1. A handful of hardware  Landscape Management editor Marisa Palmieri and Golfdom EIC Seth Jones were all smiles at the annual TOCA awards. That's what 17 combined awards will do.

2. Retirement party (L to R) Steve Ciardullo (John Deere), Ed Fatica, Bob Wagner (Lemon Bay GC) and Curt Conrad (El Rio GC) were all happy to help Fatica celebrate his retirement.

3. Calusa GCSA victorious  It was a nail-biter, but the Calusa chapter edged the Suncoast at Coral Creek Club in Placida, Fla., by a score of 8-7.

4. Waverley CC visit  Turfco's Scott Kincaid (left) and Golfdom publisher Pat Roberts (right) got the VIP treatment from superintendent Brian Koffler (center) when they came by for a visit.

5. Major year  We expect to see a lot more of our friend Tom Marzolf of Fazio Golf Course Designers (pictured with Jones) this year. Fazio Design is the consulting design firm for all three American Majors this year.

6. Viva Italia!  Two more editors and we would have had a quorum. Fellow North Coast Media staffer and Pit & Quarry EIC Darren Constantino (with his wife Kay) ran into Golfdom Senior Editor Beth Geraci in Monterosso, Italy.

7. Go with the flow  Reunion Resort of Orlando director of GC maintenance Tray Maltby takes a look at the course's pump system.

8. Banyan GC  A big shout-out to Banyan GC superintendent Deron Zendt for taking the time out of a busy afternoon to give us a tour of his West Palm Beach, Fla., beauty.

9. You've got mail  We were also thrilled to see the mailboxes at Banyan stuffed with some excellent reading.

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