

## RECRUITMENT

#### The British and International Golf Greenkeepers Association

is the professional organisation which exists to enhance, develop and educate its growing greenkeeper membership of just under 6,000. The Association receives the active support of the Royal and Ancient Golf Club and is one of golf's major bodies. We require a young, dedicated professional to take up the editorship of our high quality, award-winning monthly colour magazine, *Greenkeeper International*.

## EDITOR

Golf continues its enormous growth around the globe, with new courses being brought into play and existing courses having to accommodate increased demands for play. Considering this background there will be plenty of challenges and travel for the successful applicant. The magazine deals with issues relating to golf course maintenance and the development of the fine turf industry and is distributed worldwide.

If you have the organisational skills, the flair, and the stamina to further develop our monthly magazine, we have the right rewards. If in addition you have knowledge of the golf industry and particularly knowledge of golf course maintenance and fine turf issues, so much the better.

More importantly we are looking for a young, ambitious journalist with excellent writing skills who will relish this exciting hands-on challenge. There will also be the opportunity to contribute to the Association's public relations function. Relocation to North Yorkshire will be expected and the overall package will reflect the successful candidate's ability and experience.

Please write with CV to:

Neil Thomas, Executive Director, BIGGA, Aldwark Manor, Aldwark, Alne, York, North Yorkshire YO6 2NF. Telephone 01347 838581. Closing date: 27 March 1995.





Experienced Head Greenkeeper/ Course Manager, age 31, seeks challenging position UK or Europe. Good organiser and motivator. Experienced in course development, budget control and planning, staff recruitment and training. Qualifications: National Diploma Turfculture, City & Guilds phases 2 and 3, PA1a and PA6a Pesticides Certificates. Spanish, Module 1.

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Box No JS 15/95, BIGGA, Aldwark Manor, Aldwark, Alne, York Y06 2NF Fully Qualified Greenkeeper. National Certificate Horticulture Greenkeeping and Sports Turf Management with Distinction. Also British Turf and Landscape Irrigation Association Certificate. 16 years experience including five on PGA tour course. Seeks Head/Senior position UK or

Head/Senior position UK or abroad. Some construction experience in Germany and Middle East.

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#### LEISURE AND TOURISM DIRECTORATE

## **Turf Specialist**

£16,791 - £18,894 per annum + Leased Car

In addition to its success in the Britain in Bloom Competitions, Bournemouth has an excellent record for the quality of its sports turf.

Due to the retirement of the previous postholder, a turf specialist is required within the multidisciplinary Client Leisure Services Division to maintain and build on present standards including:

- Advising on the maintenance of turf.
- Monitoring 3 golf course contracts.
- · Liaising with sports turf user groups.
- Designing and developing new sports turf facilities.
- Preparing documentation for tenders.

You should have a minimum of 5 years practical turf culture experience of which at least 2 years are at Head Groundsman/Greenkeeper level together with a National Diploma in Turf Culture or equivalent qualification.

The attractive salary and benefits package, which includes private medical insurance, will be supported by relocation assistance where appropriate.

If you are interested in joining our Recreation Team, please contact **Personnel Services, Town Hall, Bournemouth, BH2 6DY telephone (01202) 552066 ext 2250/2230 (24 hours answerphone on** (01202) 299895) for an application form and further details. Closing date for receipt of applications is 10 April 1995.

The Authority is committed towards achieving equal opportunities.





### **Turf Irrigation Services Limited**

A major player in the UK Sports Turf and Landscape Irrigation market, following expansion seek TWO

# AREA SALES ENGINEERS

for positions located in Shrewsbury and Hertfordshire/Essex.

The successful applicants will have experience within the irrigation and or associated industry, with an in-depth knowledge of turf culture.

For details and application forms please write or fax:

Pauline Armitt Turf Irrigation Services Limited, Betchton, Sandbach, Cheshire CW11 OTS Fax: 01477 500633



## ST. PIERRE HOTEL

Country Club Resort

### GOLF COURSE MECHANIC REQUIRED

We are seeking an experienced Golf Course Mechanic for our 36 hole facility.

Applicants must possess all the relevant skills which go with this important post, ie.

- 1. Setting up a maintenance programme
- 2. Competence in cylinder and bottom blade grinding
- 3. Setting up a parts inventory
- 4. General running repairs and overhauls

For more details, please send a full curriculum vitae to:

Mark Proctor, Golf Course Manager, St. Pierre Hotel, Country Club Resort, St. Pierre Park, Chepstow, Gwent NP6 6YA All applications will be treated in the strictest confidence.

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### **Avoncrop Amenity Products**

Applications are invited for the position of



1. To operate in Cambridge, Bucks, Bedford, Hertford and Essex

2. To operate in East Sussex and Kent

These two positions have been created by Avoncrop's continuing expansion in the Amenity Market and is an excellent opportunity for the successful applicants to join an already proven Sales Team selling a wide range of Chemicals, Fertilisers, Grass Seed, Topdressings, Line Marking Materials and General Horticulture Sundries, from a portfolio of Main Distributors including Farmura, Levington Horticulture, Maxicrop, Miracle Amenity Care, Rhône Poulenc, Rufford Topdress, Scotts, Supaturf, Vitax, etc.

A good basic salary is offered with the added opportunity to earn commission and bonus. A company car is provided along with other fringe benefits.

