

## THE WEEK IN PREVIEW (TWIP): MARCH 7-MARCH 13

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*One more week until Spring Break. Have a great week everyone! This week please note the invitation to HORT Club's spring trivia night! There are several new scholarships and a horticulture extension agent position. Items that are newly posted in this TWIP are designated by "NEW:", and items previously posted by me will include the posting date. If there is no date listed, then it's an item Dr. Lavis posted in 2021. Hope that helps keep track of things. Items for TWIP should be sent to me at [skeeley@ksu.edu](mailto:skeeley@ksu.edu). Have a great week! Best, Dr. Keeley*

### ANNOUNCEMENTS:



**(UPDATED, originally posted 1/31/22)** The [Office of Undergraduate Research and Creative Inquiry](#) (OURCI) has several opportunities for undergraduate student researchers.

#### OURCI Research and Conference/Travel Awards

Undergraduate students from ALL disciplines who are in good academic standing are encouraged to apply for these opportunities. Students can be starting or currently participating in a faculty-lead research project.

**Research awards** - are designated to help students support the purchase of supplies for a project or as compensation for time spent working on a project. Funds will go directly to the student. Faculty oversight of research is required. Applications include completion of a student portion and a letter of recommendation from the faculty mentor. There is a maximum award amount of \$500. The application deadline is April 8, 2022. More information: <https://bit.ly/3AjlWq>

**Conference/Travel awards** – are meant to pay for travel-related undergraduate research expenses. This can include travel to conduct research or travel to a conference to present research. Funds will go directly to the student. Faculty oversight of research is required. Applications include completion of a student portion and a letter of recommendation from the faculty mentor. There is a maximum award amount of \$500 (in-person conference) or \$250 (virtual conference). The application deadline is April 8, 2022. In order to make our selections more equitable we plan to review travel/conference grants following the deadline (as opposed to on a rolling basis). We understand this may mean that funds will serve as reimbursements and apologize for any challenges this may cause. More information: <https://bit.ly/351RaLh>

#### Spring Undergraduate Research Showcase (two ways to engage)

The Spring K-State Undergrad Research Showcase is an event designed to highlight and celebrate undergraduate research happening in and out of classes, in departments across campus. **Participants will have the option to present in-person (April 21), virtually (April 20-22) or both.** Event information and registration can be found here: <https://bit.ly/URVirtual>

---**ATTENTION ALL GRADUATING SENIORS!** Do you want to make a lasting impression of your time here at K-State? The KSU Horticulture Club is offering engraved pavers for just \$35. The pavers will be placed in the walkway of the patio, built by horticulture students, located on the south front entrance of Throckmorton and will contain your name and graduation year. Prices increase to \$60 once you become alumni, so act now! For questions and forms please contact Megan Nelson via email at [mgnelson@ksu.edu](mailto:mgnelson@ksu.edu)

**SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:** Questions? Contact Dr. Williams, [kwilliam@ksu.edu](mailto:kwilliam@ksu.edu)

**(NEW)** Horticulture Research Institute Scholarships. **We have been told they do not get enough applicants!** HRI will award over \$25,000 in scholarships for the 2022-2023 school year. These scholarships are made possible by nine endowed funds that aid students seeking a career in horticulture. HRI and its donor firms consider graduating students in horticulture to be the lifeblood of the green industry. Applications are due no later than September 2, 2022.

- The **Spring Meadow Scholarship** is awarded to students who are interested in a career in woody plant propagation, production, or breeding
- The **Mugget Scholarship** is awarded to a student who plans to work in any aspect of the horticultural industry
- The **Gunter Mecking Memorial Scholarship** is awarded to a student who plans to work in any aspect of the horticultural industry
- The **Wright Family of Alabama Scholarship** is awarded to a student who plans to work in the horticultural industry, with preference given to Alabama students pursuing greenhouse careers

Scholarship applications are due no later than September 2, 2022.

<https://www.hriresearch.org/scholarship-application-and-resources>

**(NEW) SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINE MARCH 15!** To be considered for dozens of K-State scholarships specific to Horticulture students, apply with one application on the K-State Scholarship Network. Find step-by-step instructions and sign in at [k-state.edu/ksn/](http://k-state.edu/ksn/).

**(NEW) TOPEKA DAYLILY CLUB SCHOLARSHIP:** May 1 deadline. The Topeka Daylily Club is pleased to offer two scholarships to any full-time students who have completed at least one year in any Kansas college or university before the start of the Fall 2022 Semester. Each scholarship is for \$1,000.00, payable to the university in the recipient's name for academic pursuits. One scholarship is for a student majoring in horticulture and the other scholarship is open to any student seeking a degree in any field. Contact Dr. Williams for the short application document.

**(NEW) FLORICULTURE SCHOLARSHIPS:** May 1 deadline. The American Floral Endowment has one scholarship application for multiple scholarships. See <https://endowment.org/scholarships/> for details.

**(Posted 2/28/2022) KGCSA Cliff Dipman Internship Award.** The KGCSA Cliff Dipman Internship Award consists of two \$2,000 awards to Kansas State University students working at a golf course whose superintendent is a member of the KGCSA. One will be directed to a student doing an internship at a 9-hole golf course OR working at one of the K-State Research Centers (Rocky Ford in Manhattan or in Olathe), and one doing an internship at an 18-hole facility. Applications will be reviewed by the KGCSA Board of Directors. All decisions of the committee will be final. Applicants will be notified of their status by May 15 of the year submitted.

## Requirements

- Must already be enrolled in a 4-year undergraduate turfgrass program at Kansas State University.
- Must intend to complete a 3- or 6-month internship at a golf course in the state of Kansas whose superintendent is a member of the KGCSA, or work at one of the K-State research stations (Manhattan or Olathe).
- One award will be available for a 9-hole intern (or at one of the K-State research stations in Manhattan or Olathe) and one for an 18-hole intern.
- Return completed application to: KGCSA Awards Program, 1310 Westloop Pl., Ste. A, Box #112, Manhattan, KS 66502 or director @kgcsa.org by May 1.
- Applications can be downloaded from [www.kgcsa.org] www.kgcsa.org

## About the Namesake

Cliff Dipman was the Golf Course Superintendent at Manhattan Country Club for 32 years. He has served as a mentor to countless students who have become successful golf course superintendents in Kansas and across the United States. Year after year, Cliff recognized the importance of the internship in complementing academics.

**(Posted 2/14/2022)** Hello Dr. Moser,

Please allow me to introduce myself. I am Dr. Michael Martin, the Science, Research, and Regulatory Programs Director for the Horticultural Research Institute (HRI).

I am contacting you to increase the awareness of and participation in two opportunities for students.

First, the [Horticultural Research Institute Scholarship Program](#) will begin accepting applications on March 1, 2022. The Horticultural Research Institute believes in helping students obtain the education necessary to successfully pursue horticultural careers. Our generous donors have created nine scholarship opportunities for students to support their academic journey. Backing motivated students today plays a vital role in protecting and growing the industry tomorrow. HRI provided over \$25,000 in scholarships in 2021.

HRI's partner organization, AmericanHort, is currently accepting [2023 HortScholars applications](#). Six students will be selected to attend AmericanHort's Cultivate, the premier event for the entire Green Industry. While at Cultivate, HortScholars will be introduced to industry members and researchers from across the country and world. HortScholars participate in educational sessions and expo-related events. This program also allows HortScholars to experience behind-the-scenes activities required to host one of the largest Green Industry events in the world.

Please distribute this information to your research faculty, staff, and students. I would be most appreciative. Also, if you are not the correct person for this information, please let me know who to contact to update our contact list.

