Recruitment

THE WHITECRAIGS GOLF CLUB

require a

DEPUTY TO THE COURSE MANAGER

The successful applicant requires to be highly motivated and ambitious. Qualified to NVQ3 level (or equivalent experience), qualification in spraying and chain saw certification would be preferred. Ability to demonstrate participation in improvement programmes would be advantageous. Apply in writing, enclosing CV to:

The Secretary, Whitecraigs Golf Club, 72 Ayr Road, Giffnock, Glasgow G46 6SW

PITLOCHRY GOLF COURSE

require a fully qualified and experienced

FIRST ASSISTANT GREENKEEPER

with spraying certificates

The remuneration package includes a rent free bungalow comprising sitting room, dining room, 3 bedrooms etc. Applications in writing with full CV and names of referees to:-

The Secretary, Pitlochry Golf Course Ltd, Pitlochry Estate Office, Pitlochry, Perthshire, PH16 5NE

STOCKS GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB

COURSE MANAGER REQUIRED

The new owners of this complex are embarking on an improvement of the existing 18 hole championship length course and require a suitably qualified person to lead this project and maintain a continued improvement programme. The existing Head Greenkeeper is nearing retirement and the successful applicant will need to work with him for approximately 12 months. The successful candidate will require experience in project and team management together with budgetary skills necessary to manage this expanding department. Please send your application marked to the attention of the Director of Golf at the following address:

Stocks Hotel Golf and Country Club, Stocks Road, Aldbury Nr Tring, Herts HP23 5RX

HOEBRIDGE GOLF CENTRE

Require an

ASSISTANT GREENKEEPER

Very busy established Golf complex with three courses and driving range are looking for a greenkeeper to join our existing team.

Ideally the application should be qualified to NVQ Level 2 or in the process of working towards this. Alternatively experience and the desire to achieve the qualifications will suffice as the Company are committed to a full training programme for the successful candidate.

The golf course is well supplied with new modern equipment and full irrigation system, new greenkeepers sheds are currently being constructed.

Apply in writing with full C.V,
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EAST BERKSHIRE GOLF CLUB

Invite applications for the position of

DEPUTY COURSE MANAGER

The successful candidate should be proactive with the ability to organise work programmes and motivate staff. Must have at least 5 years experience and knowledge of all modern greenkeeping methods. Qualified to a minimum C&G phase 3 and hold relevant spraying certificates. Accommodation is not available.

Applications in writing enclosing full CV to:

Mark Piggott, Course Manager, East Berkshire Golf Club, Ravenswood Avenue, Crowthorne, Berkshire RG45 8BD

THE LONDON GOLF CLUB

Invites the applications for the positions detailed below:

IRRIGATION TECHNICIAN

The primary responsibility of this post relates to the maintenance, service and efficient running of a Rainbird irrigation system. Applicants will be required to demonstrate the following:

• Sound knowledge and experience of irrigation repairs
• Confident problem solving ability
• Hard working and self motivated
• Good organisation and administration

ASSISTANT GOLF COURSES MANAGER

This challenging position requires an experienced professional with both technical and managerial skills supported by qualifications and relevant history. The successful candidate will be required to lead and motivate staff, as well as organise and monitor maintenance operations. Applicants should demonstrate the necessary ability and skills to develop a team of up to 30 staff and also carry full responsibility for the running of the courses in the absence of the manager.

Salaries negotiable, depending on experience and qualifications

Applications in writing with full CV by 7 February 2000 to:

The Personnel Manager, The London Golf Club, South Ash Manor Estate, Ash, Nr Sevenoaks, Kent TN15 7EN

Burhill Golf Club

Have vacancies for

Assistant Greenkeepers

Due to the recent construction of an 18 hole Championship length golf course, which has been constructed to USGA specification, at the prestigious Burhill Golf Club.

Excellent opportunities have arisen for enthusiastic, hard working and competent greenkeepers to compliment our existing team to look after our 36 hole golfing complex and practice grounds.

Applicants should be qualified to NVQ level 2, PA 1 and PA2 Spraying Certificates and have a minimum of 3 years experience on a course of high standards, to join our existing team in the Spring of next year.

The Club has continuous plans to improve the existing course, and with modern machinery there are excellent prospects for the enthusiastic greenkeeper.

The remuneration packages are negotiable plus other attractive benefits.

If you fit the bill and want to be part of a challenging and exciting future please write enclosing your current C.V. to:-

Gordon Hogg, Secretary/Manager, Burhill Golf Club, Burwood Road Walton on Thames Surrey KT12 4BL

Tel: 01932 227345

Closing date for applications Monday, 31st January, 2000

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PENN GOLF CLUB LTD

Applications are invited for the position of

HEAD GREENKEEPER

Penn is a well established heathland course situated about 2 miles from Wolverhampton. Applicants will be experienced in all aspects of greenkeeping, with appropriate qualifications, having practical knowledge of modern machinery and irrigation systems. The ability to lead and motivate staff, organise work programmes and maintain health and safety requirements is essential.

Salary negotiable: No accommodation.

Apply with writing with CV to
M H Jones, Hon Secretary, Penn Golf Club Ltd, Penn Common, Penn, Wolverhampton WV4 5JN

RICHINGS PARK GOLF CLUB

Invites applications for the position of

GREENKEEPER

Applicants must be suitably qualified and experienced in all aspects of modern greenkeeping.

All applicants should apply in writing to
The Course Manager, Richings Park Golf Club, North Park, Iver, Buckinghamshire SL0 9DL

BEARWOOD LAKES GOLF CLUB

requires an

ASSISTANT GREENKEEPER

Bearwood Lakes is a prestigious new development in the heart of Berkshire, opened in 1996 to much acclaim and built by Southern Golf. This is an excellent opportunity to be part of a committed and dedicated team.

