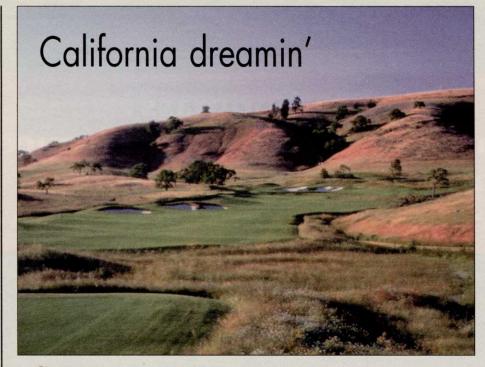


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BOSTON — A judge will be asked to appoint a monitor at Haverhill Golf & Country Club in Boston to ensure that the club complies with Massachusetts anti-discrimination laws. Nine women recently won a \$1.97 million verdict against the club after a jury unanimously decided they were unfairly denied "primary memberships" that come with choice starting times and greater access to the club. The club will appeal, and officials say they won't change club policies until the appeal is decided.

DETROIT — Workers installing a sprinkler system on the 18th hole at Detroit Country Club discovered a human skull three feet underground. Police then found a second skull and other remains. Investigators are determining whether the bones are linked to an unsolved crime or if they've come upon an old Indian burial ground.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. — Weed Design has been selected to create an 18-hole course within a limited real-estate development on Fleming Island, south of the city. It is called The Golf Club at Fleming Island Plantation. The owner-operator is Landscapes Unlimited of Lincoln, Neb., with the assistance of Centex Homes.



S AN JOSE, Calif. — CordeValle Golf Club opened recently to members and their guests. CordeValle is located just south of San Jose, Calif.

The course was developed through a collaboration by the Haas & Haynie Corp., which created The Estancia Club in Scottsdale, Ariz., and Hix Rubenstein Companies, a Los Altos-based development company specializing in golf-related resort and residential development.

CordeValle is built on 1,700 acres of picturesque California countryside and caters to a membership comprised primarily of high-profile business leaders from the Silicon Valley region. CordeValle includes an 18-hole course designed by architect Robert Trent Jones Jr., as well as a club, spa, and resort-style accommodations managed by Auberge Resorts.



Schrickel develops plans for design scholarship tour

By ANDREW OVERBECK

WILDENBRUCH, Germany -Bettina Schrickel, graduate student at the British Institute of Golf Course Architects (BIGCA) and design associate with the Ronald Fream Design Group Ltd., has founded the Grand Tour Scholarship. The travel scholarship will be awarded to four golf course architecture and turfgrass students each year. Participants will visit 40 of the top-100 U.S. golf courses including Pebble Beach Golf Links in Pebble Beach, Calif., Bel-Air Country Club in Los Angeles, Prairie Dunes Country Club in Hutchinson, Kan., East Lake Golf Club in Atlanta, Merion Golf Club in Ardmore, Pa., and The Country Club in Brookline, Mass.

The Grand Tour Scholarship was inspired by Schrickel's own two-month journey to more than 40 U.S.

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