Thank you for your time,

Michael Martin, PhD

Science, Research & Regulatory Programs Director

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**(Posted 1/31/22)** (Golf Course Management focus) My name is Ronald Montesano, and I am the scholarship chairman of the Walter J. Travis Society. Our 2022 scholarship application is live at the link listed below:

**WJTS 2022 Scholarship:** <https://forms.gle/YL2T1fq8XRspHg6o9>

Would you please pass this link along to your students, to colleagues in the industry, and to anyone you believe would gain from submitting an application? We are grateful for your support. We were able to honor five wonderful applicants in 2021, and look forward to evaluating an even larger pool in 2022, and recognizing another quintet of scholars. **Note from Dr. Keeley: The above link was not working as of 2/7/2022; for questions about this scholarship email them at [TravisSociety@gmail.com](mailto:TravisSociety@gmail.com).** Deadline for scholarship application is May 15, 2022.

## GENERAL HORTICULTURE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES:

**(Posted 2/28/2022) Landscape Design Salesperson. Curby's Lawn & Garden**, a well-respected locally owned landscaping company is in search of a Landscape Design Salesperson. If you are plant savvy, creative, and an assertive communicator who likes to work independently in a fast-paced environment, THIS IS THE JOB FOR YOU! **JOB DESCRIPTION:** We are searching to hire a self-motivated, positive, and energetic person with attention

to detail. The right person will have a passion for the landscape design-build industry, with strong communications skills.

Our company has developed a large network of builders and residential customers of which this candidate will support. We produce a LARGE number of good leads. The ideal candidate will thrive in a fast-paced environment, enjoy working with customers and be technologically skilled to create beautiful and functional landscape designs. Due to the large volume of potential clients, you must be able to manage 10-15 potential clients at any one time. This person must be able to get a client closed, and move quickly on to the next. This person will also be communicating and managing projects with office staff, and landscape crews.

**JOB REQUIREMENTS:** (see attachment). W. Curby Hughes, Curby's Lawn & Garden, LLC, P.O. Box 301, Olathe, KS 66051, (913) 764-6159

**(Posted 2/14/2022) Grower.** I'm looking for a production manager for the breeding program. If you know of folks interested in running the growing side of things and have some container and field experience, please guide them to <https://jobs.oregonstate.edu/postings/113880>

\$45-49k per year with university benefits.

Ryan Contreras, Ph.D., Professor and Associate Head, Department of Horticulture, Oregon State University



**(Posted 2/28/2022)**

Please allow me to introduce myself, I'm Osvaldo "Ozzie" Ortiz, I work within AAA Landscape's Human Resource Department as the Culture & Lifestyle Coach. AAA Landscape was founded in 1975 by the Underwood Brothers, who have been active pioneers in the Green Industry, and have grown over the past 47 Years to one of the largest privately-owned landscape companies in the Southwest.

AAA Landscape continues to be a leader in the advancement of education & training within our industry and is Ranked #48 in the Nation for Landscape Companies. Not only do we strive to continuously evolve by investing in advanced technology & equipment, but we are constantly looking for the next leaders to join our team!

My primary goal is to not only retain our current team members but also recruit new talent within the Green Industry by introducing them to our culture and provide them a balanced lifestyle. We **"beautify the world"** and we are looking for your students to help us.

AAA Landscape will have a booth at the **National Collegiate Landscape Competition in Raleigh, NC**, this year. I would welcome the opportunity to meet with you in person to discuss what our company has to offer your students. Additionally, I would be willing to speak to your students regarding their goals and how AAA Landscape might be able to further their careers.

**At this time, we can offer internship opportunities and employment in the following areas**, but we are also willing to discuss their interests, outside of the listed positions, to see how they could grow with our team:

- Construction Landscape Supervisors
- Landscape Management Assistant Account Managers | Supervisors | Crew Leads
- Irrigation Technicians
- Estimators
- Nursery Growers | Propagators
- Arborist / Arbor Care
- Pest Management Applicators

I would like to thank you in advance for your consideration. If I can provide additional information or answer any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me and I would be happy to accommodate you.

Respectfully,

**osvaldo "ozzie" ortiz**

**culture & lifestyle coach**

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[aaalandscape.com](http://aaalandscape.com)

**(Posted 2/7/22) Stauffer Lawn and Landscape - Employment Opportunities** A little bit about us, we are a full service landscape company based in Auburn, Kansas (just south of Topeka). We are a family run business that has been in operation for over 20 years. My name is Allison Lewis and I am the Landscape Designer and Sales Manager. I am a 2005 graduate from the KSU Horticulture Department. I worked in the KC market from 2005 – 2015, until I moved back to Topeka to take on this great opportunity. We are looking to fill 2-3 full time positions within the company and would also like to extend the offers for part-time positions and internships. **I have attached (3) job postings (Horticulturist, Certified Lawn Applicator, Landscape Crew Member)** that we would love for you to share with students looking for opportunities. Please call or email if you have any questions and we hope to visit soon! Allison Lewis, Landscape Designer/Sales Manager (785) 256-7300 (Office), (785) 249-6188 (Cell), [allison@staufferlawn.com](mailto:allison@staufferlawn.com). *See attachments for more details.*



**(Posted 2/7/22) The Greensman**, located in Kansas City, is a professional and highly creative landscape and garden design company offering planning, installation and full-service, detailed maintenance of perennial borders, water gardens, fountains and large-scape landscapes. We design with a boutique sensibility, artistically edgy yet tasteful—and sensitive to our clients' desires.

Designing residential and commercial, projects include country farm estates, suburban landscapes, vegetable gardens, swimming pool and spa environments, as well as urban condominium courtyards. Our gardens and designs have been photographed and featured in *Better Homes & Gardens*, *KC Home Design*, *Kansas City Spaces*, *IN KC Magazine* and *Country Gardens*.

**Job Opportunities: Irrigation Technician:** Our technician will work with the CEO and Director of Operations taking our current client-base and building upon it to grow our Irrigation Department. The technician will work directly with landscape Design Staff to design, estimate and install new irrigation and lighting systems. The technician will be responsible for scheduling seasonal system turn-on and off, performing client system maintenance and repairs as required. Technician will also be responsible for fountain and pond seasonal set-up, take-down and maintenance as required. Time-monitoring and record keeping for billing purposes will also be required. The Irrigation Technician enhances the value the Greensman provides its clients by putting a friendly face on the company as company interface to his/her clients.

**Bed Maintenance/ Installation Crew Leader:** The primary purpose of our Crew Leader is to take guidance and assignment from the Maintenance or Installation Manager, then take a crew of three or four persons to a client's property and accomplish the Manager's assignment with his/her crew as effectively and efficiently as possible. The Crew Leader enhances the value the Greensman provides by putting a friendly face on the company to directly serve our clients. Crew Leaders need to constantly be willing to learn, but are also responsible for providing teaching moments to crew members throughout the year.

Look us up at: <http://thegreensman.com/>. Please contact Alex Bach for more information regarding The Greensman's team. (816) 523-1516 or [alex@thegreensman.com](mailto:alex@thegreensman.com).

**(Posted 1/31/22)** Just wanted to send a brief email letting you know of an opportunity currently open at the tree nursery at Kansas Forest Service- we're looking for a **full time Ag. Tech** to spearhead shipping operations and assist with greenhouse production. Could be a good job for a fresh hort graduate wanting some production and plant handling experience. Feel free to circulate this around to students and other professional networks, we'll be keeping applications open until we find a good fit for the job. Thanks!

<https://careers.k-state.edu/cw/en-us/job/512173/agricultural-technician-i>



**(Posted 1/31/22)** We are glad to announce a new position at Tennessee Tech University. We are looking for a qualified greenhouse manager. Please circulate this ad to anyone you feel will be interested; we would like to speak to them.

**Greenhouse Manager**, Tech Farms, Tennessee Tech University. A complete position summary and application procedure is available at <https://jobs.tntech.edu>.

Application screening date: February 9, 2022; open until filled. Tennessee Tech is committed to a diverse workforce by fostering an inclusive work environment for students, faculty, and staff. Successful candidates should have a demonstrated commitment and contribution to fostering and advancing equity, diversity and inclusion. Tennessee Tech is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action employer.

