



Whistling Straits/Blackwolf Run

Kohler, Wisconsin



Job Title: Youth Co-Op / Golf Course Maintenance

Mission Statement: To create the highest quality golf experience, exceeding our customers' expectations. As the golf resort leader, we constantly strive to set the example and create new standards.

Job Summary:

The Youth Co-Op associate will assist the daily golf course maintenance operations team with the set up and ongoing care of the Golf Course. Duties include all actions in the preparation of the golf course for day-to-day operations, agronomic practices and projects targeting ongoing improvements. Tasks will include working with various team members to prepare the property and golf course for the Ryder Cup.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities:

- Assist the maintenance staff to ensure beautiful landscapes and tournament ready turf conditions to all guests
- Responsible for daily maintenance of greens, tees, fairways, and rough areas.
- Perform course maintenance using various forms of mechanical equipment.
- Assist with tournament preparation and execution
- Perform daily moisture scouting throughout course.
- Perform daily scouting of turf disease and stress.
- Demonstrate a positive team attitude

Co-op Program Highlights:

- **Attend monthly discussions with mentors:**
 - To create an open dialogue with the manager and employee so their strengths are excelled upon and their experiences continue to grow throughout the year.
- **Paired with a seasonal golf associate**
 - To gain confidence in the use of equipment throughout the golf course
- **Co-op Mentors in Golf Maintenance:**
 - Director of Golf Course Maintenance- Chris Zugel- WS/BWR
 - Golf Course Superintendent- Matt Zehms - WS Irish Course Manager
 - Golf Course Superintendent- Jeff Wilson - WS Straits Course Manager

- Golf Course Superintendent- Grant Davey – BWR River Course Manager
- Golf Course Superintendent- Chris Deckard – BWR Meadow Valleys Course manager
- **Additional Meetings Include:**
 - 30 Day Performance Review
 - End of Seasons Evaluation

List of job functions:

- Walk mower - Green, Tee and Collar surfaces
- Riding mower – Fairway and Rough surfaces
- Push mowing Bunker faces
- Mechanical and hand raking Bunkers
- Daily play set-up including Tee servicing, divots and cup cutting
- Detail orientated functions such as string trimming and path maintenance
- Hand watering of playing surfaces
- Small project exposure including sodding or new turf establishment
- Drainage and irrigation project exposure