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Another record-breaker and a great week ahead

BIGGA NATIONAL EDUCATION CONFERENCE
Monday 20 and Tuesday 21 January, The Majestic Hotel. Delegates arrive and register at The Majestic Hotel between 4.30 and 6.30pm on Sunday 19 January followed by dinner at 7.30 pm (jacket and tie must be worn). The conference is held over the next two days, when 14 speakers from six different countries will present papers on a variety of topics of interest to all greenkeepers.

BIGGA WORKSHOPS
Monday 20 and Tuesday 21 January, The Majestic Hotel. Delegates arrive and register at The Majestic between 4.30 and 6.30pm on Sunday 19 January followed by dinner at 7.30pm (jacket and tie must be worn).

Workshop 1 will give delegates experience of designing a golf course complex (sorry, sold out), Workshop 2 will give delegates the skills and knowledge to conduct surveying and levelling procedures, Workshop 3 will cover communication with committees and Workshop 4, a one day workshop, on Tuesday 21 January will cover 'The Magic of Greenkeeping'.

BTME SEMINAR PROGRAMME
Wednesday 22, Thursday 23 and Friday 24 January, The Kings Suite. Speakers from the USA, Sweden and the UK with subjects from Golf Course Design, Employment Law and the Rules of Golf indicate the range of speakers and subjects at the BTME Seminar Programme, which runs alongside the BIGGA Turf Management Exhibition. The Kings Suite is situated inside the Harrogate International Centre and is approached through Hall D.

STRI CHAIRMAN OF GREEN/SECRETARIES' COURSE
Tuesday 21 and Wednesday 22 January The Crown Hotel. Delegates arrive and register at The Crown Hotel between 8.30am and 9.00am on Tuesday 21 January. This course, presented by the Sports Turf Research Institute experts in agronomy, turf grass science, fertilisers and pesticides and a BIGGA Course Manager, introduces chairmen of green and golf club secretaries to the practicalities of golf course construction and management, types of soil, seed, pests, diseases, and pesticide legislation. It also includes a visit to the STRI trial grounds and laboratories and the BTME exhibition.

FEDERATION OF EUROPEAN GOLF GREENKEEPERS ASSOCIATIONS (FEGGA) ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
Thursday 23, January, The Majestic Hotel, 12 noon The first FEGGA Annual General Meeting will be held during BTME in the Majestic Hotel.

BIGGA ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
Wednesday 22 January, The Majestic Hotel, 5.45pm The BIGGA Annual General Meeting will be held during BTME. Membership cards must be produced to gain admission.

SOCIAL PROGRAMME
The Exhibition Banquet on Thursday 23 January, at the Majestic Hotel, will be followed by a spectacular cabaret starring Bobby Davro, ably supported by a fabulous female vocalist, Laine Kennedy. The social programme also includes a conference dinner on 20 January with after dinner speaker Professor David Purdie, Dean of the University of Kingston upon Hull and a Karaoke Night on Wednesday 22 January.

AND TO BOOK...
Any delegate wishing to book hotels, seminar sessions or the banquet should contact Sami Collins, at BIGGA Headquarters Tel: 01347 838581.

So much to see and so much to learn...

On behalf of the British and International Golf Greenkeepers Association it gives me great pleasure to welcome you to the Harrogate International Centre for BTME '97.

As always our aim has been to build on the success of the previous year's show and we feel confident that, whether you are an exhibitor, a greenkeeper, a golf club official or a speaker, your time at BTME '97 will be time well spent.

What pleases us is that news of the success of BTME has reached so far afield that many of our delegates and exhibitors come to Harrogate from outside the United Kingdom.

Our overseas visitors know that when they come to BTME they will enjoy a friendly welcome and learn much to take back home to their own country.

More than ever BTME offers something for everyone.

DEAN CLEAVER
Chairman of BIGGA

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Dr Marty Petrovic
Dr Petrovic has been Professor of Turfgrass Science at Cornell University since 1979 and his research includes golf turf soil science, the environmental fate of fertilizers and pesticides, irrigation management and the utilization of organic wastes in turfgrass. He has written more than 200 scientific and popular articles on turfgrass management.

His talks are on "Understanding and Managing Compaction" where he will discuss how traffic on turf dramatically changes the ecosystem and how to deal with the problem; and "Making the Most out of Irrigation" and how all too often irrigation is done without much consideration to the factors which are important in affecting the amount of irrigation required.

Gordon Moir
Born in Fraserburgh, North East of Scotland Gordon began his career at Fraserburgh GC in 1976. He became Head Greenkeeper at Fraserburgh before moving to St Andrews as Head Greenkeeper of the Eden Course under the guidance of Walter Woods, Links Superintendent. In 1993 Gordon also became responsible for the redesigned and reconstructed Balgove course, a 9 hole Children's/Beginners' course adjacent to the Eden Course. He is a past North Section Secretary, Scottish Region Chairman and National Board Member. His talk will be on how his staff landscaped the bankings of a pond from a hard stone face to something more environmentally friendly.

Gordon McKillop
Gordon McKillop is a scientist with the Central Science Laboratory which is the main Ministry of Agriculture Agency involved in research into wildlife management and conservation. He has 20 years experience of conducting research into the rabbit problem, in terms of developing and assessing management techniques and of assessing the costs of rabbit damage. He also runs a training course for greenkeepers, in conjunction with BIGGA and the GTG, on wildlife management.

His talk will review the range of current management techniques available to control rabbits and discuss their cost-effectiveness and humaneness. It will also include a discussion of new techniques which are currently being developed. This will include details of their likely cost-effectiveness and humaneness and of how long it is likely to be before they are available for use.

Gordon Witteveen and Michael Bavier
Gordon Witteveen is the Superintendent at the 45 hole Toronto Board of Trade course. He has been a Superintendent all his working life since graduating from the University of Georgia and is now in his 25th year at his current position. Gordon helped start the Canadian Golf Superintendents Association, and has served as Secretary and President. He was also on the Board of the GCSM in America. Gordon is an avid writer and has published many articles on golf and greenkeeping. He is currently completing a book on greenkeeping which is being co-authored by Michael Bavier.

Michael Bavier started his greenkeeping career in his native Minnesota. He is graduate from Penn State College and has been Superintendent at the Inverness Golf Club near Chicago for almost 30 years. Besides being very active in his local Mid West Golf Superintendents Association, Michael also served as president of the GCSM.

Their workshop is on "The Magic of Greenkeeping".

James Duncan
James Duncan is a practising golf course architect and a keen observer of classic golf course architecture. Educated in Copenhagen, Denmark, he holds a masters degree in civil engineering. Authoring his degree thesis on the subject of low-cost golf course construction, he carried out research for this work at the department for Landscape Architecture at Cornell University in New York, noted for its contributions to golf course architecture and turfgrass science.

During and after his studies James apprenticed in the golf industry first in Scotland, and subsequently in the United States with American golf course architect and golf writer, Tom Doak. While in America James was awarded a postgraduate Donald Ross Society internship. He returned to Scotland in '96 to establish his own golf course design company, he is currently involved in golf course design projects both in Scotland and further afield.

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Peter Jones
Peter Jones has encompassed a wide spectrum of experience and hands-on expertise within the golf course industry during the last 23 years. A background in course construction soon progressed to greenkeeping and course management with a further opportunity to train in America in the late '80s arranged by Jack Nicklaus golf services. He formed Peter Jones Associates two years ago and is now independently involved with a small number of clubs where he advises on course improvement, management programmes and the training of existing staff.

He will be accompanied during the workshop by Drew Barlow RICS, of DB Surveys, who is experienced in golf course survey works.

Bryan Griffiths
Bryan Griffiths is a golf architect and founder of Golfconsult International Ltd. He has served over 200 golf developer and investment clients in 44 countries and has designed over 50 courses. A regular speaker at Seminars in Europe and the Pacific Rim he is also on the Law Society's Register of Expert Witnesses in England and Scotland.

He is currently designing golf courses for clients in Scotland, England, France and Malaysia. He has also pioneered both a well-tested systematic golf venture appraisal system and the application of photogrammetry techniques to golf design and environmental impact.

His talk is about the launch of new golf courses and explains how most major mistakes are made at the outset.

Terry Buchen
Terry Buchen is a Master Greenkeeper and currently Director of Agronomy for The Legends Group, based in Williamsburg, Virginia. He is a contributing editor to Golf Course News writing a column "The Savvy Superintendent" and is an Advisory Board Selection panellist on Golf Digest magazine for all rating contests.

A third generation superintendent he serves on the USGA Green Section Committee and has grown-in 11 courses in the USA.

He is talking twice, on the brief history of the course looking at drainage techniques, proper construction and maintenance and on grow-in philosophies when he will explain the fastest and the best way to renovate a green or a tee.

David Roy
David Roy served his apprenticeship at Tay Mount Castle in Perthshire before becoming an assistant at Royal Burgess Golfing Society in Edinburgh. From there he moved to his current club, Linlithgow, halfway between Edinburgh and Glasgow, where he is Course Manager.

His talk concerns how he has introduced conservation and environmental practices at Linlithgow and how he was able to convince the members that it was the correct way for the club to move.

Norbert Lischka
Norbert Lischka is the Course Manager at Hamburg Falkenstein GC in Hamburg, Germany, and moved into greenkeeping having worked as a mechanic and farmer. He has worked on three different golf courses in the last seven years. He will talk on ecological management over the last 10 years on German golf courses.

Robert Bardwell
Robert Bardwell, Course Manager, for Euro Golf Green, is English but has worked in Europe since 1989 and for the last five years he has been building golf courses in Germany, Poland and France. He has recently returned to course management as Course Manager of Wiesloch GC, in Baierl, Germany.

His talk "Is it greener over there?" will encompass the environment, conditions, people, advantages and disadvantages, costs and the differences in day-to-day maintenance.

Brin Bendon
Brin Bendon is a management training consultant and Director of Vector Training, with a background in behavioural sciences. In recent years he has been heavily involved in BIGGA's acclaimed Management and Regional Management training courses. An enthusiastic walker and climber he has recently returned from a climbing trip to the Himalayas.

He presents a workshop on Effective Communications - Presenting to Committees.

Mark Broughton
Mark Broughton is Course Manager at Morecambe GC and the newest Master Greenkeeper, having qualified in the middle of last year. He has been at Morecambe for nine years having previously been at Filton GC and an assistant at Royal Lytham and St Annes, where during The Open this year he was presented with his Master Greenkeeper blazer.

He talks on "How Green is Greenkeeping" what the future might hold for the game. Areas covered will include habitat provision, machinery, irrigation, organic standards and pesticide use.

Bob Taylor
Bob Taylor is the STRI ecologist and is the author of Ecological Management of the Golf Course published last year. He has also been heavily involved in the production of the new ecology video which is launched at BTME.

He will talk on Golf Course Construction and Management: An ecological Perspective.

Dr Alan Gange
Dr Alan Gange lectures in Environmental Biology at Royal Holloway, University of London and his research interests include the interactions between insects and fungi, mediated through changes in host plant physiology. In conjunction with the Ministry of Agriculture
he has recently conducted a pesticide usage sur-
vey of golf courses which has highlighted the
pest and disease problems faced by greenkeepers
in the production of high quality turf.
He spoke at last year’s Education Conference and
he returns this year to talk on “Biological
Methods for Pest and Disease Control in Golf
Turf.”
The talk will address some of the biological
methods which may be employed to enhance the
health of grass in golf greens.

