

## **Education Seminar a Success at Aronimink GC**

This past January 14<sup>th</sup>, the Philadelphia Section held its first Educational Seminar of the 2010 season. The event was held at Aronimink GC in Newtown Square, PA and featured guest speakers and Stack and Tilt co-founders Andy Plummer and Mike Bennett. Over 100 Section Professionals and select guests made this one of the largest attended education seminars in recent Section history.

The reasons for attending the education seminar were varied. Some Professional attended the seminar as a refresher course while others were learning about the Stack and Tilt method for the first time. Likewise, some Professionals were there to learn for personal use while others were looking to acquire information to help their members on the lesson tee. Whatever the reason may have been, the seminar was a tremendous success and the Section is looking to carry this enthusiasm throughout the 2010 season. The Section would also like to thank event partner, TaylorMade, for their support of this education seminar.

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Recently, the Philadelphia Section appointed Fieldstone Golf Club (Greenville, DE) head professional, James Larkin, PGA to the Section's District 2 Director post. Larkin is replacing outgoing District 2 Director, Dave McNabb, PGA, formally of Cavaliers Country Club (Newark, DE). McNabb has accepted a position outside of the District 2 borders which prohibits him from representing that District. District 2 of the Philadelphia Section covers all of Delaware and parts of Maryland.

Larkin will join the Section's Board of Directors which consists of seven Executive Committee members, seven District Directors including Larkin, an Independent Director, our Chapter President and Assistant's Organization President. Larkin will hold this position for a two year term that expires at the Section Fall Meeting in 2011. This is the first office that Larkin has held within the Philadelphia Section.

-- Joe Monforto