

Grounds Intern

El Paso Chihuahuas, San Diego Padres Triple-A Affiliate
Southwest University Park, El Paso, TX

Note from Nathan Jones:

I wanted to check in with you and let you know how I have been doing since graduation. Last winter I was offered the Assistant Head Groundskeeper position with the San Diego Padres new triple A team in El Paso, TX. I started at the end of February and was able to be on site for 85% of the field construction, we were able to build a first class field and shop from the ground up. We are extremely lucky to have ownership and a front office that trusted us and wanted things done without cutting corners. As a result we have a beautiful ballpark with 419 Bermuda from King Ranch sod farm, Duraedge Pro infield, and a Duraedge warning track with an organic lock binder from Gail Materials. The players and coaches have had nothing but good things to say about our field and how we manage it.

I also wanted to let you know that we will be **looking for an intern for next season**, so if there is anyone at Michigan State looking please let me know. **Contact** Nathan Jones at njones@epchihuahuas.com.

I will attach a couple photos from this season as well.

