### Calendar of events

**June 14**
Cactus and Pine GCSA Seminar on fire, bark beetles and Forest Service
Oak Creek Country Club
Sedona, Ariz.
Call 928-284-1660 or visit www.cactusandpine.com.

**June 21**
West Texas GCSA Superintendent Leadership Series program
LakeRidge Country Club
Lubbock, Texas
Call 800-687-8447 or visit www.wtgcsa.org.

**Aug. 1**
Western Washington GCSA Fifth Annual Equipment Field Day
Glendale Country Club
Bellevue, Wash.
Call 360-705-3049 or visit www.wwgcsa.org.

**Aug. 9**
Western Washington GCSA OSU/WSU Turf Field Day
Corvallis, Ore.
Call 360-705-3049 or visit www.wwgcsa.org.

**Aug. 10-14**
Golf Course Builders Association of America's Summer Meeting
Hyatt Regency Hotel
Jersey City, N.J.
Call 402-476-4444 or visit www.gcbaa.org.

**Aug. 29-30**
RISE 2005 Turf Grass Conference
Hyatt Regency Hotel
Crystal City, Va.
Call 202-872-3983 or visit www.pestfacts.org.

**Oct. 14-16**
International Lawn, Garden & Power Equipment Expo
Kentucky Exposition Center
Louisville, Ky.
Call 800-558-8767 or visit www.expo.mow.org.

**Oct. 19-20**
Turfgrass, Landscape and Equipment Expo
Fairplex
Pomona, Calif.
Call 800-500-7282 or visit www.turfcouncil.org.

### CDs, DVDs, Web sites

Tee-2-Green is offering free copies of its new **2005 Bentgrass Information Resource CD** to all GCSAA student chapter members and university professors. The CD contains bentgrass maintenance tips from Dr. Joe Duich, advice from golf course professionals who share their management techniques, roundtable discussions with industry experts and technical information on Tee-2-Green bentgrasses. Turf students and professors can request copies of the CD by sending an e-mail to bentinfo@tee-2-green.com or by calling 800-547-0255.

The Champion Group, a Phoenix-based golf course consulting firm, released a DVD, "Selling More Golf Tournaments," that covers every aspect of the process. The topics on the DVD include: the selling process, attitude in selling, who produces golf tournaments, why golf tournaments are produced, how to find them, how to sell them and add-on selling. For more information, call 602-867-1491 or visit www.thechampgroup.com.

Superintendent’s Video Workshop added two new titles, "Guide for Tee Renovations" and "Basics of Understanding Irrigation Repair and Maintenance," to its video-based training series designed for golf course superintendents and their staffs. The "Guide to Tee Renovation" covers the complete step-by-step procedure for planning and executing a successful tee renovation. "Basics of Understanding Irrigation Repair" explains how an irrigation system operates and shows basic repair techniques on PVC pipe, gate valves, control valves, swing joints and irrigation heads. The videos are available in VHS or DVD formats. Each title includes employee handbooks, tests, answer keys, sign-off sheets and instructor guidelines. For more information, call 800-938-4330 or visit www.svwonline.com.

Golf course architect Jeff Mingay launched a Web site, [www.mingaygolf.com](http://www.mingaygolf.com), which includes an archive of articles and essays Mingay has contributed to publications throughout the world. GCN

Contact Rob Thomas, associate editor, at rthomas@gie.net or 800-456-0707 to submit resource information.