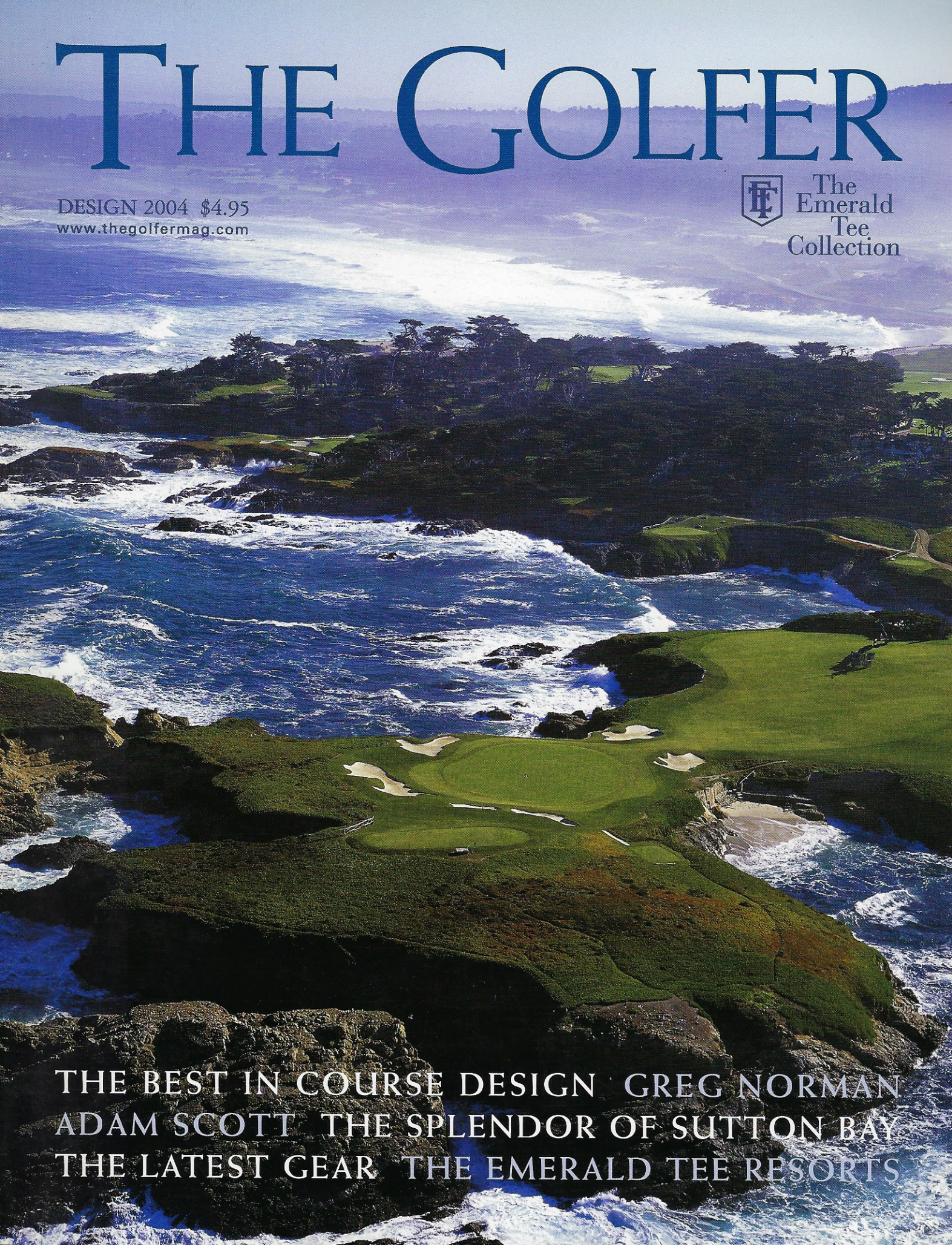
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10 Favorite Recent Discoveries

by Tom Doak

Tom Doak, principal architect of Renaissance Design, has designed such world famous courses as Pacific Dunes and Cape Kidnappers. In 1996, he published the highly provocative "Confidential Guide to Golf Course Architecture," a review of more than 800 golf courses around the world. He excluded his own designs from this list.

Bandon Dunes: If David Kidd hadn't done so well in front of me with this design on the Oregon coast, I never would have gotten to build my own best course at Pacific Dunes.
Caledonia: Mike Strantz's first solo design on Pawleys Island, S.C., and possibly the most interesting and fun course I have seen on a flat site.
Fenway: A great Tillinghast course lying in obscurity just a couple of miles from Winged Foot in the Westchester suburb of Scarsdale.