Gerry Southgate
Gerry Southgate is Service Manager for Ran-
somes Sims and Jeffries and is responsible for
the technical support of the Ransomes/Cush-
man/Ryan products world-wide outside of the
Americas and Canada.
In the course of his work he has visited
golf courses and talked with superintendents,
greenkeeping staff and mechanics in the USA,
Canada, Australia, Singapore, Indonesia, Korea,
Japan, South America and much of Europe.
His talk “Full Time Golf Course Mechanic –
Where’s the Justification?” will include an
outline of some of the differing maintenance
requirements for the increasingly sophisticated
machinery in use at the average golf course
and look at the way this is normally achieved
and the involvement and relationship between
the greenkeeping staff, machinery dealer and
manufacturer.

Dr Paul Miller
Paul Miller is a lecturer in greenkeeping at Elm-
wood College in Scotland and designed the root-
zone for the ‘new 18 hole’ course at the college.
He has worked as a technical representative for
British Seed Houses and as a technical advisor for
Grass Technology International Ltd involved in
soil testing and agronomy.
His talk on “Rootzone testing: Theory and
Practice” will explain some of the theory of parti-
culate size distribution in rootzones, how they can
be achieved in practice and how it was achieved
for the ‘new 18 hole’ course at the college.

Grant Moir
Grant Moir is the Assistant Secretary (Rules) of
the R&A having been a member of the R&A staff
since ’94. He was promoted to his present posi-
tion in January ’96.
His talk will outline the role of the R&A in
terms of the Rules of Golf and using a video he
will discuss incidents involving well known pro-
fessional golfers.

Ken Siens
Ken Siens is Course Manager at the acclaimed
Loch Lomond course, in the west of Scotland,
which hosted the Loch Lomond World Invita-
tional on the European Tour last year.
Based on his work at the course he will talk on
“Drainage: Unplayable to Playable.”

Patrick Goldsworthy
Patrick Goldsworthy is Market Resources Man-
ger for the British Agrochemicals Association.
Among his work experience he has managed the
family firm in Devon and worked for ICI Fertilis-
eries. Within ICI he became Technical Services
Manager before moving to the BAA in ’91.
His talk, on Pesticides on the Golf Course –
Labelling and Stewardship, will discuss how
the safe and continued use of pesticides, which used
go on golf courses account for about 1% of UK pesti-
cide sales, depends on the user and their stew-
dardship of the product.

Howard Swan and Simon Gidman
Howard Swan is a golf course architect and
member of the British Institute of Golf Course
Architects. He has worked in the field for
almost 25 years, having followed his father into
the business, and has worked on nearly 100
projects.
Simon Gidman is also a member of BIGGA, and
his interest in golf course architecture developed
during his time as golf professional at Gerrards
Cross GC, Sandy Lodge GC, Crawborough Beacon
GC and Sonning GC. He has worked on projects in
Ireland, Portugal, France, Belgium, Cyprus, Bali
and Turkey.
Howard and Simon return for a second year to
run their popular workshop on Golf Course
Design and Construction.

Susanne Lindstrom
Susanne Lindstrom is Course Manager at Partille
GC, just outside Gothenburg, in Sweden. She is a
Board member of the Swedish Greenkeepers
Association and her greenkeeping career has
moved on far better than her playing of the
game. She gave up, sold her golf clubs and told
her club that she no longer wished to be a mem-
ber the day after her first round. “I thought golf
was the most ridiculous game ever.”
She will talk on “Lady in a Man’s World” and
how there are differences in being a woman but
that the differences are positive.

Helen Lindelof
Helen Lindelof is the Course Manager at Ingaro
GC, near Stockholm, in Sweden which has two
18 hole courses, one 35 years old and the other
five years old. Helen, who has 12 years in green-
keeping under her belt, is the wife of Tommy Lin-
delof the Executive Director of the Swedish
Greenkeepers Association.
Her talk, “Education Makes the Head Green-
keeper”, will discuss how the well being of the
modern golf club depends on the club realising
that education is a wise investment and not an
unnecessary cost they can avoid.

Bruce Williams
Bruce Williams is the current President of the
GCSAA – and Captain of the winning Americas
Hayter International Cup team.
He has been Superintendent at Bob D’Link
GC, Illinois, since 1979. He has been a member of
the GCSAA for 19 years and has been on
the Board since 1991. He holds a bachelor’s
degree in English and is also a graduate of Michi-
gan State University’s turfgrass management
programme.
His talk is on “Global Links; Associations shar-
ing information for better greenkeeping world-
wide.”

Larry Gilhuly
Larry Gilhuly is Western Director, Greens Section
with the USGA. He became Seattle GC’s fourth
superintendent in its 75 year history having been
assistant superintendent for eight years, and
six weeks later was chosen for his current posi-
tion. He currently visits courses in Alaska, Hawaii,
Idaho, Oregon, Washington, British Columbia
and Wyoming and he is responsible for turf visits
to Arizona, California, Colorado, Nevada and
Utah.
He will talk on “Annual Blue Grass from the
view of pest or friend and look at new poa annua
varieties. He will also talk on Great Expectations
outlining the top ten responses to a golfer survey
conducted in Washington.

David Ansell
David Ansell is Course Manager at The Dyke
GC, near Brighton and he will talk on Looking
Beyond the Trees on the subject of downland
conservation.

Institute of Agriculture Engineers
The IAE will talk on Maximising Cost-Effect-
iveness of Machinery, Choosing the correct tyres for
the job, new developments in machine and
implement control and machinery purchase and
maintenance decisions.

David Burton
David Burton is a partner with solicitors’
Kirby’s, the firm which administers BIGGA’s
Legal Help Line. His speciality is employment law
and he has already been involved in helping
several greenkeepers win unfair dismissal tri-
bunals.
His talk will be on the Legal Helpline and legal
representation.

Guess who in BIGGA staff quiz!

★ Can you work out who each member of staff is from these cryptic clues?
1. But for the addition of a son would have joined a famous family.
2. Shares a name with a Leeds United footballer.
3. Her name is in a great many diaries.
4. She should, by rights, have a parrot.
5. Could have had an alternative career appearing in children’s automotive books.
6. John McCarthy felt like this person when he was finally released from captivity.
7. Let your fingers do the walking on the alternative directory which shares this person’s name.
8. The informal and phonetic version of this person’s surname could have seen him appearing in Dock Green.
10. It wouldn’t be hard to guess which country this person comes from.


Answers on page 65.
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...don't miss anything in the SHOW of the year!

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ADAS
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Sunny Bank, Yarpole, Leominster, Herefordshire, HR6 0BA
Tel: 01568 780427, Fax: 01568 780519
Contact: Stewart Finney

Visitors to the ADAS stand will be able to sample the ‘Whole in One’ experience. This comprehensive service draws on the full range of the Agencies unique expertise for golf course development and management throughout the UK. Examples of recent projects will be on show including new courses, extensions, remodelling and clubhouse construction. Details of the practical and customer friendly ADAS Golf Course Management Scheme now in its fourth year will be available together with particulars on our sports turf research facilities, aerial photography unit and laboratory services.

AITYKENS SPORTSTURF
Stand No. A35
Unit 18, Moor Lane Trading Estate, Shooburn-in-Elmet, North Yorkshire, LS25 6DX
Tel: 01977 681155, Fax: 01977 684636
Contact: Peter Fell

Richard Aitken and his staff will be pleased to welcome customers old and new to their stand at BTME '97 Harrogate. On display are a number of new and interesting products, furthering the choice Aitkens can offer to greenkeepers, groundsman and turf managers. The most comprehensive choice available.

ALLEN POWER EQUIPMENT LTD
Stand No. A26
The Broadway, Didcot, Oxon
Tel: 01235 813936, Fax: 01235 811491
Contact: Lance Bassett

Allen Power Equipment will be exhibiting their full range of power equipment suitable for use by golf clubs. This includes the new National 70” hydrotastatic triple mower C/W collection boxes. Allen petrol hover mowers and brush cutters plus walkover sprayers. Also shown will be the new axcender barrow which not only transports loads but lifts them as well. The full range of Echo power equipment will also be shown including brush cutters, blowers, chainsaws and hedge cutters. The popular long handled hedge cutter model HCA 2400 will also be on the stand.

ALLETT MOWERS LTD
Trevithick Road, Corby NN17 5XY
Tel: 01536 268950, Fax: 01536 201856
Contact: David Allen

Alllett Mowers will be displaying the Shaver and Tournament fine cut mowers for golf and bowls greens and cricket wickets. The Tournament features a power driven brush for the ultimate finish. The Gazelle and the award winning Buffalo complete the range of pedestrian equipment. Tractor drawn equipment will include the Ranger ground driven gang mowers.

AMENITY LAND SERVICES
Stand No. A10
Long Lane, Wellington, Telford TF6 6HA
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The Clock House, 286 Kings Road, Reading, Berkshire, RG1 4HP
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Contact: Stephen Wells

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ANCHOR INDUSTRIES EUROPE
Stand No. D9B
Unit 1, Airport Executive Park, Luton LU2
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Contact: Nick Bisset/Steve Prinn

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ASKHAM BRYAN COLLEGE
Stand No. D12
York Y02 3PB
Tel: 01904 772277, Fax: 01904 772288
Contact: Nick Bisset/Steve Prinn

Askham Bryan College is the BISGA recognised regional centre for greenkeeper training. In addition to our established NVQ Level II and III programmes, run on block release, we offer turf options on the National Diploma in Horticulture and Golf Management options at Higher National Diploma level. Successful completion of the HND can lead to our one year BSc Honours degree in Land Management and Technology.

ASSOCIATION OF GOLF CLUB SECRETARIES
Stand No. D8
7a Beaconsfield Road, Weston-super-Mare BS2 1YE
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Contact: Ray Burniston

The Association has over 2,000 members most of them resident in the UK. Through its head office it provides support to its members by means of: information library, monthly journal, training course and seminars, regular business meetings at region level, (there are now 18 regions within the UK), liaison with other golfing and non golfing bodies. It has recently formed 'The Institute of Golf Club Management' which will be the vehicle used to provide qualifications and training.

ATTERTON & ELLIS LTD
Stand No. A7
Iron Works, Hamlet Road, Haverhill, Suffolk, CB9 8HQ
Tel: 01440 702312, Fax: 01440 712138
Contact: Rod Mayes

Moulded out of intractable London clay, Muswell Hill GC currently suffers from tees that are far too small to cope. "After rain, they become very greasy," explains head greenkeeper, Mick Sheris. "Any re-seed doesn't stand a chance, and can be lost if we cut too early."

Last spring though, Mick was persuaded to try some Fortiva treated seed by Kings Horticulture. He found it gave him the time needed to keep tees in good shape and playable. It is very fast to germinate, establishes within 10 days and quickly knits-in. We find we can cut it three times a week without the fear of mowing out.

"Fortiva also allows us to bring into play areas on some tees that have not been used for years knowing they will recover quickly once re-seeded."

