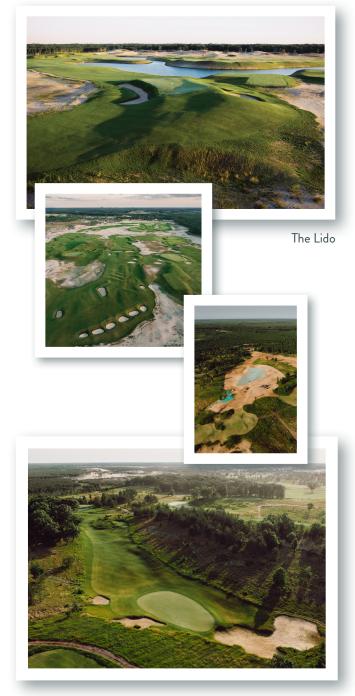


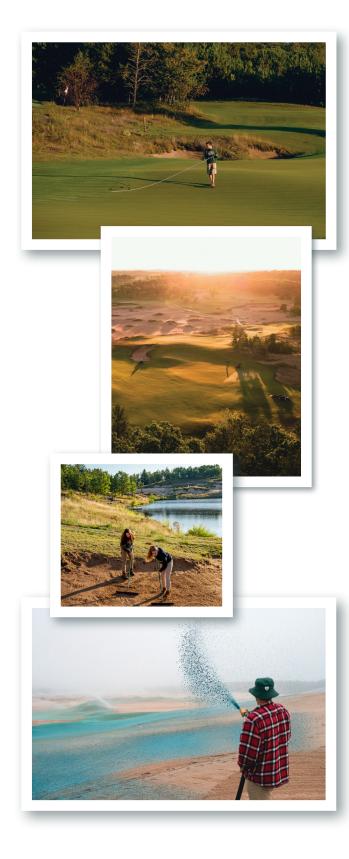
Sand Valley provides a working environment where interns are executing the skills they study in School. We are committed to exceeding guest expectations, along with our fast-paced environment, push interns to learn and succeed every day on the job. Student interns who participate in the Sand Valley Internship program should expect to have a world class learning experience and continued education that goes beyond the classroom.



## RESPONSIBILITIES

Our internship program is designed to provide the intern with a practical account of all aspects of golf course maintenance and management skills including but not limited to:

- Finish and grow-in work including: seeding greens, tees, fairways, native areas using various techniques including hydro mulching, seed bed preparation
- Aquatic maintenance of lakes and ponds
- Toro Lynx central control training
- Fertilizer/pesticide application, calibration and record keeping
- Management of small crews for various projects
- Turfgrass cultural practices (mowing, verticutting, topdressing, aerifying, rolling, etc...)
- Management of fine fescue fairways
- Management and restoration of natural areas/ sand barrens
- Management of grass tennis courts
- Exposure to minimalist maintenance approach producing firm and fast conditions



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### WORK EXPERIENCE

#### **COURSE SET-UP AND EVERYDAY MAINTENANCE**

- Setup golf courses, mowing, and bunker maintenance
- Manage TDR/Moisture Meter readings
- Operate all types of golf course and construction equipment

### **TURFGRASS MAINTENANCE**

- Manage Bentgrass, Fine Fescue, and even Ryegrass in various maintained areas
- Make pesticide and fertilizer applications to various turf types and areas
- Perform various cultural practices
- Assist with maintaining the native areas such as sand barrens, tree groves, and sedge

### **CREW MANAGEMENT**

- Manage sunrise and sunset crews
- Utilize job boards and task tracker
- Assist crew with on course needs

#### **IRRIGATION SYSTEMS**

- Perform irrigation audits
- Repair and maintain sprinkler heads
- Setup overnight watering

#### FACILITY AND SHOP EXPERIENCE

- · Assist with equipment parking and alignment
- Check cutting units (quality of cut and height of cut)
- Grind reels and bedknives
- Equipment setup and adjustments
- Preventative maintenance and various repairs

# **CONTINUED EDUCATION**

#### **FIELD TRIPS**

• Tour of the Toro Company manufacturing facility in Tomah, with education to include Toro's approach to the future in technology

#### **ON-SITE SEMINARS**

Bernhard Company – reel technology seminar with training of grinding technique