

## **Kubota Tractors for Turnberry**



When George Brown arrived at Turnberry two years ago from Broom Park in Kent, he was faced with the situation of taking over a championship course which needed an equipment update.

The new owners – NITTO KOGYO of Tokyo were positive in their forward planning. Turnberry had to be, and remain, a major course and a continuing venue for the Open Championship.

Budget plans were agreed and a schedule of investment drawn up to meet the new owners commitment to the future of golf in Scotland.

Included in the schedule of investment was a requirement for two new tractors.

After looking at all available tractors and many years of practical experience, George was convinced that the ideal golf course tractor was in the 30-35hp mark, four-wheel drive, power steering and low PSI.

At SCOTSTURF '87 at Ingliston, George took the opportunity to take a close look at various tractors on the market. Attracted to the overall package Kubota had to offer, an appraisal was made of the Company, its product range, and Dealer backup. Subsequently, a demonstration was arranged at Turnberry of Kubota products suitable for the course requirements.

These demonstrations led to the purchase of two Kubota L2850 tractors, one fitted with a back-hoe and loader.

