



GOLF COURSE SUPERINTENDENTS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA

SUPERINTENDENT OF THE YEAR

NOMINATION FORM

NOMINATIONS DUE BY MARCH 31, 2019

Name of Nominee: DAVID FREITAG

Name of Golf Course/Club: Pronghorn

Contact Information of Nominee:

Email: David.Freitag@pronghornresort.com Phone: 541-693-5300

Please include with completed form:

- 1) Brief outline of Nominee's past employment history.
 - 2) Basis for nomination (i.e. current course conditions, major projects, work ethics, significant accomplishments, work performance, etc.
- } See supporting doc

Nominator Information:

I certify that the information in these nomination papers is true, accurate and complete.

Nominator Name: Jenrel Grow Position: Director of Golf

Email: Jenrel.grow@pronghornresort.com Phone: 541-693-5300

Signature: [Signature] Date: 5 March 2019

We ask that this nomination form be co-signed by another representative from your club or company or by another member of the Oregon Golf Course Superintendents Association.

Co-Signer Name: Spencer Schaub Position: General Manager

Signature: [Signature] Date: 5-March-2019

SUBMIT NOMINATIONS BY MARCH 31, 2019

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1) Brief outline of nominee's employment history

David Freitag was part of the grow in process when the resort was built in 2004. David was an integral part of the each team and each golf course. Working close with the Jack Nicklaus and Tom Fazio design teams. David has also worked close with the head of agronomy for Troon.

2) Basis for the nomination

- The Pronghorn Jack Nicklaus Signature Design was awarded "Best Golf Course Conditions" by Troon in 2017.
- David built the landscape team and operation from a cost department to one of the most profitable businesses we have on property.
 - Highest net profit % of revenue of any dept. on property
- Highest seasonal employee return rate of any department at Pronghorn (over 200 employees)
- Oregon Bride Magazine "Best Country Club Golf Course Venue".
- David and his team built a unique 'wedding island' on property and maintains it meticulously.