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- Club Official
- Exhibitor
- Greenkeepers
- Local Authority
- General
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Your at a glance guide to all that's going on

Wednesday, 20th January 1993

THE ROYAL HALL, HARROGATE

10.30am
OPENING CEREMONY AND PRESENTATION OF INDUSTRY AND EDUCATION AWARDS
HRH The Duke of York and Viscount Whitelaw

11.40 - 12.10pm
SETTING UP A NEW AMERICAN STYLE DEVELOPMENT IN BRITAIN
Martin Jones, Course Manager, The Oxfordshire Golf Club

EUROPEAN FORUM
12-2pm at the Old Swan Hotel. The first ever European Forum aimed at ascertaining the needs of greenkeepers throughout Europe.

SEMINAR PROGRAMME SESSION C
1.40 - 2.10pm
THE LAYMAN'S VIEW ON BUILDING A USGA GREEN
George Barr, Course Manager, Ham Manor Golf Club

11.00 - 12noon
ACTION PLAN FOR A RISK ASSESSMENT
Jon Allbutt, Health and Safety Consultant

3.50 - 4.20pm
COMPUTERS IN GOLF COURSE MANAGEMENT
Hartley Gidman, British Institute of Golf Course Architects

3.20 - 3.50pm
IRRIGATION SYSTEM IS BEING INSTALLED
Keith Jaynes, NMB Farm Finance

3.50 - 4.20pm
AERATION AND THE GOLF CLUB MEMBERS
Bob Lupton, Course Manager, Cleckheaton Golf Club

11.40 - 11.45pm
STAYING ONE STEP AHEAD OF THE LAW: ACTION PLAN FOR A RISK ASSESSMENT
Jon Allbutt, Health and Safety Consultant
Simon Gidman, one of the young tigers of golf course architecture, is well qualified to discuss the benefits of engaging a golf course architect, having been involved in the business for some ten years and more recently gaining full membership of the British Institute of Golf Course Architects. Simon first entered golf as an assistant professional at Gerrards Cross GC, retaining his ‘pro’ status until 1979, when he attended Leeds Polytechnic until 1982 to study Landscape Architecture. From 1983 he worked as a self-employed consultant at Hawtree & Co and during that time worked on many golf courses both private and public in Britain and abroad.

Courses for which he has had primary responsibility, both in terms of planning, design and contract supervision include the Seedy Mill GC, Sandford Springs GC, West Hove GC, Salisbury & S Wilts (extension), and the prestigious Puckrup Hall Hotel course at Tewkesbury.

Richard Barker is well known to readers of Greenkeeper International, playing a multifaceted role in the development of the Association through his chairmanship of the East Midlands section, his just announced appointment to the committee of the Midlands region and his launch into greenkeeping ‘stardom’ as an award winner in the 1991 ICI Premier Greenkeeper of the Year awards. Apart from his ‘serious’ work, Richard has achieved high honours in the game of golf and has on numerous occasions been seen taking the giant’s share of silverware at BIGHA tournaments.

Since 1988 he has been head greenkeeper at Kirby Muxloe GC, near Leicester, and it is from his experiences at Kirby Muxloe that he presents his talk on Grass cutting to cost cutting, a paper that will outline several important aspects in the preparing and monitoring of a golf course budget and its subsequent presentation to the club treasurer – valuable ammunition.

David MacIndoe began his career under the expert guidance of Jack McMillan, cutting his metaphorical golfing teeth on the fine turf of Cardross, Scotland. At the age of just 20 he won recognition by becoming the head greenkeeper at Kingsthorpe GC, Northampton, following this with similar posts at Kingsthorpe GC, Northampton, following this with similar posts at Kingsdown GC and the West Herts GC. Throughout all this time David was the most active of committee men, serving on the executive committee of BGGA, on the board of management of EIGGA and chairing the London branch for both BGGA and EIGGA.

Ireland beckoned in 1984 and he became course manager at the exquisite 36 hole Killarney Golf and Fishing Club, a club that has played host to the Carrolls Irish Open in both 1991 and 1992. We know David as a man with essentially practical views and we are sure that seminar participants will enjoy listening to his discourse on Greens management – back to reality, a thoroughly intriguing title.
Kerran Daly is the course manager at Salisbury and South Wiltshire GC, as well as being one of the select handful who has achieved Master Greenkeeper status. He’s a Scot by birth and breeding but with the unusual distinction of having only ever worked on golf courses in the south of England - rare indeed!

Always an active member of BIGGA, Kerran has held various positions within the committee structure, including chairmanship of the Sussex section. More recently he has been elected as the regional board representative for the South Coast section, expressing his main interest as that of advancing greenkeeper education. On that front, Kerran will address the Harrogate audience on the subject of Golf - 365 days a year! is no pipe dream, rather an eminently achievable target for those who seek to provide year round play on a full course at reasonable cost, coupled with true, firm greens and mud free fairways.

George Barr has much to be proud of, managing as he does the delightful Ham Manor course, undoubtedly one of Harry Colt’s finest. At the back of George’s mind, however, there had long been a nagging feeling that the eighteenth green at The Ham ‘had somehow not survived in quite the same way as Harry’s seventeen other gems, often playing in an uncharacteristic manner. With unbounded enthusiasm and a modicum of guidance from the experts, George photographed the green, took meticulous measurements of every contour and idiosyncrasy and then proceeded to lift the turf and rebuild the entire green to USGA specifications. His talk, The layman’s view on building a USGA spec green will make fascinating listening, with the ghost of Harry Colt, I fancy, nodding approval.

Martin Jones started in greenkeeping as a result of summer work whilst studying maths and engineering. During a period spent on the Southend Parks Department course, he decided that his future lay in golf course management. Positions at Saffron Walden GC and Tadmorton Heath GC followed and he is currently responsible for growing in the prestigious Rees Jones designed Oxfordshire course near Thame. His paper, Setting up an American style development in Britain, will highlight the differences between managing old and new courses and outline the techniques used during the establishment of an American style course.

Bob Lupton worked at the STRI for four years before becoming a head greenkeeper, at the tender age of 19, at Baildon GC. After six years he moved to a second head greenkeeping post, this time at West Bradford GC, and eight years later moved to his current job, that of course manager at Cleckheaton, where he has been in charge for some five years. Bob is a high profile BIGGA personality - a lifelong member, currently the Northern region administrator, a committee member of the Northern section and a former chairman, secretary and treasurer. In addition he has also worked on the Turfgrass Advisory Committee and the Askham Bryan College Liaison Committee.

There can be none in the profession who doubt the value of aeration, though his subject for discussion, Aeration and the golf club member, will no doubt open up a whole new vista on the thorny problem of keeping the customers satisfied by keeping them informed.

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ADAS – Stand No. A2
Wrest Park, Silsoe, Bedford MK45 4HS
Tel: 0525-860077 Fax: 0525-861813
Contact: A Redrup
The ADAS exhibit will highlight a comprehensive range of consultancy services to enable golf and other sports clubs to maintain and improve current facilities so that usage can be increased and deterioration of playing conditions avoided. ADAS consultancy services are completely independent and objective. Our highly professional team of consultants includes architects, civil and structural engineers, drainage and irrigation engineers, meteorologists, agronomists, ecologists, woodland experts and business advisers. All services are supported by in-house laboratories able to undertake tasks such as pest and disease identification or soil, material and water analysis. We use the latest techniques and equipment such as aerial photography and computerisation.

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Blue Roof Farm, Throop Road, Bournemouth, Dorset BH10 0WU
Tel: 0202-532291 Fax: 0202-535224
Contact: I. Linehan/T Le Mesurier
Agriland’s amenity range is getting well established north of Watford, so here we are in Harrogate for the first time. Our show features Agrimaster, AgriCrop, Ferrogreen, Classic Liquid Fertilisers, Multi-Purpose Wetter and Seaweed meal soil conditioner – plus a brand new product never seen in public before. Friends and spies are welcome on stand B4.

