

# Byrd renovation of Planter's Row unveiled

## Major landscaping and amenity changes performed at Hilton Head Island facility

A "new Planter's Row Golf Course" — extensively altered by architect Willard Byrd — was unveiled in Hilton Head Island, S.C., in October.

"Even though Planter's Row has been here since 1985, we feel like we've opened a brand new course," said Michael F. Tinkey, chief operating officer. "We think golfers — even those who were familiar with the course before — will feel the same way when they see (it)."

Royal Golf and Tennis, Ltd. bought the Planter's Row course, along with all other recreational amenities at the other two 18-hole facilities — Port Royal and Shipyard Plantations — last December. It then began to pump more than \$700,000 into the combined 18-hole golf operation at the two resorts within its first year of ownership.

A major part of the renovation, which had closed the course since mid-June, was

the replacement of all the greens at Planter's Row.

"This will be one of the major improvements the golfer will experience at Planter's Row when the course is re-opened," said Byrd, as he supervised the renovation project. "Many other things have been done to improve the playability of the course, and extensive landscaping is being added to enhance its natural beauty."

Planter's Row is a par 72 layout that plays

to more than 6,500 yards from the back tees. Its tight, tree-lined holes demand precision, both off the tee and to the greens. The course, in its inaugural season, played host to the PGA Senior Tour.

As part of the renovation, said Tinkey, sand bunkers were eliminated from the driving areas on the 1st, 3rd and 8th holes and other areas underwent some subtle recontouring in an effort to improve playability.

## Courses newly approved in the United States

Golf Course News is publishing these lists monthly. The chart to the right lists courses that have been approved around the country in the past month.

The chart below contains the sites and contacts for new courses and renovations in the planning stages. When those courses are ready to begin construction they will be listed again in the "Courses newly approved in the U.S." chart.

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Under "Type" — D= Daily Fee; P= Private; and M= Municipal.

Location	Course Name	Type	Holes	Address	Architect/Contact
<b>Alabama</b>					
Mobile	N/A	D	36	Moffett Rd.	Robert Trent Jones
<b>California</b>					
San Diego	San Elijo Ranch	N/A	18	N/A	Robert E. Cupp
<b>Kansas</b>					
Satanta	Cimarron Valley GC	D	9	P.O. Box 39	Larry Flatt
<b>Missouri</b>					
Marshfield	Marshfield CC	P	9	State Rt. CC	Larry Flatt
<b>Oregon</b>					
Oregon City	N/A	D	18	Hwy. 213	Ishihara U.S.A. Corp., Portland
<b>Pennsylvania</b>					
Marshall's Creek	Big Ridge	P	18	P.O. Box 1373	Jim Fazio
Moosic	Glenmaura National GC	P	18	Montage Mtn.	Michael Hurdzan
<b>South Carolina</b>					
Florence	Traces at Westbrook	D	18	Interstate 20 & S.C. Rd. 340	RE Goodson Const. Co., Darlington
<b>Wisconsin</b>					
Kansasville	Brighton Dale GC	M	N/A	830 248th Ave.	David Gill

