

Hole of the

▶ Hole No. 8 | Trump International Golf Club | West Palm Beach, Fla.

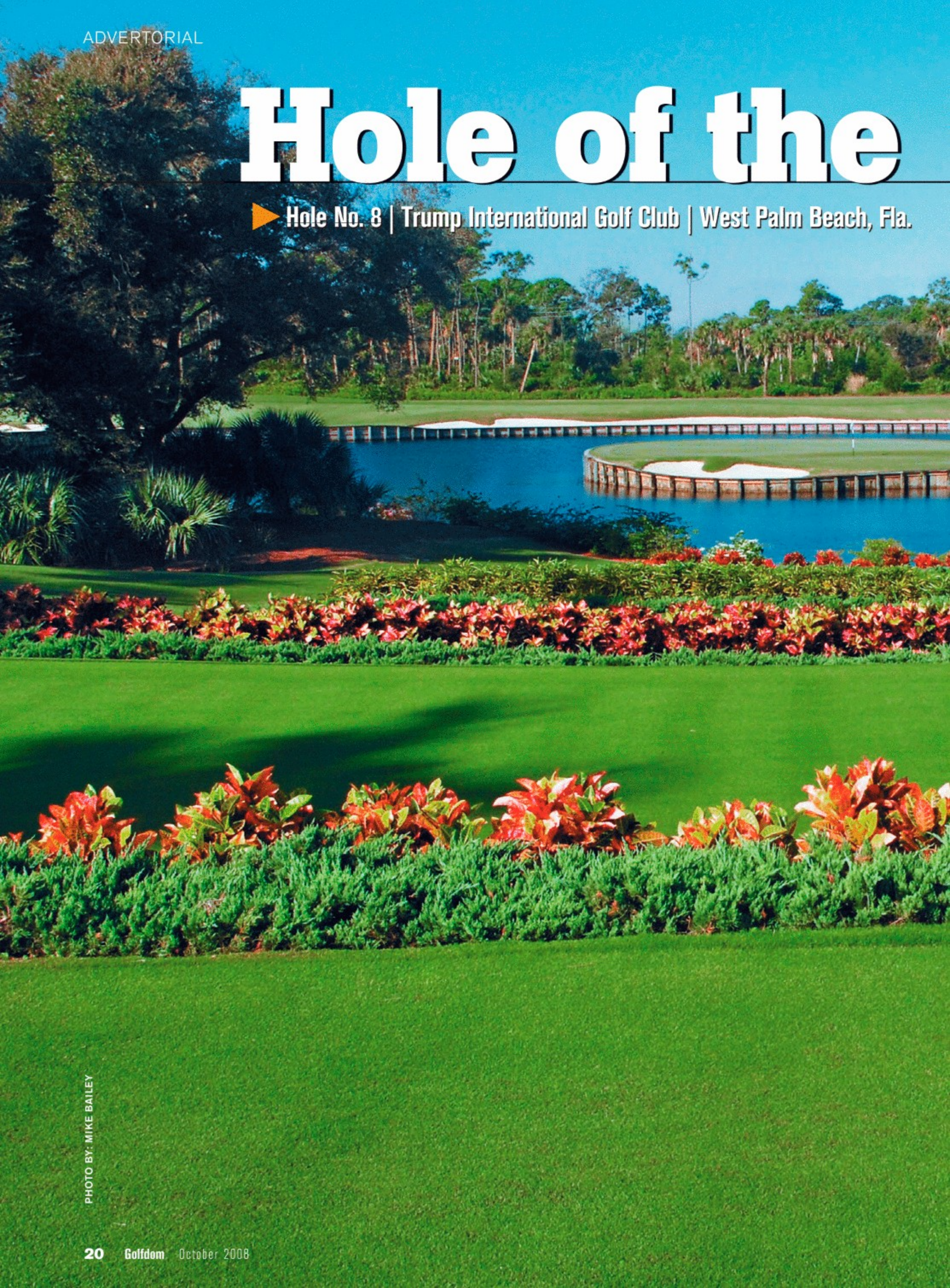


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Hole Stats

Distance: 153 yards

Par 3

The Turf

Green: *Tifeagle Bermudagrass*

Fairway: *419 Bermudagrass*

The only expectation with the Trump brand is excellence. As one of seven courses owned worldwide by Donald Trump, Trump International Golf Club in West Palm Beach, Fla., must meet his high standards. Based on its accumulated accolades, the 27-hole course has successfully distinguished itself as one of the country's premier golf destinations and lived up to the Trump promise.

Architect Jim Fazio designed the club's original 18-hole course, which opened for play in 1999. In 2005, the club opened an additional nine holes, and one of its highlights is an island green, Hole No. 8. The 153-yard par-3 hole at Trump International is one of the most beautiful spots on the property.

The wind plays a major factor for golfers hitting from the hole's elevated tees. Most opt for a pitching wedge or 9-iron to clear the water and land on the isolated green.

Certified Superintendent Andy Kjos has carefully maintained the two courses at Trump International for seven years. He is a member of what he calls a "fraternity" of Trump-property superintendents, who share an unshakable commitment to keeping their courses in pristine shape for golfers.

"There's an attention to detail that does not change among properties," Kjos said. "At Trump facilities, you'll find consistently well-maintained courses."

To protect the bermudagrass on the fairways and greens at Trump International, Kjos applies Insignia® fungicide. He sprays this broad-spectrum product preventatively year-round.

"In winter months, we can't take chances. Our warm-season grass gets very little sunlight and can be susceptible to diseases," Kjos explained. "Insignia is a staple in our rotation."

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