**(Posted 1/24/22) Experiential Farm Manager and other positions:** I have attached a link to our job board. Listed are several jobs that could be of interest to your students. The position that I am currently pushing hard to fill is our Experiential Farm Manager role.

This person would manage staff and day to day functions on our fruit, vegetable and livestock farm. We have 10 acres of high-density apples, 3 acres of blackberry brambles, and more. There is a quarter acre market garden using high density and four seasons' practices. Our livestock operation is very small but does take time daily. We are focused on creating experiences for the public through education, tours, u-pick and more. All of our farming practices are or are moving towards regenerative and sustainable growing.

<https://www.dcaoutdoor.com/careers>



[www.RothwellLandscape.com](http://www.RothwellLandscape.com)

**(Posted 2/14/2022)** COME GROW WITH US! Rothwell Landscape, Inc. is a growing company with great opportunities. We have a couple specific job opportunities we are looking to fill and are always on the lookout for interested students.

**1. Landscape Design Assistant--**

This is a part-time, flexible position that would allow a student to get on-the-job training in our landscape installation and irrigation departments. Assisting our designers and salespeople get presentations ready for clients, measuring properties, creating designs on Dynascapes software and creating proposals are just a few of the duties for the person. Job Requirements are dependability, blocks of 3-5 hrs available to work, basic horticultural and plant knowledge and experience running a CAD-based program (Preferably Dynascapes). Awesome opportunity and close to campus!

**2. Turf and Ornamental Specialist-**

This is a full-time position in which you would maintain a mix of commercial and residential properties by applying fertilizer/pesticide applications. Individual would also make note of any concerns and possible upgrades to the customer's landscape. Job requirements include: Self motivated individual with outstanding customer service, Good base knowledge in horticulture, valid/clean driving record, Good physical condition capable of lifting 50-70 pounds repeatedly during the day; Good communication skills; Certification in pesticide categories 3A & 3B-preferred but willing to train the right person. Pay commensurate with experience. Awesome opportunity and close to campus!

**3. General Positions –**

Utilize the coursework you have gained in college by applying it in the field! These are great opportunities to gain experience to better market yourself and challenge yourself by honing your turf/plant/pest ID/landscape trouble-shooting skills.

We are taking applications for positions in landscape installation, irrigation, turf & ornamental applicator, maintenance, and mowing crews. We are hiring for full time and part time positions. We are willing to work with students who have full days or blocks of half days available. We offer competitive starting pay and an enjoyable work environment.

Go to our website at [www.rothwelllandscape.com](http://www.rothwelllandscape.com) to fill out an application. You can also stop by our office to pick up an application at 1607 Fair Lane in Manhattan. If you have questions give us a call at 785-539-1799 and ask for Brett Scott.

**Job title:** Gardens Technician II

**Description:** The Gardens Technician II will assist in layout, installation, and maintenance of the Gardens at Ball trial and display gardens during the summer months and participate in a unique job-sharing experience during the winter months including possible opportunities with our Customer Relations, Seed Operations, Seed Distribution, and Greenhouse departments. The primary reporting department for this position is the Grounds Department. This position reports directly to the Grounds Supervisor – Horticulturist during the summer season. This is a full-time shared position eligible for benefits.

**Job Responsibilities and Duties: Grounds Department:** Installation and maintenance of annual and perennial display and trial gardens\* Planting and minor maintenance of trees and shrubs\* Assist with minor construction and hardscape installation projects\* Assist with minor fabrication projects for garden displays\* Guide and train less experienced personnel in proper horticultural best practices\* Fertilize as directed\* Harvest and record harvest notes for fruits and vegetables as needed / requested\* Assist with labelling of trees, shrubs, perennials, and annuals\* Report any problems or issues noticed in the gardens

**Qualifications:** Bachelor of Science in horticulture or related field\* Working knowledge of Microsoft Office particularly Excel and Word\* Effective verbal and written communication skills\* Spanish speaking is a plus  
\*No field experience required

**Off-Season Opportunities:** There are several off-season opportunities available based on the individual candidate's interests in the industry. The descriptions below are brief summaries of some of the responsibilities commonly assigned to entry level employees. Please feel free to contact the Grounds Supervisor – Horticulturist for clarification or further information concerning any of the following positions.

**Job Responsibilities and Duties: Customer Relations:** Notifying and working with clients to resolve issues with order changes, cancellations, and delays\* Work with remote sales representatives to place orders\* Field customer questions regarding ship dates, availability, and quality assurance\* Assist with assembling new customer information packets\* Assist with filling and shipping customer literature requests

**Job Responsibilities and Duties: Seed Operations:** Assist the seed supply chain management staff with inventory and scheduling needs\* Plan production of enhanced seed\* Monitor inventory movement and supply needs\* Provide support to sales staff and product management teams regarding inventory and availability  
\*Work with our worldwide network of seed producers and laboratories to ensure seed quality

**Job Responsibilities and Duties: Seed Distribution:** Work with shipping and receiving staff to inspect and log all inbound seed shipments\* Pull and prepare seed samples or laboratory testing\* Divide seed lots for testing, enhancement, and raw seed sales needs\* Monitor equipment and calibration for speed and accuracy\* Weigh, prepare, and check orders for distribution\* Label packages for shipping and check for order completion

**Job Responsibilities and Duties: Greenhouse:** Assist growers with logging all incoming plant material\* Stick cuttings and help label all plant material \*Assist with watering, trimming, feeding, and transplanting plant material \*Help organize greenhouse trials and prepare plant material for outdoor trials \*Gather trial data as requested by growers and product managers \*Assist gathering and preparing plant material for shipping \*Help maintain clean disease and insect free greenhouses

If there is interest in the Gardens Tech II position but a suitable off-season opportunity is not listed, please feel free to contact the Grounds Supervisor – Horticulturist to discuss your particular horticultural interests.

Contact Information: Samuel J Schmitz: Supervisor Grounds – Horticulturist: [samschmitz@ballhort.com](mailto:samschmitz@ballhort.com)  
Mobile: 630.675.0492: ballhort.com: ballseed.com



---**Garden Center Operations Coordinator: Lawrence, KS.** We're looking for the right person; honest, friendly, adaptable, down to earth, and hard working. We're a small company, so this position could be working alongside someone today as an equal and be supervising them tomorrow. We need a jack of all trades. The three main responsibilities of this position are to assist with the daily operations of the business, assist in the water garden department, and overall merchandising.

**RESPONSIBILITIES:** may include but are not limited to: Assist with daily management of the garden center to include sales, plant care and maintenance, staff training and supervision. -Provide great customer service to every person who comes in the store. -Assist with purchasing of plants and plant care products. To include perennials, annuals, houseplants, and store inventory. -Open and close the store. -Manage existing social media presence, expanding as needed to stay relevant. -Maintain and plant display gardens & containers throughout the property. - Collaboratively develop employee training materials, processes, and procedures. -Assist with inventory management and business operations, to include communications and database maintenance. - Collaboratively develop customer education, to include developing care sheets, signage, how to guides, seminar and workshop presentations.

**REQUIREMENTS:** Garden Center Experience (prefer 2 years or more) or degree in a plant related field: Honest, reliable and hardworking: General plant knowledge beyond the average consumer: Sales/Retail experience: Basic computer and technological knowledge in Microsoft Office: Valid Driver's License: Some knowledge of pesticides and fertilizers (traditional and organic): Able to lift repeatedly 50#: A willingness to take and pass the Kansas Certified Nursery exam: Weekend availability: Able to work outside year round: Experience in running various social media platforms is preferred: Experience with tools and troubleshooting is a plus. For further information, contact: Ann Peuser: Clinton Parkway Nursery: 4900 Clinton Parkway: Lawrence, KS 66047: (785)842-3081 [clintonparkway@aol.com](mailto:clintonparkway@aol.com)

--**Seeking Horticulturalist with the City of Garden City.** Attached is the description for our Maintenance Technician IV (Horticulturalist) position. See attached for details.