## Courses newly planned in the United States

Location	Contact	Location	Contact	Location	Contact
<b>Alabama</b>		<b>Waycross</b>	Stephen R. Burns	<b>New Jersey</b>	
Dothan	Mayor Alfred Saliba	<b>Hawaii</b>		Millville	Robert E. Cupp
<b>Alaska</b>		Island of Oahu	Perry Dye-Pete Dye	<b>New Mexico</b>	
Fairbanks	Fairbanks Golf Assn.	<b>Idaho</b>		Red River	(505)754-2964
<b>Arizona</b>		Ketchum	Hale Irwin/Dick Phelps	<b>New York</b>	
Gilbert	Town Mgr Kent Cooper	<b>Illinois</b>		Eastport	Dana J. Hepler, RLA
Kingman	Kingman Muni GC	Chicago	Robert Trent Jones, Jr.	C. Michael Ingersoll	
Maumelle	Scott Erwin	Effingham	William J. Spear	Holley	Pete Craig
Oracle	Oracle Ranch GC	Eldorado	State Dept. of Comm & Cmty Affrs	Round Top	Nicholas T. Psiahas
Overgaard	L.L. Snyder	Huntley	Prime Group Inc., Chicago	Westchester County	Dana J. Hepler, RLA
<b>California</b>		Lockport	Robert M. Lohmann	<b>Ohio</b>	
Brea	Cal Olson	Schaumburg	Schaumburg Park Dist.	Ashland	Stephen R. Burns
Camarillo	Jay Revere	<b>Indiana</b>		Cuyahoga Falls	Rob Roberson
Fresno	Richard Bigler	Anderson	Gary Kern/Ron Kern	Delaware	(614)548-6600
Fullerton	Cal Olson	Evansville	Parks Bd. Pres Wayne Trockman	Newton Township	Bob Caparanis, Newton Falls
Hemet	Cal Olson	Jasper	Gary Kern/Ron Kern	Wooster	Stephen R. Burns
Irvine	Arnold Palmer/Ed Seay	Kokomo	Jerry Matthews	<b>Oregon</b>	
Irvine	Cal Olson	Lafayette	(317)447-1182	Newport	Larry Stricken
Kings Beach	Robert Dean Putman	Newburgh	G. Timmons/B. Ellsworth	Rice Hill	Larry Rasmussen
La Quinta	Pete Dye	<b>Iowa</b>		<b>Pennsylvania</b>	
Lakeport	Cal Olson	West Des Moines	Gary Kirke	Campbelltown	Ted Haas, Manheim
Los Angeles	Cal Olson	<b>Kansas</b>		Dorrence Township	Ault, Clark & Assoc.
Palm Desert	Arnold Palmer/Ed Seay	Overland Park	Greg Engleman	Elizabethtown	Borough Mgr. Nick Viscome
Palm Springs	Casper/Nash & Assoc.	<b>Kentucky</b>		Harrisburg	Real Golf Associates
Palmdale	Robert Dean Putman	London	David Pfaff	Lake Ariel	David E. Horn
Stanislaus County	Denis Griffiths & Assoc.	<b>Maryland</b>		Ligonier	Rees Jones, Inc.
Thousand Palms	F. Zoeller/C. Johnston	La Plata	Ault, Clark & Assoc.	Scottdale	Ronald E. Forse
Valley Springs	Cal Olson	Seaford	City Hall	Uniontown	Jabby's Golf Range
Wheatland	Cal Olson	<b>Massachusetts</b>		<b>Rhode Island</b>	
<b>Colorado</b>		Amesbury	(508)388-0290	Richmond	Cornish & Silva
Aurora	(303)695-7150	Plymouth	Ray Richard	<b>South Carolina</b>	
Denver	Dick Phelps	<b>Michigan</b>		Hilton Head Island	Robert E. Cupp
Steamboat Springs	Dick Phelps	Acme	Perry Dye	Loris	Clyde B. Johnston
Telluride	Perry Dye	Barton City	(313)629-7264	Myrtle Beach	(803)448-2308
<b>Delaware</b>		Lyon	Jerry Matthews & Assoc.	North Augusta	(803)279-0333
Rehoboth Beach	Ault, Clark & Assoc.	New Buffalo	Killian & Spence	<b>South Dakota</b>	
<b>Florida</b>		Onaway	(517)733-8714	Ellsworth AFB	Wyss Associates, Inc.
Cocoa Beach	Arnold Palmer/Ed Seay	Rogers City	(517)734-4909	<b>Texas</b>	
Daytona	Arnold Palmer/Ed Seay	<b>Minnesota</b>		Austin	(512)472-7332
Daytona Beach	(904)254-8800	Eden Prairie	Jack Nicklaus Golf Svcs.	Weslaco	City Mgr Wai-Lin Lam
Daytona Beach	Rees Jones, Inc.	<b>Mississippi</b>		<b>Utah</b>	
Deland	Lloyd Clifton	Madison	Ron Garl	Cottonwood/Holladay	(801)468-2299
Hernando	Arnold Palmer/Ed Seay	Natchez	Brian Ault	<b>Virginia</b>	
Kissimmee	Lloyd Clifton	<b>Missouri</b>		Charlottesville	Ault, Clark & Assoc.
Loxahatchee	(407)790-5270	Eureka	Gary Kern/Ron Kern	Fairfax	Robert E. Cupp
Naples	Gary Player	Springfield	Tom Riddell	Hartwood	Robert Gardner
Naples	Ward W. Northrup	<b>Montana</b>		Isle of Wight	Ault, Clark & Assoc.
Okeechobee	Dr. Jack Ware	Libby	Carl Thuesen	Manassas	Ken Killian
Osceola County	Telesis Development, Longwood	Whitefish	Whitefish Lake GC	<b>West Virginia</b>	
Tampa	Lloyd Clifton	<b>Nevada</b>		Hedgesville	Ray Johnston
Vero Beach	Ron Garl	Las Vegas	Gary Panks	Marlington	Robert E. Cupp
<b>Georgia</b>		Mesquite	Cal Olson	<b>Wisconsin</b>	
Acworth	Kenneth Dye	<b>New Hampshire</b>		Delavan	Town Chmn Wayne Polzin
Augusta	Tom Fazio	Atkinson	Philip A. Wogan	Somerset	Chabre GC
Canton	(404)442-9509				
Snellville	Willard C. Byrd				