

Job Opening

Golf Course Superintendent Brattleboro Country Club Brattleboro, Vermont

Position Available:

The Brattleboro Country Club is looking to hire a motivated and skilled superintendent to continue course improvements and maintain consistent playing conditions for daily championship golf. Our present superintendent is leaving after 23 years with the club. Under direction of a new superintendent the BCC is expected to continue to be recognized as a great destination for golf in Southern Vermont.

Facility Description:

Founded in 1914, the Brattleboro Country Club is a single owner, semi-private club with 18 holes and a driving range located on 150+ acres. The original 9 holes was designed by Tom McNamara, remodeled by Wayne Styles in 1929 and expanded to 18 holes in 1999 by local Vermont architect Steve Durkee. The original greens are push-up native soil and the newer expansion greens are California style with straight sand. Since the expansion to 18 holes the course has hosted a 2001 US Open Qualifier, the Men's and Women's Vermont State Amateur Championships and many other state, tri state and regional events.

Since 2015, when the club was purchased by Jack Judge and Melanie Boese, many improvements have been made to both the golf course and clubhouse. The new ownership is driven to enhance this community asset to attract new members. Prior to the purchase, for 100 years, the club was owned by its members. A double row computerized irrigation system is being installed stage by stage and is nearing completion. New turf equipment has been purchased. A new Pro Shop and Clubhouse renovation and expansion is happening. A tree removal plan is in progress to improve sunlight and air movement. Please see the club's website for further information.

Education/ Description Desired:

2-4 year Degree in Turf Grass Management or related field preferred. Turf Program Certificate with time served will be considered. Minimum of 3 years' experience working as a superintendent or 1st assistant superintendent at a premium club is expected.

Requirements:

Full time salaried position. Must have or obtain a Vermont Pesticide Applicators License before 2018. Have a working understanding of;

- 1) What it takes to maintain a golf course in exceptional condition
- 2) Preparing budgets and staying with-in them
- 3) Computerized irrigation, pumps, irrigation and repair, (Rain Bird)
- 4) Turf equipment, operation and basic repair,

- 5) Hiring, training and managing an effective work crew,
- 6) Pesticides and fertilizer; calibration and application for cool season grasses,
- 7) State required record keeping,
- 8) Proposing new improvements and implementing them,
- 9) Communicating with Pro Shop about events and course conditions,
- 10) Overseeing snow removal and act as liaison between BCC and the Brattleboro Outing Club to prevent any negative impact from x-country skiing on the golf course,
- 11) Communicating regularly with owner/manger

Comments:

The Brattleboro Country Club is looking for a focused, hardworking, motivated person to continue the progress made toward improving its championship golf course.

The position starts November 1, 2017. Present Superintendent is leaving after 23 years on January 1, 2017 and will assist in the transition. Superintendent reports to Owner.

Salary Range:

To be determined based on experience

Benefits:

To be negotiated, Golf Playing Privileges, VTGCSA Membership, GCSAA Membership included.

Application Instructions:

Mail or E-Mail Resumes by **June 21, 2017** to:

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