--I am the landscape design and construction services manager of **Shelton Landscape & Maintenance in St. Louis, Missouri ([www.shelton-landscape.com](http://www.shelton-landscape.com))**. As a Kansas State landscape architecture graduate (class of 2009) I look back to my great alma mater to hire our next designer to join our team. We would really like to find someone recently out of school that has a love for landscape design and the hands-on experience of their designs. We take customers individually from the first meeting to the end of the project through follow-ups. Clay Deschler: Landscape Designer / Consultant: 1515A Lonedell Industrial Court: Arnold, MO [P] (636) 296-4660 [C] (314) 486-6441 [F] (636) 296-4670: [clay@shelton-landscape.com](mailto:clay@shelton-landscape.com)

---**Kaw Valley Greenhouses** will be looking for Greenhouse Workers interested in working Jan-May. Employees will gain experience with transplanting seedlings and cuttings, taking cuttings and dead heading plants. This is a great opportunity for those interested in Greenhouse Management and Horticulture work. We operate Mon-Fri from 8am to 4:30. We hire part time candidates if they have reasonable availability to work during our business hours. In addition to gaining work experience our employees also get to enjoy a discount on our product as well! Interested candidates, visit the employment page [kawvalleygreenhouses.com](http://kawvalleygreenhouses.com)

– **Cultivation Manager Kansas Natural Remedies (KNR)** is seeking to fill a full-time position managing the cultivation operations for a 7,500 square foot indoor hemp cultivation facility in Wichita, Kansas. This individual will receive training necessary to fulfill the cultivation-related requirements of the position from KNR's Denver-based cultivation consultant and operating partner. Candidates are not expected to have prior experience working in hemp or related industries. The Cultivation Manager's responsibilities will include: § Learning and implementing KNR's standard operating procedures for cultivation; § Directing and working with cultivation staff throughout cultivation processes; § Creating and implementing production schedules for all-stages of cultivation, from propagation through harvest; § Keeping accurate



records of cultivation related inventories; § Overseeing the custody and coordinating maintenance of cultivation equipment; and § Coordinating with COO and other management level staff on other facility related items, such as compliance requirements, staff management, and post-harvest processing.

KNR is seeking a candidate with strong knowledge of plant anatomy, physiology, and pathology. Candidates with degrees in Horticulture, Agronomy, Plant Physiology/Pathology, Botany, Bio-Chemistry, or Organic Chemistry and one (1) or more years cultivation operation management experience (green-house, cut flower production, or otherwise) are preferred. Starting compensation for this position will be \$60,000 annually, with salary scaling based on performance milestones. This is a 1099 position. This position is based in Wichita, Kansas with very limited ability to work remotely. If you are interested in applying for this position, please email your resume to Sam Jones, COO of Kansas Natural Remedies, at [sjones@kansasnaturalremedies.com](mailto:sjones@kansasnaturalremedies.com) with a brief statement elaborating on your interest in the position.

---**Wrightsville Beach Landscaping, Inc.**, located on the beautiful North Carolina Coast, is looking for a Landscape Designer/Estimator to grow with us. The ideal candidate would be familiar with designing and estimating all aspects of landscape construction to include: site analysis, grading, drainage, plant selection and placement, hardscape (patios, walkways, decks, barbecues, gazebos, etc.) water features, lighting, etc.; and be able to manually design the same. The position requires excellent analytical as well as aesthetic skills, and one must provide excellent internal service, and be able to do take-offs. The Landscape Designer interfaces daily with the Project Manager and installation team.

**Skill Set and Educational Requirements:** Four (4) year horticultural degree from accredited university preferred. Possess a portfolio of at least ten designs that were drawn by individual: Able to design and estimate quickly and efficiently: Strong plant and irrigation knowledge. Able to read plans/specifications and analyze document information: Able to conduct a thorough site analysis. Able to analyze drainage and grading requirements: Able to calculate related quantities for soil import/export, plants, mulch and labor requirements: Able to translate designs into working drawings/documents for field personnel. Proficient with CAD-Based software: Proficient with landscape estimating software: Proficient in MS Excel & Word. Able to meet stringent deadlines: Able to represent the company in a courteous and professional manner: Able to make effective presentations when required: Able to deal with difficult and demanding clients in a professional manner Able to build relationships and network with like-minded professionals: Requires minimal supervision: Enthusiastic, self-motivated, strong work ethic, positive outlook and disposition: Enjoys challenges and problem solving. **About Wrightsville Beach Landscaping Co. Inc.:**

[www.wrightsvillelandscapes.com](http://www.wrightsvillelandscapes.com) Located along North Carolina's beautiful coast, Wrightsville Beach Landscaping (WBL) is celebrating its 30th year in business. WBL provides landscaping design, installation, maintenance and irrigational solutions for Wilmington's most demanding clientele. With services ranging from large commercial projects to residential lawn care and maintenance, Wrightsville Beach Landscaping's commitment to its mission.... to enhance the beauty and value of every client's property while exceeding their expectations every step of the way.... is the reason we are the preferred landscaping company throughout the Cape Fear region including Wilmington, Wrightsville Beach, Landfall, Autumn Hall, Forest Hills, and Figure Eight Island.

#### **New Extension Agent Searches:**

**(NEW)** Extension Agent, Agriculture and Natural Resources– Horticulture/Ward County  
<https://www.ndsu.edu/employment> Posting ID #2937030 (attachment)

#### **GENERAL HORTICULTURE INTERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:**

**(Posted 2/28/2022)** Public Horticulture Internship, Coastal Maine Botanical Gardens **(See attachment)**. My name is Lesley Paxson and I am the Intern and Seasonal supervisor at Coastal Maine Botanical Gardens (CMBG). Our mission statement is to inspire meaningful connections among people, plants and nature through

horticulture, education and research. I am reaching out to share our Intern program with you and your students.

At CMBG we offer a broad range of intern experiences involving all aspects of public horticulture. Our interns work closely all season with our horticulturalists, learning solid gardening concepts and practices. Interns will have opportunities to learn about other aspects of public horticulture including curation, herbarium preservation techniques, and youth programming. Everyone will be encouraged to interact with visitors, answering questions on many topics. Other educational opportunities include sharing the importance of plants and Lepidoptera with visitors, working hands-on with propagation and curation, and helping prepare plant samples for preservation in our Herbarium just to name a few.

It is my hope that you will post the attached intern job description within your department and share it with your students. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Questions: Lesley Paxson ([lpaxson@mainegardens.org](mailto:lpaxson@mainegardens.org)), 207-315-1919

Applications: Andy Brand, Director of Horticulture ([abrand@mainegardens.org](mailto:abrand@mainegardens.org)).



**(Posted 2/28/2022)**

Please allow me to introduce myself, I'm Osvaldo "Ozzie" Ortiz, I work within AAA Landscape's Human Resource Department as the Culture & Lifestyle Coach. AAA Landscape was founded in 1975 by the Underwood Brothers, who have been active pioneers in the Green Industry, and have grown over the past 47 Years to one of the largest privately-owned landscape companies in the Southwest.

AAA Landscape continues to be a leader in the advancement of education & training within our industry and is Ranked #48 in the Nation for Landscape Companies. Not only do we strive to continuously evolve by investing in advanced technology & equipment, but we are constantly looking for the next leaders to join our team!

My primary goal is to not only retain our current team members but also recruit new talent within the Green Industry by introducing them to our culture and provide them a balanced lifestyle. We *"beautify the world"* and we are looking for your students to help us.

AAA Landscape will have a booth at the ***National Collegiate Landscape Competition in Raleigh, NC***, this year. I would welcome the opportunity to meet with you in person to discuss what our company has to offer your students. Additionally, I would be willing to speak to your students regarding their goals and how AAA Landscape might be able to further their careers.

