

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF GOLF COURSE ARCHITECTS



Sept. 21, 2012

Diane Brickley
Membership / Marketing Director
Granite Links Golf Club at Quarry Hills
100 Quarry Hills Drive
Quincy, MA 02169

Dear Diane:

Congratulations! Granite Links Golf Club has been selected as a recipient of the 2012 American Society of Golf Course Architects Design Excellence Recognition Program. ASGCA member John Sanford submitted the nomination, detailing a project he completed at your facility.

All of the nominations for the initial year of the Design Excellence Recognition Program were reviewed by a panel of golf industry leaders, including the presidents of the Club Managers Association of America, Golf Course Superintendents Association of America, Golf Course Builders Association of America, National Golf Course Owners Association and national writer Ron Whitten. The panel's collected opinion was that the project submitted for Granite Links merits the "excellence" designation.

Details on promotional efforts surrounding your award are being finalized, but will include ASGCA working with John Sanford and you or other staff members at the facility to promote the award in the coming months. Some areas include:

- A national press release announcing all of the award recipients.
- The winter issue of "By Design," the official magazine of ASGCA, featuring an article on your course and the completed project.
- Publicity in your local area.
- Creation of a plaque featuring your "By Design" article to be presented at an agreed-upon date in the first quarter of 2013, including a photo opportunity for local media.

Diane, ASGCA hopes everyone at Granite Links is proud of the work the club has done with John, and will use this opportunity to continue telling the story of the positive impact your facility has on golfers and your community.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'CR', is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Chad Ritterbusch
Executive Director

CC: John Sanford, ASGCA