The golfers also play their part and are becoming used to using divot boxes. Regulars notice the speed with which the Fortiva seed works. "I have even had members asking where they can get hold of "that green seed" for their own lawns," says Mick for further information and details of your nearest distributor, contact
At BTME 1997, Barenbrug will be proudly displaying several of their high scoring varieties on field dressings. Our products are available from depots in the Midlands, East Anglia and our latest, being on the Hants/Sussex border to serve greenkeepers and groundspersons in the London and Home Counties with a quality range of chemicals, fertilisers, grass seed mixtures, top dressings and golf course sundries readily available for delivery or collection. The company motto “Where service counts” forms the basis of our hospitality and technical expertise will be at your disposal.

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Contact: David Padfield

E P BARRUS LTD
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Contact: Annette Gann

BANKS/FENTURF DRESSINGS
Stand No. C18
Angel Court, Dairy Yard, High Street, Market Harborough, Leics, LE16 7NJ
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Contact: Tim Banks

BARRUS will be showing their wide range of topdressings, rootzones, divot mixers and bunker sands. Of special interest this year will be two new cultivars, Barcrown, a superior slender creeping red fescue, will be sporting its new record breaking score of 9 in the shoot density category. Barcrown has proved second to none for close-mown and low-maintenance use, such as lawns, golf fairways and landscaping. Making its debut at the show will be Baroxi, a new chewings fescue, suitable for fairways. All these cultivars are exclusively available in the BAR range of amenity grass seed mixes.

* The Sports Turf Research Institute at Bingley, Yorkshire.

BETTER METHODS – EUROPE
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Brantwood House, Kimbley Road, Parkstone, Poole, Dorset, BH14 8QO
Tel: 01202 722300
Better Methods are showing their range of popular turf care hand tools and equipment for the maintenance of fine turf. Special tools for golf courses include the famous Turfmaster Golf Hole Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cutter, the official USGA Stimp Meter for measuring and regulating green speeds plus levelers, turf repair tools, samplers, the Bray Seed Cut
to provide turf managers with the ability to supply the precise nutritional requirements of both soil micro biological systems and healthy plant growth. Examples of Bioseed's unique soil and turf grass quality and colour.

How can Perma-Soil Stabiliser help you?
Waterline breaks turns wet soil into usable backfill within minutes. Trenches and excavations - minimises setting of backfill.

How is Perma-Soil Stabiliser applied?
As soil is excavated, add Perma-Soil stabiliser to the backfill. While your crew makes repairs, your backhoe operator can turn the backfill to mix properly. Place the mixture back into the hole in 6-to 8-inch layers, tamping each layer as you go.

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Environmentally friendly construction aid which is totally harmless to man, flora and fauna.

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Surrey, CR8 5DD
Tel: 0181 763 8993, Fax: 0181 763 2588
Agents for Perma-Soil

BIOSEED/SUSTANE
Stand No. D9
Unit 17A Wincombe Business Park,
Shaftebury, Dorset
Tel: 01747 852771, Fax: 01747 850266
Contact: David Smart

Bioseed Probiotic products have been developed to provide turf managers with the ability to supply the precise nutritional requirements of both soil micro biological systems and healthy plant growth. Examples of Bioseed's unique soil and tissue testing service and products will be on display. Sustane has made a major commitment to integrated turf management and the research required to support it. Years of test data clearly show that regular applications of Sustane fertilisers/soil builders add the humus and beneficial soil microbes required to increase a soil's nutrient and water holding capacity, caution exchange capacity, nutrient availability and microbial activity. Research has also proven that Sustane increases disease suppression, improves turf grass quality and colour.

BLAZON EUROPE
Stand No. A34
Pulchries Barn, Holybread Lane, Little Pulborough, West Sussex, PO20 7FJ
Tel: 01243 222750, Fax: 01243 222755
Contact: Richard Fry

Information on a major industry initiative awaits the visitor to the Blazon stand at this year's BTME. BIGGA and manufacturers of Blazon have cooperated to provide head greenkeepers with a valuable spraying aid specifically designed to promote safer more effective spraying. In addition to learning how to obtain a free spray management aid, visitors will receive information on other promotions and how they can win for their club a brand new Hardi spraying machine or one of ten Cooper Pegler Series 2000 knapsacks. Blazon, since its launch in 1990 has established itself as the undisputed first choice spray pattern indicator.

When added to the spray solution Blazon provides greenkeepers and groundsmen with a simple, inexpensive answer to the effective, efficient and economical application of sprays onto turf and landscaped surfaces.

BLEC LANDSCAPING EQUIPMENT CO LTD
Stand No. C36
Blec House, 73 Riverside, Deeping Gate,
Peterborough PE6 9AR
Tel: 01778 342289, Fax: 01778 341098
Contact: Gary Murphy

Blec will be launching some new products for 1997 at the BTME show, including a tractor mounted and pedestrian stone picker for the golf course construction market. Also slit type overseeds, both pedestrian and tractor mounted, and a pedestrian turfcutter with automatic chip off. Blec will also be exhibiting their popular uni-seeder and pin-seed overseeding machines, and will have experienced staff on hand to answer any queries and look forward to seeing both existing, and new customers.

BOUGHTON LOAM LTD - TURF MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS
Stand No. C38
Telford Way, Kettering NN16 8UN
Tel: 01536 510515, Fax: 01536 510691
Contact: Mike Franklin

BOURNE AMENITY
Stand No. C15
John Bourne & Co Ltd, Newenden, Cranbrook, Kent, TN18 5GQ
Tel: 01797 252298, Fax: 01797 253115
Contact: Dick Reid

After an excellent '96 Bourne Amenity will again be at BTME to show the products that they have developed including topdressing, rootzones and Redtrak pathway material. Also Bourne Amenity Services will be present showing the various drainage and construction projects they have completed last year. Many golf courses and local authorities have had Geoblock grass protection system installed by Bourne Amenity and have had excellent results when 'invisible...
Walk this way
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strength' has been required on such things as
table fire access lanes and over spill car parks on green
areas. You can see Geoblock and talk to technical
staff on the stand. For further information visit
Stand no. C15 or contact Boume Amenity on
01797 252298.

BOYD GOLF COURSE
ACCESSORIES
Stand No. A39
67 Gray's Hill, Bangor, Co. Down,
Northern Ireland, BT20 3BB
Tel: 01247 471163, Fax: 01247 471136
Contact: Alan Boyd/John Boyd
Boyd Golf will be on show once again at BTME and
hope to offer greenkeepers from near and far the opportunity to view the full range of
tools and accessories. The golf accessories on
show will include the new "Elite" holecutter
both long and short handled, the Combination
Hole Cup Pulver, Setter, Trimmer, which combines
three tools in one, along with many other tools
and accessories of interest to greenkeepers. Call
and see us on Stand A39, all will be welcome.

BRITISH AND INTERNATIONAL
GOLF GREENKEEPERS
ASSOCIATION
Stand No. D31
Aldwark Manor, Aldwark, Aline, York YO6 2NF
Tel: 01347 838581, Fax: 01347 838864
Contact: Neil Thomas
BIGGA welcomes all visitors to Harrogate once
again. The Association is delighted to be
organising the event which in its ninth year has
deployed into the largest indoor turf exhibition
throughout Europe. At the BIGGA stand you will
be able to obtain all current BIGGA literature and
be updated on developments within the Associa-
tion. Details of membership of the Association
will be available and for those so wishing there
will be the opportunity to complete applications
whilst visiting the stand. Be sure to pick up your
copy of Greenkeeper International which has a
circulation of 9,600 worldwide — essential read-
ing for greenkeepers, golf officials and the
industry. The Association's staff look forward to
meeting you on the stand where much lively
and informed discussion can be assured.

BRITISH ASSOCIATION OF GOLF
COURSE CONSTRUCTORS
Stand No. D7
37 Five Mile Drive, Wolvercote,
Oxford OX2 8HT
Tel/Fax: 01865 516927
Contact: Jonathan H. Franks
The Association have an interesting display of
photographs covering various golf courses that have
been constructed by members during the past
eighteen months. Constructor members are currently
building eight new golf courses designed by various
golf course architects both in the UK and Europe. They are also actively
involved in various course alterations to existing
courses. Members will be available during the
display to answer any queries concerning the
construction and maintenance of golf courses.

BRITISH OVERHEAD IRRIGATION
LIMITED
Stand No. C17
Upper Halliford Green, Shepperton,
Middlesex, TW17 8SB
Tel: 01932 788301, Fax: 01932 780417
Contact: Gerry Wilkins/David Jones
A comprehensive range of golf course and sports
ground irrigation equipment will be displayed
by British Overhead Irrigation Limited on their
attractive stand at C17. You will be sure of
a warm welcome from our experienced staff
who will be on hand to discuss any aspect of irriga-
tion technology and application that is of
interest to you.

BRITISH SEED HOUSES LTD
Stand No. A12
Bewsey Industrial Estate, Warrington,
Cheshire, WA5 5LE
Tel: 01925 654411, Fax: 01925 336682
Contact: Roger Saunders
Catering for the demand for top quality golf
green, tees and fairways is British Seed Houses,
with a range of grass seed mixtures and cultivars
to choose from. On display is Provene Creep-
ing Bent which has high STRI ratings. In addition
to providing good colour throughout the year,
Provene also has an outstanding shoot density
which gives a strong dense turf with an even
texture. It has much shorter growth than other
cultivars and is extremely fine leaved.

BRITISH SUGAR PLC
Stand No. A13
York Sugar Factory, P.O Box 17, York Y01 1XK
Tel: 01904 790331, Fax: 01904 528204
Contact: Philip Cock
British Sugar Topsoil is derived from prime
arable soils. It is friable, of low stone content,
and analysed to BS3882. It is ideal for use in
landscaping and land reclamation projects, land-
fill sites restoration, bank construction and reno-
vation, sports turf and amenity areas
applications. Specialist advice on use and applica-
tions is available.

CANNINGTOWN COLLEGE
Stand No. D19
Cannington, Nr Bridgwater, Somerset, TA5 2LS
Tel: 01278 652226, Fax: 01278 652479
Contact: Mr N Ridgen
Cannington is recognised as one of the premier
greenkeeping colleges in Britain and is approved
by the Greenkeepers Training Committee. Can-
nington has a wide range of facilities including a
high specification 9 hole golf course open both
to members and the public. The college offers a
range of high quality training and education,
from NVQ 1-4 to a three year full time HND in
Golf Course Management. A new course which
started in Autumn '95 is the HNC in Golf Course
Management and is available through the part
time route. If you would like to know more infor-
mation about the range of courses on offer at
Cannington, why not come and talk to us on our
stand (D19) at Harrogate.

CAPRARI PUMPS (UK) LTD
Stand No. D10
Caprari House, Bakewell Road, Orton,
Southgate, Peterborough
Tel: 01733 371665, Fax: 01733 371607
Contact: Jane Broughton
Caprari Pumps are exhibiting a comprehensive
range of clean water pumps which have been
designed specifically for use in both indoor and
outdoor irrigation applications. The HXV range of
vertical multistage pumps provide high effi-
ciency quiet and smooth operation. Caprari are
exhibiting borehole pumps from their extensive
range available which includes models from 4"-
24". The DM series of waste water pumps are on
display and suitable for handling and transfer-
ing drainage or contaminated water. Also on
display for the very first time is the Unico Multi-
pump Control incorporating Caprari MultiStage
Pumps providing variable speed/constant pres-
sure control with full system protection.

