

Laurel Oak names Baugh supervisor

Mack Baugh, golf maintenance supervisor at Longboat Key (Fla.) Club for 14 years, has been named golf course superintendent for Laurel Oak Country Club, a private golf and country club community being built in Sarasota, Fla.

Laurel Oak, on Bee Ridge Road east of Interstate 75, will feature two 18-hole Gary Player signature golf courses. The first is expected to be completed by early 1990.

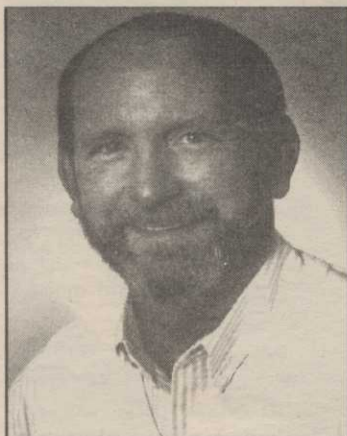
Baugh will be responsible for supervising construction activities on both courses along with representatives of Gary Player Design Co., as well as all course maintenance

once construction is complete.

He will supervise installation and maintenance of all landscaping throughout the country club.

While at Longboat Key Club, Baugh oversaw construction of its 27-hole Harbourside course and was responsible for supervising the maintenance of the entire club grounds.

The 813-acre Laurel Oak Estates residential community is expected to be complete within six years. The \$165-million community is being developed by Radnor/Sarasota, Inc.



Mack Baugh

Regan takes supers job at Karsten

Grounds maintenance at the new Karsten Golf Course at Arizona State University in Phoenix will be supervised by Thomas F. Regan, who has been superintendent at Bethesda (Md.) Country Club since 1981.

Henry DeLozier, president of Resort Management of America, the course's operational management company, said, "We were looking for a superintendent who possessed a specific set of skills to meet the high expectations we have placed on the position. Tom

is one of only a handful of superintendents in the United States who met our requirements.

"We particularly wanted a proven expert in the area of bentgrass greens; and we wanted a superintendent with a successful track record in hosting major golf championships. Tom is the right person for the job."

Regan, 38, has hosted the Greater Washington Open for the LPGA Tour, the U.S. Open and the U.S. Amateur championships for the United States Golf Association.

He is a graduate of Penn State University with a degree in turfgrass management and is certified by the Golf Course Superintendents Association of America.

"The Southwest United States is extremely golf- and growth-oriented," Regan said. "I found this position attractive due to the tremendous growth potential and challenge. The main goal of the management group is parallel to mine: to make the Karsten Golf Course at ASU the best golf course that is humanly possible."

Foundation hires fund-raiser

Wendy W. Hoffman has been named vice president of special events for the Chi Chi Rodriguez Youth Foundation in Clearwater, Fla.

The foundation teaches disadvantaged youth academic and life skills, while the youngsters learn discipline through golf.

Hoffman will assist Cary Stiff, vice president of project development, in fund-raising and coordinating special events.

The foundation's grand open-

ing of the Chi Chi Rodriguez Golf Club is due in November, and its full-time middle school before 1991.

Hoffman was previously employed by Western Hemisphere Sales as vice president for Home Shopping Network's liquidation division. She has been involved in fund-raising for organizations such as the American Cancer Society and All Children's Hospital.

She is a Palm Beach Junior College graduate.



Wendy W. Hoffman



E. Ronald Lindemann

Lindemann moves to club in Bahamas

E. Ronald Lindemann has been named general manager of the Cotton Bay Club, Rock Sound, Eleuthera, Bahamas.

He will coordinate and supervise all operational and marketing activities of the full service beach and golf course resort, including the par 72 Robert Trent Jones golf course.

Lindemann is a 24-year veteran of the hospitality industry.

Cotton Bay Club is a 450-acre beach and golf resort, owned by Eleuthera Properties, Ltd., and operated by Dallas, Texas-based Club Resorts Inc.

ON THE MOVE

Sally Lee returns to writing

Sally M. Lee, widely known in the green industry and Lesco advertising manager since 1983, resigned that position June 15.

The Ohio State University journalism graduate previously had been advertising manager for more than seven years at O. M. Scott, and editor of its ProTurf and Lawn Care Management magazines.

Lee plans to remain in close touch with the green industry, where she has a wide circle of friends and acquaintances, and hopes added flexibility will permit more time with her son and perhaps more feature article writing and photography within the trade.

She also hopes to make use of copywriting expertise.

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