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Contact: Lance Bassett
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ALLETT MOWERS – Stand No. B42A
60 Burkit Road, Earlstrees Industrial Estate, Corby, Northants NN17 2DT
Tel: 0536-68950 Fax: 0536-201856

ATTERTON & ELLIS – Stand No. A8
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Norfolk NR10 5NL
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Tel: 0359-707766 Fax: 0359-71-21
Contact: Michel Mulder

Both British and overseas visitors to the Barenbrug stand at BTME will feel at home as the products they'll find are widely known and used throughout the European Community. To satisfy the entire needs of the golfing greenkeeper, Barenbrug will be displaying many of the highly rated grass seed varieties carefully bred for application throughout Europe. At the BIGGA stand you will be able to obtain all current BIGGA literature and for those so wishing there will be the opportunity to complete applications for membership whilst visiting the stand. Visitors should particularly note details of the Master Greenkeeper Certificate. The award of this certificate will indicate that recipients have achieved the highest standard of excellence within the profession of greenkeeping. Please ensure that you take a copy of the programme for the National Education Conference to be held at the University of Keele from 26-28 March, 1993. An eminent panel of speakers has been assembled with a wealth of greenkeeping knowledge and experience and delegates will greatly benefit by attending at this major three day educational event. The full range of BIGGA merchandise will be on sale and also details of the TRIMS Computer Software Package will be available – fast becoming a vital management aid for the progressive course manager. Please take a copy of 'Greenkeeper International' – essential reading for greenkeepers, golf clubs and the industry.

The Association's staff look forward to meeting you on the Stand, where much lively and informal discussion can be assured.

BRITISH AND INTERNATIONAL GOLF GREENKEEPERS ASSOCIATION
- Stand No. C15
Aldwark Manor, Aldwark, Aine, York, North Yorkshire YO6 2NF
Tel: 03473-581/2 Fax: 03473-8864
Contact: Neil Thomas, David Golding, Debbie Savage, Samantha Flint, Sue Gudgeon, Emma Duggleby; Greenkeeper International: Bill Lynch, Carol Dutton, David White

BIGGA welcomes all visitors to Harrogate once again. The Association is delighted to be organising the event which, in its fifth year, shows every indication of developing into the largest indoor Exhibition and Educational Seminar Programme throughout Europe. At the BIGGA stand you will be able to obtain all current BIGGA literature and be updated on developments within the Association. Details of membership of the Association will be available and for those so wishing there will be the opportunity to complete applications for membership whilst visiting the stand.

Several new items from Better Methods will be exhibited in Harrogate for the first time. These include a new club cleaner and tools for soil sampling and core removal. Also on display will be a selection of our popular turf care tools and golf course accessories. These will include some large capacity, heavy duty golf ball washers, solid resin tee markers that do not chip or break, plus golf hole cups, cup pullers and sifters. The official USGA Stiprometer, which is becoming increasingly popular with greenkeepers as a reference tool for regulating green speeds is also featured. Call at our stand to see all these items and more and collect our latest catalogue.

BEV GOLF EQUIPMENT - Stand No. B36
Grraiglywd Road, Penmaenmawr, Gwynedd LL34 GEP
Tel: 0492-622309 Fax: 0492-622369
Contact: Brian Evans

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The six Northern Region Section Secretaries will again. The Association is delighted to be organising the event which, in its fifth year, shows every indication of developing into the largest indoor Exhibition and Educational Seminar Programme throughout Europe. At the BIGGA stand you will be able to obtain all current BIGGA literature and be updated on developments within the Association. Details of membership of the Association will be available and for those so wishing there will be the opportunity to complete applications for membership whilst visiting the stand. Visitors should particularly note details of the Master Greenkeeper Certificate. The award of this certificate will indicate that recipients have achieved the highest standard of excellence within the profession of greenkeeping. Please ensure that you take a copy of the programme for the National Education Conference to be held at the University of Keele from 26-28 March, 1993. An eminent panel of speakers has been assembled with a wealth of greenkeeping knowledge and experience and delegates will greatly benefit by attending at this major three day educational event. The full range of BIGGA merchandise will be on sale and also details of the TRIMS Computer Software Package will be available – fast becoming a vital management aid for the progressive course manager. Please take a copy of 'Greenkeeper International' – essential reading for greenkeepers, golf clubs and the industry.

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BRITISH AND INTERNATIONAL GOLF GREENKEEPERS ASSOCIATION
- Stand No. C29
Northern Region Regional Administrator: Bob Lupton, 23 Hinchcliffe Avenue, Baidlon, Shipley, West Yorkshire
Tel: 0274-590463

The six Northern Region Section Secretaries will be available throughout the exhibition to deal with members enquiries relating to membership, section events etc.

BRITISH SEED HOUSES LTD
- Stand No. A20
Bewsey Industrial Estate, Pett Street, Warrington, Cheshire WA5 5LE
Tel: 0925-5411 Fax: 0925-416676
Contact: Jonathan Franks

complete skills or amenity management package. Brackenhurst College also offers courses in agriculture, agricultural supply merchandising, food technology engineering, agricultural machinery, floristry and equestrian skills.
British Seed Houses Ltd have been privileged to supply all the grass seed for several major golf course projects during the past twelve months, including the new Oxfordshire Golf Club, designed by Reece Jones where Creeping Bent was sown extensively through the course. The company have also supplied all the seed for the Bowood House Golf Club in Wilshire and Brocket Hall in Hertfordshire which were opened within twelve months of seeding where mixtures containing FRIDA Chewings Fescue gave excellent establishment. The company will be launching four new grasses next season, METEOR Turf Type Perennial Ryegrass, OLIVIA Chewings Fescue, JASPER Strong Creeping Red Fescue and PINTOR Hard Fescue all of which have been well rated by the Sports Turf Research Institute.

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Tel/Fax: 0376-562569
Contact: Mike Moss
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CANNINGTON COLLEGE – Stand No. C5
Nr. Bridgwater, Somerset TA5 2LS
Tel: 0278-652226 Fax: 0278-652479
Contact: Kristine Bater
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CLAYMORE GRASS MACHINERY
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Waterloo Industrial Estate, Waterloo Road, Bidford-on-Avon, Warwickshire B50 4JH
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Contact: Nick Miles
Claymore will be exhibiting products from all three ranges distributed by them. With walk behind cylinder mowers and gang mowers manufactured by Greens, hopefully to include a new, more advanced mower for golf greens. There will also be a selection of products from Bolens including, mulching mowers, chipper/ shredders and the revolutionary chipper/vacs, new for this year and of course, ride on hydraulic cylinder mowers will be represented by Sabo Roberine, one of the leading and upcoming manufacturers in their field. Also from Sabo Roberine, there will be news of a new product specifically designed for the golf course market.

D & E TURF MAINTENANCE LTD
- Stand No. A11
St John’s Schoolhouse, Central Parade, Shildon, Co Durham D14 1DL
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Contact: David Stephenson
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DONATH SEEDS - Stand No. B9
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Contact: Chris Hale
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ENGLISH GOLF UNION – Stand No. C3B
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Tel: 0533-553042 Fax: 0533-471322
Contact: Neil Hayward
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- Stand No. C2
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Contact: Howard Evans
Howard Evans Financial Services was set up on 1st November 1990, specifically to offer financial advice to all BIGGA members on pensions, mortgages and other related financial topics. As you probably know, Howard Evans has been offering financial advice to the BIGGA membership since August 1989 but the initiative has proved so successful that Howard has reorganised his activities to give even more time to answering the financial questions posed by BIGGA members. Howard Evans Financial Services is an Appointed Representative of Standard Life, possibly the UK’s most respected investment, pensions and life assurance office and certainly the European Community’s largest mutual life assurance company. Howard Evans Financial Services offers all BIGGA members free advice on the full range of financial topics, but retains a primary interest in ensuring that all members are making adequate contributions to an appropriate Pension Plan. In the last 18 months many greenkeepers have started contributing to a BIGGA Personal Pension Plan. Some are making contributions entirely on their own whilst others are having contributions made on their behalf by their Golf Club. Either way, we all know sensible financial planning for the future makes sense.

