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**Shining Rock Golf Club Recognized by GOLF Magazine
as One of the Top 10 Best New Courses You Can Play of 2010**

Northbridge, Massachusetts (December 7, 2010)--Shining Rock Golf Club garnered another accolade from GOLF Magazine in its "Best New Courses You Can Play of 2010" list that is appears in the January 2011 issue. The daily fee course, which in a few short months has achieved significant national attention, finished fourth in the prestigious annual rankings. The publication also designated Shining Rock Golf Club as the "Best Value" of the 10 rated courses selected.

Shining Rock was called "an inspired layout dripping with Yankee charm." Construction superintendent Patrick Sullivan was singled out for his design contributions and the review noted: "Not every course needs a pedigreed architect to make its mark."

"For Shining Rock Golf Club to be recognized by *GOLF Magazine* as the fourth-best new public access course of the year is a distinction that validates the commitment we have made to providing an excellent experience for all golfers at reasonable rates," said spokesman Tim Gordon. "The fact that we are rated just behind an exceptional resort course and a top Jack Nicklaus design is remarkable. Everyone associated with Shining Rock is very proud to receive this most special recognition."

The new Old Macdonald course, designed by Tom Doak and Jim Urbina, at the highly regarded Bandon Dunes Resort in Oregon claimed the #1 ranking. PGA Tour golfer Tom Lehman's Nebraska course, The Prairie Club (Dunes), was second and Michigan's The Golf Club at Harbor Shores, a heralded Jack Nicklaus Signature design, was third.

About Shining Rock Golf Club

Shining Rock Golf Club officially opened in April 2010. GOLF Magazine in its September issue listing of the "10 Best Golf Courses in Massachusetts" awarded Shining Rock the fifth spot. Golfweek Magazine also recently ranked Shining Rock as one of its overall *Best New Courses* of 2009-2010. Golf memberships and tee times are available online at www.shiningrock.com.