The successful applicant should be qualified to NVQ1 and NVQ2 level and also hold pesticide certificates PA1 and PA2. Salary is negotiable depending on experience.

Please apply in writing together with CV to,

Phil Beal (Head Greenkeeper), Bearwood Lakes Golf Club, Bearwood Road, Sindlesham, Wokingham, Berkshire RG41 4SJ

MANCHESTER HOTEL & COUNTRY CLUB

MECHANIC/GREENKEEPER

The Marriott Manchester Hotel & Country Club, set in 200 acres of mature parkland, offers a range of facilities including an 18 hole championship course. An opportunity exists for a Mechanic/Greenkeeper to join a company that offers the best facilities and best benefits in the industry.

The ideal candidate will be:
• An experienced mechanic • Able to repair and maintain a range of modern sports turf machinery to the highest standards • Able to assist with greenkeeping duties • A team player equally able to work alone

Salary dependent on experience

For an application form or for further details, please contact;

Human Resources Department, Marriott Manchester Hotel & Country Club, Worsley Park, Worsley, Manchester M28 2QT Telephone 0161 975 2000

Closing date for applications - Friday 28 January 2000

your career forward

Our client is a leading consultancy business providing advice to the sports turf industry with particular emphasis on the golf and football sectors. With a recent history of rapid growth, they now wish to add to the current team with the appointment of a

CONSULTANT AGRONOMIST

You will be responsible for the delivery of a stand-alone consultancy service to existing and new clients in the turf care industry. You will provide excellent technical advice on a fee-paying basis to a wide range of industry professionals. Business development will be a key part of the role, however there will be a significant number of clients already in place.

You will already have demonstrated your ability to gain respect within the industry and you will have a strong technical background, a degree or diploma being an advantage but not essential. It is probable that you are looking for a new challenge that will enable you to build on your reputation whilst being within a commercial and therefore exhilarating environment.

This is an excellent opportunity for someone wishing to develop themselves and their career. Should you wish to discuss the position in confidence, please call David Phizacklea on 01284 752945 quoting ref. 2940. Alternatively write or e-mail enclosing your career details.

MERSTON PETERS LIMITED

Executive Search and Selection Consultants

Caxton House, St Andrews Street South, Bury St Edmunds Suffolk IP33 3PH Tel 01284 752945 Fax 01284 704679 Email address helen@merstonpeters.co.uk
SPEY BAY GOLF CLUB

Applications are invited for the position of

HEAD GREENKEEPER

The club was established in 1907 and is a traditional 18 hole links course situated on the Moray Firth coastline. The course forms part of the Spey Bay hotel complex, which is currently undergoing major refurbishment. The ideal candidate will be experienced in all aspects of greenkeeping and possess all the necessary qualifications as laid down in BIGGA's job specifications. You will be a self-motivated individual working to the highest of standards, who will wish to see a great natural links return to the respected level it once occupied.

Salary and conditions negotiable.
No accommodation available

Applications in writing including current c.v. and salary expectations are invited by 31st January 2000 to;

Gary Stangoe, Managing Director, Spey Bay Hotel,
Spey Bay, Fochabers, Moray. IV32 7PJ

Golfclub Linz
St. Florian, Austria

Require an
Experienced First Assistant, and Assistant Greenkeeper

Golfclub Linz-St.Florian is a semi-private membersclub -
A member of "The Leading Golf Courses of Austria" situated near to Linz (between Salzburg and Vienna). The 25 year old parkland course fulfilled a 4 year development programme to rebuild all greens, set up lakes and a computerised irrigation system (Toro).

You must be self-motivated and able to work within a small team of qualified experienced Austrian and English Greenkeepers. You must have practical knowledge and experience on sand-based greens, modern machinery and computerised irrigation systems. Knowledge of the german language would be helpful.

This would be an excellent opportunity for any progressive greenkeeper to further their career.

The salary will be negotiable according to experience and qualification. Accommodation on course available, singles preferred.
Written applications with a full C.V., photographs and references to reach following adress before January 20, 2000.

Traders Warenhandel
A- 4020 Linz
Wienerstrasse 95
Austria

Groundcare is growing

Europe’s leading non-operated plant hire company and the UK’s market leader has opportunities throughout the UK for the following:-

PROFIT CENTRE MANAGERS

Reporting to our Board of Directors, you will be responsible for developing this business through effective team management disciplines.

Much more than a conventional Manager, you will be an experienced leader and motivator seeking the chance to run your own show. Previous Grounds Maintenance or Horticulture related knowledge is essential. The reward package includes a high salary, personal profit share, car, pension and non-contributory private medical insurance and life assurance.

RENTAL MANAGERS

You will be providing our customers with a fast and efficient service. Able to work under pressure, you will need to be well organised, disciplined and able to exceed customer expectations every time. Previous experience in Grounds Maintenance/Horticulture would be desirable.

SALES PEOPLE

Already possessing a proven sales record in Grounds Maintenance/Horticultural equipment, you must have the drive and desire to maintain and develop our already successful business. We are looking for bright and enthusiastic individuals keen to develop within a rapidly growing organisation.

FITTERS

Servicing and maintaining various types of Grounds Maintenance and Horticultural hire equipment, you will already have experience of mechanics with a proven knowledge of both petrol and diesel engines, together with experience in the repair of grounds maintenance equipment. If you are reliable, flexible and keen to join a successful and expanding team, we would like to hear from you.

ALL POSITIONS offer a good salary and benefits package with excellent career prospects.

Please apply in writing with full C.V., clearly stating position applied for, to Chris Gaddes, Market Manager.

A-PLANT GROUND CARE

6 The Parks, Newton Le Willows, Worsley, WA12 OJQ.

We welcome applicants regardless of gender or race.