A NOTE

Golf is embarking on a watershed year and Golfweek, now part of the USA TODAY Network, is evolving to bring you - the serious golfer - more of the issues, influencers and institutions that make the game so great.

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It starts with your new monthly print magazine. The bigger, bolder, slicker book contains all the elements that have made Golfweek a must read for those who follow and appreciate golf at all levels. From the behind-the-scenes insight of The Forecaddie, to coverage of the pro tours, to colleges, juniors and amateurs, no other publication goes so deep to bring the sport and its personalities to life. The stars of tomorrow are playing today on our pages. The legends of yore and the history behind the sport endures in our archives.

As technology continues to change the game, our equipment coverage has expanded to keep you in the know of what's hot and helping golfers gain an advantage. In For Your Game, you'll get top-shelf tips and instruction from elite players.

Looking for that ultimate golf getaway or informed ratings of the top courses in the nation and the world? The Golf Life takes you to breathtaking venues, and our Rater's Notebooks break down the best-in-breed properties.

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