CHARTERHOUSE TURF
MACHINERY LTD
Stand No B50
Weydown Industrial Estate, Weydown Road,
Haslemere, Surrey GU27 1DW
Tel: 01428 661222 Fax: 01428 661218
Contact: David Jenkins
Two new Verti-Drain machines will be announced
at the 1997 BTME. These two new models
replace the existing popular Verti-Drain and the
best selling greens Verti-Drain. The two
new models are both faster over the ground
than the previous machines and can be operated
without creep gearboxes being fitted to the
prime mover. The re-design of these machines
has been specifically focused on providing the
Greenkeeper and Groundsman with an excellent finish to their turf after the shutter tuning process. Both machines will be on view on Stand No B59 where members of Charterhouse and Redwin staff will be pleased to show customers the new and unique feature which make these machines the best deep till aerators in the world.

CLEVELAND SITESAFE LIMITED
Stand No. 826
Park Farm, Dunstable, Leicestershire, LE10 6QH
Tel: 01455 238811, Fax: 01455 238810
Contact: Nick Wood
Cleveland Sitesafe Limited manufactures and supplies a wide range of highly secure movable storage and accommodation units for chemicals, tools, fuel, equipment and personnel.

CLUB-CAR CARRYALL
Stand No. B45
Levy (UK) Ltd Station Road, St. Neots,
Huntingdon, Cambridgeshire
Tel: 01480 476971, Fax: 01480 261167
Contact: P. Mansfield/D Cole
Club-Car will be showing their Carryall I & II utility vehicles powered by a quiet and efficient 9 HP petrol engine with a 48 volt electric option available. Their roomy 14.6 cu ft pickup bed gives unrivalled carrying capacity, while the flat-bed model gives even more cargo space at 21.5 cu ft. Heavy duty front bumpers and tyres, a trailer hitch and Club-Car's all aluminium chassis, impact resistant and rust free Armourflex body come as standard. Because every job is different a full range of operational extras are available to suit all requirements.

CMW EQUIPMENT CO
Stand No. A21
3 Priory Way, Coggeshall, Essex, CO6 1PW Tel: 01376 562569, Fax: 01376 563183
Contact: Nick Moss
CMW, one of the leading manufacturers and suppliers of golf course furniture, tools, safety and workwear will be showing an extensive range of products. These will include the new cast aluminium ballwashers available with either spiral or plunger action, an extended range of flag pins incorporating all types of flag fittings and ferrule sizes. We will also be introducing additions to our popular range of Safety & Work Wear. Come along to Stand A21 where you will receive a warm welcome and maybe pick up a bargain or two.

COOPER PEGLER
Stand No. A4
4-5 Watling Close, Sketchley Meadows Industrial Estate, Hinckley, Leics, LE10 3EX
Tel: 01455 238811, Fax: 01455 238810
Contact: Nick Wood
Cooper Pegler, the long established spraying equipment manufacturer, part of the Hardi Group have on display their full range of Hand Held Gromspay 1.5-6 ltr, Knappack 2000 Series and Classic Range 15-20 ltr. Compression Coated and Stainless Steel 5-10 ltr, Professional Wheelbarrow/lowered 100-300 ltr and the all new 12 volt Multipurpose 30-250 ltr skid units.

COUNTY CROPS - AMENITY DIVISION
Stand No. B23
Agromy House, Knutsford Road, Lymm, Cheshire, WA13 0TD, Tel: 01925 758886, Fax: 01925 756349
Contact: David Atkinson
County Crops - Amenity Division are suppliers of product for the maintenance of sports turf. We are mainly distributors of Miracare Care (formerly Zeneca), Rhone-Poulenc and Vitax Chemicals. We have our own range of fineturf souffleterils, grass seed mixtures, line-marking paints/compounds, grade sands/gravelS, top dressing etc. The Division have BASC qualified technical representatives who will be available to help solve your problems and discuss your needs.

COURSE CARE
Stand No. C16
Parkway House, Worth Way, Keighley, BD21 1SL
Tel: 01535 611169, Fax: 01535 611546
Contact: John Wood
Course Care welcome your workshop related enquiries. Course Care 30' application in engines, hydraulics and gearboxes is increasing its popularity across the UK. Environmental services are available for removal of chemical packaging, oil, filters and other items. Vivusol CA200 fuel treatment is being launched at the show to eliminate exhaust fumes from all machinery. Another debuteante is Green Concept wetting agent – possibly the most cost effective wetting agent on the market. See the high pressure, high temperature, highplex grease – great value at a sensible price. On offer is a complete bonded fuel tank installation at last year's show price of £999.

COURSE WEAR
Stand No. A14
Parkway House, Worth Way, Keighley, BD21 1SL
Tel: 01535 611103, Fax: 01535 611546
Contact: John Wood
Course Wear offer a full range of clothing and footwear for turf maintenance. Foul-weather wear with safety features are on display. The Course Wear range provides maximum comfort for the wearer within a sensible budget. Insulated boiler suits, waterproof safety boots, safety wellingtons and body warmers can all be seen on the stand together with polo shirts, sweat shirts, jackets and trousers. In addition, Course Wear can personalise most items with the name of the club and the wearer's name and position. Improve your profile, make your course more secure, project a corporate image.

EAGLE PROMOTIONS LIMITED
Stand No. D30
Eagle House, 1 Clearway Court, 139-141 Croydon Road, Caterham, Surrey
Tel: 01883 344244, Fax: 01883 344777
Contact: Philip McInery
Eagle Promotions offer a comprehensive range of products. From certified course measurement and tee signs through to score cards, yardage books, green fee tickets, members bag tags, event and leader boards. Come and see the latest ‘tram-lining’ or ‘striping’ syndrome associated with tightly set blades and dry weather. Hunter machines grind reels and bed knives accurately on the same machine eliminating the need for a separate bottom blade grinder. They are also water cooled to suppress dust and over servicing. The majority of courses can also be ground ‘in-situ’ if required. A visit to Hunter's stand would certainly be interesting, educational, save money and could give the greenkeepers more job satisfaction.

ELMWOOD COLLEGE
Stand No. D18
Capua, Five KY15 4PB
Tel: 01334 658910, Fax: 01334 658918
Contact: Carol Borthwick
We are friendly and approachable with plenty to offer you and your greenstaff. We run courses from craft level to HND, from full time to distance learning and everything in between. Elmwood is a innovative greenkeeping college meeting your needs. You don't even need to live near us to study with us. Come and talk to us today.

ENGLISH GOLF UNION
Stand No. D26
The National Golf Centre, The Broadway, Woodhall Spa, Lincolnshire, LN10 6PU
Tel: 01526 354500, Fax: 01526 354620
Contact: Karen Manning
The English Golf Union are the Governing Body for Men's Amateur Golf in England with responsibilities for membership, tournaments, handicapping, golf development, golf course management and administration on behalf of its 1820 affiliated clubs. The Golf Development Committee, formed by existing golf clubs with the management and presentation of their courses, continue to provide sound advice on agronomic and environmental management policies through their continuing series of workshop seminars.

ERIC HUNTER GRINDERS LTD
Stand No. C29
Hobson Industrial Estate, Burnphoild, Newcastle upon Tyne NE16 6EB
Tel: 01207 270316, Fax: 01207 270312
Contact: Eric and Michael Hunter
Hunter Grinders will be demonstrating their Jupiter and June precision mower grinding machines which are proving popular with golf courses anxious to save maintenance costs and improve grass cutting standards. Hunter machines are market leaders in the technique of accurate ‘relief angle’ grinding cutting reels. This method of grinding has become widely recognised for improving the performance of grass cutting machinery and by reducing friction, takes the load from engines and transmissions. Bed knives last 3-4 four times longer with longer intervals between adjustment and it eliminates the ‘tram-lining’ or ‘striping’ syndrome associated with tightly set blades and dry weather. Hunter machines grind reels and bed knives accurately on the same machine eliminating the need for a separate bottom blade grinder. They are also water cooled to suppress dust and over servicing. The majority of courses can also be ground ‘in-situ’ if required. A visit to Hunter's stand would certainly be interesting, educational, save money and could give the greenkeepers more job satisfaction.

ETESIA UK LTD
Stand No. B32
Unit 12 Hixon Way, Budbrooke Industrial Estate, Warwickshire, CV34 5NP
Tel: 01926 403319, Fax: 01926 403323
Contact: Robin Taylor
Now at BTME the Attila 80 ride-on brushcutter tackles the roughest areas including gentle slopes and keeps vegetation under control. When it comes to wild flower areas, woodland paths and infrequently mown sites on golf courses, there is nothing to beat an Etesia mower. Etesia's Hydro 100 cuts and collects all types of grass, long or short, wet or dry. In autumn they are ideal for leaf collection. Fitted with a brush they will keep car parks and paths tidy. Amongst Etesia's Viva and Pro ranges of pedestrian rotary mowers there is a model suitable for all types of terrain and conditions.

EUROPEAN TURFGRASS LABORATORIES LTD
Stand No. D6
3 Cunningham Road, Springkerse, Stirling FK7 7SL
Tel: 01786 449195, Fax: 01786 449195
Contact: Ann Murray
European Turfgrass Laboratories Ltd was established by a number of the Country's leading turfgrass and independent Turfgrass Agronomists in February 1996. The laboratory undertakes a wide range of tests for sports turf and golf course facilities including PH, nutrient analysis, particle size analysis and USGA root-zone testing procedures. The laboratory has applied for accreditation to the United States Golf Association which is likely to be granted in early 1997. For further details please contact Mrs. Ann Murray on 01786 449195.

FAIRWAY CREDIT
Stand No. D7
Premium Credit Ltd, The Kirkgate, Church Street, Epsom, Surrey
Tel: 01372 748833, Fax: 01372 748811
Contact: Mary Simpson
Fairway Credit is a flexible and simple facility for the payment of membership/joining fees.
monthly by direct debit. We have a unique facility which offers a simple solution to the annual problems associated with the collection of membership fees and ensures minimal formality at renewal. Annual membership/joining fees are fully funded and settled directly to the club. Our complete service and administrative support is provided without any cost to the club. All communication is through the medium of the club. The club retains absolute control at all times. For further information please telephone Mary Simpson on 01372 748111.

FARM AND GARDEN MACHINERY LTD
Stand No. C22
Red Hill House, Hope Street, Saltney, Chester
Tel: 01244 677166, Fax: 01244 674499
Contact: Paul Butterly
ShibaBau. We will be exhibiting ShibaBau diesel tractors and commercial mowers including the New Model CM354 with 35 hp out front rotary. The complete range starts with 16 hp ride on mowers. Then we have the 5 series with 20 – 30 hp multi purpose tractor with mid mounted deck. Out front mowers 22hp and the new 35 hp with many interesting features. Also 33 and 38 hp tractors with turf tires.