FARMURA LTD – Stand No. A38
Stone Hill, Egerton, Ashford, Kent TN27 9DL
Tel: 0233-76 241/581 Fax: 0233-76419
Contact: Mr J Harmer
Farmura Environmental Products are continuing to set the pace for innovative new turf products for the 1990s. At Harrogate, Farmura will display their reformulated Farmura Green and Porthcawl liquid organic fertilisers. On display for the first time will be Flo-Gro Super Concentrates packed in 10 litre containers with two and a half times the concentration of conventional liquids. They are a major step forward, being easier to transport, store and handle and using less packaging. The revolutionary Turf Iron already supplied to top clubs in the UK and abroad will be highlighted. With its ability to speed-up greens, reduce stress and restore surfaces following maintenance the Turf Iron has set itself as "tool of the trade". With the winner of a trip to the GCSSA Show resulting from the Blazon Better Way to Spray campaign being announced, plus a major new launch, the Farmura stand will be an essential visit.

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FENCHEHURCH NORTHERN - Stand No. C2
Bramley Business Centre, 533 Stanningley Road, Leeds LS13 4DA
Tel: 0532-558400 Fax: 0532-570310
Contact: Andrew Lawrence
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Fisons PLC - Stand No. B3
Horticulture Division, Paper Mill Lane, Bramford, Ipswich, Suffolk IP8 4BZ
Tel: 0473-830492 Fax: 0473-830386
Contact: Gill Craig-Jarrold
Come to the Fisons stand for details of the Topmaster Turf Dressing range - new for 1993. The range comprises four new formulations TD1 to TD4, which promote healthy root development, and good colour in fine and sports turf. TD1 and TD2, rigorously tested by independent laboratories both in the UK and the United States, conform to the USGA specification. Information on Greensmaster and Sportsmaster will also be available together with our range of liquid turf fertilisers, chemicals and wetting agent. Examples of the new products and literature are available. Ask at stand B3 for details.

FRA SER GROWN LAWN PROFESSIONAL - Stand No. B42B
Woodside Farm, Sandy Lane, High Kinnerton, Chester CH4 9BS
Tel: 0244-660901 Fax: 0244-660468
Contact: Fred Trim
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Welbourn, Lincolnshire LN5 0QI
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Contact: Derek Overton
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Exhibitors by stand reference

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A6…………………STA-BRITE SUPPLIES LTD
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A34…………………INTURF LTD
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**HALL B**

B1…………………SISIS EQUIPMENT (MACCLESFIELD) LTD
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B3…………………FIDANES PLC
B4…………………AGRIEL LTD
B5…………………LINDUM SEEDED TURF
B6…………………GROUNDSMAN INDUSTRIES
B7…………………MIRAN SEEDS LTD
B8…………………CB DESIGNS INTERNATIONAL LTD
B9…………………DONATH SEEDS
B20…………………T & G TURF IRRIGATION SERVICES
B20…………………WATERMATION SPRINKLER & CONTROLS LTD
B21…………………ICI PROFESSIONAL PRODUCTS
B22…………………ISKED UK LTD
B23…………………BLAZON EUROPE
B24…………………F. PATTISON & CO LTD
B25…………………CLAYMORE GRASS MACHINERY
B26…………………PRO-TEE PRODUCTS
B35…………………MARTIN BROTHERS
B36…………………BEV GOLF EQUIPMENT
Also Gannon will be introducing the Aera-Vator attachments, namely the Seeder Box, Smoothing Roller and Seed Rake. Also exhibited is the Gill Spiker Overseeder used by golf courses, local authorities and sports surfaces.

GEM PROFESSIONAL – Stand No. B38
Brookside Lane, Oswaldtwistle, Accrington, Lancs BB5 3NY
Tel: 0254-393321 Fax: 0254-236775

Contact: Patrick Dyer
Gem Professional, the largest privately owned manufacturer of fertilisers and turf dressings, will be exhibiting their exclusive range of products and look forward to welcoming friends old and new to their stand. The first company to achieve BS5750 quality assurance in the industry will have their technical representatives in attendance and will be delighted to discuss your requirements in detail. The Gem Professional product range is the result of over one hundred years of experience in the manufacture of fertilisers and can be relied upon to give complete satisfaction at a fair price.

THE GOLF SIGN COMPANY – Stand No. B39
65/69 Old Chester Road, Birkenhead, Wirral L41 9AW
Tel: 051-647-8081 Fax: 051-666-1087

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Priory Industrial Estate
Tetbury Gloucestershire
GL8 8HZ
Phone: 0666 502834
Fax: 0666 502401

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Hardi Ltd., 4/5 Watling Close, Sketchley Meadows, Hinckley, Leics. LE10 3EX
Tel.: (0455) 233811 Fax: (0455) 233815
The Golf Sign Company, engravers and sign manufacturers since 1887 produce high quality sign products. Tee markers and discs, yardage markers, main entrance signs with full colour crests, car park and road signs, signs for the clubhouse, locker rooms, bar and professional's shop. Health and Safety at Work, caution and warning signs are a speciality with many items ex-stock for immediate dispatch. Also manufactured are the GREENKEEPER range of standard information signs, very popular with greenkeepers and course managers at over 300 private and public golf courses in the UK and Europe. GREENKEEPER signs provide a high quality, durable, weather resistant range of 8" x 6" stove enamelled aluminium signs, complete with a 14" aluminium fixing spike, with over 25 standard wordings and a 24 hour delivery service, the GREENKEEPER range offer exceptional value for money at £3.99 per sign.

Greenkeepers Training Committee - Stand No. C31
Aldwark Manor, Aldwark, Aine, York, North Yorks YO6 2NF
Tel: 03473-640
Contact: Neil Thomas, General Administrator
The Greenkeepers Training Committee (GTC) has recently launched a new Training Manual to coincide with the introduction of Vocational Qualifications. This Manual has received wide acclaim and is recommended to all greenkeepers. The Manual will be available on the stand at a cost of £14.

Groundsman Industries - Stand No. B6
The Mill, Seymour Street, Ballymoney, Co Antrim, Northern Ireland BT23 7SR
Tel: 02656-67049
Contact: Bill Warke
Don't miss the opportunity to see the latest technology in turf aeration machinery. These elliptical action fine turf aerators have been in research and development for five years, and this investment is reflected in the result. A much simplified design with fewer moving parts – a sealed bearing crank driving the rubber jointed mechanism. The extensive range of implements include the 'well known' twin, triple, and quadra holder capable of accepting solid, hollow, and slitting tines. Groundsman Industries have also developed an attachment called the Cluster Holder. This implement can accept up to 12 tines per head, and aerate to a pattern of less than 1 inch x 1 inch.

Hardi Ltd - Stand No. A47
4/5 Watling Close, Hinckley, Leicestershire LE10 3EX
Tel: 0455-233811 Fax: 0455-233815
Contact: Colin Gregory
Hardil Ltd, being the UK's leading supplier of amenity spraying equipment, will be displaying a full range of mounted, trailed, de-mountable, knapsack and compression sprayers. A walk boom will be displayed. This is able to be used in turf and landscape applications. All products feature the unique organic resin coated granules offering an unrivalled 5-6 months longevity of temperature-only dependent nutrient release. Tees, fairways, approaches and winter season pitches can all be fertilised once in early spring with no need for re-application that growing season. Also present will be Grace Sierra's range of water soluble fertilisers designed for use on sand based constructions, with a new high acidification analysis for lowering pH levels on golf greens and tees.

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conjunction with mounted, trailed or de-mountable sprayers. Its unique feature of being able to work on USGA spec greens is of paramount importance to the new courses being constructed in the UK. All sprayers meet with all the current EC and HSE legislation which is becoming so much a part of today's business. Special sprayers built to the customers own specification can be discussed. Machines on display: AM PS 300 de-mountable sprayer fitted to a Cushman, AM TR-2-800 trailed sprayer, AML 200 mounted sprayer. Come and discuss your requirements with Colin Gregory and Geoff Dandy. You will be sure of a warm welcome.

