Apprentice Greenkeeper

Bannockburn Golf Club
Bannockburn, VIC
Full time

About Bannockburn Golf Club:
Bannockburn Golf Club is a scenic 18-hole golf course located in the heart of Bannockburn, Victoria. We are renowned for our challenging layout and exceptional course conditions, taking immense pride in delivering a top-quality playing surface for our members and community.

Position Summary:
We are seeking an enthusiastic, hands-on individual to join our greenkeeping team as an **Apprentice Greenkeeper**. This entry-level role offers a unique opportunity to learn from experienced industry professionals, earn while you learn, gain a recognized trade qualification in sports turf management, and contribute directly to the ongoing maintenance and presentation of our golf course.

Apprentice Greenkeeper Duties:

- Undergo a structured apprenticeship program to complete a Certificate III in Sports Turf Management.
- Assist with all daily aspects of course maintenance, including mowing, topdressing, fertilizing, irrigation, and weed/pest control.
- Learn essential principles of soil science, plant biology, turf health, and specialized machinery operation.
- Participate in daily course setup and general turf presentation.
- Work as part of a rostered team, including weekend coverage.

Qualifications & Experience:

- Minimum Year 10 or equivalent education.
- Genuine interest in horticulture, outdoor practical work, or sports turf management.
- Physically fit and able to work outdoors in all weather conditions.
- Reliable, punctual, and possess a strong work ethic.
- A positive, enthusiastic attitude with a keen willingness to learn both on the job and through formal coursework.

Benefits:

- **Free Golf Membership:** Enjoy full playing rights at Bannockburn Golf Club.
- **Trade Qualification:** Fully supported apprenticeship pathway to earn your Certificate III in Sports Turf Management.
- **Competitive Remuneration:** Award and industry-aligned apprentice wages.
- **Supportive Environment:** Work outdoors as part of a passionate, tight-knit team with hands-on mentorship.

To Apply:
Please submit your resume and cover letter detailing why you are interested in starting a career in sports turf management directly to: **superintendent@bannockburngolfclub.org.au**
This is a fantastic opportunity if you love the outdoors, are enthusiastic about golf, and want to build a practical trade career.
We encourage applications from all suitable candidates!

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