

GCSANC QUICK PROFILE

Scott Dickson

Employer: Saddle Creek Resort

Position: Golf Course Superintendent

Years in the Golf Business: 2 years at Saddle;
10 + overall

Previous Employment: Assistant Superintendent at
GC Del Paso Country Club 4 ½ years Sacramento

Education: B.S. Turf, Pennsylvania State

GCSANC Work or Interests: Running for SNGCSA
board this winter

Family: Wife Julie

Key People: Assistants Les Stanton and Andy
Rundstrum

Interests Outside of Golf: Hiking, Skiing, Reading

Favorite Vacation: What Vacation?

Favorite Course to Play: Saddle Creek Resort

Course You'd Like to Visit: St. Andrews

**Strangest Thing You've Witnessed On The Golf
Course:** One of our vendors running over another
superintendent with his golf cart

Worst Comment/Question From a Member:
I take the 5th!

**What You'd Be Doing If You Weren't Involved With
Golf:** Flipping Burgers

Saddle Creek Resort To Host GCSANC/SNGCSA Joint Meeting

Rolling through the foothills, the 18-Hole Championship course at Saddle Creek Resort was designed by Carter Morrish and opened in 1996. This scenic and challenging course features both gentle and dramatic changes in elevation. Breathtaking views are just part of the experience, including dramatic views of the Sierras, Yosemite and a plentiful variety of wildlife. Natural lakes, streams and grasses frame each hole with flashed bleach white bunkers to excite every shot. Stretching just over 6,800 yards from the black tees, the championship tees have a slope rating of 137. The mens' tees measure 6,044 yards with a gentle slope rating of 122 and the ladies' tees measure 4,486 yards with a slope rating of 117.



Since opening, the course has received numerous awards, including recognition as the 9th best public access course in the state of California by Golf Week Magazine in 2006. In 1997, Golf Digest voted Saddle Creek Resort the 7th Best New upscale golf course in the U.S. Golf Digest has also rated Saddle Creek Resort four and a half stars. Only Pebble Beach is rated higher in California with five stars.