HAYTERS PLC – Stand No. C12/16
Spellbrook, Bishop's Stortford, Herts CM23 4BU
Tel: 0279-723444 Fax: 0279-723821
Contact: Tina Pulsford
The prominence of Hayter Beaver's extended stand at this year's exhibition indicates the company's commitment to the golf course industry. Taking pride of place will be the unique Articulator. This rear-mounted all terrain rotary mower is ideal for cutting even the most difficult rough. Its floating heads are specially designed to follow ground contours without scuffing. Many golf courses have already discovered the benefits of the high performance T44 triple. This high specification machine is well suited for cutting fairways fast. Major features include ease of operation and user comfort. The T92 triplex is proving to be a winner for fast efficient cutting of greens and has a moving performance of 156 cuts per yard at 3.5mph. Visit us on Stand C12 to see these machines and find out more about Hayter Beaver's exciting range of golf course machinery for 1993.

HOLE-IN-WHITE (EUROPE) – Stand No. A4
Skinners Farm, Epping Lane, Stapleford Tawney, Romford, Essex RM4 1ST
Tel: 0708-688435
Contact: Robert D Patterson
We return to Harrogate for the third year to enable greenkeepers and trade to see at first hand a demonstration of Hole-in-White in use. Hole-in-White is a golf hole turf whitter and has been specially designed to provide the golf course manager/greenkeeper with a fast and most efficient way of painting the inside of the golf hole (top inch) using our patent device and quick drying new formula aerosol) paint. Don't miss this opportunity to come along and see us on Stand A4.

HUXLEYS GRASS MACHINERY – Stand No. A25
The Dean, New Alresford, Hampshire SO24 9BL
Tel: 0962-732322 Fax: 0962-734702
Contact: Martin Cooke
Huxleys Grass Machinery will be showing equipment designed and built at their New Alresford works in Hampshire. On show will be the Huxtruk Turf Maintenance Vehicle with new all-weather cab and large capacity top-dresser. The latest Huxley 358 Greensmower and other machines from Huxleys' range of Heavy Duty Reelmowers, Reelmowers for compact tractors, Turf Care implements, Turf Blazer rotary mowers, The Little David Stump Remover and Royer shredders and powerscissors will also be displayed.

ICI DISTRIBUTORS – Stand No. A3
1 Centre Park, Marston Moore Business Park, Rudgate, Tockwith, North Yorks Y05 8QF
Contact: R Beebee
On stand A3 at the BIGGA show, I/C Distributors will be showing their range of commercial groundscare equipment. PLM Power Products, will be showing their range of 'Little Wonder' hedgetrimmers, lawn edgers and leaf and litter blowers, together with the 'Shindaiwa' range of hedgecutters, brushcutters, chainsaws and pumps. Industrial Power Units, will be exhibiting their range of Dori & Ferris professional grass machinery and GUTBROD professional and domestic garden machinery.

ICA PROFESSIONAL PRODUCTS – Stand No. B21
Fernhurst, Haslemere, Surrey GU27 3JE
Tel: 0428-645454 Fax: 0428-657222
Contact: Roger Mossop
The ICA Professional Products stand at BTME '93 will feature the new addition to the 'Longlife' range, 'Mini-Gold.' 'Mini-Gold' is a high quality sulphur coated urea mini-prill fertiliser. The nitrogen (31:0:0) is in a slow release form with one application lasting up to 14 weeks. Also on display will be two new water soluble fertilisers 'Ultra-Green' N and 'Ultra-Green' NPK. These products are packed in unique 1 kg resealable plastic packs making for easy handling, storage and disposal. In addition ICA will have details of their free empty pesticide container collection scheme, and will also be launching a new product.

INSTITUTE OF GROUNDSMANSHIP – Stand No. C30
19-23 Church Street, The Agora, Wolverton, Milton Keynes MK12 5LG
Tel: 0908-312511 Fax: 0908-311140
Contact: Derek Walder, General Secretary
For over 50 years there has been one organisation that has fought continuously to raise the status of sports ground and turf care professionals and regularise the standards of work. The IoG has run training courses and seminars and devised an examination syllabus that leads to widely recognised qualifications. NVQs are now being incorporated into the scheme to broaden the scope even further for students. The IoG has acted as a focal point for all new developments and information throughout the entire turf culture industry, helping today's turf professional to become highly skilled and fully versed in every aspect of an increasingly demanding job. The long standing co-operation and common goals shared by the IoG and BIGGA are underlined by the Institute's participation at BTME and BIGGA's presence at the IoG World Trade Exhibition at Peterborough from 7-9 September 1993.

INTER SEEDS LTD – Stand No. B37
Thorn Farm, Inkberrow, Worcester WR7 4LJ
Tel: 0386-793135 Fax: 0386-792715
Contact: Jeremy Howarth
Inter Seeds will be promoting their wide range of top quality varieties, which can be formulated into specialist mixtures for use on golf greens, tees, fairways and the rough. Main varieties include LilaFlee Chinse Fescue, Lizpresa Slender Creeping Red Fescue and Linousse Smooth Stalked Meadow Grass. A major development is the introduction of pre-germinated grass seed in specialist mixtures, offering fast establishment and reduced risk of weed invasion. Inter Seeds also offer a wide range of conservation mixtures for use in the rough, using native wild flower species. Jeremy Howarth and Danny Godfrey will be at the exhibition to provide technical advice.

INTURF LTD – Stand No. A34
Regent Street, Pocklington, York, North Yorks Y04 2QN
Tel: 0759-304101 Fax: 0759-305229
Contact: June Edwards
Inturf, grower and supplier of high quality cultivated turf, operates a seven day harvesting programme, producing six grades of turf from the selected 1,200 acres of nurseries situated throughout the country, and is the official turf producer for Wembley Stadium. Technical advice is offered by Turfgrass Services International Ltd, and the whole group accomplishes total quality management verified by BS5750 accreditation. Visit our stand number A34 where technical personnel will be available to offer advice.

ISEKI UK LTD – Stand No. B22
Broadway, Bourn, Cambbs CB8 7TL
Tel: 0954-719981 Fax: 0954-717931
Contact: Arthur Wood/Andy Howard
Iseki UK Ltd provide a complete range of compact tractors and turf maintenance equipment. Compact tractors ranging from 14 to 45 hp supported by various turf care attachments including the newly introduced Iseki Greencare Sharter and the latest pedestrian Coremaster 9" Turf Aeration system. In addition to the compact tractors Iseki also provide a wide choice of power and garden products including the new SW 621 professional walk behind mower.
Who to look out for...

JACOBSEN - Stand No. C13/14
Jacobsen House, Telford Way Industrial Estate, Kettering, Northants NN16 8UN
Tel: 0536-417777 Fax: 0536-310245
Contact: Rene Orban

Machines from Jacobsen UK Ltd at this year's BTME will include the recently introduced Jacobsen LF3810 Fairway or Amenity mower, complete with three metre (10ft) cutting width. It will be shown in 10 blade form to suit both greenkeepers and parks' staff and is powered by a 37hp diesel via a hydrostatic drive unit giving stepless forward/reverse speeds throughout the range. Also new to the BTME will be the Jacobsen range of Workhorse utility trucks. The Jacobsen Workhorse can have attachments such as top dressers and aerators to give this flexible machine the opportunity for year round operation. There is also the option of hydraulic service tools. Also available is the latest version of the 810 Express truck - a four-wheel general purpose utility vehicle. The new Jacobsen 422 pedestrian greens mower also makes its BTME debut. It has a low overall weight and a short wheelbase front to back for improved tracking. The newly designed eleven blade reel leaves a superb finish and it can be fitted with the Jacobsen Turf Groomer which virtually eliminates grain and lateral growth. These three new machines, plus the Jacobsen Greens King 422, provide the company with a complete range of greenkeeping management.

