# **Golf Course Superintendent**

The Quarry Golf Course

San Antonio, Texas, October 5, 2023

The Quarry Golf Course, located in San Antonio, Texas is seeking candidates for the position of Golf Course Superintendent. This is an outstanding opportunity which can lead to a career – long position.

The Quarry, built in 1993, is a single-owner- public golf facility. It is recognized as one of the top golfing experiences in San Antonio and across the state of Texas. The Quarry Golf Course is an 18-hole championship course located in the heart of San Antonio, Texas. The back 9 is routed through an old rock quarry, making this course one of the most unique courses in the country.

The current GM – Superintendent team has enjoyed a positive & professional working relationship for the past 21 years. This long-standing owner – Superintendent – GM relationship is un-matched in the industry. The facility will begin a greens renovation in 2024 converting the Tifdwarf to Tif3D. A new fleet of John Deere equipment will be delivered in 2024. The golf course maintenance staff is a solid team of experienced employees.

The current Director of Agronomy is a GCSAA 32-year employee of The Quarry and will be retiring in several years. The incoming Superintendent will be joining the team now with the plan to transition to total supervision and management of the golf course maintenance operation when the current Director leaves full-time employment. The Director will retain a relationship with The Quarry for several years following his retirement in a consulting capacity.

The Superintendent will work directly with the Director of Agronomy and GM for oversight and management of all phases of the golf course maintenance operation.

## **Educational Requirements**

A minimum two-year turf degree in turfgrass management is required

with a minimum of 3 year's experience in the golf course maintenance profession.

It is preferred that the candidate, that at the minimum, has a personal commitment to achieving Certified Golf Course Superintendent (CGCS) status.

## **Special Requirements**

Ability to work cohesively with the Director of Agronomy, the GM and the Golf Professional.

Spanish speaking is a plus.

Ultra dwarf bermudagrass management is preferred

In addition to possessing proven agronomic skills and providing high quality playing conditions, the personality and demeanor of the candidate is a major factor. The owner places a high regard for the current unselfish, compromising, positive and successful true team working relationship that the Superintendent, GM and Golf Pro have embraced to make The Quarry an outstanding golfing experience. The Quarry, a dynamic and fluid operation, is one of the top golf facilities in the city.

With 48,000 rounds of annual play, there are numerous outings, 3-6-9 hole shotgun starts and requests of players to go off the back nine. The candidate must possess the mindset to work with the golf shop to accommodate these requests whenever possible. On the positive side, the Superintendent can request an early closure of the course at times to get the necessary work done.

This is a supervisory position responsible for the performance, management and hiring of employees within the golf course maintenance department.

Responsibility for preparation and oversight of the department budget and for monitoring course conditioning is included.

Must possess a valid driver's license

Ability to qualify for a Texas Pesticide Applicators License

#### **Job Benefits**

A base salary will be commensurate with education and experience and will be competitive with facilities in the San Antonio area for position of Golf Course Superintendent.

The current benefit package includes: life insurance, bonus, health insurance, clothing allowance, state and national GCSAA dues, 50% meal discount, golfing & guest privileges, vacation and a potential relocation allowance.

#### Date Job is Available

November 1, 2023

### Salary

\$85,000 to \$100,00 (CWE)

### **Job Application Instructions**

Interested individuals meeting the preceding criteria can please a resume and cover letter to: Tommy Witt, CGCS at <a href="mailto:tommy.witt@att.net">tommy.witt@att.net</a>.

The Quarry Golf Course, designed by nationally recognized golf course designer Keith Foster, opened in 1993. In addition to being a local favorite, The Quarry is also recognized around the country for its unique setting and design. The course will not only challenge but reward you in many ways throughout the round as well. The front nine plays in a links-style format featuring rolling hills, coupled with native grasses, and immaculate greens. On the contrary, the back nine is uniquely laid out in the 100-year-old quarry itself. In addition to the fantastic scenery created by the quarry, you will also face challenging as well as fun holes. You will fall in love with the elevated tee boxes and shots that will fly over large expanses. After a day at the Quarry, you will undoubtedly feel like you just played one of the most unique and enjoyable rounds unlike any other.

Surrounded by the <u>culture</u> that was left behind by the many families that worked in Cementville leaving behind the site for our world-renowned Quarry Golf Course! The Quarry is the top golf course in Texas and continues to lead the Texas Tourism market as the must-play for corporate outings and visitors to <u>San Antonio!!</u>

The Quarry remains locally owned and under the care of the original <u>GCSAA</u> Superintendent Bruce Burger. Our team ensures the best playing conditions, a natural <u>wildlife habitat</u>, and the most unique golf experiences in the US!