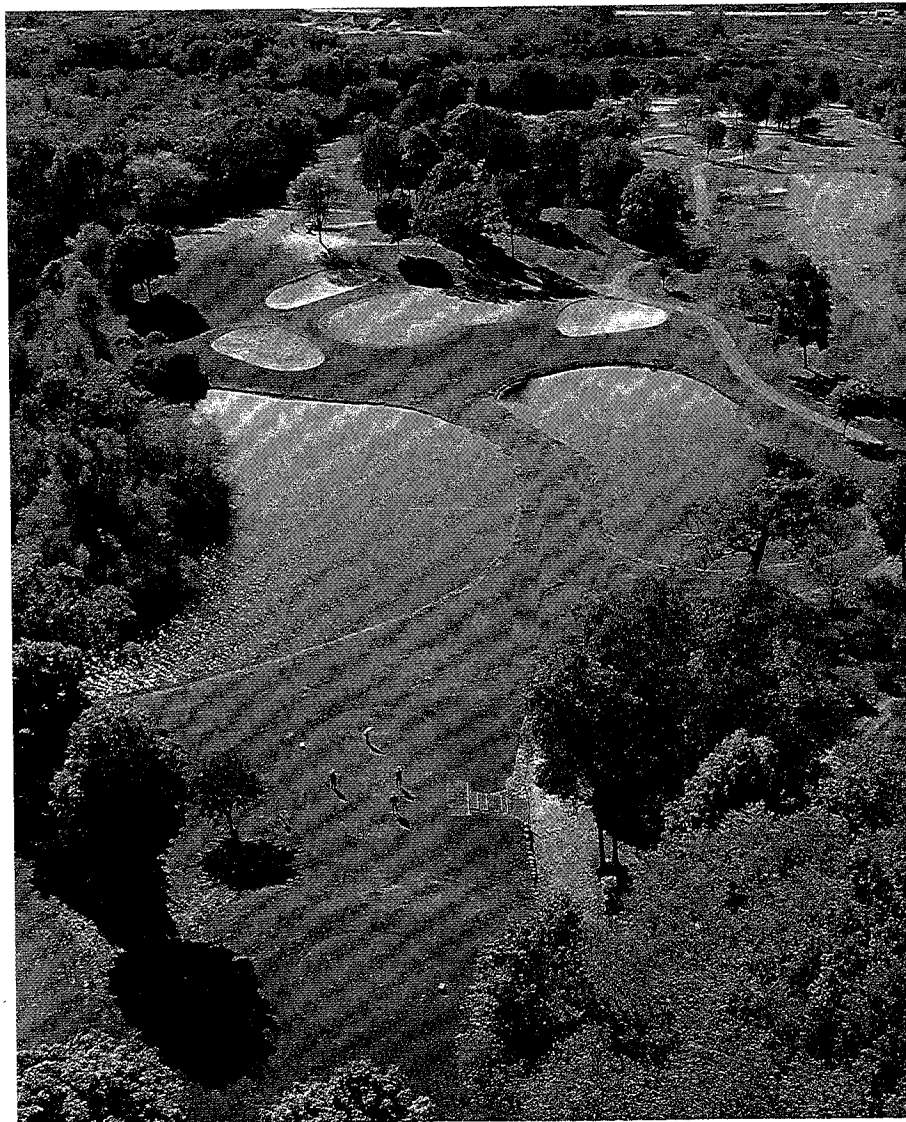


Grand Geneva Resort and Spa, Lake Geneva

800.558.3417, grandgeneva.com

Ranked among the top five golf resorts nationwide by *Condé Nast Traveler*, this spot is known for its denizen, The Brute, an 18-hole course brandishing 68 bunkers over 7,000 yards of rolling greens. A tussle with this or the other 18-hole course, The Highlands – originally designed by Jack Nicklaus and Pete Dye – definitely calls for a little post-round pampering at the luxurious and eco-friendly resort, which has earned certification from the Travel Green Wisconsin program in addition to its Four Diamond rating from AAA.

The resort offers a range of activities including horseback riding, crafts, a fitness center and more. Fully unwind at the resort's recently renovated WELL Spa. The various golf/spa packages are popular among the ladies, but there are also Hot Dates specials, and it's not uncommon to see guys-only golf groups show up for spa services at some point during their stay, says Dave Hallenbeck, director of golf.



Heidel House Resort & Spa, Green Lake

800.444.2812, heidelhouse.com

With 99 holes within a 10-minute drive, Heidelberg House can't be beat for variety. Since its opening in 1945, the resort has been a popular retreat for vacationers looking to play or fish on Green Lake, Wisconsin's deepest natural inland body of water. But most visitors come for the golf. The Heidelberg Stay and Play packages offer spa discounts and time at the Golf Courses of Lawsonia, one of America's best and most affordable public golf courses, according to *Golf Digest*. Lawsonia's Links course is at the top of most Wisconsin golf challenges, and its Woodlands course is a worthy challenge in its own right. The Excursion Package includes Tuscumbia Golf Course, one of the state's oldest, and nearby Mascoutin Golf Course. In 2006, Heidelberg House became a coveted spa destination as well, with the opening of its Evensong Spa.

Wisconsin's resorts are the perfect couples' retreat with rounds followed by rest and relaxation.