FARMURA LIMITED
Stand No. A19
Stone Hill, Egerton, Asford, Kent, TN27 9DU
Tel: 01233 756241, Fax: 01233 756419
Contact: Lynette Harmer
Flowtronex PSI Ltd, has recently introduced the EF Series fixed speed pumping systems. The EF Series combines the finest craftsmanship with the latest technology in producing the new standard in irrigation pumping systems. Whether you need a conventional system or the energy efficiency of Variable Frequency Drive (VFD), vertical turbine or horizontal centrifugal. Flowtronex PSI Ltd, will provide you with the most reliable and cost-effective system available. Flowtronex PSI Ltd, has recently introduced the EF Series fixed speed pumping systems. The EF Series systems are specifically designed for the smaller flowrate turfgrass irrigation market. The EF Series uses a conventional control configuration and vertical in line fixed speed pumps to provide smooth, efficient, and economical operation.

FEDERATION OF EUROPEAN GOLF COURSE ARCHITECTS
Stand No. D1
c/o BIGCA Merrist Wood House, Worplesdon, Guildford, Surrey
Tel: 01483 236035, Fax: 01483 236837
Contact: Howard Swan
The British Institute, together with the French Association and European Society, in representing the European Federation, will exhibit the range of services that are available to potential developers as well as existing golf facilities for professional golf course design. Members will be on hand to discuss golf course architecture, construction etc.

GOLF CLUB MANAGEMENT
Stand No. D8
Harper Trade Journals, Harling House, 47-51 Great Suffolk Street, London SE1 0BS
Tel: 0171 261 1604, Fax: 0171 633 0281
Contact: Steve Rankin
This is the only official journal of the Association of Golf Club Secretaries, published every month. The journal carries association news, "Secretary at Work," articles on clubs, courses, and the many aspects of golf management, plus informative and entertaining news in the golf world. The invaluable AGCS handbook is published with the July issue, and the colourful 1998 wall calendar will be issued in November, to help golf executives plan their work and play. The secretaries and their captains receive 'Golf Club Management' automatically, but it is also available on subscription. Find out more about the magazine when you come to collect your free copy.

GOLF COURSE NEWS
Stand No. D24
38 Lafayette Street, Yarmouth, Maine, USA 04096
Tel: (207) 8460000, Fax: (207) 8406657
Contact: Hal Phillips
Golf Course News, the news source for the golf industry, reports news and trends regarding the development, management, maintenance and supply of golf courses. A monthly US edition of GCN was launched in 1988. Since then, this four-colour tabloid newspaper has extended its coverage – first, to the East with GCN Asia-Pacific in 1993, and now worldwide. With the January 1997 launch of Golf Course News International, circulated six times yearly to more than 15,000 golf courses in Europe, Africa, Asia-Pacific, Australia, Central and South America and Canada. Published by United Publications Inc. – headquarters in Yarmouth, Maine, USA – GCN now reaches decision-makers at more than 30,000 golf courses worldwide. Its readers are course developers, owners, general managers, architects, builders and superintendents/greenkeepers. GCN's seasoned editorial staff keeps readers informed via authoritative, accurate, concise reporting gathered from an international clearing house of golf industry contacts unrivalled in size and scope. Golf Course News also prides itself in being out front when it comes to reporting new course development, agronomic innovation and research, and product development.

GOLF COURSE SUPERINTENDENTS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA
Stand No. D4
1421 Research Park Drive, Lawrence, KS 66049, USA
Tel: 001 913 8234435, Fax: 001 913 8324433
Contact: Don Brethhaver
Golf Course Superintendents Association of America is the professional association for the men and women who manage golf courses. The organization's mission is to serve its members,
advances their profession and enhance the quality of golf and its environment.

**THE GOLF SIGN COMPANY**
Stand No. B32
65-69 Old Chester Road, Birkenhead, L41 9AW,
Tel: 0151 647 8081, Fax: 0151 666 1087
Contact: David Frances.

**THE GRASSROOTS TRADING CO LTD**
Stand No. D24C
Unit B Carlo Court, Marinou Way, Hogwood Lane Industrial Estate, Finchampstead, Berkshire, RG40 4RF
Tel: 0118 973 6600, Fax: 0118 973 6677
Contact: Jamie Bennett

The winners of the 1996 Lloyds Bank Small Business Award welcome you to their stand for what will be their second year at BTME. Situated in Hall D opposite the BIGGA stand you will find a friendly and informed welcome along with the largest and most diverse range of products/services available from one golf course supplier. Whether you're buying criteria focuses on quality, price or service or you simply wish to know what choices are available, come and pick up a brochure. Our success is your success.

**J D GREASLEY LIMITED**
Stand No. C20A
1152 Melton Road, Styal, Leics LE7 2HB
Tel: 0161 2696776, Fax: 0161 2696866
Contact: J D Greasley

John Greasley has had a very busy year having constructed over forty golf greens in 1996. The company which specialises in both alterations and new build has completed the construction of: twenty holes at the New Springs GC, Oxford; eleven hole extension at Desidee GC, Aberdeen; three holes at Gog Magog GC, Cambridge; four holes at Eastham Lodge GC, Merseyside; replacement greens at Whitlington Heath GC, Lichfield and Huyton and Prescot GC, Liverpool. Works being carried out include the construction of new championship Tees at Royal Birkdale and further works at the West Middlesex GC and the Leicester GC. For all your alterations see John Greasley on Stand C20A or telephone 0116 2696766.

**THE GREENKEEPERS TRAINING COMMITTEE**
Stand No. D3
Aldwark Manor, York, Y06 2NF
Tel: 01347 838040, Fax: 01347 838775
Contact: David Golding

The Greenkeepers Training Committee (GTC) staff will be available to discuss with employers and employees from golf clubs all the latest training options including the Modern Apprenticeship. The GTC is a registered centre for National/Scottish Vocational Qualifications (NSVQ's) in Amenity Horticulture Levels 1-4 inc and a network of advisers, assessors and verifiers assist in the promotion of greenkeeper training and qualifications. Please call in and see us.

**THE GREENKEEPING SUPPLY COMPANY**
Stand No. A3
7 Mill Close, Roswell, Chelmsford, Essex, CM1 4PG
Tel: 01245 248880, Fax: 01245 522969
Contact: Liam/Richard

The Greenkeeping Supply Company are recognised for their comprehensive range of good quality competitively priced tools/equipment/safety wear and cockleshells infact all equipment used on the golf course. We supply to over 800 golf clubs and local authorities. Once again the Greenkeeping Supply Company look forward to being of service to all our customers old and new. You will find us in our usual place, stand A3 left of the main entrance.

**GREEN-TECH**
Stand No. B12
P O Box No. 1, Boroughbridge, York
Tel: 011423 324342, Fax: 011423 32444120
Contact: Richard Kay

GreenTech will be displaying their extensive range of environmentally friendly turf and landscaping products, which is distributed promptly by our own transport throughout the Midlands and the North of England. On hand will be Richard Kay, Paul Moore and Melynn Guy to answer any technical or product queries you may have. There will be samples of Martin Bros. top dressing and pathway material, Headland "Multi-Gro" resin coated fertilisers, Sharpes International Grass Seeds Designer Range, TechGuard mesh tree and shrub shelters, buckles and belting, Rainbow "Defender" tree shelters, Vitagrow fertilisers and PBI Amenity Range. We look forward to receiving customers, old and new, to discuss any requirements.

**GROUNDSMAN INDUSTRIES LIMITED**
Stand No. B21
The Mill, Seymour Street, Ballymoney, Co. Antrim, Northern Ireland, BT53 6JR
Tel: 012656 67049, Fax: 012656 66855
Contact: Billy Warke

Groundsmen Industries, the specialist fine turf aeration company, display at BTME Harrogate '97 the very latest in their range. The new tractor and turf vehicle mounting model 8120 aeration tractor will be on display featuring its 'Rolling Terrain' kit and a unique core gathering system. All models now feature the new box section tining arms giving greater strength for the more difficult compaction jobs. The three pedestal models have operator comfort in mind with their new Flexi-handles fitted as standard. Six different Tine Holder combinations all interchangeable in minutes make this impressive line up ideal for all aeration tasks in all seasons. Groundsmans continues its policy of product development to offer all professional users the very best in aeration equipment.

**HADLOW COLLEGE**
Stand No. D15
Hadlow, Tonbridge, Kent, TN11 0AL
Tel: 01732 850551, Fax: 01732 851957
Contact: David Butler

Hadlow College in Kent offers an extensive range of custom built courses for professional greenkeepers and groundsmen. These include day-release courses in groundsmanship and golf greenkeeping at NVQ levels II & III. There is a sports turf management option available on the full-time First Diploma and National Diploma in Horticulture. The College has its own dedicated training area, including greens and tees built to USPGA specifications. The College's links with the industry ensures the course meet the needs of both employers and trainees and comply with the greenkeepers training committee regulations.

**HARDI LTD**
Stand No. B38
4/5 Notting Close, Sketchley Meadows Business Park, Hinckley, Leicestershire, LE10 3EX
Tel: 01455 238311, Fax: 01455 238315
Contact: Bill Oliver

Hardi Ltd has established itself as a leading supplier to the industry, by developing a specialised range of Amenity sprayers. This range covers tractor mounted, trailed, de-mountable and skid units. In short we have a comprehensive range of products which is designed to meet the needs of the golf course, park or sports ground. By recognising the need for environmental controls, Hardi Ltd in association with Rogers Innovative are marketing the Windfoil Boom in mounted and pedestrian operated forms also the Root Zone Injector. Hardi Ltd are also European importers for the renowned range of...
Greencare aeration equipment. This range includes the Coremaster pedestrian and tractor mounted cores and the Shattermaster sub-surface aerator. Finally, Hardi Ltd are distributors for the Greens Iron range manufactured by Woodbay Enterprises.

**HAYTER LTD**
Stand No. C42
Spellbrook, Bishops Stortford, Herts CH23 4BD
Tel: 01279 7233444, Fax: 01279 600338
Contact: Barbara Garton
Hayter have been producing top quality grass cutting products for over 50 years without compromising on quality. On Stand C42 this is more than evident with the products on display for golf course and local authority markets. Launched at SALTEX, the new Twin Turf Mower the LT324 featuring a 4 wheel drive "on-demand" system, will make its first visit to BTME - Pro-Sport Eco-Zone, made using a green waste (peat free) product. The new Pro-Sport Leighton Buzzard White Bunker sand will also be on display. Pro-Sport Top Dressing products will also be on display, including the new Pro-Sport Eco-Dress, which again uses the Green Waste technology to provide a peat free top dressing product for the industry.

**HLD LTD**
Stand No. B24
The Old Shipyard, Gainsborough, Lincoln, LN12 9NG
Tel: 01427 617000, Fax: 01427 612867
Contact: Martyn Spence
HLD provide a total design and construction service for all forms of timber landscape and engineering structures. Products include low cost kit bridges, elegant large span footbridges, lake crossings, pergola walkways, decks, shelters and fencing. All structures are fully guaranteed against decay and manufactured to the highest standards.

