



PGA

Kentucky Section

2017 KPGA ASSISTANT GOLF PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR NOMINATION

Name of Nominee: Bobby Newberry
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1. Please describe the nominee's overall performance as an Assistant Golf Professional.
I have performed every duty at the Club with the highest level of care and professionalism. In just my second year in my current role, I was able to be the lead staff personnel for the Ladies 18 hole group, the 9 hole ladies group, the Saturday morning Summer Events program, and organized every Club event in the new tournament software – Golf Genius. I also significantly increased my presence in teaching with being solely in charge of the PGA Jr. League from March through July. I also took a leadership role in both week long summer camps for the kids. I have successfully completed next season's golf calendar in the absence of a head golf professional; as well as working extremely close with the board and committees during the head professionals time of absences.
2. Please briefly describe the nominee's service to the local Section and to the Association.
I was extremely busy with the duties and responsibilities that were set forth in my commitment to Hunting Creek but plan on committing myself to the Section as I become more familiar with the Association.
3. Please briefly describe the nominee's leadership ability.
I was able to quickly establish myself as a leader on the staff at Hunting Creek. I have been able to utilize a "lead by example" method of leadership. All of the outside staff and inside support staff have always followed my passion for service to the members and attention to details of cleanliness.
4. Please briefly describe how the nominee inspires fellow Assistant Golf Professionals.
I try to inspire others by being friendly, approachable, and passionate about PGA Jr. League, playing golf at a high level, and becoming the best PGA professional possible.
5. Please briefly describe how the nominee grows the game of golf at the facility, in the community and throughout the Section.
I am the point of contact for all things Junior Golf at Hunting Creek. Also I take charge of all Get Golf Ready clinics to try and grow the game not only through juniors but women as well. Showing both groups that golf isn't scary or nerve wrecking but FUN for all ages!
6. Please list any Section or National awards the nominee has received
None