Applicants should be suitably qualified with sales experience and be self motivated.

Please apply in writing or telephone in strictest confidence, to Rod Feltham, Avoncrop Amenity Products, Northfield, Station Road, Sandford, Nr Bristol BS19 5RA, Telephone 01934 820868

### **Blackpool North Shore Golf Club**

Invite applications for the position of

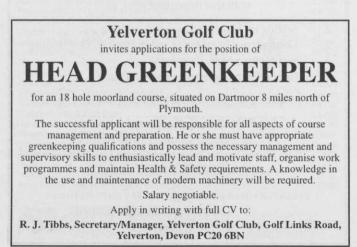
## HEAD GREENKEEPER

The successful applicant will be responsible for all aspects of Course Management.

He/she will require the appropriate qualifications and possess the necessary management and supervisory skills to lead and motivate staff, organise work programmes, work within budgetary controls and maintain health and safety requirements.

Salary negotiable, dependent upon age and experience. Apply in writing, with full CV, to:

Mr D. West, Captain, North Shore Golf Club, Devonshire Road, Blackpool



### Downfield Golf Club Dundee

Invites Applications For The Position Of

# HEAD GREENKEEPER

From persons of proven ability with appropriate qualifications and experience in all aspects of course maintenance and development related to an inland championship course.

A comprehensive knowledge of machinery, and their maintenance, together with the ability to direct and motivate staff are essential qualities required of applicants.

The Salary is negotiable and will reflect experience and qualifications.

No accommodation is available.

Applications in writing, including a full CV to:

B F Mole Esq The Managing Secretary, Downfield Golf Club, Turnberry Avenue, Dundee DD2 3QP



#### **Bath Golf Club**

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## **COURSE MANAGER**

Founded in 1880, Bath Golf Club's 18-hole course overlooks the historic City of Bath.

Applicants for this position must be fully qualified with proven practical experience in all aspects of greenkeeping. The ability to lead and motivate an enthusiastic team is essential.

Salary ngotiable according to experience - no accommodation.

Please apply in writing with full CV to:

The Managing Secretary, Bath Golf Club, Sham Castle, North Road, Bath BA2 6JG

#### **Pontefract and District Golf Club**

## HEAD GREENKEEPER

Applications are invited from suitably qualified persons for the post of Head Greenkeeper.

Salary negotiable from £16,995 to £18,250.

Please send s.a.e for application form and further details to the Secretary, c/o 24 Fair View, Carleton, Pontefract, West Yorkshire WF8 3NU.

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## Royal Mid-Surrey Golf Club COURSE MANAGER AND HEAD GREENKEEPER

This large 2-course London golf club, which has hosted many national events over the years including the English and Boys Championships and The Equity & Law Challenge, is seeking to appoint a Course Manager and Head Greenkeeper.

The successful applicant should be an existing Head Greenkeeper and meet the following criteria:

• Should be aged under 50 years, have experience of running an existing golf course and have the ability to motivate and head an established greenkeeping team.

• Suitable qualifications and experience in modern greenkeeping techniques, and use of turf machinery and automatic irrigation systems are essential.

• Should be able to organise work programmes, fix budgets and set long term targets.

A good financial package with benefits is available for the right candidate including a three bedroom house within a few minutes drive of the Clubhouse.

Apply in writing with full CV to:

M.S.R. Lunt, Secretary, Royal Mid-Surrey Golf Club, Twickenham Road, Richmond Upon Thames, Surrey TW9 2SB

### **Guildford Golf Club**

invites applications for the post of

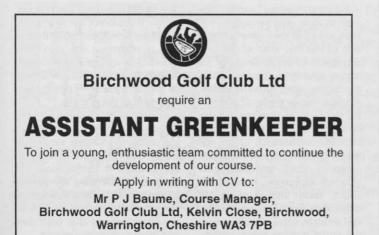
## FIRST ASSISTANT GREENKEEPER

Preference will be given to an experienced, qualified applicant who is also a competent golfer.

Salary in accordance with BIGGA recommended scales – no accommodation available.

Applications in writing with full CV to:

Mr R E Thomas, Secretary, Guildford Golf Club, High Path Road, Merrow, Guildford, Surrey GU1 2HL





### Petersfield Golf Club Hampshire

Requires a

# HEAD GREENKEEPER

To take charge of existing old established 20 holes and nearly completed, new 18 hole course, which will be growing in from May '95 to September '96.

Situation will suit current Head Greenkeeper in 1st position, wishing to gain growing in experience, or a 1st assistant of 4/5 years standing with experience of tees/greens construction and drainage, preferably qualified to phase three standard.

This very old established, progressive and expanding members club will be operated as a 27 hole course, from October '96 and offers considerable future potential for the right person. No accommodation available. Initial salary c£18.5k with contributory pension scheme.

Applications in own handwriting, together with full CV to:

Mr R R Hine, General Manager, Petersfield Golf Club, The Heath, Petersfield, Hants GU31 4EJ

### The Hesketh Golf Club

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## ASSISTANT HEAD GREENKEEPER

Applicants must be suitably qualified and experienced in all aspects of course management. Salary negotiable.

Applications in writing with CV to:

The Secretary, The Hesketh Golf Club, Cockle Dicks Lane (off Cambridge Road) Southport PR9 8QQ



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