**HUMATE INTERNATIONAL**
Stand No. C26
Water House, 10 Carvers Industrial Estate, Southampton Road, Ringwood, Hampshire, BH24 1JS
Tel: 01425 476261/2, Fax: 01425 472380
Contact: John McLaughlin
On display will be the full range of Humate products. These include granular Humate, liquid Humate, Humate Stress Reliever and Humate chelates. Aqua-Root wetters, containing Humate, will also be featured. These are in liquid, granular and six ounce pellet forms. Also on show will be our Bio-System MS micro-organism products which are now widely used by greenkeepers. They are applied with Humates to suppress disease and algae and to reduce thatch and anaerobic conditions such as black layer.

**HUXLEYS GRASS MACHINERY LTD**
Stand No. A32
The Bear, New Alresford, Hampshire
Tel: 01962 733222, Fax: 01962 734702
Contact: Paul Huxley
New from Huxleys are the Soil Reliever Junior deep tine aerator and Groundforce 104 off-road transport vehicle. The 48" Soil Reliever Junior is a heavy duty machine for smaller tractor, and can aerate to 12" depth. Faster than competitors, it's ideal for greens and small to medium size areas. The Groundforce 104 has a 1500 lb payload capacity, automotive type transaxle, excellent traction and rugged construction. A low cost, economical "working vehicle". The Grasskeeper Green Brush is used by golf courses throughout Britain for integrating top-dressings quickly and effectively, and to help produce faster, more even putting surfaces. Huxleys also manufacture and sell a wide range of grass maintenance machinery.

**HYNES INTERNATIONAL**
Stand No. C5
171 Sutherland Avenue, Wolverhampton WV2 2RA
Tel: 01902 452138, Fax: 01902 454159
Contact: Michael Tinning
Industrial Power Units are exhibiting the SubAir turf aeration and drainage enhancement system. This unique approach to the process of aeration utilises the drainage pipes as a non-disruptive access to the rootzone. The suction applied by SubAir allows the green to truly breathe. SubAir aids in control of moisture content within the rootzone and can accelerate surface drainage. IPU will also be showing the SubAir (IPU2000) soil gas analysers. This valuable management tool displays and records the levels of important soil gases to monitor the effect of aeration and to give long range warning to the turf manager for potential problems.

**HEPWORTH MINERALS AND CHEMICALS LTD**
Stand No. B19
Brookside Hall, Sandbach, Cheshire CW11 4TF
Tel: 01270 752700, Fax: 01270 752701
Contact: Trevor Leadbeater
Hepworth Minerals and Chemicals Ltd (HMC) produces under the brand name of Pro-Sport a comprehensive range of graded sands, root-zones and topdresses for application within the leisure industry. Pro-Sport root-zones are available as USGA, Premier Golf, Golf and Sports Pitch. A new product will be on display at BTME 97 – Pro-Sport Eco-Zone, made using a green waste (peat free) product. The new Pro-Sport Leighton Buzzard White Bunker sand will also be on display. Pro-Sport Top Dressing products will also be on display, including the new Pro-Sport Eco-Dress, which again uses the Green Waste technology to provide a peat free top dressing product for the industry.

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**THE HYDROSCAPE GROUP**
Stand No. C26
Water House, 10 Carvers Industrial Estate, Southampton Road, Ringwood, Hampshire, BH24 1JS
Tel: 01425 476261/2, Fax: 01425 472380
Contact: Graeme Francis
The Otterbine range of water aeriation equipment and floating fountain are being used increasingly on golf courses around the country. The range, distributed in the UK solely through The Hydroscape Group, is particularly geared to oxygenating and circulating water and has proved to be the most cost effective long term way in which to tackle the causes, and not just the symptoms, of poor water quality. New Otterbine products for 1997 include the Tri-Star floating fountain/aerator and Otter Clear, which complements aeriation and bio-augmentation, a process of introducing bacteria which improves water clarity, reduces pH and removes sludge from the pond bottom.

**INSTITUTE OF GROUNDSMANSHIP**
Stand No. D22
19-23 Church Street, The Agora, Wolverton, Milton Keynes
Tel: 01908 312511, Fax: 01908 311140
Contact: Chris Costello
The IOG has maintained its highly accredited education scheme since 1953. The present format, recently reviewed, reflects the latest requirements in education whilst ensuring that modern techniques and skills, combined with ongoing research and development, are passed on to students through the demanding syllabuses of the IOG's Certificates and Diplomas. The IOG organises varying courses, throughout

KAWASAKI MOTORS (UK) LTD

Stand No. C14

1 Dukes Meadow, Millboard Road, Bourne End, Bucks, SL85XF

Tel: 01628 851000, Fax: 01628 850886

Contact: James Houlton

With a well-earned reputation for reliability and durability in the turf and ground care industries, the Kawasaki range of Mule Utility Vehicles is added to with the new Mule 550 model to be seen for the first time in the UK at this year’s BTME. With the same engine and automatic transmission as the previous Mule 500 the main difference is the bench seat is now fitted allowing a passenger to be carried. With a cargo bed capacity of 160 kg (352lbs) and 550 makes the ideal economical workhorse for sensitive surfaces and comes with 12 months warranty. The larger 2500 and 2510 Mules of both 2x4 and 4x4 drive configuration continue to increase sales where the requirement is for a sturdy 2 person all weather workhorse. A full range of accessories is available from any of the countrywide Kawasaki Mule dealer network.

LEVINGTON HORTICULTURE LTD

Stand No. B2

Paper Mill Lane, Bradmore, Ipswich, Suffolk

Tel: 01473 830492, Fax: 01473 830386

Contact: Natalie McBride

Levington Horticulture Ltd will be emphasising the key spring products from their range at BTME - Greenmaster Mosskiller and Turfdear for casting worm control. Greenmaster Mosskiller is specifically formulated to revitalise turf after the stresses of the winter period, providing the optimum 14:0:0 nutrient formulation for vigorous and healthy grass growth combined with an 8.9% iron content for excellent moss control. In common with all the Greenmaster range, Greenmaster Mosskiller is manufactured to stringent quality standards for accuracy, ease of use and reliable turf growth and colour response. Levington Turfclear, based on carbendazim, is the dual acting turf fungicide and worm cast control product – now available in the 5 litre economy pack.

LINDUM SEEDS LTD

Stand No. B5

West Grange, Thorganby, York Y04 6DJ

Tel: 01904 448573, Fax: 01904 448713

Contact: S C R Fell

More and more golf courses are using ‘Bayer’ products. The Powerhead attachment fits neatly onto a strimmer and in 2 seconds each sprinkler head is cut clear of grass, ensuring your irrigation system works efficiently and freeing up vital labour time. The Floranid range of turf requirements.

KUBOTA (UK) LTD

Stand No. A40

Dormer Road, Thame, Oxon OX9 3UN

Tel: 01844 214300, Fax: 01844 216685

Contact: Stuart Ellis

‘Kubota’s Super Do Do In Force’; Kubota’s UK’s number one compact tractor supplier is out in force at BTME ’97. Leading the show line-up is Kubota’s latest range of 18-24hp compact tractors, the Super B series. A high mowing deck clearance, a modern Buisard Cab and Bi-Speed Turn (two larger models only) make the Super Bs ideal for operators in the golf and amenity sectors. The three-strong Grandel range of 35-45hp compact tractors is also featured along with the best in ride-on mower technology from Kubota’s ‘F’ series of front mounted mowers. Visit the Kubota stand and see why more people choose a Kubota.

JOHN DEERE LIMITED

Stand No. C13

4 Lancaster Way, Earls Colne Industrial Park, 1 Dukes Meadow, Millboard Road, Bourne End, Bucks, SL85XF

Tel: 01628 851000, Fax: 01628 850886

Contact: James Houlton

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KINGS HORTICULTURE LTD

Stand No. B10

4 Lancaster Way, Earls Colne Industrial Park, Earl’s Colne, Colchester, Essex, CO6 2NS

Tel: 01787 223300, Fax: 01787 224509

Contact: John Hinton

Innovative, award winning, practical, exclusive. Kings will be exhibiting selections from their exclusive produce range. Powerhead is a unique cutting device for use in maintenance of golf course irrigation. The Powerhead attachment fits neatly onto a strimmer and in 2 seconds each sprinkler head is cut clear of grass, ensuring your irrigation system works efficiently and freeing up vital labour time. The Floranid range of turf requirements.

LLOYDS & CO LETCHWORTH LIMITED

Stand No. B35

Birds Hill, Letchworth, Herts SG6 1JE

Tel: 01462 683031, Fax: 01462 481964

Contact: Derek Haley

The staff of Lloyds & Company will be pleased to discuss their very popular range of Ledga mowers suitable for cutting golf course fairways and their Ledga giant gang mowers for the rough and semi-rough together with the ever popular Paladin Fine Turf Motor Mowers, which has now been updated with Operator Presence Control, with all new prospective and existing customers.

LUBRICATION ENGINEERS C/O PETROLEUM PRODUCTS & SERVICES

Stand No. C3

Unit 7, Dicker Mill, Hertford, Herts

Tel: 01992 505775, Fax: 01992 505594

Contact: Sheila Rowe

Alan Shepard played golf on the moon – we helped put him there! LE oils and greases are currently being used by over 600 golf clubs and turf management companies throughout the United Kingdom. LE’s high performance grease contains Almagard, LE’s exclusive wear reducing additive which won’t wash or pound out. All our products are designed to deliver higher performance levels than others. Maintenance and downtime costs are cut dramatically so you, the end user, will recover the initial cost of the lubricant many times over. Don’t just take our word for it, come and see for yourself how our products compare with our competitors. Demonstrations will be given throughout the exhibition.

MAJOR EQUIPMENT LTD
TURF CARE APPROACH!

Win this Ballater putter worth £100.00

Visit the Maxicrop Stand (no.C25) at BTME - Harrogate

to enter the 20 to 35 hp MF compact tractor line-up and work of dealers. On show will be models from wide range of compact tractors and turfcare machinery for the professional groundscare customers. See us on stand B29.

MARTIN BROTHERS (UK) LTD
Stand No. A331
Court Lodge Farm, Force Lane, East Farleigh, Maidstone, Kent, ME15 0HQ
Tel: 01622 728718, Fax: 01622 728720
Contact: Keith Elliment

Lactic with the articulator have just perfected the art of grooming the world's finest turf using the world's finest floating rotary mower. Meet the X-series articulator, with proven durability stronger, lighter, together and better. The articulator offers the highest quality finish cut of any rotary mower. They cut over 10 feet wide with the same accuracy as a single 21” push mower, precise length, better grass distribution, better wet grass cutting, winter mulching.

MIRACLE PROFESSIONAL
Stand No. B39
Salisbury House, Weyside Park, Catteshall Lane, Godalming, Surrey, GU7 1XE
Tel: 01483 410210, Fax: 01483 410220
Contact: Steve Hall

Miracle Professional will as usual be giving their full support to the BIGGA Turf Management Exhibition and their stand will be featuring their wide range of products. Major chemical brands include the fungicides 'Daconil' Turf and 'Greenshield', 'Enforcer' the liquid mosskiller, and 'Intrepid' the selective turf herbicide that has been so successful this season. The Miracle 'Longlife' range offers quality fertilisers, giving value for money with analysis to suit most situations. 'Invigorator' (408), the latest addition to the range, will be featured alongside the new improved FREE soil analysis service. Call in for further details. Visit Stand B39 on Wednesday 22nd and meet the 'Longlife' girl and receive a personally signed poster.