**At this time, we can offer internship opportunities and employment in the following areas**, but we are also willing to discuss their interests, outside of the listed positions, to see how they could grow with our team:

- Construction Landscape Supervisors
- Landscape Management Assistant Account Managers | Supervisors | Crew Leads
- Irrigation Technicians
- Estimators
- Nursery Growers | Propagators
- Arborist / Arbor Care
- Pest Management Applicators

I would like to thank you in advance for your consideration. If I can provide additional information or answer any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me and I would be happy to accommodate you.

Respectfully,

**osvaldo "ozzie" ortiz**

**culture & lifestyle coach**

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KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY



**(Posted 2/21/2022)** THE *GARDENS* ARE NOW HIRING STUDENTS\* FOR 2022 SUMMER POSITION, FULL-TIME (40 HRS/WK. @ \$9.00-\$10/HR.DOE), PART-TIME (20+/- HRS/WK. @ \$8.75-\$9.75/HR.DOE). PREFERENCE GIVEN TO STUDENTS WITH PRIOR EXPERIENCE IN

THE LANDSCAPE CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE INDUSTRY WHO CAN START PART-TIME TRAINING BEFORE MAY 1, 2022.

SUMMER WORK TASKS IN THE GARDENS INCLUDE: INSTALLING AND MAINTAINING ANNUAL, PERENNIAL AND WOODY PLANTS. MAINTENANCE OF PAVER WALKWAYS, RETAINING WALLS, IRRIGATION SYSTEMS AND WATER FEATURES. MOWING, STRING TRIMMING, WATERING AND ASSISTING WITH VARIOUS GARDEN EVENTS.

APPLICATION FORMS ARE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST. Email [ksugardens@ksu.edu](mailto:ksugardens@ksu.edu)

\*Must be a K-State student; 6+hrs in spring semester and/or enrolled in summer classes

**(Posted 2/7/22) Landscape Operations and Orchard Operations Internships (2 positions)**, Kimmel Orchard & Vineyard. **Objective:** To help promote Kimmel Orchard & Vineyard (KOVE) while learning skills related to orchard operations. All KOVE interns will receive cross-training in multiple areas and must be open to other duties as assigned. **Schedule:** Monday-Friday; 40-45 hours per week; some weekends required; flexibility available. **Wage:** \$12/hour; generous employee discount; subsidized summer housing available near Kimmel Orchard & Vineyard. **Contact:** [jennie@kimmelorchard.org](mailto:jennie@kimmelorchard.org) – (402) 873-5293. See attachments for more details.

**(Posted 1/31/22) YAMPA RIVER BOTANIC PARK HORTICULTURE INTERN** Yampa River Botanic Park PO Box 776269 Steamboat Springs, CO 80477 <http://yrbp.org/> 970-846-5172 **INTERNSHIP:** The Yampa River Botanic Park seeks a Horticulture Intern to join its team for the 2022 summer season. The 6-acre high altitude garden, located in Steamboat Springs, Colorado is a place of “serenity that celebrates and conserves the plants, trees and birds of the Yampa River Valley and similar ecosystems worldwide.” The Botanic Park is home to 500 trees 60 individual gardens which feature native and adaptive trees, shrubs, perennials, and annuals. The Intern works to maintain and improve the Botanic Park which sees approximately 35,000 visitors annually between May and October. **NATURE OF WORK:** This internship is intended to provide hands on experience in public horticulture. The Intern performs the daily tasks and responsibilities of a public garden horticulturist. The Internship runs from approximately mid-May through August with flexible start and stop dates and can fulfill up to a 600 hour graduation requirement. Interns are expected to work 40-hour work weeks with a flexible schedule. **COMPENSATION:** \$16.47/hour (**see attachment for more details and information on how to apply**)

**(Posted 1/24/22) Berkshire Botanical Garden Summer Horticulture Internship Program:** This unique summer internship program offers the opportunity to work and learn from two public gardens. Berkshire Botanical Garden is a non-for-profit public garden establishment in 1934. Located on 24 rural acres, the Gardens consists of 26 display gardens and specialty collections, and three greenhouses. Numkeag, a guided-age style estate with restored gardens designed by landscape architect Fletcher Steele, is a National Historic Landmark preserved by The Trustees of Reservations. The trustees is one of Massachusetts largest non-profits and the nation’s first conservation and preservation organization. Both gardens are situated in the beautiful Berkshire Hills of Western Massachusetts, a few minutes from the center of the historic village of Stockbridge. The area is home to many cultural institutions and numerous natural sites.

**Description:** This Horticultural Internship program is designed to offer hands-on experience at Numkeag and Berkshire Botanical Gardens for those with a passion for and interest in Horticulture staff and volunteers in all

phases of public garden maintenance and development. This includes planting, weeding, watering, and mulching, pruning, propagation, IPM, plant identification and interacting with visitors. An ongoing program of intern training sessions, public education programs, and staff field trips are offered to help broaden the student's horticultural horizon.

Summer internships are for 12 weeks, 40 hours per week and generally start mid-May. The program includes shared internship housing at the Naumkeag estate and a stipend of \$10.00 /hr.

The deadline for applying is March 1, 2022. Earlier applications will receive earlier decision.

**Requirements:** Previous gardening experience and/or course work in horticulture, public gardening, or landscape design is preferred. Applicants must be responsible, self-motivated, and capable of the sometimes strenuous nature of gardening.

Please submit a cover letter, resume, and an application which can be downloaded from [www.berkshirebotanical.org/internships](http://www.berkshirebotanical.org/internships)

**Overland Park Arboretum & Botanical Gardens, Internship:** Hello, attached is information about our summer internship position. <https://hcm-overlandpark-prd.inforcloudsuite.com/hcm/EmployeeSelfService/form/JobPosting%5BJobPostingSet%5D%28101%2C79%2C2%29.PostingDisplaySummaryForm?output=pdf&csk.lidkey=952c2597ecc1d8db3695301d39d7dbda>

It is also posted on the city's website.

<https://www.opkansas.org/about-overland-park/careers/>

Thank you for your time!

--**Swift Greenhouses, Inc., in Gilman, Iowa** is seeking a student for their internship experience. We have expanded and built to meet some of the market needs and are looking for great horticulture talent that K-State has and will continue to teach. I'm really flexible on internship timing as Spring is the best exposure to our industry and Summer is great as well as we transition to our own use production to build stock, start seedling perennials and get them ready for vernalization in the Fall. We are currently **looking to hire for 2 full time Perennial Plug grower positions**. Attached is an application for either a full time position or our internship opportunities. If you have any questions feel free to reach out to me, Hans Stokes: Grower Supervisor & Technical Services: 641-478-3217: [HansS@swiftgreenhouses.com](mailto:HansS@swiftgreenhouses.com): <https://www.swiftgreenhouses.com/>

**Denver Botanic Gardens 2022: Summer Horticulture Internships:** Internships at Denver Botanic Gardens provide students with hands-on experience working alongside world-renowned researchers and horticulturists in a public garden. **Project-based and Meaningful:** Denver Botanic Gardens' horticulture internships are project-based, meaning that for the duration of their tenure with us, interns are charged with completing or continuing meaningful work for our department, institution and field. Interns also work throughout the Gardens, gaining a crucial working knowledge of public horticulture collections stewardship. When conditions allow, interns participate in field trips exploring Colorado horticulture and the diverse ecosystems of the Rocky Mountain region. Additionally, interns are offered professional development opportunities through seminars and conferences, staff-led workshops and industry networking. **Five, Full-time, Paid Internships:** In 2022 we are offering five, full-time, paid summer internships within the Horticulture Department in the following areas: Bonsai Collection Management and Curation-Plant Records Curation and Mapping-Rock Alpine Garden Curation and Mapping-Seed Collections Curation and Greenhouse Production-Therapeutic Horticulture. Further details, position requirements and applications are available on the [career / internships opportunities page on our website](#). All application materials must be received at Denver Botanic Gardens

---**Rock Cobble Farm is a large estate in Northwest Connecticut and** proud to announce the start of our 2022 Internship application process. Our internship program is highly competitive so we hope candidates will apply as soon as possible. Attached is the 2022 Rock Cobble Farm internship posting which will explain the programs functions, responsibilities, and required submission dates. If you have any questions, please email us at [cthorticulturaljobs@gmail.com](mailto:cthorticulturaljobs@gmail.com).

