

## Golf at Merion

The Merion Golf Club consists of two Hugh Wilson designed courses. The East Course, built in 1912, has hosted 18 USGA Championships, the most of any course; the most recent being the 2009 Walker Cup and the next the 2013 U.S. Open. Merion's East Course is currently ranked 7<sup>th</sup> in the country and 11<sup>th</sup> in the world. The West Course was built in 1914.

Many of Merion's traditions are concerned with the East Course. Dunes grass and Scotch broom in the bunkers, wicker flagsticks, and maintaining the course in virtually championship condition at all times are some of the Club's proud traditions.

*"Merion is not great because history was made there. History was made there because Merion was great."*

Pete Dye  
*Golf Journal*

## USGA Championships

1904	Women's Amateur
1909	Women's Amateur
1916	U.S. Amateur
1924	U.S. Amateur
1926	Women's Amateur
1930	U.S. Amateur
1934	U.S. Open
1949	Women's Amateur
1950	U.S. Open
1954	Curtis Cup
1960	World Amateur
1966	U.S. Amateur
1971	U.S. Open
1981	U.S. Open
1989	U.S. Amateur
1998	U.S. Girls' Junior
2005	U.S. Amateur
2009	Walker Cup
2013	U.S. Open

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## *Merion Golf Club*

### Green Department Intern Program



# 2011 Green Department Intern Program

Merion Golf Club has a long history of providing internships. We know the importance of an educational internship and demand that our interns get the most out of our program. With the years of experience obtained by the staff, the intern should be able to gain the knowledge needed to succeed in every aspect of the business. The staff will work hands-on with you to ensure that you will be successful here and in your future.

## Intern Job Description

- 1 month on West and 2+ months on East Course
- Chemical/fertilizer applications and calibrations
- Integrated pest management
- Irrigation repair and technology
- Proper watering techniques
- Golf course maintenance
- Education workshops by staff and guest speakers

## Compensation

- \$9/hour + overtime
- On-site dormitories
- Uniform shirts
- Golfing privileges
- Meals



## Staff

Matthew G. Shaffer  
Director of Golf Course Operations

Arron McCurdy, Superintendent  
Andrew Dooley, Senior Assistant Superintendent  
Brian Palmer, Senior Assistant Superintendent  
Patrick Haughey, Assistant Superintendent  
Pat Maher, Assistant Superintendent  
David McDonald, Assistant Superintendent  
Matt Stoy, Assistant Superintendent