Rachael and Gemma would like to welcome 54 new members to the Association and put the spotlight on the Personal Accident Insurance scheme.

Personal Accident Insurance

Personal Accident Insurance cover, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year is provided for all Greenkeepers members of the Association. Members are covered not only at work but also at home, on holiday or during leisure activities if they sustain an 'Accidental Bodily Injury' that causes, death, permanent or temporary disablement.

The policy does not cover illness or disease not resulting from an accident or injury, any naturally occurring or degenerative disease/illness, or any gradually worsening condition such as arthritis or osteoporosis. The policy offers the following:

HOSPITALISATION: If an accidental bodily injury is sustained and you are admitted to hospital the company will pay £25 per full 24 hours up to a maximum of 52 weeks.

TEMPORARY AND TOTAL DISABLEMENT: After the first 28 days of any period of incapacity the company will pay £35 per week for the first 12 weeks of benefit and then £45 per week thereafter up to a total maximum benefit period of 104 weeks.

MEDICAL EXPENSES: If an accidental bodily injury is sustained and medical expenses are incurred, reimbursement will be paid up to 25% of any amount paid under the schedule of benefits up to a maximum of £10,000.

DEATH BENEFIT: If an accidental bodily injury results in your death then a death benefit of £7,500 applies.

FUNERAL EXPENSES: Incurred as a result of a death following an accidental bodily injury up to a maximum of £2,500.

LUMP SUM PAYMENTS: If an accidental bodily injury results in Permanent Total Disablement you will receive a sum of money up to £2,500.

A copy of the full schedule of benefits is available in your membership folder, alternatively you can contact the membership department for a replacement.

To make a claim please call 01277 251000 and ask for Michaela Edwards.

WIN THE ULTIMATE FERRARI EXPERIENCE

Ever wanted to get behind the wheel of a Ferrari? Well now you can! Drive a Ferrari 328 and F360 or drive a Ferrari F355 with an opportunity to drive a single seater. The prize also offers the chance to put a Land Rover through its paces on an off-road course or drive an MG on the track. The experience also includes a full safety briefing with training laps in a hot hatch and the day finishes with a high-speed passenger ride.*

To enter the prize draw to win his fantastic prize all you have to do is introduce one or more new greenkeepers to BIGGA. Make sure your name goes on their application form as the person who referred them and we will enter your name in the draw. Remember the more new members you refer the more chances you have to win!

It doesn’t stop there either, if you win the Rally Driving experience then the New member you referred also receives a RED LETTER DAY VOUCHER that can be used on an experience of their choice on a range of at least 20. Typical experiences include Snow Boarding, Zorbing or Capoeira.

The draw will take place on the 16th October 2006 and the winners will be announced in the November edition of Greenkeeper International.

Call either Rachael or Gemma today on 01347 833800 to request a new member application form or fill out the slip on the outer cover of this magazine.

*Choice of activity is dependant on which location is booked. A full manual driving licence is required. The minimum age for this experience is 16.

AUGUST’S MEMBERSHIP DRAW WINNER

Just introduce one or more new greenkeepers to BIGGA and your name will be placed into a monthly draw to win a £10 Music Voucher. Our congratulations go to Alan Elliott of Clandon Regis Golf Club.