---**Walters Gardens, Inc. is one of North America's leading wholesale grower of perennial plants, located in Zeeland, Michigan.** Our company is excited to offer 13-week paid rotational internships this upcoming summer. The rotations, including our Greenhouse and Field Operations, Tissue Culture Lab, Virus Lab, and Trials Department, will equip our interns with a wide variety of skills and allow them to network with some of the best and brightest in the industry. Attached is a flyer and link with additional details about our internship program. <https://www.waltersgardens.com/article.php?ID=503>

---**Royal Creations Architectural Landscaping** is seeking relationships with potential interns to help in the spring/summer 2022 season. The position will offer a broad range of experiences for students in the field of Design/Build – Residential Landscaping. Students will spend time shadowing the design and installation teams while assisting in projects with landscaping, paver patios, drainage, low voltage lighting, and much more. This experience will include creating base maps, collaborating on conceptual drawings, and producing CAD renderings for design projects. Participants will learn about the estimating and sales process as well as assist in project management tasks. Interns will also spend time in the field to develop an understanding of the production and logistics that go into the installation side of the business. This is a great opportunity for anyone interested in a career in residential landscape design and seeking an entry level position in the near future. “Looking forward to connecting great students with our wonderful team!” President/CEO Andy Wright  
Accepting applications at <https://www.royalcreationslandscaping.com/careers/> to learn more about our company you can visit our website at [www.RoyalCreationsLandscaping.com](http://www.RoyalCreationsLandscaping.com)

---**Greenhouse Production Intern:** Kaw Valley Greenhouses is seeking an intern who is passionate about bedding plants and wants hands-on experience in a fast-paced commercial greenhouse right here in Manhattan. Kaw Valley Greenhouses has been family grown since 1967 and focuses on quality bedding plants for the home consumer. Our plants are sold from April through June at more than 40 spring seasonal Garden Center locations throughout Kansas, Nebraska and Missouri, which we operate as pop-up stores. We take pride in providing plants that have been proven to do well in our area through our research on trial varieties that are grown on property during the off season. We operate on around a half a million square feet of greenhouse space and sell over 12 million plants annually. The primary focus for this position will be in seed propagation but the intern will gain experience in most aspects of production including media fill, propagation, transplanting quality assurance and sanitation.

**Responsibilities:** Keep seed stock organized, stored, and handled properly to ensure seed quality and ease of use. \*Use correct seeding procedures and routines to ensure final products are true to type. \*Follow proper procedures to ensure workstation sanitation. \*Keep accurate notes on sowing dates and consistently communicate with Production Supervisor any issues as they arise. \*Work with Production Supervisor to coordinate space logistics for plugs, conduct experiments and gather information to increase germination percentages and uniformity. \*Assist with other areas of production when needed as assigned by Production Supervisor.

**Desired qualifications:** The applicant must be dependable; able to stick to a schedule; possess a positive attitude and a willingness to learn; strong attention to detail; ability to work in extreme climates when necessary; ability to bend and stoop for long periods; ability to lift 30lbs.



**Educational Qualifications:** Preferred to have completed at least one semester of introductory horticulture classes and has a base understanding of seed germination. **Compensation and incentives:** \$10/hour: 30-40 hrs. Weekly with some weekend work: Potential for overtime: Credit plants: **Application Instructions:** <https://kawvalleygreenhouses.hiringplatform.com/processes/74857-greenhouse-worker?locale=en>

## **GOLF COURSE AND SPORTS TURF EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITES**

**(Updated on 2/28/2022; originally posted 2/14/2022)**

Come join our growing team at St. Joseph Country Club as the Second Assistant Superintendent. Something special is happening at SJCC as our owner has made the commitment to be one of the top clubs in the state and region. SJCC has a long proud history of hosting more Missouri state amateur events than any other club. Our clubhouse and practice facility are currently being completely renovated while many other on course renovations are planned for the future. We are making continual improvements while preparing for the clubs 125th anniversary in 2023. This position is a hands on management position working with the Keeper of the Greens and Lead Assistant in all aspects of the operation. For the motivated candidate, he/she will develop their knowledge and skills while becoming well prepared to take the next step to a head superintendent position. The Second Assistant Superintendent will assist with and assign, supervise and follow up on the daily maintenance of the golf course, practice facility, clubhouse landscapes.

- Minimum is a two year degree or certificate in a turf related field.
- Ability to perform any task needed to meet course standards.
- Highly motivated with strong work ethic and a positive can do spirit.
- Attention to detail, ability to complete tasks.
- Good oral and written communication skills with members and staff.
- Must be able to multi task while adapting and changing to weather, staffing or seasonal needs.

### **Educational Requirements**

- Minimum is a two year degree or certificate in a turf related field.

### **Experience Requirements**

Previous supervisory experience.

### **Job Benefits**

Benefits include PTO, Sick Days, Personal day, Health Insurance including dental and vision. Uniforms and daily lunch are provided.

### **Date Job is Available**

March 1, 2022

### **Salary**

\$38,000 - \$45,000 DOE

### **Job Application Instructions**

Send Resume and Cover Letter to [btaylor@stjoegolfclub.com](mailto:btaylor@stjoegolfclub.com)

Bryan Taylor  
Keeper of the Greens  
St. Joseph Country Club  
50 Ridgeland Drive  
Country Club, MO 64505

**(Posted 2/14/2022)** My name is Matt Powell- New Golf Course Superintendent at The Country Club in Pepper Pike, OH. Our Greens Department is currently looking to fill numerous full-time and seasonal internship

positions for the upcoming golf season with a major golf course restoration on tap beginning in August with Gil Hanse. No previous experience working on a golf course needed as we will train the right individuals and provide flexible scheduling to fulfill each candidate's needs. We hope to build a long term relationship with you and offer a great place to develop students/ alumni for successful careers.

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I have included a link to our career site that has more information about the positions available and how to apply. Please feel free to post on any job boards or share with anyone in your organization that might be interested. Thank you and I hope to hear from you soon.

<https://sites.google.com/view/thecountryclubgreensdepartment/home>

**Matt Powell**, Golf Course Superintendent, 216.831.9200 ext. 135

**(Posted 2/14/2022)** Assistant Golf Course Superintendent, Stone Canyon Golf Club in Blue Springs, MO.

1. Supervise and coordinate staff members to ensure everyone is working efficiently according to the job board
2. Organize and assign daily tasks with the superintendent before the start of the next day
3. Apply pesticides/herbicides correctly and efficiently according to the pesticide label
4. Have or work towards getting pesticide license
5. Document and record pesticide/herbicide records according to the state of Missouri
6. Help audit irrigation system and repair any leaks/malfunctions
7. Effectively communicate any issues or problems with the crew, golf course, or equipment to superintendent
8. Help interview, hire, and train employees
9. Provide feedback/ideas that could be helpful with projects or maintaining golf course grounds
10. Help keep a positive atmosphere on the golf course grounds and maintenance department

**Compensation:** Base Salary: **\$32,000 - \$40,000+ DOE**; Reimbursement of cell phone up to \$50 per month; Mileage reimbursed on vehicle for company use; Lunches provided on days worked; 14 days PTO, plus week in between Christmas and New Year's club is closed (paid vacation) so total of 21 days PTO per year; Owner is looking at offering health insurance.