JOHNSON SEEDS - Stand No. C6
London Road, Boston, Lincs PE21 8AD
Tel: 0205-365051 Fax: 0205-310148
Contact: Derek Welbourn

Please come along to discuss your grass seed requirements with our technical staff. Whether you are carrying out maintenance programmes, course extension work or new construction we will have the specialist mixture for you. As plant breeders we have introduced cultivars with specific golf course uses - Jupiter, Lance etc. We will also have information on Apron T - fungicide seedling protection against damping off - the safe and sure way to establish a high value playing surface.

KUBOTA (UK) LTD - Stand No. A21B
Dorner Road, Thame, Oxon OX9 3UN
Tel: 084-421 4500 Fax: 084-421 6685
Contact: Stuart Ellis

Kubota (UK) Ltd, a leading specialist supplier of turf maintenance machinery will feature the revolutionary zero-turn, 24hp, FZ2400 front mounted, ride-on mower which is designed to allow the operator unparalleled levels of machine turning ability. Also featured is the 40 SAE hp (36.5 DIN hp), L3250 tractor which is shown complete with the latest low noise DI Cab. Other tractors on show include a unit from Bi-Speed B50 compact tractor series together with machines from the "G" Series of professional ride-on mowers. The latest GCD collectors are also featured. Power products include walk-behind mowers, brush cutters and hedge trimmers together with a selection of portable generators and pumps.

LANCASHIRE COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE

AND HORTICULTURE - Stand No. A15
Myerscough Hall, Billsborough, Preston, Lancs PR3 0RY
Tel: 0995-40611 Fax: 0995-40842
Contact: Lorna Tyson

Few colleges in the UK can boast such a long association with the sportsturf industry. In addition to offering a wide range of traditional part-time and full-time courses, including the new HND in Turfgrass Science and Sportsground Management, the Lancashire College is also leading the field in the development of commercial and educational links within the leisure industry. This close relationship ensures that our courses are designed and delivered in such a way as to produce highly trained people who are capable of accepting responsibility and able to respond to the rapidly changing technological and market demands. Come and visit our stand at the show.

LELY (UK) LTD - Stand No. A23
Station Road, St. Neots, Huntingdon, Cambs PE19 1QH
Tel: 0480-476971 Fax: 0480-216167
Contact: David Boothby

Four wheel stability with three wheel manoeuvrability. That's the phrase that introduces the new Toro Workman 3000. This new turf utility vehicle is a totally new project from the Toro Company. Key features include an out front operator position to allow 2000lbs of cargo to be carried evenly between the two axles, minimising ground pressure and providing maximum stability. Exclusive Toro designed transmission has 3 forward speeds with synchromesh. The Hi-Low range gives six forward speeds and two reverse to provide a wide range of speeds needed to operate variety of attachments that will fit to the vehicle. See the vehicle on stand A23, if it's Toro, it has to be good.

LINDUM SEEDED TURF - Stand No. B5
Hart's PhS flowable sulphur specially formulated for the turf industry you will gain optimum pH for your grasses to encourage growth of finer grasses, earthworms are more active, alkaline weeds flourish. By applying Maxwell Hart will be launching a unique new product for the turf industry you will gain optimum pH for your grasses to thrive, hard wearing tees turf with dwarf perennial ryegrass.

MARTIN BROTHERS - Stand No. B35
18 George Street, Alderley Edge, Cheshire SK7 1SF
Tel: 0625-584571 Fax: 0625-586130
Contact: Andrew Law

Martin Brothers (UK) Ltd established over 30 years ago operates from its base in Alderley Edge, Cheshire as a major supplier of quality products for construction and maintenance of golf courses, bowling clubs, amateur and professional football clubs, rugby clubs etc., also local authorities throughout the UK. We are the major supplier of Moneystone bunker sand throughout England and Wales. We also supply a large range of top dressing, root zone, drainage gravels, grit and footpath materials. We would like to welcome you on stand B35 where our staff will be pleased to answer any questions you have.

MAXWELL HART - Stand No. B44
612 Reading Road, Winnersh, Wokingham, Berks RG11 5NF
Tel: 0734-785655 Fax: 0734-785805
Contact: Carl Crome

Maxwell Hart will be launching a unique new product at this years BTME exhibition. By correct pH management of your soil, you will encourage your grass species to thrive, in alkaline conditions finer grasses suffer, earthworms are more active, alkaline weeds flourish. By applying Maxwell Hart's PhS flowable sulphur specially formulated for the turf industry you will gain optimum pH for your grasses to thrive, harden the grasses against turf diseases and discourage earthworm and weed invasion. Visit our stand for further details and find out how to obtain a pH meter free of charge. Also on display will be the full range of easy picker products for golf driving ranges and Standard Golf's new budget line course equipment.

JOHN MCLAUCHLAN HORTICULTURE - Stand A12A

products and services also includes turf in big and small rolls, a laying service by competent operators, a range of fertilisers and top dressings, and an overseeding package.

LLOYDS & CO LETCHWORTH LTD - Stand No. C8
Birds Hill, Letchworth, Herts SG6 1JE
Tel: 0462-683031 Fax: 0462-481964
Contact: Derek Haley

This year's stand reflects Lloyds' reputation for first class service. This back-up, combined with our top quality machinery, enables greenkeepers and managers to maintain courses to the highest standard. Our Letchworth factory service unit has facilities to carry out any work from a simple regrind to a full overhaul. Lloyds' Customer Choice Service Scheme is designed to suit individual requirements. The latest Paladin with its new nine-bladed cutting cylinder is ideal for those special events as well as everyday greens mowing. The addition of the Vertirake increases this machine's versatility. Lloyds' staff will be on hand to discuss with visitors their wide choice of gang-mowers and other equipment, including the latest in rotary and flail mowers.

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5OA Market Place, Thirsk, North Yorkshire Y07 1LH
Tel: 0845-5255885 Fax: 0845-523133
Contact: John McLauchlan
Steetley Minerals Ltd: Steetley will be showing their new Biosorb calcined montmorillonite/diatomite granules which are used primarily as a fine turf conditioner. Biosorb is available in 25 litre and in bulk bags in three grades - fine (0.5 - 1 mm), standard (1 - 3 mm) and coarse (3 - 6 mm).
Humate International Inc: Humate International will have on display their straight humic acid products. These Humates are available as liquid, granules and soluble powder. Also shown will be wetting agent pellets for use with hose guns. These pellets include one with added Humate and another with added Humate and iron. Chelated nutrients and stress relievers are also available.
MIKAN SPORTSTURF LTD - Stand No. B7
Chatsworth Street, Barrow-in-Furness, Cumbria
Tel: 0229-430477 Fax: 0229-430488
Contact: Michael Caine
For 1993 Mikan Sportsturf Ltd have developed a full range of turf management products to go alongside our popular cockle shell pathway material. For your convenience we now have available a full range of accessories from the 'Tacit' range. We feel our range of products and after care service are now second to none.
MORROW INDUSTRIES GROUP - Stand No. A26
Nottingham Road, Old Basford, Nottingham
Tel: 0602-787987 Fax: 0602-423119
Contact: Keith Ball
A wide range of John Deere equipment for greenkeepers and turf care professionals is being exhibited by specialist groundcare dealer GME Ltd, a member of the Mitchell Industries group of companies. The 2243 self-propelled offset triplex greensmower will be shown with three different cutting heads: verticut; nine-blade cylinder mower with groomer and powered rear brush; and five-blade cylinder mower. An 855 24hp compact tractor with mid-mounted mower, the 22in walk-behind greensmower, and a 5hp 14SB model walk-behind mower complete the cutting equipment on display. In addition, there will be a ride-on bunker rake - equally at home helping to form bunkers during construction, as raking the sand flat - and a model from the John Deere easy-starting trimmer range.
MODUS T LTD - Stand No. A22
Brewery Park Industrial Estate, New Street, Wem, Shropshire SY4 5DT
Tel: 0939-233213 Fax: 0939-233682
Contact: Adam Greaves
Value for money means a solid quality of build and prices that please. The all new Modus T range supply just that. For an update on these products and several exciting new machines for 1993 call in for a few words at stand A22.
MOORE UNI-DRILL LTD - Stand No. A18
Newhill House, 33 Kirk Road, Ballymoney, Co Antrim, Northern Ireland BT53 6PP
Tel: 02656-64444 Fax: 02656-65696
Contact: Sam Moore
Greenkeepers, are you under pressure to improve your course fairways? The Moore Uni-Drill uses a unique patented system which can over-seed large areas quickly, following ground contours...
Who to look out for...

accurately, introducing seeds at a constant depth and ensuring good soil contact by immediate consolidation using press wheels. Visit and discuss, stand A18, you’re always welcome.

