

Old Elm Club



Assistant Golf Course Superintendent

History: Old Elm Club is an exclusive men's only club with 200 members designed by golf course architect Harry Colt and constructed by Donald Ross in 1913. Beginning in 2010 the membership and staff have undertaken an extensive restoration of the golf course led by Golf Course Superintendent Curtis James, Golf Course Architect Drew Rogers and Dave Zincand to return it to Colt's original vision. This restoration has included a full bunker restoration, new state of the art irrigation system and both green and fairway expansions. The greens are entering into their fifth season after being re-grassed with V8 bent grass. The restoration is an ongoing project with more fairway expansions, bunkers and the 12th green surround that was completed in the fall of 2018.



Job Description

Old Elm is seeking a qualified, highly motivated, team-oriented individual to join our staff. The Assistant Golf Course Superintendent will work report directly to the Superintendent and work closely with the other Assistants and staff in a wide range of activities. These activities include, but are not limited to, help plan daily work schedules and maintenance routines, daily golf course maintenance, irrigation operation repair and maintenance, moisture management practices, chemical and fertilizer applications, etc. By utilizing a strong network and industry ties the Superintendent, Curtis James will assist you in reaching your career goals.

Position Requirements

- Certificate or 2 – 4 year Turfgrass related degree.
- Self-motivated with a positive attitude and proven leadership skills for diverse staff.
- Prior golf course maintenance experience as an Assistant in Training or Assistant is preferred.
- Must be able to obtain Illinois pesticide license.
- Must possess a strong attention to detail.
- Ability to clearly communicate with staff, Superintendent and Equipment Manager.
- Perform physical tasks such as being able bend, pull and lift at least 50 lbs.

Salary and Benefits

\$40K-\$45K DOE plus up to 10% Christmas Bonus based on performance, Uniforms, paid membership dues to local/national chapters, Health, Dental and Life Insurance after 6 months of employment, proshop discount, vacation and sick time, 401K after one year of employment, golfing privileges, and free housing at newly renovated house on property.

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