MOMMERSTEEG INTERNATIONAL
Stand No. C4
Spitfire Close, Emme Business Park, Huntingdon PE18 6GY
Tel: 01480 459500, Fax: 01480 459990
Contact: Phil Davies

A comprehensive line-up of grass seed varieties and mixtures to suit every greenkeepers need awaits visitors to the Mommersteeg International stand. The display features Mocassin a highly-rated slender creeping red fescue in STRI trials. Mocassin has been included for the first time in two specialist mixtures for the golf course – MM12 a mixture for tees and fairways and MM13 a fine fescue mixture for tees and fairways without smooth stalked meadow grass. Also featured will be the Mommersteeg biological seed treatment – Improved Headstart. The reformulated seed treatment is used on all Mommersteeg MM mixtures and ensures better root and shoot development, greater water absorption and improved photosynthesis.

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MOORE UNI-DRILL LTD
Stand No. 820
33 Kirk Road, Ballymoney, Co Antrim,
Northern Ireland, BT53 6PP
Tel: 01265 65696, Fax: 012656 64444
Contact: Sam Moore
'Moore Sportsfield Drill 1.2M.' The drill can follow ground contours accurately and plant seeds at a constant depth in its own prepared mini seedbed. Seeds planted at 12mm give an excellent rooting structure, which holds the grass sward together better than shallow planted seeds which tend to be more easily scuffed off. To obtain a hard wearing playing surface, the drill should be used at regular intervals. Root pruning helps to develop and strengthen the root structure thus giving a much improved playing surface. Fairways on Golf Courses should be seeded every Autumn. Root pruning which relieves surface compaction and aerates the soil, simulates root growth and encourages the existing native grasses to grow between rows.

MULTI-CORE AERATORS LIMITED
Stand No. B13
6 Chestnut End, Boson Spa, Wetherby,
West Yorkshire, LS23 6JG
Tel/Fax: 01937 843281
Contact: Katharine Waddington
'Designed and manufactured in the UK and to be launched at the BTME show by Multi Core Aerator Ltd will be the new MC15 tractor mounted aerator. Both the MC10 and MC15 models now feature a one piece steel floor plan for added strength and rigidity. Larger bearings, stronger tine arms, fully sealed flexible link units and a fully floating turf holder have now been incorporated. Lower hitch points and a larger roller allow for greater ground clearance and easier coupling to the tractor. Both the MC10 and MC15 are CE marked and this assures the customer that they comply fully with current EU health and safety laws. Both machines are supplied as standard with 61mm spacing heads, mini tine heads, one set of 13mm hollow tines, one set of 9.5mm mini solid tines, turf holders, parking stands, core windrow assembly and power take off shaft.'

MYERSCOUGH COLLEGE
Stand No. B6
Myerscough Hall, Bilsborrow,
Nr Preston PR3 0BY
Tel: 01995 640611, Fax: 01995 640842
Contact: Lorna Tyson/Lynne Jones
'Few colleges in the UK can better Myerscough's long association with the Sportsturf Industry. This dynamic College provides full time turf science courses at National Certificate, BTEC National Diploma and Higher National Diploma level. In addition, a wide range of part time courses leading to NVQ qualifications are designed to meet individual needs. Short courses cover sportsground maintenance, sportsturf construction and drainage, marking out, irrigation and FEPA. The College also offers training courses for business sales and support staff, who supply the turfgrass sector.'

NATURE FIRST LIMITED
Stand No. C24
Wood Lane Nursery, Down Hatherley,
Gloucestershire
Tel: 01452 7311199, Fax: 01452 731131
Contact: Christine Bromage
'Nature First Limited offer a comprehensive arboricultural service on a nationwide basis. Experts in supply, planting and maintenance of Semi-Mature Trees, the company undertakes major contracts for a wide range of clients. Transplanting of trees using their modern fleet of Tree Spades is regularly undertaken with excellent success rates. Machines with a rootball size of up to 2.1m are available for hire with experienced operators. Dedicated to the supply of the completed arboricultural service the Tree Surgery Division of Nature First has the facility to offer services such as consultancy, stump removal and brushwood chipping as an integral part of the operation. Highly skilled staff and modern mechanised techniques enable the company to offer competitive quotations in all areas. Enquiries are invited for contracts in Great Britain and Europe.'
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NEW HOLLAND UK LTD
Stand No. C47
Cranes Farm Road, Basildon, Essex
Tel: 01268 292590, Fax: 01268 292574
New Holland Series 20 tractors are renowned for their strength and durability which is achieved through their robust construction. With engine and transmission forming the main chassis structure, Series 20 models combine outstanding hydraulic performance with superb handling characteristics. CM commercial mowers have a specification which includes automatic 4WD engagement and a hydraulic deck weight trans- system for improved traction. For mowing in confined areas, GT mowers with their three cylinder diesel engines, are available with 48" side or rear discharge decks. High torque reserves are a feature of the two cylinder engines used in the new Series 35 multi purpose and micro tractors. With hp levels from 45 to 95, these tractors offer a specification to suit most applications.

NORTH STAFFS IRRIGATION COMPANY
Stand No. D11
Ivy Mill, Longton Road, Stone,
Staffs, ST5 1TB
Tel: 01785 811706, Fax: 01785 811747
Contact: Martin Hinchcliffe
North Staffs Irrigation is a well established, reliable, family run business staffed by qualified engineers and operated without the use of sub-contractors. The company has been trading for almost thirty years and in that time has completed work at many of the Championship courses in the UK including Royal Lytham & St. Annes which North Staffs Irrigation prepared for the “Open” this summer. Our Principal Roger Hinchcliffe and his sons Martin and Andrew will be available throughout the Exhibition to answer your questions and give advice.

NORTH WEST TURF
Stand No. A1
Mickering Lane, Aughton,
Nr Ormskirk, Lancs
Tel: 01695 422144, Fax: 01695 422251
Contact: Ian Mercer
North West Turf offers a wide range of cultivated turf for all golf course requirements. Our 'Royal Blend' is our greens turf. 'Aughton Green' is our tees turf. Budget downgrade turf is sometimes available at reduced prices making turf more affordable for larger areas, such as fairway repair work. Giant roll or standard rolls available. Grown on a sandy soil, please ask for details. We are also able to offer TPI approved turf, with a declaration of turf characteristics detailing exactly what the turf consists of. This is your guarantee of quality. We look forward to meeting customers new and old at our stand A1.

OCMIS IRRIGATION (UK) LTD
Stand No. A15
Higher Burrow, Kingsbury, Nr Martock,
Somerset, TA1 6BU
Tel: 01460 241939, Fax: 01460 242198
Contact: Roger Davey
Ocmis are irrigation experts with a referral dri- ven reputation in system design, manufacture and supply, installation and service for all sports turf, landscape and amenity areas. We are also specialists in the refurbishment and upgrading of existing systems. Ocmis are distributors for Rainbird, Buckner & Hunter and can supply and service any other make of equipment. Throughout the United Kingdom Ocmis stock stock MDPE & UPVC pressure pipe, associated fittings, pumping units, electric cable and mobile irrigators. Ocmis’ unique in house design capabilities enable that the requirements of each client are individually met and that each project is given independent attention. For more information, or no obligation survey and design contact Ocmis Irrigation (UK) Ltd, Head Office - 01460 241939, Midlands - 01789 414640, Northern - 01924 453102 and Scottish Office - 01312 202102.

PAN BRITANNICA INDUSTRIES LTD
Stand No. D23
Britannica House, High Street, Waltham Cross, Herts, EN8 7DY
Tel: 01992 626361, Fax: 01992 626452
Contact: John Gregory
Bi Amenity is a leading supplier to the Sports, Golf, Industrial and local Authority Authorities. Bi will be featuring its well known brands including Kerb, Isolite, Bissobr and Glycer. Full deals will also be available on Turf Systemic Fungicide and worm control product. Details of the full amenity range will be available along with our unique customer support package.

PARAGON ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGY (EUROPE) LTD
Stand No. D28
109 Pannal Ash Road, Harrogate,
North Yorkshire, HG2 9AL
Tel/Fax: 01423 505600
Contact: Nigel Ronson
Westex Water, the leading water company in the UK for recycling sewage sludge, has produced an organically rich, almost odourless and safe gran- nular product called Biogran, which offers easy con- version to soil conditioner, supplied in 25kg or 750kg weatherproof sacks by Paragon Environmental Technology (Europe) Ltd to the UK amenity market. Of benefit is it’s slow release which improves ground fertility, produc-
The college also offers sandwich placement at an intensive greenkeeper training in the UK. The college has contact: D. Mortram/B Cope.

Reaseheath College is at the cutting edge of personnel and work vehicle and a trio of precision greens mowers – the E-Plex, the Greensplex 160 and the walk behind Greens Super. Envirojet turf grass injection system, the Hawk powered by a 46.5hp turbocharged diesel (13' 2"), the mower is believed to offer the production of its first product, the original impact sprinkler, the company has been known for its innovation in both the design and application of its products. Today, Rain Bird offers landscape and golf architects the widest choice of pop-up impact or closed-case sprinklers, electric valves and water management control systems. Whatever your irrigation needs are, bowling greens, football or rugby fields, horse race tracks, hockey fields, parks and city landscape developments, golf course or putting greens, there is always a Rain Bird solution.

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RIGBY TAYLOR LIMITED Stand No. A23
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Rigby Taylor have made a major investment in the development of new products, and there will be further interesting introductions at BTME 1997 under the "Advanced Technology Products from Rigby Taylor" banner. In addition, there will be technical advice from supporting manufacturers, competitions and special show offers to make your visit to our stand at Harrogate entertaining, informative and profitable.

RISBORO 'TURF' Stand No. A38
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Pride of place will go to winner of Turf Manager's Best New Sports Turf Product at SALTEX 96 – the Little John self-propelled pedestrian hydraulic scarifier and verticutter. This unique machine has a hydrostatically driven, fully floating head that takes interchangeable options including scarifier, verticutter, sorrel roller or brush. Other turf care equipment on show includes the 24" Big Willy aerator, sorrel rollers, diagnost, rakes and brushes. Near's Cup Cutter grinner keeps a keen edge on cup cutters and lessens the risk of disrupting turf surfaces around the hole. Arrow ballpickers are suitable for most types of terrain and confined areas.

RITFEED LIMITED Stand No. C12
Elecron House, Electron Works, Brook Street, Preston, Lancashire PR1 7WH
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Contact: John Walker/Richard Lawrence

Roffey will also be showing their range of organic fertilisers will once again be supporting BTME. On display will be Ritefeeds unique computer based soil analysis, as well as the most extensive range of liquid fertilisers available. John Walker Managing Director of Ritefeed commenting on his companies continued support of BTME said "Harrogate is without doubt the most important show for our company. We have concentrated on developing relationships with Course Managers and it is an ideal opportunity for us to meet many existing friends as well as meeting new ones. This year has been an exciting one, with us now supplying the vast majority of Britain's leading golf clubs, including Gleneagles and The Belfry."

