



The city of Massillon, Ohio, doesn't have a golf course yet. But it has a superintendent, 28-year-old **Marty Young**, who had spent the last five years at The Elms Country Club in Massillon. He's a graduate of the agronomy program at Ohio State University. Though \$2.9 million in notes have

already been issued for course construction, there's no word as to when it will begin. Until then, Young will set up shop in City Hall.

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Paul Johnson has joined **The Meadowlands**, the Davidson County, N.C., area's newest golf course, as superintendent. The Meadowlands, a planned lifestyle community, breaks ground this spring on a Hale Irwin-designed track. Johnson served for seven years as assistant superintendent of Bermuda Run Golf Club in Advance. Prior to that, he served in the same capacity for the Myers

Park Country Club and Carmel Country Club in Charlotte. Johnson attended Michigan State University, where he received an associate degree in golf course management. The Meadowlands is scheduled to open in late 1994.

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Mike Hamilton has been named head superintendent at **Grey Oaks Country Club**, a 1,600-acre golf community located in Naples, Fla. Hamilton comes to Grey Oaks after stints at The Harbor Club in Greensboro, Ga., Lanier Golf Club of Cummings, Ga., and Jupiter West Golf Club of Jupiter, Fla. During his stay in

Georgia, he was elected to the Georgia Golf Course Superintendents Association (GGCSA) Board of Directors. He also served as editorial chairman of the GGCSA's noted magazine, *Through the Green*. Matt Jones, former GCS at Stone Creek CC in Valdosta, Ga., has taken Hamilton's place at The Harbor Club.

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Paloma Golf Group (PGG), has announced the hiring of **Anthony Miller** to be the golf course superintendent at PGG's next golf course acquisition. Miller, who interned at the PGG-managed Dove Canyon Country Club in

Dove Canyon, Calif., will join the Paloma team in April after graduating from Michigan State.

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Bob Thompson, formerly the head superintendent at Stouffer's PineIsle Resort in Lake Lanier Island, Ga., has accepted the position of GCS at **Riverview Park Golf Course** in Dublin, Ga. He replaces Charles Grinstead, who retired in December.

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Scott Young is the new head superintendent at **Palos Verdes (Calif.) Country Club**, replacing **Reed Carpenter**. Young comes to Palos Verdes from LaJolla Country Club outside San Diego. Carpenter has taken the head superintendent's job at **Ukiah Municipal** in the Northern Californian city of Ukiah.

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Al Melcher is the new head superintendent at **Smith Center Country Club** in Smith Center, Kan. Melcher begins his duties April 1, provided the snow clears.

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Rocky Franklin, formerly the golf course superintendent at Metropolitan Golf and Tennis Club in Decatur, Ga., has moved to **Willow Springs** in Roswell, Ga. Franklin's former assistant, David Burchett, has taken over as head superintendent at Metropolitan GC.

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Steven Renzetti has left Burning Tree Country Club in Greenwich, Conn. He's now the head superintendent at **The Wykagyl Country Club** in New Rochelle, N.Y., site of the LPGA's JAL Big Apple Classic.

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Assistant superintendent **Lawrence Kell** has moved from the Harbor Club in Greensboro, Ga., to **Jennings Mill Country Club** in Athens. Meanwhile, **Kyle Marshall** has completed his schooling at the University in Georgia and is now working under Randy Waldron at **The Golf Club of Georgia** in Alpharetta. Another recent graduate, Jack Thomas, is the new assistant superintendent under Mark Cagle at Ansley Golf Club in Atlanta.

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Pete Clarno has taken over the head superintendent's position at **Gadsden (Ala.) Golf Club**. Clarno looks after 36 holes at Gadsden, which is run by Sunbelt Golf.

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Ocilla (Ga.) Country Club has a new head superintendent. His name is **Jack Rowland**, and he comes to the land of peaches by way of Florida.

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Brian McCinn has accepted the head superintendent's position at **Stugart (Ark.) Country Club**. He had been the assistant to Jim Miller at Newnan (Ga.) Country Club.

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Andrew Vaughan has been named superintendent at the sports facility owned by **Bridgestone Sports USA**. Vaughan had been the GCS at Douglas (Ga.) Golf & Country Club.



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