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**John Deere Celebrates 2015 Top Distributors, Sales  
Representatives**

*Distributors, sales managers and salespersons recognized at GIS 2016*

San Diego (February 11, 2016) – John Deere Golf held its annual distributor awards ceremony at a customer event aboard the USS Midway aircraft carrier at the 2016 Golf Industry Show (GIS). During the presentation, Greenville Turf & Tractor was named Dealer of the Year.

“John Deere Golf has built a tradition of trust and excellence on golf courses across the world, and we couldn’t do that without our distributors, sales managers and salespeople,” said David Plaster, North American sales manager, John Deere Golf. “Behind our best-in-class equipment are the people who are committed to the long-term success of their golf customers. We’re honored to recognize these sales leaders who best represent John Deere’s dedication to the golf industry.”

Sales Person of the Year designations were awarded to Wes Bryant of Pacific Turf, Jon Manning of Austin Turf & Tractor, Jim Roberts of Greenville Turf & Tractor, Dave Senchal of Canada-Lague and Paul Schultheis of Finch Services.

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