

# Apprentice Greenkeeper

Mount Pleasant Golf Club is privately owned expanding course in Bedfordshire. The present 9-hole course will be expanding to 18 holes in May 2021 and an exciting opportunity for an Apprentice Greenkeeper has arisen.

The course is kept to a high standard for members and visitors so the applicants must have excellent work ethic, dedication, passion and be a good team player with a keen eye for presentation and detail.

The role we are offering will give anyone aspiring to be a greenkeeper the opportunity to get a good practical feel of their chosen career. All new members of our team will be supervised and trained by our highly experienced current employees to ensure that their potential is realised within a short period of time.

The successful candidates will be working with, and reporting, to the Supervisor Greenkeeper and Course Director and you will be responsible for maintaining and presenting the golf course to the highest tournament standards on a daily basis. Training opportunities will also be provided.

## Desired experience/skills

- Ideally, candidates should have successful school qualifications
  - Horticultural experience (desired)
  - A strong work ethic and dedication to greenkeeping
  - Valid driving license (desirable)
- Candidates will be able to commit to a full-time position, with the flexibility to work any days, including weekends

## Your duties

- Monitor and maintain health, safety and security in the workplace
- Maintain good standards of health and safety for self and others
  - Communicating effectively
- Cutting practices including greens, tees, approaches, and rough
  - Scarifying/grooming/verti-cutting turf
  - Course preparation including changing holes
- Cutting practices including greens, tees, approaches, and rough.
  - Bunker maintenance including raking, edging and weeding.
  - Repair and renovate turf
- General ground care including tree and shrubbery work

Please send your application including a CV with your earliest starting date via email to Gavin Simkins, Course Director [info@mountpleasantgolfclub.co.uk](mailto:info@mountpleasantgolfclub.co.uk)