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MISSION

To lead the golf operation as your Head Golf Professional with the aim of delivering world class service to the membership. This will be achieved through hard work, enthusiasm, intelligent planning, and teamwork. The golf environment will be one that players of all levels will enjoy.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- PGA Certified in Golf Operations, this education elevates me to the top 3% of PGA professionals who have completed training.
- Forward-thinking golf instruction that has netted positive results for students, highlighted by several students winning tournaments while under my guidance.
- A growth mindset that has led me to improve my coaching skill every year.
 - 2013 - TPI Certified Level 2 Golf Coach
 - 2014 - US Kids Top 50 Teacher award
 - 2015 - Certified Golf Coaches Seminars - Junior Program & Mastering the Mental Game
 - 2018 - Completed Level 2 Certification with Mike Adams BioSwing Dynamics group.
- A wide network of strong relationships with other outstanding Golf Professionals in the Met Section and beyond. This will yield positive results in both staffing and interclub opportunities for the membership.
- A long history of enthusiastic Junior Golf Coaching, this includes the revitalization of the junior program here. I have expanded the instructional opportunities, helped foster strong participation in the PGA Junior League and local interclub tournaments, as well as coaching Mark Gertsen to a national AJGA ranking and being actively looked at by Ivy League golf programs
- Skilled in mentoring staff members, providing the support and leadership that was instrumental in propelling our 2nd Assistants onto successful careers.
- Strong abilities related to business management of the Golf Shop, including buying, budgeting, inventory tracking, scheduling and staffing.
- Added experience in running a club's entire golf operations as the interim Managing Professional while at Silver Spring Country Club resulting in continuity and member satisfaction through the painful death of their long time Head Golf Professional.

EDUCATION

State University of New York at New Paltz
Bachelors in Business Management

1994-1999

Professional Status

PGA Member elected March 2005, PGA Certified in Golf Operations – March 2014
Titleist Performance Institute Certified (Level 2 in Golf Coaching & Instruction, Junior Golf)
BioSwing Dynamics Certified Instructor, US Kids Golf Certified Instructor

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

FENWAY GOLF CLUB
ASSISTANT GOLF PROFESSIONAL

SCARSDALE, NY
MARCH 2018 - PRESENT

Founded in 1924 this AW Tillghast design is well regarded as one of the best courses in New York and ranks in the top 100 classic courses in America. The membership of 250 play approximately 14,000 rounds.



- Involved in all aspects of helping to run and organize the golf operation.
- Work Closely with the Head Professional and Governing Members on a daily basis.
- Responsible for helping to instruct the membership and run the junior golf program.



THE COUNTRY CLUB OF NEW CANAAN
1ST ASSISTANT GOLF PROFESSIONAL
INTERIM GOLF PROFESSIONAL

NEW CANAAN, CT
SPRING 2009-2017
OCTOBER 2017-JANUARY 2018

Founded in 1893 this Willie Park Jr. design is home to 375 golf members and approximately 500 members in total. They play nearly 12,000 rounds per year. The club has a rich sense of tradition that is well balanced with up to date technologies.

- Responsible for all daily operations as Interim Head Professional.
- Golf Instruction through private lessons, ladies' clinics, and golf schools. Lesson participation and revenue increased every season.
- Restructured the entire Junior Golf Program in 2013. New program has met with great support and satisfaction from the membership. Participation has increased over 400% in some areas.
- Assisted with all aspects of a tournament program of over 70 events.
- Responsible for the set up of a new golf shop's inventory processes, special ordering, and member billing. The golf shop's gross revenue is over \$350,000.
- Actively sought education opportunities for myself and staff members in order to elevate the knowledge base and keep current with emerging trends in the golf world.



THE MILL RIVER CLUB
1ST ASSISTANT GOLF PROFESSIONAL

OYSTER BAY, NY
SPRING 2006-FALL 2008

Established in 1963 the Mill River Club has 325 members playing an average of 15,000 annual rounds. Mill River boasts one of the best practice facilities on the North Shore of Long Island.

- Charged with all aspects of Ladies Golf, including holding a seat on the golf committee and being actively involved in all meetings.
- Working with the Golf Chairman, developed a new handbook to consolidate all important information regarding the golf operation.



LAUREL LINKS COUNTRY CLUB
1ST ASSISTANT GOLF PROFESSIONAL

LAUREL, NY
SPRING 2005-FALL 2005

Opening in 2002 the golf course was quickly recognized as one of the more challenging tracks on the east end of Long Island. A Kelly Blake Moran design that has played host to a US Open local qualifier as well as many Metropolitan Section events.

SILVER SPRING COUNTRY CLUB
1ST ASSISTANT/INTERIM MANAGING PROFESSIONAL

RIDGEFIELD, CT
SPRING 2003—FALL 2004

The quintessential "club in the country"; this club was founded in 1930 and while it has an active membership the club still does not use tee times. The junior golf program is active as this is a very family oriented club. A Robert White designed golf course that will test even the most skilled golfer.



- During the time the Head Professional was incapacitated due to illness, I assumed responsibility for the entire golf operation
- Responsible for the scheduling, supervision and recruiting of twelve members of the golf staff
- Off-Season Golf Schools: In February of 2004 I took members to Portugal for a week long golf school and then a different group in December of 2004 to Palm Springs.



WESTCHESTER COUNTRY CLUB
ASSISTANT GOLF PROFESSIONAL

RYE, NY
1999—2002

Established in 1922 the intent was to create a sportsman's paradise and the club has certainly held true to the founding goals. Boasting two 18 hole golf courses and a 9 hole par three course. The West course designed by Walter Travis has been home to a PGA Tour Event since the early 1960s. An ample driving range and short game are round out the golf facilities. The 950 member families play an average of 40,000 rounds between the two courses. Westchester CC has a rich history and continues to be a leader in the golf world.

- Extra responsibility of managing Accounts Payable. This included all phases of the accounts from invoice management to check writing.
- Assisted with the organization and running of a golf school in Spain for 13 of our members.



DUTCHESS GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB
2ND ASSISTANT PROFESSIONAL

POUGHKEEPSIE, NY
1998-1999



NEW PALTZ GOLF COURSE
ASSISTANT PROFESSIONAL

NEW PALTZ, NY
1997 SEASON

TOURNAMENT EXPERIENCE

- 74 - 69 Tied 25th - Met Assistants Championship - Bethpage Red, September 2017
- 76 - 73 -75 Tied 49th - Met PGA Championship - Fenway GC, September 2015
- 69 10th - NYSO Qualifier - Island Hills CC, June 2013
- 71 Tied 5th - Met Assistants Tour - Muttontown CC, September 2008
- 69 - 76 Tied 10th - Met Assistants Championship - Bethpage Red, September 2004

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