

Michael Donahue Director of Maintenance ArrowCreek CC

Employer: ArrowCreek CC

Position: Director of Maintenance

Years in the Golf Business: 20

Previous Employment: Green Gables CC – Denver, CO; The Lakes CC – Palm Desert, CA; Brookshire Golf Club – Williamston, MI

Education: Michigan State University – Turf Management

Other Organizations: GCSAA, SNGCSA **Family:** Wife Heather, Daughter Addison (3), Son Gavin (1¹/₂)

Interests Outside of Golf: Detroit Redwing Hockey/Family/Football

Favorite Vacation: Visiting family and friends in Michigan

Favorite Course to Play: Pacific Dunes

Course You'd Like to Visit: Any in Ireland

Strangest Thing You've Witnessed On The Golf Course: Back to back holes-in-one from players in the same group. One was a great shot; the next was a skull that practically broke the flagstick as it hurtled across the green! **Worst Comment/Question From a Member:** 1) The tadpoles in the pond on #10 are at an epidemic proportion! 2) Every sprinkler head yardage marker is always facing a different direction and it is hard to read. Why can't you get a guy to go out each day to orientate them to face the players? 3) The waterfall behind my house is making too much noise. Can we turn the water down?

What You'd Be Doing If You Weren't Involved With Golf: Architect



Out for a recent visit to Northern California was high school golfer Austin Bailey with his dad, Senior Writer Mike Bailey, who was on assignment for Golf Week's SuperNEWS publication. Bailey spent some time with Olympic Club Director of Golf Jim Lucius and toured the Olympic Club courses with GCSANC President Pat Finlen. Bailey's recent work included writing the Harding Park Field Day story as well as a featured piece on the Lake Merced G&CC water storage distribution system.

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Room Reservations for December 2-4, 2004 for the December 3, 2004 GCSANC December Meeting at The Portola Plaza – Monterey Bay Two Portola Plaza Monterey, California 888-222-5851

See You All There!



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