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Zachary Holston Named Executive Chef at Cantigny

Wheaton, Ill., June 7, 2018 — Culinary veteran Zachary Holston has joined Cantigny Park and Cantigny Golf as executive chef. The appointment was announced by Northbrook, Ill.-based KemperSports, which oversees Cantigny's golf and foodservice operations.

Holston joins Cantigny following seven years at Maggiano's Little Italy in Schaumburg, where he directed nearly 200 staff members in a high-volume setting.

"Zakh is passionate about the culinary arts and his talent will be enjoyed every day by our customers," said Terry Hanley, Cantigny Golf general manager. "From individual meals to banquets with more than 200 guests, his commitment to excellence will be a great asset to our operations."

Cantigny's food and beverage operations include Le Jardin and Bertie's Bistro at Cantigny Park, and the Red Oak Room, Fareways Grill and Woodside Pavilion at Cantigny Golf. The latter, new for 2018, is a premium tented venue for parties of up to 250 guests.

Holston will oversee a culinary and kitchen staff of 35. His culinary and management experience includes The Inn at 835 and Conn's Catering in Springfield, Ill.

"I've been visiting Cantigny for years with my family and we absolutely love the place," said Holston. "This is an exciting opportunity to lead a great team and shape the culinary culture of a beloved institution. Our goal is to give people even more reasons to come enjoy Cantigny."

Holston graduated from IUP Academy of Culinary Arts in Punxsutawney, Pa. He resides in Bolingbrook with his wife, Amanda, and four children.

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About Cantigny

[Cantigny Park](#), part of the Robert R. McCormick Foundations, is home to the McCormick House, First Division Museum, formal gardens, picnic grounds, walking trails and a Visitor Center with banquet and dining facilities. [Cantigny Golf](#), adjacent to the park, features a 27-hole championship golf course, clubhouse with banquet and dining rooms, Cantigny Golf Academy and the 9-hole Cantigny Youth Links. Golf and parkwide foodservice operations are managed by [KemperSports](#), Northbrook, Ill.