Keith Scott, CGCS, Oak Ridge Country Club (pictured in the center of the photo on the right), along with other Twin Cities’ area Superintendents, made sure all participants in the 17th Annual MGCSA Turfgrass Research Benefit Week, held June 7-11, were treated first-class and enjoyed their experiences playing golf at a private country club.

This year’s event raised $12,440 for turfgrass research. The following clubs generously donated tee times: Dellwood Hills GC, Edina CC, Golden Valley CC, Hillcrest GC of St. Paul; Indian Hills GC, Interlachen CC, Midland Hills CC, Minneapolis GC, Minnesota Valley CC, North Oaks GC, Oak Ridge CC, Olympic Hills CC, Rolling Green CC, Stillwater CC, The Minikahda Club, Town & CC, Wayzata CC, Windsong Farm and Woodhill CC.

TWO FORMER PRO HOCKEY PLAYERS PLAY OAK RIDGE in the MGCSA’s Turfgrass Research Benefit Week. Craig Norwich, left, an Edina East star and two-time All America at the University of Wisconsin and former teammate of NHL superstar Mark Messier in the World Hockey Association, along with Scott Schneider, right, a former Colorado College and Winnipeg Jets player, were thoroughly impressed with the hospitality Keith Scott, CGCS, (center) displayed while they played golf. Keith took lunch orders from all players participating in the event on the seventh hole and arranged for the sandwiches to be ready at the turn and also checked in with each group periodically to make sure everyone was happy. The hockey stars were thrilled to play the beautifully-conditioned course.