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## **GGC Course Superintendent**

Gaylord Golf Club is seeking applications for the position of Course Superintendent. Its current Superintendent is retiring at the end of 2023, after 37 years of exemplary service to the Club. The Club is seeking an individual who will continue the Club's fine tradition of offering an excellent public and member golf experience. The successful candidate will also possess a vision of how to enhance the Gaylord Golf Club golfing experience well into the future.

Founded in 1924, Gaylord Golf Club is one of Northern Michigan's oldest golf clubs. Unlike many of today's modern golf courses, Gaylord Golf Club features a classic parkland design reminiscent of early 20<sup>th</sup> Century courses. This semi-private club meanders through hills and hardwoods and features private club conditions, strategic bunkering and arguably, Northern Michigan's best green complexes. Eighteen well designed holes, featuring close proximity from green to tee, make for an enjoyable and timely round.

The Gaylord Golf Club is a member-owned golf course governed by a Board of Directors who meet monthly. The Course Superintendent, as well as the Managing Pro, serves on this governing Board. Although a public course, Gaylord Golf Club offers a variety of membership options. Today, nearly 140 members enjoy a private club experience with a variety of benefits and events.

### Course Superintendent of Responsibilities:

Maintain the golf course and driving range in playing condition up to the board of directors' standards

Direct and supervise the maintenance of greens, fairways, tees, sand traps, bodies of water, roughs, maintenance shop and cart maintenance including spring startup and fall shutdown

Develop methods, apply chemicals and fertilizers to the golf course in accordance with state and local laws

Develop an annual maintenance budget

Participate in the development and implementation of course improvement projects

Manage all course equipment maintenance and repair

Recruit, hire, schedule, train, supervise, and evaluate all personnel assigned to the maintenance staff with a focus on safe operation

Supervise and schedule the maintenance crew during all phases of course maintenance

Work closely with Golf Professional on course conditions and course set up

Maintain drainage, irrigation, and watering systems including emergency repairs

Work with greens committee & board to identify problems and recommend solutions

### Experience / Requirements

3-5 years as a Superintendent at a reputable club

2 or 4 year degree in Agronomy, Turfgrass management or related field preferred

Irrigation systems operation and repair

Golf course equipment operation, maintenance and repair

Work all hours necessary to insure facility standards, including holidays and weekends

Participate in off season maintenance of equipment

Valid Michigan state pesticide applicators license

Valid driver's license

### Benefit Package

Compensation and benefits package commensurate with experience and qualifications

Full time salaried position

Health insurance

Paid time off

Paid dues to local and national association

If you are interested in the position of Gaylord Golf Course Superintendent, please submit a letter of intent and resume via email no later than June 30 to Jim Hilgendorf, HR Chairman at:

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