DOUG DIETER is the newest staff member of the Golden Valley Country Club having been named to the position of Golf Course Superintendent in March of this year. Although accepting a new position is always a big move, in terms of distance Doug stayed almost stationary as he had been employed for the last six years at the Brookview Golf Club also in the city of Golden Valley. Prior to that Doug was receiving his education in turf agriculture at the University of Minnesota. A member of M.G.C.S.A. since 1974, Doug and his wife, Merry, like to relax by sailing and jogging. If any time is left over, he also enjoys restoring sports cars and old houses. Doug says he is enjoying his first few months at Golden Valley thanks to the foundation laid by the many fine superintendents before him.

STEVE YOUNG, although short on years, appears to have knowledge and experience beyond his age. Recently he completed all the lengthy requirements and tests necessary to be recognized as a certified golf course superintendent. This award which is sponsored by the G.C.S.A.A. is one of the top honors any superintendent can earn and for one as "young" as Steve to have achieved this pinnacle is doubly impressive. Steve has worked as the head superintendent at Baker Park for the past five years and also serving as manager of the golf course for the last three years. Steve and his wife, Holly, are the proud parents of a two and one-half year old daughter, Erin. Steve's hobbies include fishing, playing golf and cross country skiing.

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