



Gardener/Horticulturist

Kenwood Golf & Country Club Bethesda, Maryland

About Kenwood Golf & Country Club:

Kenwood Golf and Country Club is a private club with a select membership. It has been in continuous existence since 1928. The clubhouse, golf course and its facilities cover over 100 acres of rolling countryside, located in Bethesda, Maryland.

Included on the property is an 18-hole, USGA Certified, par 70 golf course, a competition-size outdoor swimming pool, an outdoor diving pool with children's wading pool, thirteen Har-Tru tennis courts, two all-weather hard courts and 4 indoor cushioned hard courts, an eight-lane duck pin bowling alley, a state-of-the-art fitness center complete with exercise studio, heated indoor pool, and spa services. Adjacent to the clubhouse is a guest house with forty-two comfortable, quiet, simply-appointed rooms with standard amenities.

The Club, surrounded by fine residential properties, is situated inside the Capital Beltway, (I-495) only minutes from the Nation's Capital, approximately seven miles from the White House and many other cultural and national attractions.

Full Job Description:

(Gardener/Horticulturist)

We are looking for a passionate gardener/horticulturist to manage all common areas for Kenwood Golf and Country Club located in Bethesda, Maryland. This position is a full time/year around position maintaining and overseeing all clubhouse grounds, pool and tennis complex, along with golf course beds.

Job Description:

- Year around planning, design, and purchasing
- Outdoor seasonal work starting in March and ending in November
- Spring cleanup of beds to include leaf/debris removal, cut back perennials, and mulching beds
- Replacement planting of perennials, shrubs, and trees
- General maintenance of planting beds and annual containers
- Moisture management of all beds and landscape
- Hardscape installation (edging, landscape fabric, and mulch)
- Responsible for plant protectants, fertilizing, and pest control
- Assist with snow removal

Qualifications

- Horticulture: 2 year (Preferred)
- Gardening: 5 year (Preferred)

- Driver's License

Personal Qualifications:

- Excellent work ethic, and high standards
- Well Organized
- Positive attitude and the ability to lead a small crew
- Reliable and understands what it takes to manage plants
- Enjoy working outdoors
- Strong communication
- Self-motivated
- Ability to work independently

Skills, Education, and Experience:

- Horticulture Degree (preferred, but not required)
- Previous landscape maintenance or horticulture experience
- Knowledge of plant
- Knowledge of basic gardening tools and methods
- Water management
- Turf Management(maintain lawns around the clubhouse)

Requirements:

- Ability to perform needed physical jobs
- Able to lift 40 to 50 pounds
- Must be able to work in all environmental conditions
- Must have a valid driver license
- Pass a background check
- Pass a drug screening
- Organized and the ability to keep records

Pay Rate & Benefits:

- Pay: Salary \$40,000.00-50,000.00 DOE
- Health and Dental Insurance
- Paid Time Off
- Lunch
- 401 K with club matching
- Yearly holiday and performance bonus
- Paid continuing education & robust off season training

Job Type: Full-time

Schedule:

- Day shift
- Monday to Friday
- Weekends

Special Instructions:

Please submit your cover letter and resume in one PDF document with the title format

Last Name, First Name.

Cover letters are to be addressed to:

Joseph Hough - Golf Course Superintendent

Kenwood Golf and Country Club

5601 River Rd, Bethesda, MD 20816

Cover letters and resumes can be emailed to:

golfsuper@kenwoodcc.net