MULTI-CORE AERATORS LTD - Stand No. A41
229 Higher Meadow, Clayton Le Woods, Leyland, Lancs PR5 2RR
Tel/Fax: 0772-451959
Contact: Ian Waddington
Multi-Core Aerators are the UK importers of the Multi-Core range of equipment. There are four models in the range, two tractor mounted and two pedestrian machines. The versatile TM1500 1.5m wide tractor mounted aerator is robust enough to handle greens and fairways alike. Being fully sealed throughout the TM1500 is almost maintenance free and productivity of up to 5700 sq ft per hour makes it one of the fastest and most reliable machines. In its class for tractors with less horsepower there is the popular TM1000. For the best job on a bowling green or cricket wicket there is the Non-steering Greenkeeper with riding platform. A variety of different heads and tines will also be on display so if you or your club are considering purchasing an aerator why not visit our stand where they will be able to see their new national Certicate in Greenkeeping & Sports Turf Management. Part-time courses: Phase 1 and 2 Greenkeeping & Sports Turf Management, Parts 1 and 2 Horticultural Mechanics, Phase IV Business Management. Short Course Programme: a full range of short one or two day courses designed especially for the greenkeeper. The college also offers a full training and technical consultancy package to individual clubs and organisations.

OTTERBINE AERATORS - Stand No. A10
3840 Main Road East, Emmen, Pennsylvania 18049, USA
Tel: 215-965-6018 Fax: 215-965-6050
Contact: Charlie Barebo
Otterbine Aerators can help keep irrigation waters clean. This full-time management tool reduces bottom sludge, algae, aquatic weeds and foul aquatic odours through a process called Aeration. Mechanical aerators pull cold dense bottom waters upwards and throw them into the air where they collect atmospheric oxygen. This circulation and oxygenation helps speed biological clean-up process. Mechanical aerators are effective when the stress on the aquatic ecosystem is greatest during calm, still and cloudy days. Otterbine supplies a self-contained compact system with over 100,000 installations throughout the world.

NATIONAL TURFGRASS COUNCIL - Stand No. C23
3 Ferrands Park Way, Harden, Bingley, West Yorkshire BD16 1HZ
Tel: 0535-273188
Contact: John Shidler
The National Turfgrass Council is the national organisation concerned with all outdoor amenity grass and non-grass surfaces used for sport or recreation. We link together 23 member organisations, over 30 patrons, and a widespread Associate membership. Our display shows our current activities on behalf of the industry, our forthcoming events, and our range of publications.

NETLON LTD - Stand No. A29
Kelly Street, Blackburn, Lancs BB2 4PJ
Tel: 0254-262431 Fax: 0254-694302
Contact: Tim Oliver
Netlon Ltd will give regular 'live' demonstrations of the benefts of the Netlon Advanced Turf System on stand A29 at BTME. Netlon Advanced Turf is the unique combination of natural turf and a mesh stabilised rootzone which resists wear and compaction. It is widely used on golf courses for tees, greens and walkways throughout the UK and across the world, from the Woburn Golf and Country Club to the Fan Ling Golf Club, Hong Kong. The live demonstration shows the unequaled stability of Advanced Turf.

OAKLANDS COLLEGE - Stand No. C28
Oaklands Campus, Hasfeld Road, St Albans, Herts AL4 0JA
Tel: 0727-50651
Contact: Ian Merrick
The college offers a wide range of training courses for the professional greenkeeper. Full-time courses: 1 year course leading to the National Certificate in Greenkeeping & Sports Turf Management. Part-time courses: Phase 1 and 2 Greenkeeping & Sports Turf Management, Parts 1 and 2 Horticultural Mechanics, Phase IV Business Management. Short Course Programme: a full range of short one or two day courses designed especially for the greenkeeper. The college also offers a full training and technical consultancy package to individual clubs and organisations.

PATTISSON & CO LTD - Stand No. B24
342 Selbourne Road, Luton, Beds LU4 8NU
Tel: 0582-597262 Fax: 0582-505241
Contact: Peter Dell
Pattison welcome new and old friends to their stand where they will be able to see their nylon bogey hole cup - putting green markers and flag swivel with the easy-fit flag along with their comprehensive range of golf course and driving range equipment.

PRIME WATERMEN LTD - Stand No. B40
Wangford, Beccles, Suffolk NR34 8AX
Tel: 050-278 481 Fax: 050-278 729
Contact: Glyn Prime
Prime Watermen Ltd are main agents for the WEATHER-MATIC range of irrigation equipment as well as being designers and installers of complex irrigation systems tailor-made for the golf landscape and sports applications. The WEATHER-MATIC range comprises impact and pop-up sprinklers together with remote control valves from brass and plastic materials and also electrical controllers giving microprocessor accuracy at traditional mechanical controller costs. Along with this Prime Watermen Ltd have introduced a three-wire, remote-valve control system which gives a visual display and permanent printed record of the date and time of irrigation periods, watering times for individual stations.

PROFESSIONAL SPORTSTURF DESIGN ASSOCIATES - Stand No. A 13
75 Garstang Road, Preston, Lancs PR1 1LD
Tel: 0772-884450 Fax: 0772-884445
Contact: John Hacker
Professional Sportsturf Design Associates provide a complete agronomic consultancy service for the golf course. Whether upgrading a mature course to cope with today's increased play or developing a new course, Professional Sportsturf Design Associates can help you. Many mature golf courses are suffering severe agronomic problems and Professional Sportsturf Design Associates can provide the technical and analytical support necessary for a busy greenkeeping team. New golf courses are being planned every week. Having Professional Sportsturf Design Associates act as consultant-in-charge will ensure a high quality, well managed project. Accurate working drawings, tender documents and careful site supervision ensure that you get the best value for money. See Mike Harbridge, John Hacker or David Stansfield on stand A13 to discuss how we can be of help.

PRO-TEE PRODUCTS - Stand No. B26
Hill House Farm, Misbrooks Green, Bishop Auckland, County Durham, DL13 2BQ
Tel: 0306-712998 Fax: 0306-712997
Contact: Ian Stonestreet, Garth Bacon
Pro-Tee Products will be exhibiting their tried and tested all-weather tee-ing platform. The mat provides excellent economies for golf club management and greenkeepers alike, with the solid GRC base, and the low cost replaceable artificial grass sections. Due to an extremely successful first year, Pro-Tee Products are currently able to deliver, free of charge, demonstration units to all clubs who would like to try the revolutionary Pro-Tee mat. For further details please see the sales staff on the stand, or contact Pro-Tee Products at the above address.

RANSOMES SIMS & JEFFERIES LTD - Stand No. A30
Ransomes Way, Ipswich, Suffolk IP3 9QG
Tel: 0473-270000 Fax: 0473-270032
Contact: Richard Bishop
Ransomes' position as a world leader in the production of grass cutting and turf maintenance machinery will be illustrated at the exhibition where the company will be showing a range of machines for the golf course market including aerators, greens and fairway mowers. Launched at the exhibition is the Fairway 300, a new high performance 5 unit ride-on fairway mower designed to cope with world grass growth conditions. The Fairway 300 features include 4 wheel drive providing exceptional traction, excellent fuel economy, low exhaust and noise levels. Hydraulically driven 26 inch wide cutting units provide a cutting width of 114 inches. The Green-spro 56, a highly sophisticated machine designed...
for the precision cutting of fine turf will be along-
side the Greens Triple Classic which offers high
standards of finish with precise hand operated
hydraulic controls and a choice of cutting units.
Also on show will be a three wheel diesel Cushman
Turf Truckster. The multi-purpose system
vehicle available with a range of attachments for
all aspects of turf care will be shown with the
Vicon Spreader.