Contact: Jonathan Moul, Golf Course Superintendent, 816.738.4656

**(Posted 2/14/2022)** The Wichita Wind Surge, AA affiliate of the Minnesota Twins, are seeking motivated and qualified applicants for the position of Assistant Groundskeeper. The individual will assist the Head Groundskeeper in everyday maintenance of a playing surface consisting of Latitude 36 Bermudagrass and a DuraEdge professional infield clay surface along with other stadium enhancements. The assistant will work with the Head Groundskeeper in everyday maintenance of the playing surface at Riverfront Stadium, insuring a safe and exceptional field throughout the 2022 baseball season. Position is a full time opportunity with competitive salary, benefits and paid time off.

**Position Responsibilities**

Duties will include, but not limited to:

- Mowing (riding/walking), fertilizing, aerifying, topdressing, edging, sodding, infield skin/clay maintenance, mound and plate repair both on-field and in bullpens
- Irrigation repairs and replacements
- Equipment cleaning and upkeep

- Shop and batting tunnel cleaning and upkeep
- Logo and line painting
- Work special events and able to work alone at times including running a crew
- Working in all weather conditions including heat, rain, snow and must be able to assist with all tarps.

#### **Job Qualifications**

- Preferably a candidate has a bachelors or associates degree in turf management or a horticultural related field.
- Prior knowledge and experience of working on a baseball field is also preferred, but not necessary.
- Physical labor required. Must be able to lift at least 50lbs.
- The individual must be highly motivated, self-initiative and able to work in fast-paced situations
- Must be able to work long, flexible hours including nights, early mornings on occasion, weekends, and holidays.

**Please send Resume and Cover Letter to:** Ben Hartman – bhartman@windsurge.com

### **GOLF COURSE AND SPORTS TURF INTERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

**(Posted 2/21/2022)** Exmoor Country Club Internship. We have a fantastic opportunity for young turf professionals to learn and grow as we prepare for the 2022 Western Amateur and much more! Please find the internship posting attached and let me know if you have any questions or comments.

Exmoor Country Club is seeking a Turfgrass Intern as we prepare to host the 2022 Western Amateur Championship, August 1-6. We pride ourselves on providing young professionals with work/life balance while achieving daily championship conditions. The applicant will work closely with the Superintendent and various Assistants in the daily course preparations and responsibilities listed below. The ideal candidate should be self-motivated, display a positive attitude, and be willing to learn and grow through hard work and personal achievements. Responsibilities include: Plant Health Application/Calibration, Stringent Water Management, Daily Course Set Up, Irrigation Troubleshooting & Repair, Small Crew & Project Leadership, Review Budgeting Practices. Club Description: Founded in 1896, located 30 minutes north of Chicago is a family-oriented club with a championship golf course. Exmoor has hosted 18 National Championships, including the upcoming 2022 Western Amateur, and most recently, the 2018 Senior Players Championship. Designed by Donald Ross in 1915, the club will embark on restoration projects over the next several years to restore the club to its roots as a staple of the Golden Age of Golf Course Architecture under the direction of Andrew Green. Compensation: \$15-16/hour plus overtime (DOE), Housing, Uniforms, Meals, Tournament Volunteer Experience, Golf Privileges, Every Other Weekend Off. Education: Working toward degree in Turfgrass Management or closely related field, Certificate, 2-year, or 4-year. Please Send Resume & Cover Letter to: Tim Kelly, Golf Course Superintendent 847-433-1177 tim@exmoorcountryclub.org

**(Posted 2/14/2022) Baseball Groundskeeping Internship.** I am the Head Groundskeeper for the Wichita Wind Surge AA affiliate of the Minnesota Twins. We are entering our second season with a brand-new ballpark. As mentioned in the subject line I am in search to fill both an intern position for the summer and then a full-time assistant. We are okay with hiring an assistant right out of school because we believe on the job training is crucial and beneficial. Our internship position has been posted; however, our assistant position has not been posted yet but I will attach a job description for both. If you have any questions, please feel free to call, text or email. My cell is (816) 585-2729. Thank you for your help in advanced. Thank you, Ben Hartman.

<https://www.sportsfieldmanagement.org/job/wichita-wind-surge-wichita-ks-8-grounds-crew-internship/>

**(Posted 2/14/2022)** Seasonal Intern Century Country Club is a 1924 H.S. Colt and C.H Alison design approximately 25 minutes north of New York City. Century is a highly progressive club in the competitive New

York Metropolitan market. We pride ourselves in staying up to date with the latest techniques, products and technology to aid us keeping the golf course at an excellent standard. At the end of 2017 Architect Keith Foster finished a two-phase renovation, which included greens expansions and regrading, regrassing green surrounds, installation of Better Billy Bunkers liners with Pro angle sand, fairway contouring, rebuilding tees, tree removal and pruning, rerouting of natural cart paths and a redesigned short game area. A Toro Lynx central computer controls a Toro irrigation system with Network VP satellite controllers. This coming year we will be finishing the master plan, which includes completing tee boxes, expanding native areas, cart path construction and fairway expansions. Century Country Club is looking for a highly motivated individual with the willingness to learn and a close attention to detail that has the goal to become a Golf Course Superintendent in the future. We are an elite private country club and will teach you what it takes to provide outstanding playing conditions. Tasks during the 2022 season will include but are not limited to mowing, fertilizing and pesticide applications (with the calibration of the needed equipment). In addition to the above, hand watering, irrigation troubleshooting, and the ability to operate all of the equipment/machinery at our facility will be associated with this internship. Our intern will be given time to spend with our Head Mechanic to learn the basic components of grinding and setting the height of cut on the machines. Exceeding expectations will result in a higher variety of given tasks. Application Instructions: Please email your resume and cover letter as MS Word document or PDF file to [Kevin.Seibel@centurycc.org](mailto:Kevin.Seibel@centurycc.org) Salary Range: \$18.00/hr, after 40 hours, time and a half (approximately 20 hours of OT per week) Benefits: On-site housing, meals (lunch and dinner), golfing privileges, uniforms/clothing.

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**Matt Powell**, Golf Course Superintendent, 216.831.9200 ext. 135

**(Posted 2/7/22) The Powder Horn Golf Club, Sheridan, Wyoming.** We are offering an internship at our 27 hole facility in Sheridan Wyoming. The individual will work closely with myself, the assistant, head mechanic and staff. This will be a hands on internship. Along with learning on the golf course, we would like the person to be able to enjoy what the area has to offer. We are offering housing too. Below are links which describes the club, internship, and shows what the town and area is like. Feel free to reach out at any time.

<https://www.thepowderhorn.com/>

<https://www.turfnet.com/jobs/j50131-summer-intern-2022/>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Bj-FBMqGvIc>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Lr04vVaoblQ>

Thank You

**Justin Bishop • Golf Course Superintendent • The Powder Horn Golf Club**

p 307.674.6700 ext 2 • c 703-774-5189 • jbishop@thepowderhorn.com

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**(Posted 1/24/22) Turfgrass Management Internship at Cedar Ridge Country Club:** Broken Arrow, Ok. A summer Internship at Cedar Ridge Country Club will be a very educational and hands on style Internship. Interns will be very involved in all daily activities which include course setup procedures, mowing, trimming, edging, and syringing/spot watering as well as chemical and fertilizer applications. After the intern will be involved in many other aspects of golf course management which include landscaping, irrigation, equipment maintenance and other cultural practices used in the golf management industry.

