

The view from the clubbouse veranda showcases the golf course, the surrounding neighborhood and Lebanon itself.

VIEW FROM ABOVE

HILLTOP CLUBHOUSE ADDS TO BEAUTY OF FIVE OAKS

very house is a sight to behold in Five Oaks – including the clubhouse.

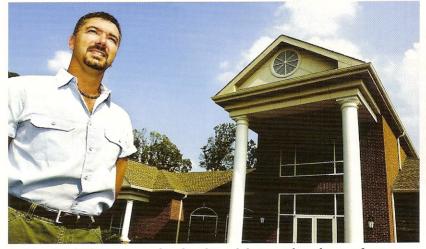
The 19,000-square-foot, two-story building rests atop one of the highest points in Lebanon. It is just one of the many sparkling amenities at Five Oaks Golf and Country Club.

The spacious clubhouse is a modern architectural marvel, yet it features many elements of traditional design.

"The exterior has Southern colonial touches, including a wrap-around veranda and large columns," says Michael Manous, president of Manous Consulting & Design in Lebanon, contractor of the project. "But for all its traditional style, it also has unique and modern aspects, such as synchronized outdoor lighting that gives the building nice shadow lines in the evening."

Manous says the clubhouse was built to provide a spectacular view of the golf course, the surrounding neighborhood and Lebanon itself. A spacious golf shop, modern commercial kitchen and large stone fireplace highlight the interior's main floor.

"The entry foyer is adorned with



Architect Michael Manous combined traditional design with modern comforts to build the 19,000-square-foot clubhouse.

polished porcelain ceramic tile done in a diagonal diamond pattern, and the upper level of the clubhouse includes a 200-seat restaurant, lounge and outdoor veranda," Manous says.

"The golf shop and men's locker room have a surface that looks like a hardwood floor, but is actually a plastic floor with a heavy-duty service rating. It takes the punishment of rubber cleats, and looks great."

"The clubhouse at Five Oaks was a great project to be involved with," he says. "I'm very pleased with the finished product, and I trust that the members are, too."