Mike Bird  
Class of ’03

Why I chose DelVal:

My search for a B.S. in Turf Management led me to DelVal and Penn State. I toured a branch campus of Penn State and was not impressed. Then, I toured DelVal and knew that this was the school for me. The small class and school size is what made me choose DelVal.

If you told me what I would do and accomplish while at DelVal, I would never have believed it. The environment at DelVal made it possible. The best thing that I liked about DelVal is the friends that I made. Living in the dorms and meeting my friends was the best thing that happened to me. While I only knew these people for four years, I have formed relationships that will be forever lasting.

Steve McDonald  
Class of ’03

Why I chose DelVal:

I choose DelVal because it is small, quiet and in a unique setting in which I felt comfortable.

Small class size with hands-on teaching of material made it easy for me to succeed. I felt comfortable with the professors; they were always there to answer my questions and give me advice. Plus, I was able to work with some professors outside of class on research projects, in clubs and at conferences.

Dan Andrus  
Class of ’99

Why I chose DelVal:

I chose DelVal because I wanted to study turf management at a small school. Since my only real options in Pennsylvania were DelVal and Penn State, I chose the much smaller school, DelVal. I also had a long list of family and friends that attended, including my father.

The best thing about DelVal is the small class size, which allows you to form close relationships with your professors and classmates which stand the test of time.
Dave Super  Class of ’05

Why I chose DelVal:

I chose DelVal because of the small class size that gives all students a great opportunity for one-on-one interaction with professors. Also, DelVal offered a solid turf-grass program that prepared me for a career in athletic field management.

Shaun Henry  Class of ’97

Why I chose DelVal:

I chose DelVal primarily for the small class size, professor/student ratio and hands-on classes. I always felt like an individual – a name, not a number – at Del Val.