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With the demand for ever-quicker greens, older greens are losing many cupping locations. What is a comfortable speed for everyday play?

I think that the speed of a green again depends on whom the course is being built for. A public daily fee or resort course may want green speeds around 9.5 to 10.0 while a private course would generally be set up for somewhere between 10.5 and 12.0. The key is to determine during the design phase who your client is.

Name your foursome

Gary Player (a golf legend),
Tom Lehman (a great person)
and Bill Murray (a lot of fun).

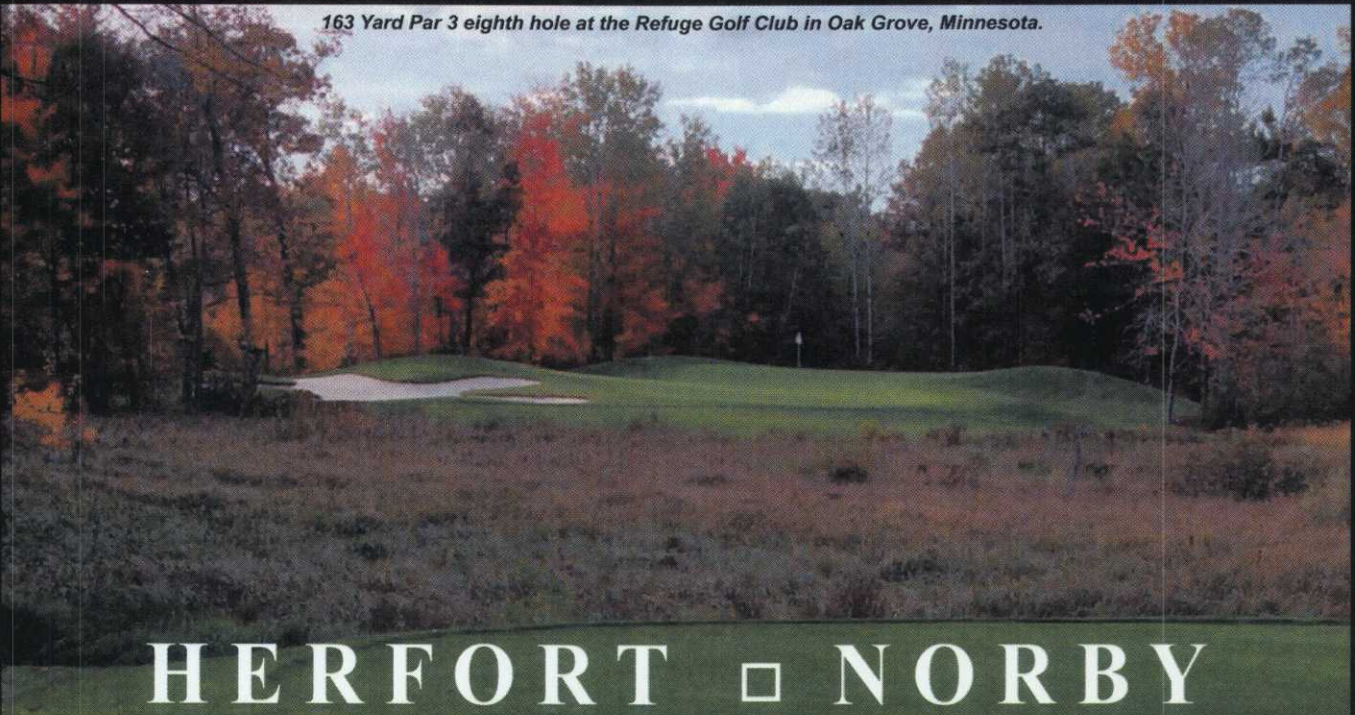
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