

## Foster courses progressing from Utah to Texas

NORTH SALT LAKE CITY, Utah — Eaglewood Country Club is nearing completion. The weather has broken and the construction crews have staffed up and are under way.

Eaglewood is an 18-hole public course designed by Keith Foster and Associates, and is slated for a fall opening. All reports indicate the views from atop the mountain course are stunning, looking down over the

Great Salt Lake.

Meanwhile, The Quarry in San Antonio, Texas — another Foster project — has a completed front nine holes. The dramatic back nine is under construction and is set within 150-foot deep quarry walls. The Quarry will be an 18-hole, par-71, 6,800-yard golf course that will open in December.

Construction has resumed on the Foster-designed Remington

course in Kent, Wash. Fore, Inc. is building the 18-hole, 7,200-yard public track and grassing is expected this summer. Play is anticipated in the spring of 1994. Meanwhile, Hirosha Tanaka has retained Foster to design a target golf course in eastern Washington. The 7,100-yard Horn Rapids is part of a master-planned community. Fore is also the builder of this course.



The team designing Sand Creek's new nine holes focuses its attention on creating the new 14th green. Left to right are consultants Charles Howard and Jerry Mobley and Sand Creek superintendent Phil Lau.

## Sand Creek's new nine taking shape

CHESTERTON, Ind. — Sand Creek Country Club has begun work on nine new holes on the southeast quadrant of the more than 500-acre property. Designed by consultant Jerry Mobley, and Austin, Texas, golf course architect Charles Howard, the new holes incorporate varied landscape while remaining consistent with Sand Creek's original 18, designed by Ken Killian and Dick Nugent.

Howard said, "You have more terrain to work with. This land has 35 feet of elevation difference. It's a very interesting part of the design. It will be the main difference in the perspective of the golf holes."

## Irwin's Panther Creek opens

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. — Panther Creek Country Club, a Hale Irwin-Designed Course, opened May 24, with Irwin attending the ceremonies. Panther Creek is a 414-acre, 18-hole private golf club and residential community.

The course challenges golfers with a series of strategically placed hazards.

"Our focus on the greens complex, with subtle contouring of the greens and strategic placement of the hazards, will give golfers a fair challenge when judging their approach," said Irwin, who designed the track with Richard Phelps.

The golf course was developed by Panther Creek Development and retained Helmkamp Construction as the general contractor.

## Builders certified

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projects, and obtaining letters of reference from a variety of people such as course superintendents, irrigation designers, architects, engineers, owner/developers, and financial institutions.

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