

Birds, Bees, Bullfrogs, and Bartlett

*Dudley Smith
Silver Lake G.C.*

The Charles Bartlett Award, one of the MAGCS highest honors, was presented to Tim Kelly at the recent NCTE at the Pheasant Run Resort on December 3.

Tim Kelly, past president of the MAGCS, has been the superintendent at the Village Links of Glen Ellyn for 22 years. His course has been the site of many competitions and qualifying rounds for the Western Open and USGA events.



Tim was instrumental in the "Keep Pace" program to speed up play on public courses and keep an 18-hole round under the four-hour limit. The Bartlett Award is in recognition of his efforts with the Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary in promoting nature and wildlife on the 27-hole site. In 1996, Tim Kelly was presented the Environmental Steward Award for public golf courses by the GCSAA. Tim has a reputation for being quiet, modest, and conservative; but his efforts speak out for him. The Midwest members offer their congratulations to the new Bartlett recipient. ■



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