCS, GCSAA

Years as GCSAA Member: 34

Years at Columbia Edgewater: 8

Years as Superintendent: 27

Previous Courses: The Plateau Club (superintendent), Vail Golf Club (superintendent)

Hometown: Detroit, Mich.

Education: Ferris State, Georgia, Ohio State

Professional Tournaments Hosted: This is Myers' 7th LPGA event at Columbia Edgewater.

Other Key Agronomy Personnel

Nate Ulrich, superintendent; John Grant, Keaton Strunk, Jeff Olson, and Isaac Krepps, assistant superintendents; Ralph Terry, equipment manager; Josh Edwards, horticulture; Jackson Glassmire and Connor Just, turf management interns; Adrian Burtner, PGA professional

Agronomy Employees: 27 / Tournament Volunteers: 15

Course Architect

A.V. Macan (1925)

Notable

- Columbia Edgewater has hosted LPGA events from 1974-2008, 2013-20, 2022-present.
- The course also hosted the PGA TOUR's Portland Open from 1961-63, 66.
- Course hosted the Oregon Amateur in nine different decades.
- Myers is a Certified Golf Course Superintendent (CGCS).
- Myers spent 15 years at Vail Golf Club, which hosted the President Jerry Ford Invitational.
- Myers has played golf in more than 20 countries on five continents.

Tournament Setup

Par: 36-36--72

Yardage: 6,685 (unofficial)

Turfgrass

Greens: Poa annua .090"

Collars: Poa annua .250"

Approaches: Poa annua .250"

Tees: Poa annua .310"

Fairways: Poa annua .385"

Rough: Poa annua / ryegrass 5"

Course Statistics

Average Green Size: 5,500 sq. ft.

Acres of Fairway: 30

Acres of Rough: 30

Number of Sand Bunkers: 54

Number of Water Hazards: 6

Number of Holes Water is in Play: 7

Soil Conditions: Sand topdressing

Water Sources: Well

Drainage: Excellent

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