



Lockenvitz Joins Cantigny Golf Academy as Master Club Fitter and Builder

WHEATON, IL, August 17, 2011 — The Cantigny Golf Academy is pleased to announce the addition of Everett J. Lockenvitz to its professional staff. He will lead the Academy's custom club fitting operation, serving as Master Club Fitter and Master Club Builder.

Lockenvitz was the founder of EJM Custom Golf Clubs, Inc., a business he owned and operated for 15 years. EJM was recognized among the top 10 custom fitting companies in the United States and Lockenvitz himself is a *Golf Digest* Top 100 Club Fitter.

"We are extremely fortunate to have Everett on board," said Connie DeMattia, Cantigny Golf director of instruction. "His knowledge and expertise in club fitting is unmatched throughout the country."

DeMattia further noted that the Cantigny Golf Academy aspires to being the Chicago region's premier club fitting center. "With Everett on staff, we've taken a major step toward achieving our goal," he said.

Lockenvitz joins Club Fitting Specialist Pat Hickey at the Academy, where clients benefit from the latest technology and all major equipment brands including TaylorMade, Titleist, Nike and Mizuno. Great care is taken to ensure that customers are fitted to the correct shaft, grip, loft, lie angle and club manufacturer.

"We fit irons, woods, hybrids and wedges," said Lockenvitz. "That alone is not unique, but I do believe the service level here at Cantigny is exceptional. We identify a golfer's special needs and then make the necessary adjustments during the club fitting to accommodate them. Experience means a lot in this business."

"I'm pleased to be part of Cantigny Golf and look forward to helping our customers enjoy the game even more. It all begins with properly fitted equipment."

A resident of Oak Brook, Lockenvitz attended the University of Illinois and DePaul University prior to a 26-year career in the banking industry. He founded EJM Custom Golf Clubs in 1995.

More information about the Cantigny Golf Academy and custom club fitting is online at CantignyGolf.com or call 630.260.8199.

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About Cantigny Golf

Cantigny Golf, part of the Robert R. McCormick Foundation, opened for play in 1989. That year, *Golf Digest* magazine named it the "Best New Public Course in America." Cantigny has hosted the Illinois State Amateur three times and also the 2007 U.S.

Amateur Public Links Championship. The 300-acre Cantigny Golf complex includes 27 scenic holes, the year-round Cantigny Golf Academy, the 9-hole Cantigny Youth Links and a full-service clubhouse with dining and banquet facilities. For more information, please visit CantignyGolf.com.

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