**About:** Tulsa's premier family oriented privately owned club, close to the city yet still in the country. It is a small town club where you are accepted as a close member of the family from the first day you join, where a smile and handshake instantly tell you belong here. It's our facilities which make Cedar Ridge a much sought after country club. A beautifully manicured and maintained championship golf course and extensive practice areas second to none in Tusla are renowned in the area. Cedar Ridge Country Club also offers a full slate of superb dining, social activities, family events, tennis and swimming. Cedar Ridge Country Club is a traditional, private membership, family oriented social and recreational organization whose purpose is to create a sense of community among its members by providing the highest quality products. Programs, activities and services in a fiscally responsible manner. Cedar Ridge Country Club elected and appointed governing bodies and management staffs are expected to apply the Clubs collective resources in a responsive, honest and business-like manner. While maintaining the same common vision as the membership, these bodies will constantly strive to make Cedar Ridge Country Club one of the premier country clubs in the US.

**(Posted 1/24/22) The Links of North Dakota, Golf Course Maintenance Intern:** The Links of North Dakota was ranked 40<sup>th</sup> overall and 1<sup>st</sup> in North Dakota and was recently awarded top 100 course ratings in the nation numerous times

**Duties:** A course maintenance Intern will work closely with the Golf Course Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent in all aspects of golf course management.

- Course set up
- Water management
- fertilizer/chemical applications
- Proper calibration of sprayers
- Crew management
- Irrigation repair
- Equipment operations
- Tournament preparations
- Golf course improvement projects

**Educational Requirements:** Presently be enrolled in, or a recent graduate of any program in Agronomy. Trurfgrass Management/Science or Golf Course Management.

**Benefits:**

- Salary: \$11-\$15/hr plus overtime
- Excellent work environment/ Earned responsibilities
- Staff Uniforms/ Pro shop discounts/ golf privileges.
- Free housing

Please submit a cover letter, resume, and references to: Gustavo Rodriguez, Golf Course Superintendent: [g.rodriquez24@hotmail.com](mailto:g.rodriquez24@hotmail.com) . The position will be available May 1<sup>st</sup>.

---**The Atlanta Athletic Club** is looking for interns during the summer of 2022. This upcoming summer will be a very good opportunity for any turf student as we are doing a full course renovation starting this January. The attached file contains all the information about the internship as well as contact information for anyone who is interested in applying. : <https://www.turfnet.com/jobs/j49881-renovation-experience-seasonal-intern/>

--**Hazeltine National Golf Club in Chaska, MN** is seeking summer interns, see attached for details.



--2022 Grounds Internship (summer groundskeeper) posting for the **The Phillies - Citizens Bank Park**. See attached for details.

---Hi my name is, Mike Taylor and I am an **Assistant Superintendent at the historic Chicago Golf Club in Wheaton, a suburb of Chicago, IL**. We are currently looking for possible candidates to intern with us for the upcoming golf season in 2022. I have attached our flyer below for more information but we are very flexible on start/end dates and provide free on-site housing amongst other benefits. I believe this would be a great opportunity for students to get some excellent field experience and help advance their career in the turf industry. We take pride in training our interns to understand every aspect of not just golf course maintenance but turf science applications as well. Please email me if there are any further questions: Assistant Golf Course Superintendent @ Chicago Golf Club.

--My name is Sean Nolan and I am an assistant superintendent at **Oak Hill Country Club in Rochester New York**. At Oak Hill, we aim to provide two world-class golf courses daily. We achieve our goals by hiring a core staff of individuals who are passionate about the turf industry. In order to "Be the Best", we want to recruit the best. As you are aware, the program offered at Kanas State is among the most respected programs in the country. I am writing this to serve as a personal invitation to students to apply for our internship program. These positions can offer an experience that is sure to advance their already top-level education, while also providing them with the experience and tools necessary to become a highly effective superintendent. If interested in applying, please send Cover Letters along with Resumes to: Jeff Corcoran: Mgr. Golf Courses & Grounds | Oak Hill Country Club [jcorcoran@oakhillcc.com](mailto:jcorcoran@oakhillcc.com)

---**Golf Course Intern Squire Creek Country Club** – Choudrant, Louisiana (60 miles East of Shreveport, LA) Squire Creek Country Club is a private, members-only facility, which features an 18-hole championship golf course designed by Tom Fazio. The course is ranked as number one in the state of Louisiana, recently ranked in the Golfweek 200 modern courses. Host of 2015 USGA Womens Mid-Amateur Championship. Squire Creek Country Club provides a unique turf management experience. This internship will give students the opportunity to watch our turf continue to evolve through new ideas and techniques. This is also a way for us to recruit future assistant superintendents at Squire Creek Country Club. Our interns are expected to uphold the high standards of the maintenance staff. You must be dedicated, detail oriented, easy to work with, and able to work independently. Squire Creek interns are treated like assistants and are expected to act like one as well. This will give you the best opportunity to learn and succeed as a turf manager and as an intern. Your duties will include: Fertilizer/pesticide calibration, pesticide control, equipment operation, IPM and course monitoring, weed ID, employee training, scheduling, irrigation, record keeping, equipment maintenance, greenhouse and peach orchard management, and work 50-to-70-hour weeks. Position Details Salary: \$13.00-15.00 Hourly Plus Overtime Benefits: Free Housing, Golfing Privileges, Fishing Privileges, Uniforms, and Lunches Responsible to: Superintendent/Assistant Superintendent Dates when available: Spring, Spring-Summer, Summer-Fall Course Information Annual Rounds: 12,000 Number of Holes: 18 Holes Irrigation System: Toro Course Yardage: 7,100 Greens: TifEagle Tees: 419 Bermudagrass and Zoysiagrass Fairways: 419 Bermudagrass Send Resume to: Travis Lazarone [travislarazone@squirecreek.com](mailto:travislarazone@squirecreek.com) (318) 277-3003

**--The two links below are our 2022 Internship & Seasonal Assistant Position for Indianapolis Indians at Victory Field.** We are attempting something new this year with our schedule. Our hope is to hire 2 interns and 1 seasonal assistant or 3 intern based on who applies. From there, we hope the 5 of us including our Manager of Field Operations and myself can work a more balanced schedule. With routine games off and time off when the team is on the road. We will limit the hours, but really feel it will be beneficial to all of us to have some time off, enjoy the city, spend time with family, while working in an industry we all love. And if a particular intern would want to work more hours, we can always slide them in to work more games. Just something we hope to try and implement, so all of us can enjoy good work/life balance, truly.

<https://www.teamworkonline.com/baseball-jobs/internationalleague/indianapolis-indians/field-operations-assistant-1995205>

<https://www.teamworkonline.com/baseball-jobs/internationalleague/indianapolis-indians/seasonal-assistant-groundskeeper-1995206>:

Joey Stevenson | Director of Field Operations: Indianapolis Indians at Victory Field: Indianapolis, IN  
Office: (317) 532-6780 | Cell: (317) 610-1602

**---Prairie Dunes Country Club in Hutchison is seeking summer interns:** Experience Requirements: Previous golf course experience is preferred, but not required; willing to train the right individual.

**Special Requirements:** We are seeking hard working and highly motivated individuals that have a positive attitude and want to gain knowledge and experience. This will include all aspects of daily and short term maintenance: the operation of powered equipment related to mowing golf course putting greens, tees, fairways, and roughs, proper fertilizer and pesticide calibration/application, and water management. Interns will also be involved with other daily agronomic practices as well as possible golf course renovation/restoration projects.

**Comments:** *Looking to fill multiple internship positions.* Prairie Dunes is a Perry and Press Maxwell designed course; it has been consistently ranked one of the top golf courses in America. In 2014, Golf Digest ranked Prairie Dunes Country Club in the top 25 Greatest Golf Courses in America. In recent years we have hosted the Big 12 Men's Championship, the Trans-Miss Amateur Championship, the 2014 NCAA Division I Men's Golf Championship, the 2006 Men's Senior Open Championship, and the 2002 Women's U.S. Open Championship.

### **LOCAL PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITES**

**(Posted 2/21/2022) Landscape Maintenance Opportunity.** Needing someone to help me and two neighbors with my flower beds and shrub pruning. If interested, contact: Kay Hoffman; kayhoffman@hotmail.com; 785 341-4038 (cell)