



*Bristol, Virginia*



# 2024

## *Golf Course Maintenance* **INTERNSHIP**

**A QUALITY TURFGRASS INTERNSHIP** is vital to your future success. The team here at The Olde Farm firmly believes in teaching future turf grass managers the tools necessary to be successful.

Our goal is to provide interns real life experience of managing cool season turf grass in the transition zone and provide the tools necessary to develop an overall skillset that will set you apart from others - both in the classroom and out in the field.

*The Olde Farm*

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## *Benefits of Internship*

### **Building skills in:**

- Communication
- Organizational
- Decision making
- Proper resume writing
- Record keeping
- Problem solving
- Budgetary
- Networking
- Agronomic
- Mechanical
- Construction
- Personnel Management

## *Compensation*

- \$14/hour plus overtime
- Golfing Privileges
- Golf Shop Discount
- On-Site Housing Provided (includes laundry & utilities)
- Uniforms

## *Meet the Team*

**JOSH POPE**  
Golf Course Superintendent

**JASON DITTO**  
Assistant Superintendent/  
Irrigation Tech

**NATHANIEL FULLER**  
Assistant Superintendent

**DERRICK JOYCE**  
Equipment Manager

**DAVID ARNOLD**  
Horticulturist



## *Golf Course*

Originally prime farmland in Southwest Virginia, The Olde Farm came to fruition when Bobby Weed was asked to design an 18 hole golf course. In 2000 the Club opened to member play, measuring 7,119 yards from the Championship tees and features a 19th hole for those that need to settle their bets.

The course provides a complete cool-season grass experience with L-93 playing surfaces and Kentucky bluegrass/tall fescue roughs. As the course enters its 21st year, plans are being made for renovation of bunkers, tees, and greens down the road.

## *The Orchard Course*

The 9 hole Par 3 course known as The Orchard Course was built and designed by Bobby Weed in 2013. The design of the course allows one to play in order or in a cross country routing. It is the optimal place for members to hone their short game skills.

## *Course Awards & Ratings*

**#77 AMERICA'S BEST MODERN COURSES**

2023 Golfweek

**#105 AMERICA'S GREATEST GOLF COURSES**

2023-2024 Golf Digest

**#1 GOLF COURSE IN VIRGINIA**

2023 LINKS Magazine

**#2 BEST COURSE IN VIRGINIA**

2022-2023 Golf Magazine

**#1 GOLF COURSE IN VIRGINIA**

2021/2020 Golf Magazine

**TOP 25 PAR 3 COURSE IN THE WORLD**

2020 Golf Magazine

**#102 AMERICA'S TOP 100 GOLF COURSES**

2019 Golf Digest

**16 EXCEPTIONAL HYBRID COURSES**

(THE ORCHARD COURSE)

2016 Golf Digest

**AMERICA'S BEST NEW PRIVATE CLUB**

2000 Golf Digest