REASEHEATH COLLEGE - Stand No. C25
Reaseheath, Nantwich, Cheshire CW5 6DF
Tel: 0270-625131 Fax: 0270-625665
Contact: Dennis Mortram
Reaseheath College is the only centre approved
by the Greenkeepers Training Committee for
greenkeeper training in the North West and Mid-
lands. The college has an excellent reputation
and outstanding facilities which include a 9-hole
golf course affiliated to the English Golf Union
and operated on a commercial basis, providing
students with valuable practical experience.
Courses offered include a three year full-time
HNHE course, Golf Course Management, and part-
time courses in Greenkeeping at craft level to NVQ 1
and 2, and Management level to Phases 3 and 4,
as well as NEBEM. In addition Reaseheath offers
a Greenkeeping Machinery Maintenance course
designed to assist practising greenkeepers or peo-
ple employed in ground maintenance work.

RHÔNE-POULENC ENVIRONMENTAL PRO-
UCTS - Stand No. A7
Regent House, Hubert Road, Brentwood, Essex
CM14 4TZ
Tel: 0277-261414 Fax: 0277-264072
Contact: David Price
Is your time increasingly spent on paperwork?
Are you sure your pesticide records are accurate
and up-to-date? Are you looking for a simple sys-
tem to deal efficiently, safely and accurately with
the preparation and application of pesticides, in
addition saving you time in the generation of
spray records. If so, visit stand A7 and see the lat-
est update of DATACHEM. DATACHEM is a com-
puter software program designed to aid in the
safe, accurate and efficient use of amenity pesti-
cides. In addition to the array of standard fea-
tures, the latest upgrade now incorporates a
spray operator record system and the facility to
enter details on any manufacturers product.
Rhône-Poulenc market a wide range of products
for the control of pests, weeds and diseases on
turf, and we welcome the opportunity of BTME to
discuss solutions to your turf problems.

ROLAWN (TURF GROWERS) LTD
- Stand A27
Elvington, York, North Yorkshire YO4 5AR
Tel: 0994-608661 Fax: 0994-608272
Contact: Terry Ryan
Rolawn is the largest turf grower in Europe and
has built its reputation on supplying greenkeepers
with the highest quality purpose grown turf, all
year round and in any quantity. Turf is supplied
either in square yards or in the new 25 sq yd
rolls. As a special service, laying equipment is
offered free of charge for customers to lay the
large rolls themselves, in a shorter time and at a
greatly reduced cost. If you want turf of consis-
tent quality, or need advice on what turf to use,
visit the stand at BTME, or contact head office or
one of Rolawn’s own local turf depots.

SPORTS TURF SERVICES - Stand No. C6
Newbridge Industrial Estate, Newbridge, Mid
Lothian EH28 8LJ
Tel: 031-333-2345 Fax: 031-333-5311

SISIS EQUIPMENT (MACCLESFIELD) LTD
- Stand No. B1
Hulley Road, Hurstfolds, Macclesfield,
Cheshire SK10 2LZ
Tel: 0625-503030 Fax: 0625-427426
Contact: Mrs L Hilton
The SISIS Turgreen is a multi-purpose system for
all fine turf surfaces. Use of the Turgreen allows
a higher cut, increasing pace with less stress on
the turf. This ride-on unit has twin spilt rollers, one
on each side of the machine, both driven by a
hydraulic motor axle from an 8 Shp vertical shaft
engine. This provides a smooth forward/reverse
traverse with a variable speed control. When used
in conjunction with a third roller attachment lev-
ing is achieved by the over-riding effect on
slight hollows; the level surface being firmly
rolled, whilst low areas are left. Other optional,
interchangeable attachments include spiker-slit,
ter; brush, rake; Rolospike, roller and transport

SOUTH TURF RESEARCH INSTITUTE
- Stand No. A6
Unit 7 Besscemer Park, Besscemer Road,
Basingstoke, Hampshire RG21 3NB
Tel: 0256-811811 Fax: 0256-811078
Contact: Dan Has/Mark Fabb
Sta-Brite will be showing details of their Hil-
Flers grass seed mixes, most of which have
been upgraded to include more of the cultivars
rated highly by the STRI in their latest listing. The
STA-GREEN and SCHWEIZER ranges of sports
turf fertilisers will be on show as will a new wet-
ting agent. You can also get a sneak preview of
their new catalogue and price guide. Published
annually in February this is one of the few priced
catalogues available that gives brief user-friendly
product information together with prices for a
very wide range of consumable turf care products
and golf equipment.

SUPATURF PRODUCTS LTD
- Stand No. A5
Amenity House, 2 Maizefield,
Hinckley Fields Industrial Estate, Hinckley,
Leicestershire LE10 1TF

BTME CATALOGUE XXIV
Tel: 0455-234677 Fax: 0455-234714
Contact: David Rodda
Supaturf will exhibit and demonstrate the benefits of their range of wetting agents including Aqua-Gro 20:S a concentrated, granular, spreadable application especially ideal for emergency spot treatment when water is not available. Other Aqua-Gro products include Aqua-Gro Liquid for application through sprayers, and Aqua-Gro Advantage for applying through a hose pipe. Other products include fertiliser spreaders, bunker rakes and specialist amenity products for all greenkeeping applications. Technical staff will be available to discuss Supaturf’s complete range of organic and semi-organic fertilisers for greens, tees and fairways.

SUPREME MOWING – Stand No. A32
Wet Moor Lane, Wath-upon-Dearne, Rotherham, South Yorkshire S63 7LR
Tel: 0709-873436 Fax: 0709-878005
Contact: Linda Adams
Supreme Mowing will display the Supreme grinding system – a machine to suit all requirements and offering upgrading options as required. The Supreme system offers a machine capable of sharpening both cylinders and bottom blades with equal efficiency and precision. Cylinders can be sharpened in situ or out of frame. Why take up precious working area with two machines when one can offer all options? Also on display will be our range of high quality replacement cylinders and blades to suit all machines. Supreme has it all.

◆ My spies tell me... that bookings for the Grand BIGGA Banquet are pouring in at a great rate of knots. My advice, if you wish to join in the merriment, would be to book up right now.

T & G TURF IRRIGATION SERVICES – Stand No. B20
8 Whitcliffe Grove, Ripon, North Yorkshire HG4 2JW
Tel: 0765-602941 Contact: N Glover
Once again we are pleased to join with Waterma- tion on stand B20 where we will be happy to dis- cuss your irrigation requirements. On display will be many of the sprinklers on the market together with new models for your inspection. We look forward to meeting old and new customers.

TACIT – Stand No. B2
48 Hillmorton Road, Rugby,
Tel: 0926-529941 Fax: 0788-537485
Contact: Richard Webb
TACIT renowned for the quality of their golf course accessories will be exhibiting several new products, of which will be the Refined Lazer hole-cutter, the one piece construction ball washer, with post and litter basket, the telescopic switch with large grips for those cold winter mornings, and their new design swivel flagpoles with anti wear bung and holecups as well as their granite style yardage plinths.

TERRAZZO 2000 – Stand No. B43
82-90 Priory Road, Kenilworth, Warks
Tel: 0926-529941 Fax: 0926-529941
Contact: R Simmons
The Terrazzo 2000 Tee Marker is durable in the extreme with all colouring, logo work and letter- ing cast into the marble block. The top of the range model shows a full hole layout of each of the holes found at your course detailing greens, bunkers etc. We also produce other models showing hole number and yardages only. Terrazzo marble is of unequalled prestige and yet the sheer weight of the product is a great ‘anti-vandal’ feature. The weathering properties and frost resistance of terrazzo is time proven. For our brochure ring (0926) 851081.

