GREENSCHOICE soil amendment improves golf turf

HOUSTON — GREENSCHOICE soil amendment was developed to help improve the overall health and durability of golf greens. Developed for standard topdress procedures and deep-tine aerification systems, this premium amendment breaks up compacted soils, leaving a permanently aerated root zone.

Based on the increased pore space created by the introduction of GREENSCHOICE into the root zone, percolation rates are dramatically improved. Moisture/nutrient retention and capillary rise rates are also substantially increased by the material's natural porosity.

For more information contact Premier Environment at P.O. Box 218469, Houston, TX 77218; telephone 800/829-0215.

Ryan products help courses prepare for winter's chill

Ryan, a Ransomes company, manufactures aerators and overseeders that can help golf courses prepare for winter.

The Ryan Greensaire 24 is designed for aerating golf greens and other fine turf areas.

With a 24-inch swath and 2-inch x 2-inch aerating pattern, the Greensaire 24 can remove 36 cores per square foot. Major components are designed to extend operating life and simplify maintenance procedures of the Greensaire 24.

The Ryan Mataway Overseeder is designed for both overseeding and dethatching.

Traction and maneuverability are enhanced through front-wheel drive and knobly tread front tires. One lever operates both the forward drive and reel control. A specialized spring assist raises the overseeder for easier operation.

The Mataway Overseeder features a rate adjustment for proper seed flow and 2-inch row spacing allows for overseeding with one pass.

The Mataway Overseeder's 11-hp Kohler Command engine meets all current California Air Resources Board (CARB) emissions regulations.

For more information contact 414-637-6711.

Jake sweepers clean away fall debris

RACINE, Wis. — Jacobsen's Model 720 Sweepers cover a 5-foot cleaning path with a 5-cubic-yard capacity to get big cleanup jobs done fast. All three sweepers have a rubber-fingers pick-up system that gently removes wet or dry leaves, paper, cans, glass and other debris from your turf.

Models include a PTO-driven sweeper and two machines with self-powered pick-up systems for use behind a variety of towing vehicles. The Model 720-EHL sweeper has a hopper lift that extends to 9 feet for unloading into a dump truck. Add an optional thatcher-thinner to combine sweeping and dethatching functions.

Galvanized steel construction means each Jacobsen sweeper is maintenance-free.

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If crabgrass is a growing problem on your golf course, you're not using the right herbicide.

What you need is Pendimethalin.

No other preemergent offers a broader spectrum of control. Fact is, this high-performance herbicide effectively controls crabgrass, most annual grassy weeds and many annual broadleaf weeds.

And Pendimethalin has excellent turf tolerance. University and field research studies have shown that Pendimethalin provides consistent, superior weed control—yet offers tremendous tolerance to warm- and cool-season turfgrasses.

Here's how it works: After Pendimethalin makes