

"Most golfers will opt for the natural tee every time, even though the grass might be rather sparse. You just don't get the right 'feel' hitting off plastic grass."

And architect Mal Purdy, Livingston, NJ, reports still another problem with the artificial turf.

"Some people get their kicks by slashing the stuff up with knives," he claims.

Who would do such a thing? Vandals, perhaps! Or, may be it's ecology nuts who prefer that golf course forever remain the way Mother Nature—or, the golf course architect—intended them.

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## Situations Vacant

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The Council are currently constructing a 9-hole Golf Course at Fulwell Park, Hampton Hill, and it is anticipated that it will be ready for play in October 1974, but an appointment is to be made as soon as possible. Preference will be given to suitably qualified persons. Duties include responsibility for maintenance of the course and control of staff.

Form from The Manager of Recreation, Langholm Lodge, 146 Petersham Road, Richmond, Surrey (01-940 8351), returnable by 26th April 1974.

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