CUTS, COLLECTS, CLIMBS, CARRIES, PULLS AND LEAVES OTHER ‘RIDE-ONS’ STANDING

The Allen Mustang is a go-anywhere, rugged 42 inch ride-on rotary mower. It is especially suited to bank mowing having a low centre of gravity and wide, low pressure flotation tyres with hydrostatic drive. The Mustang is purpose made to cope with all manner of garden duties, whilst offering the operator a totally safe, effortless and practical way to ‘tour the land’. Powered by a Briggs & Stratton Vanguard 16hp twin 4-stroke engine, other features include a differential lock and electric lift to cutter deck for precise, easy operation. The adjustment for height of cut can be set to any height between 3/4” (2cm) and 4” (10cm) at the touch of a button. A powered collection system is also available.

To: Allen Power Equipment Ltd, Dept Gl
The Broadway, Didcot, Oxon OX11 8EG.
Please send FREE Allen Mustang details.

Name:
Address:

Postcode:

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TILDENET LTD - Stand No. C21A  
Longbrook House, Ashton Vale Road, Bristol BS3 2HA  
Tel: 0272-669684 Fax: 0272-231251  
Contact: Paul Drew or Lawrence Green  
Tildenet will be exhibiting their revolutionary germination material, which also helps to protect the greens from frost and snow. In addition to the wide variety of perimeter ball stop and soil support netting, new products on display include golf target nets and a new material which stops golf balls from plugging on driving ranges.

TILLERS TURF/TILLERS FIBRETURF  
Stand No. C4  
Castlethorpe, Brigg, South Humberside DN20 9LG  
Tel: 0652-650555 Fax: 0652-650064  
Contact: Tim Fell  
"The best turf we've ever had" is the reaction from most of our customers - greenkeepers and architects, landscapers and contractors. Come and see it for yourself on the Tillers stand. If you agree that healthy roots are the key to a high quality, hard-wearing sward, come and talk to us about Fibreturf reinforced rootzone. By reducing compaction and keeping the soil pores and channels open, the surface of the Fibreturf tees and pathways stays greener, firmer and dryer. And with far less annual maintenance, your budget will go further too.

TURFACTANT SALES - Stand No. C7  
The Hollies, Pebmarsh Road, Twinstead, Sudbury, Suffolk CO1O 7ND  
Tel: 0787-269292 Contact: Edward Clarkson  
In the past two years Turf-Actant has made a significant impact on the wetting agent market. Manufactured in the UK and sold direct to Greenkeepers and Turf Managers, Turf-Actant is a high quality wetting agent available at the lowest price of any comparable product. Clients throughout the country confirm that both their budgets and their sports turf have benefited from the regular use of Turf-Actant in 1992 and we are certain that many more will enjoy the same benefits in 1993. We hope you will be amongst them, please come and see us!

TURF MANAGEMENT - Stand No. A33  
38-42 Hampton Road, Teddington, Middlesex TW11 0JE  
Tel: 081-943 5000 Fax: 081-943-5658  
Contact: Nicole Levesconte  
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TURF MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS - Stand No. C11  
Dromenagh Farm, Sevenhills Road, Iver Heath, Bucks SL0 0PA  
Tel: 0895-834411 Fax: 0895-834892  
Contact: Allan Moffat  
Turf Management Systems welcome you to our stand to discuss the advantages of the unique pre-germinated grass seed and Liquid Sod process. Also all the associated products such as the slow release fertilisers in the form of Nutrane, Nitroform, and Sulphur Coated Urea. These fertilisers are all non scorch and controlled release. We will also display a range of top dressings and root zone mixtures, also seed samples.

UNITED AGRI - Stand No. A21A  
15 Stamford Road, Exton, Oakham, Leics LE15 8AZ  
Tel: 0572-813531 Fax: 0572-813531  
Contact: Ron Denby  
United Super Zip Topper is available in three versions, 12" 6" cut with wheels single or dual rollers which enables it to follow ground contours and is capable of working up to 10 acres an hour. It has a very clean cut, an even spread with quick recovery. It can cut from half an inch upwards. Low horse power required. Transport width 7’ 10". It has five spindles with anti-scalp discs and 15 blades. United Parks Zip Mower is available in four versions, 7” 6” cut, with easy screw adjustable side skids, single or dual rollers, or with wheels. Extremely strong. Either machine will cut in forward or reverse direction. 3 point linkage front and rear.

WATERMATION SPRINKLER AND CONTROLS LTD - Stand B20  
Tongham Road, Aldershot, Hants GU12 4AA  
Tel: 0252-336838 Fax: 0252-336808  
Contact: Eileen Hawthorn  
Watermation will once again be sharing a stand with their distributor and installer in the north of England, T & G Turf Irrigation of Ripon, North Yorkshire. On show will be their new Golf Rotor Sprinklers (GR range) which went into production in October '92 after lengthy testing both in the Watermation indoor testing station and also out on site. There are now three models in the range, GR1 for tees and small greens, GR2 for greens and GR3 for approaches and fairways. They incorporate many new features such as anti flood valve and a new circlip fixing for the guide plate for simple maintenance. They have also been designed with a flange plate enclosing the lid for prevention of damage by mowers and to improve stability in the ground. Watermation are also showing three models in the popular TW2 controller range, the economy 1 zone TW2, the standard 4 zone TW2-4 and the new PC range TW2-PC.

WIEDENMANN (UK) LTD - Stand No. A36  
Stoneybrae, Potterhill, Paisley PA2 7TG  
Tel: 041-884-2552 Fax: 041-884-6252  
For the third time Wiedenmann will be exhibiting its range of turf maintenance equipment including Terra-Spikes - tractor mounted, deep aeration spiking machines - which are proving tremendously successful with sportsgrounds, golf clubs and contractors. Terra-Spikes range in operating widths of 1.35 to 2.10 m and depths of 30-40 cm with power requirements of 30-40 hp. Other equipment from Wiedenmann GmbH, West German manufacturers, includes Green Pluggers, Leaf Loaders and Seeders. A network of distributors has been set up nationwide and demonstrations of any item of equipment can be arranged by appointment. Also at the show the Company will unveil its latest item of grounds maintenance equipment which should prove of particular interest to greenkeepers.

VITAX LTD - Stand No. A24  
Owen Street, Coalville, Leicester LE67 3DE  
Tel: 0530-510060 Fax: 0530-510299  
Contact: Trevor Holmes  
Vitax Gro-Cover, a clear micro-perforated polythene germination fabric with unique funnel shaped perforations, was originally launched at the BIGGA show in 1991. Since that time it has established itself as a brand leader in the sport amenity market. Vitax invite you to come along to their stand to see how they have improved their product still further with a simple innovative product adaption. This product will be featured alongside the full Vitax sport amenity product range, including Ultraflo, the concentrated long term wetting agent and the well established range of Vitax Key amenity fertilisers.

WARWICKSHIRE COLLEGE - Stand No. C22  
Moreton Morrell, Warwick CV35 9BL  
Tel: 0926-651367 Fax: 0926-651190  
Contact: Peter Smith  
Warwickshire College has a long tradition of quality courses for greenkeepers and groundsmen. The college is the GTC approved centre for greenkeeper training in the Midlands. A four year NVQ/City & Guilds programme is offered on both day or block release which provides the technical and management expertise that modern-day greenkeeping and sports turf management demands. The college also offers a wide range of shorter courses in turf related areas including soft and hard landscape, chainsaw operation and FEPA pesticide training. Further details are provided in our Course Directory, obtainable from our stand or by contacting the college.

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• Harrogate is getting a face-lift... or to be more specific, the great hall in which BTME is staged is in the final throes of a magnificent refurbishment, all of which will be ready in good time for our great exhibition. Not content with lavishing attention on the main structure and fabric of the building, the brand spanking new hospitality suite is nearing completion and this also will be ready in good time for BTME '93 - I'm told it will be a great place to entertain important clients - we'll be sure to look out for you!