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# Recruitment



# MIKLAGARD GOLF

Miklagard Golf Course is situated approx. 15 miles North of Oslo, Norway and is only a 10-minute drive from Oslo international airport. The principle function of the course is to be the premier facility of its kind in Scandinavia. The course was designed and constructed by the Robert Trent Jones II

Corporation and measures over 7300 yds in length. It comprises 18 championship golf holes with a further 6 hole academy course. It has extensive practice facilities including full length driving range.

We are currently seeking highly motivated individuals to join our maintenance team in the following positions:

## **GREENKEEPER/MECHANIC**

The successful applicant shall act as an assistant to our Head Mechanic. He/she shall have an interest in maintaining our fleet of John Deer equipment to the highest standard and should also show great enthusiasm in the looking after the course along with the rest of our team.

# ASSISTANT GREENKEEPERS

You will be suitably qualified in the practicalities of producing a very high standard of presentation throughout the golf course. You will be proficient with the use of modern maintenance equipment and shall possess the ability to work on your own initiative but within a team role. Applicants shall preferably be qualified to NVQ Level 2 and have PA1, PA2, PA6 and a chainsaw certificate.

## STUDENT GREENKEEPERS

Previous practical experience of working on a golf course will be valuable but not essential. You will be an ambitious individual who is team orientated and quick to learn new skills.

Employment to commence March/April 2004. There shall be assistance in finding accommodation.

If you are interested in any of the above positions then please apply in writing by 08.12.03 enclosing your C.V. to:

Ian Ross, Course Manager, 6c Nedre Solhelinga Sand 2050 Jessheim, Norway

# Recruitment

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You must be experienced in all aspects of turf establishment and maintenance. We also require skills in staff relations, training, equipment repair and maintenance, irrigation systems and drainage works as well as pest control.



Please forward you CV, in confidence to: Grainne Johnston, Director of Personnel & Training, The K Club, Straffan, Co Kildare, Ireland Telephone: 00353 (0)1 6017200 Facsimile: 00353 (0)1 6017215 Email: grainne.johnston@kclub.ie

# **BURTON ON TRENT GOLF CLUB**

Invite applications for the position of

## D GREENKEE

The course is mature parkland with many trees. It is situated on the South Derbyshire/Staffordshire borders and will be 100 years old in 2007.

The successful applicant will be responsible to the Greens Committee to carry out the established course policy and present the course to a high standard for members, visitors and county events.

Applicants should have the following qualifications, experience and attributes:

- · Ability to lead, motivate and manage the greenkeeping team
- · HND or NVQ Level 3
- · PA1, PA2 & Chainsaw
- · First Aid and ROSPA training
- · Knowledge of Health and Safety and Risk Assessments
- · Preparation and management of budgets
- · Knowledge of greenkeeping machinery and modern irrigation systems.

A handicap golfer would be an advantage.

There is accommodation available adjacent to the course and salary will be negotiable within the BIGGA recommendations, dependant on qualifications and experience.

Closing date for applications is 5th December 2003.

Please apply in writing, enclosing a current C.V. to: The Secretary, Burton-on-Trent Golf Club, 43, Ashby Road East, Burton-on-Trent, Staffs DE15 0PS

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Reply immediately to:

Mr Gary Ivory, Operations Manager, Harleyford Golf Club, Henley Road. Marlow, Bucks, SL7 2SP Tel: 01628 816161 E-Mail: gary.ivory@harleyfordgolf.co.uk

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Please send CV along with hand-written letter to:

S Lacy, Whitehill House, Rosewell, Midlothian EH24 9EG

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General Manager, West Herts Golf Club, Cassiobury Park, Rousebarn Lane, Croxley Green, Rickmansworth, Herts WD3 3GG Greenkeepers

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Stephen Blake Director of Operations



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Moatlands Golf Club, Watermans Lane, BRENCHLEY, Kent, TN12 6ND

## SHORTLANDS GOLF CLUB EXPERIENCED GREENKEEPER

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Please apply to the Club Manager, Peter May, Shortlands Golf Club, Meadow Road, Bromley, Kent, BR2 0DX (Telephone: 020 8460 8828)

### WESTERHAM GOLF CLUB AND SURREY NATIONAL GOLF CLUB

Require the following:

### HEAD MECHANIC

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### SSISTANT GREENKEEPERS

Positions are available at both courses. The ideal applicants will have two / three years experience and qualified to NVQ Level 2 or equivalent. However, experienced applicants without the above will also be considered.

The Managing Director, Surrey National Golf Club, Rook Lane, Chaldon, Surrey, CR3 5AA

## Recruitment



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If you think you have the qualities we are looking for, apply in the first instance to: Christine Wilson, Lely (UK) Limited, Toro Division, Station Road, St Neots, Cambridgeshire PE19 1QH. Tel: 01480 226800 or email christine.wilson@lely.co.uk





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Male/Female Age 30 or older

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Understanding of budgetary control techniques

Reasonable golfer

Knowledge of Spanish and English required

Please apply in writing or e-mail together with a full C.V. to:-

Beatriz Fernandez, The Key For Golf, A.I.E., Urb. Mosa Trajectum, Aut. Murcia - San Jvier Km 1,4, 30155 Banos y Mendigo (Murcia), Spain Fax: 0034 868 050438 Email: info@thekeyforgolf.com



### **ROEHAMPTON CLUB**

Invite applications for the position of

### ASSISTANT MECHANIC / GROUNDSPERSON

Roehampton Club is a sports club in south-west London consisting of an 18-hole golf course, 41 tennis courts, 4 croquet lawns, swimming pool complex, gymnasium, 5 squash courts and extensive gardens.

We are looking for an assistant mechanic to work alongside our head mechanic, and to also work in all other areas of the grounds department.

Ideally the successful candidate will have mechanical and grounds experience.

No accommodation available.

Please apply in writing with C.V. by December 1st to:

Anthony Freeman, Course & Grounds Manager, Roehampton Club, Roehampton Lane, Roehampton, London SW15 5LR