ROFFEY BROTHERS LTD Stand No. A30
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Barby Lane, Barby, Nr. Rugby, Warwickshire, CV23 8TD Tel: 01788 891892, Fax: 01788 891387 Contact: Chris Cann The 1997 specification Lamborghini Runner Range now includes a 3 speed hydrostatic transmission, demonstrated on the Runner 250 (optional for the Runner 250 only). Also available in 1997 is an optional cab featured on the Runner 350. The top of the range Runner 450 has a 4 cylinder turbocharged 42 H/P engine, high performance hydraulic system with 1200 kg lift capacity, position and draught control functions with the option of a front PTO, mower deck and grass collection system. The more powerful Sprint 60 on display uses a 3 cylinder 60 H/P engine and a 40 kph synchro-shuttle transmission as standard. Oil-immersed disc brakes and a 55 degree tuming angle add to the specification of the four wheel drive sprint 60 which can be fitted with electronic throttle regulation and a multiflsh gearbos. Tractors on show: New Sprint 60, Runner 250 with a new hydrostatic transmission, Runner 350 with a new safety cab.

SISK EQUIPMENT (MACCLESFIELD) LTD Stand No. C41 Hurdsfield Industrial Estate, Halley Road, Macclesfield, Cheshire, SK10 2LZ Tel: 01625 503030, Fax: 01625 427426 Contact: Lynn Hilton Sisis will display items from their large and comprehensive range of golf course maintenance machinery.

SOME-LAMBORHGINI (UK) LTD Stand No. C29 Windmill House, Sutton Road, Wiggington, York Y03 3BA Tel: 01904 765949, Fax: 01904 760016 Contact: Paul Seward Specialising in turf compaction Seward is the first company in the UK to operate the vertidrain and now has available two 2.5m fairway and two 1.45 greens machines. Sewsants have now added their own developed sand and gravel slitting machine to their range for both sale and hire marketed under the Jamson Agin Bandier trade name. Overseeding is carried out with various types of drills, stone burying, hollow tining, fairway grooming with a collector is also available. Top dressing is carried out with a 1 and 4 ton spreader. We are also distributors for Force Limagrain Fortixia grass seeds, fertilisers and top dressing.

SHARPES INTERNATIONAL Stand No. B28 Seaford, Lincs, NG4 7HA Tel: 01529 304511, Fax: 01529 413928 Contact: lan Backhouse Sharpe's International are highlighting four new varieties of perennial rye grass which have been added to the 1997 STRI list. The varieties are Beverlee, Brightstar, Fancy and Repell. Beverlee is fine leaved and scores highly for shoot density. Its growth pattern will make the variety useful in low maintenance conditions. Brightstar, which originates from the USA, will perform well in mixtures where wear and appearance are important. Fancy and Repell are two mid-table varieties which give a good performance for those whom economy is a key consideration. Technical staff will be available to discuss these and other varieties in more detail.

SHETLAND TRENCHING & SYSTEMS LTD Stand No. C46 Fir Tree Farm, Darfield, Barnsley S73 9JB Tel: 01226 731762, Fax: 01226 755481 Shelton Trenching Systems Ltd is Europe's leading manufacturer of sports turf drainage equipment. The range of equipment for sale and hire covers the Shelton Superstrencher capable of trenching up to 135mm wide and 625mm deep through to the Shelton Gravel Band Drainer, capable of moving excess soil water in minutes by installing bands of drainage medium 20mm wide to a depth of 250mm. The Shelton Single Leg Gravel Band Drainer, specifically designed for draining golf greens, can install bands of drainage medium between 10mm and 20mm wide and up to 300mm deep. A range of accessories and spares is also available.

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SPLIT BEARING SYSTEMS LTD Stand No. B36 Meadow View, Norwich Road, Norwich NR3 6LA Tel/Fax: 01603 746229, Mobile: 0850 732744 Contact: Steve Williams At Sovereign Turf Ltd we are pleased to have the opportunity once again to welcome both old friends and new customers to our stand. We shall, as always, be exhibiting our range of high quality turf products which continue to represent exceptional value for money. Whether you are choosing turf for soccer pitches, amenity areas, or any golf course application, renovation or new build, don't place your order until you have discussed your requirements with us. Don't forget that all Sovereign's turf products undergo independent analyses and stringent quality controls, so come to Sovereign, where you always come first.

STANDARD GOLF (UK) LTD Stand No. B36 c/o 49 Ringwood Road, Alderholt, Nr Fordingbridge, Hants, SP6 3DJ Tel: 01345 123588, Fax: 01423 656260 Contact: Duncan Stewart Standard Golf will display their complete range of Golf course Equipment from the USA and are the world's leading supplier of course equipment. Included in the range are ball washers, litter caddies, rakes, tee markers, flagsticks, course and tee data signage. Personalised flags are a specialty of Standard Golf and are the finest available, see the quality for yourself on stand B36. Also on display will be winter tee and range mats. Details of the services offered by our sister company Environgreen Limited will be available, specialists in special waste disposal of chemicals, fertilisers, oils etc, full or empty containers. No disposal is too difficult for Environgreen. Duncan and Neil Stewart, together with Dawn will be available to assist and welcome customers and look forward to seeing you there.

SUPATURF PRODUCTS LTD Stand No. A33A 2 Maizefield, Hinckley, Leics, LE10 1YF Tel: 01455 234677, Fax: 01455 234714 Contact: Rachel Higgins More innovative products and services from Supaturf. At Harragga 1997 Supaturf will have their biggest stand yet and will be launching new innovative products such as Aqua-Pro, a new technology wetting agent. Aqua-Pro completes Supaturf's range of soil surfactants offering all the new technology benefits of not needing to be watered in and guaranteed not to burn, all at an attractive price. The new even-spray sprayer will be launched offering a compact and highly effective electric sprayer and the award winning clean carbon will be demonstrated. The new "Supaturf On-Line" service will be demonstrated, offering greenkeepers access to information and technical advice 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Another innovative year for Supaturf.

SWAN PLANT SERVICES LTD Stand No. C45 9 The Grove, Parkgate Industrial Estate, Knutsford, Cheshire Tel: 01565 650567, Fax: 01565 650769 Contact: Ted Mitchell Swan Plant Services is in its fourth season as the country's leading business specialising solely in the hire of horticultural equipment to local authorities, NHS Trusts and professional groundsmen. Its free delivery and collection ser-
vice provides state of the art plant, from hedge cutters to ride-on out front rotary mowers, catering for a multitude of disciplines and individual seasonal requirements. Managing Director Ted Mitchell, who has more than 25 years' experience in the hire business, identified a niche market by recognizing that short term hire meant customers' capital was no longer tied up in valuable plant used just periodically each year.

SYMBIO BIOTECHNOLOGY

Stand B25
38 Bookham Industrial Park, Church Road, Great Bookham, Surrey, KT23 3EU
Tel: 01372 456101 Fax: 01372 456099
Contact: Guy Longshaw
BTME 1997 will be an exciting show for Symbio. In November '96 we expanded into new premises giving much larger and more flexible manufacturing output. This allows for the long awaited launch of Symbio Granular and Symbio Liquid Bug Booster maintenance products designed for regular convenient and cost effective application to prevent problems and maintain excellence. Many more clubs will now be able to reap the benefits of Symbio Biotechnology with preventative management rather than waiting until they have problems before calling us in. So whether you have problem greens or you are interested in how biotechnology can be used to turn good greens into great greens, come along and meet us on stand B25.

TALBOT FARM LANDSCAPES

Stand No. B14
Tarbolton Farm Nursery, 75 Derby Road, Hilton, Derbyshire DE55 2FP
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Contact: Sean Goodwin/Mark Goodwin
Tarbolton Farm Landscapes is a progressive company, which operates nationwide, laying turf right across the scale ranging from small family homes to large country houses, sports fields and amenity areas for local authorities. We have successfully completed a number of golf courses throughout the country to include the Carnegie Golf Course, Skibo Castle, Dornoch, Pavenham Park Golf Course, Bedford, Burgham Park Golf Course, Burgham, Northumbria, Matten Hall Golf Course, Matten. We have also undertaken work at a number of business developments throughout the country and have recently developed our own laying machine, "The Turfporter", which is proving to be a major asset to our company.

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T & G TURF IRRIGATION SERVICES

Stand No. B40
13 Castlegate, Knaresborough, North Yorkshire, HG5 8AR
Tel/Fax: 01423 864963
Contact: Susan Teggin
T & G Turf Irrigation Services will be sharing an exhibition stand with Watermation and will be pleased to welcome both old and new customers alike. We look forward to seeing you.

TILDENET LIMITED

Stand No. C23
Longbrook House, Ashton Vale Road, Bristol
Tel: 0117 9666968, Fax: 0117 9231251
Contact: Lawrence Green/Ruth Hensman
Tildenet Limited will be exhibiting their established patented Grass Germination material whilst introducing their new economy version specifically designed for larger, new or off projects. As market leaders in sports Ballstop Netting Tildenet offers tailor made DIY kits for self installation or alternatively install from start to finish. An advice service is available on all applications and installations including any queries you may have with regards planning permission. Products on display include: anti-ball plugging net, target nets, chipping nets, and various golf practice nets. Adding to this range are several new products which include, Tildenets new indoor golf netting, bunker membrane, tee dividers and the unique target green the 'Epic'. Samples and literature on all of Tildenet products will be available on Stand No. C23.

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WATERMATION SPRINKLERS & CONTROLS LTD
Stand No. B40
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Tel: 01252 336838, Fax: 01252 336808
Contact: Joe Turner
Watermation will again be exhibiting at this year's show in conjunction with T&G Turf Irrigation Services. We will be launching both the new GDR range of gear drive sprinklers, which is the golf head version of the GJ range launched at SalTEX, and Watermation Finance, a flexible scheme which can be designed to suit the individual needs of the customer. Watermation is committed to providing first class irrigation products and services for its customers and has undergone some major changes during 1996. Substantial investment has been made in new equipment for our contracting, manufacturing and administrative operations.

WARWICKSHIRE COLLEGE
Stand No. D14
Moreton Morrell, Warwick, CV35 9BL
Tel: 01926 651367, Fax: 01926 651190
Contact: Graham Martin
Warwickshire College is a GTC approved centre, delivering NQ levels 1, 2 and 3 in Horticulture (Golf Greenkeeping) on a day release basis, along with a two year BTEC National Diploma in Horticulture with Greenkeeping option. We currently run a training course leading towards the IOG National Intermediate Diploma, and offer many short courses such as FPEA, chainsaw proficiency and hedge laying. The College grounds include a range of sports pitches and a small pitch and putt golf course which is being developed by students during practical sessions. Come and see us on Stand D14 to talk about your training needs.

WELSH COLLEGE OF HORTICULTURE
Stand No. D13
Northop, Llanuwchllyn, Gwynedd
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Contact: Graham Wright
The college in Wales offering the complete NVQ/GTC packages (Levels 1-4). This year three students achieved their NVQ Level 4 GTC certificates in Course Management. The Home study course had yet again students achieving Level 2, this course is still proving a market leader for those unable to attend college via the traditional route. The college has embarked on an expansion project of its golf course facilities with the support of the liaison panel, R&A, the local Tec and the trade. The greenkeepers at Vitax can look forward to training with confidence and optimism as the College seeks to expand to meet the challenges of the future.

WITTON MANAGEMENT LTD
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