

## Timber Trace open for limited play

PINCKNEY, Mich. — Timber Trace Golf Club, a \$5 million daily-fee layout northwest of Ann Arbor, has opened for limited public play this fall with a grand opening scheduled for next spring.

Timber Trace was designed by Patrick Conroy and Jim Dewling of Conroy-Dewling Associates. Total Golf of Milford, Mich., where Dewling is president, will supervise daily operations and management of the course.

The layout was carved out of mature oaks, stands of pines and large maples three miles west of D19 near Pinckney. It's set on 160 acres of a residential community and is routed around Lake Wallaby.

## MT. MASSIVE SAYS IT'S HIGHEST

LEADVILLE, Colo. — A nine-hole addition is planned at Mount Massive Golf Club, a public nine-hole layout that stakes a claim to being the highest golf course in the U.S. The course is located at 9,960 feet above sea level in the heart of the Rocky Mountains and is surrounded by 14,000-foot snow-capped peaks. Golf course architect Andy Johnson of Avon, Colo. has designed the nine new holes. The original nine holes were built in the 1930s or 1940s by miners. Work is scheduled to start on the addition by next June.

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## Casper to manage Puakea GC

LIHUE, Hawaii — The island of Kauai's newest golf course has opened under the management of Billy Casper Golf Management Inc.

Casper's company will manage the 200-acre, nine-hole Puakea Golf Course, which is located within Grove Farm's 600-acre Puakea development. A 3,000-square-foot clubhouse is

also part of the new facility, which is unique in that it isn't located at a resort area, nor is it owned by the county. The course had been under construction since 1990 but was delayed by hurricanes.

The 3,500-yard, par-36 layout was designed by Robin Nelson of Nelson & Haworth of Honolulu.

## NIGM's 15th conference slated

WHEELING, W. Va. — Reservations are being accepted for the National Institute of Golf Management's 15th annual educational program to be held Jan. 11-15 at Oglebay Resort and Conference Center here.

Co-sponsored by the National Golf Foundation and

the Continuing Education Department at Oglebay, the program is the only one of its kind in the United States.

Participants will have the opportunity to learn from and confer with subject experts on all aspects of golf facility management.

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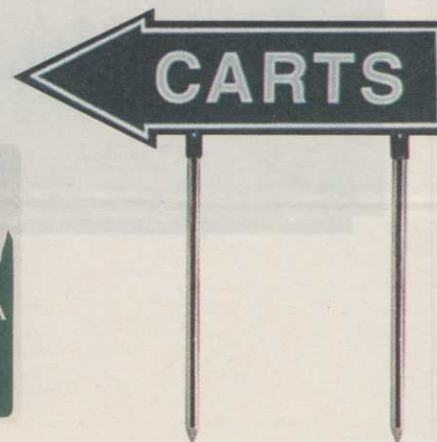


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