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Mamas' Boys

There's an old Jewish proverb that says, *"God could not be everywhere, so he therefore made mothers."*

In honor of Mother's Day on May 8, *Golfdom* salutes the moms of the many individuals — from superintendents to owners — who comprise the golf industry.



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Matt Shaffer, superintendent of Merion Golf Club, is very fond of his mother Miriam. We think photographer Gerald T. Leidy did a good job of capturing Shaffer's appreciation for his mom.

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