

## Accredited Assistant Golf Superintendent™ Program

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The Canadian Golf Superintendents Association (CGSA) is pleased to announce that Mark Kolentsis has been certified as an "Accredited Assistant Golf Superintendent<sup>TM</sup>" (AAGS®) by the CGSA. In achieving this designation, Mr. Kolentsis joins an elite group of golf course assistant superintendent from across the country that has successfully met the standards established by our profession to achieve this honour.

The CGSA Accreditation Program requires Mark Kolentsis to recertify every five years to ensure that he is retaining the skills needed by an Accredited Assistant Golf Superintendent™. Mark's peers are very cognizant of the fact that he has now proven himself to be deserving of this professional recognition.

Mark's love for the game of golf and golf course maintenance profession has taken him to three Canadian provinces and internationally to Australia, New Zealand and Scotland where he was part of the greenkeeping team who prepared The Old Course for the 2010 Open Championship.

Mark has been an Assistant Superintendent at The Glencoe Golf & Country Club since 2012. Mark holds an Associates Diploma in Turfgrass Management from the University of Guelph and a Bachelor of Applied Science degree in Golf Course Management from Olds College.

The Canadian Golf Superintendents Association is a society of approximately 1,100 members which is committed to excellence in golf course management and environmental responsibility through the continuing professional development of its members.

For more information on our Accreditation Program, please contact the office at (416) 626-8873 or 1-800-387-1056, or visit our website under Education – Professional Designations at <a href="https://www.golfsupers.com">www.golfsupers.com</a>.

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