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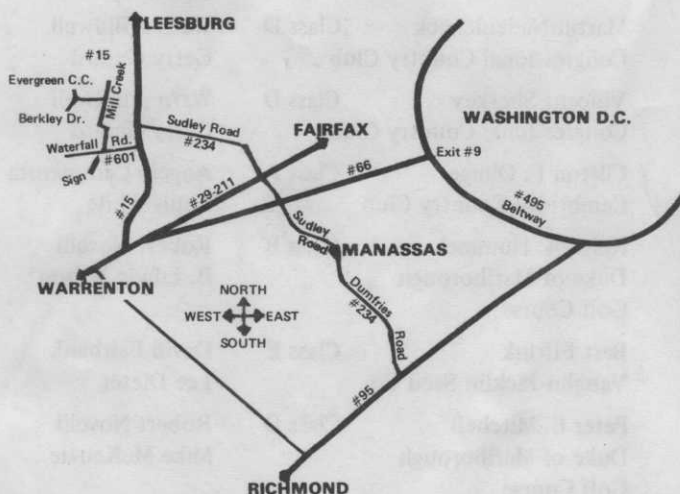
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EVERGREEN COUNTRY CLUB, 16 miles from Manassas. Phone: 754-4125. From Washington, take #66W, 234N left on #15 for ½ block, right on #601, Waterfall Road, 1 mile until sign: "Evergreen Country Club," right on Mill Creek Road for 1 mile, entrance to Evergreen Club on left, stay on Berkely Drive until Club House. From Richmond, take #95N to #17N to #15N to Waterfall Road #601—follow signs to Evergreen. From Baltimore, take US #15 South to Waterfall Road #601. Follow signs to Evergreen.

## June 10 Meeting

The Evergreen Country Club was formed in 1968 and construction was started in the Fall of 1968.

The front nine was seeded in mid-April of 1969 and open for play in September of that year. The clubhouse building was also done at this time.

The back nine was seeded in the Fall of 1969 and opened for play in the Spring of 1970.

The Greens are Penncross and average over 7500 sq. ft. with automatic irrigation. Tees are also Penncross and average over 5000 sq. ft. with automatic irrigation.

The Fairways are Bluegrass mixtures with manual irrigation. The golf course was constructed with no parallel holes.

The golf Pro is Bruce Lehnhard who has been with the Club since 1970. Our Club Manager is Kenneth Iverson who joined us this Spring of 1975.

Golf can be played anytime during the day and carts are available. Lunch is served in the dining room from 11:00 on throughout the afternoon. Cocktails from 6:30 to 7:30 with dinner following.

Evergreen is located a short distance off Route 15 near Haymarket, Virginia. Fairfax, Leesburg, Manassas, Middleburg, The Plains, and Warrenton are within a few minutes' drive of the Club.

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## President's Message

Needless to say this has been a long, crazy winter and much of what most of us in the Mid-Atlantic area had planned to do had to be postponed until a later date. I hope that by the time you get this newsletter the warm weather will be with us and all of your scheduled turf management programs are in working order.

Several years ago the High School Principal's Association of the State of Washington published a set of rules on how to get along with people and also with yourself. I thought this would make for good reading and just maybe a little more stature for us all to think about each one of these: "Nine Rules for Happiness" . . .

(1) Keep skid chains on your tongue; always say less than what you think. Cultivate a low persuasive voice.

(2) Make promises sparingly and keep them faithfully, no matter what it costs you.

(3) Never let an opportunity pass to say a kind and encouraging word to or about somebody. Praise good work done regardless of who did it.

(4) Be interested in others; interested in their pursuits, their welfare, their homes and families. Let everyone you meet, however humble, feel that you regard him as a person of importance.

(5) Be cheerful. Keep the corners of your mouth turned up. Hide your pains, worries and disappointments under a pleasant smile.

(6) Preserve an open mind on all debatable questions. Discuss, but don't argue. It is a mark of superior minds to disagree, and yet be friendly.

(7) Let your virtues, if you have any, speak for themselves, and refuse to talk of another's vices.

(8) Be careful of other's feelings. Wit and humor at the other fellow's expense are rarely worth the effort and may hurt where least expected.

(9) Pay no attention to ill natured remarks about you. Simply live so no one will believe them.

*"It's great to be great, but it's greater to be human."*

*Will Rodgers*

*Alex Watson*

**JUNE 10 MEETING** (Continued from page 1)

The old stone and frame Evergreen Stables have been renovated and enlarged to house dining and bar facilities, the pro shop, and golfers' locker rooms.

Golf at Evergreen begins and ends at the Clubhouse. Meandering over the Club's 271 gently rolling acres, the course offers the golfer an abundance of natural and man-made hazards, together with the area's finest scenery.

The course was designed by Golf Architect Algie M. Pulley of Fairfax, a two handicap Engineering graduate of the University of Virginia.

Taking advantage of what had been verdant, tree-flanked farmland since before the Civil War, Pulley designed a layout which has preserved the natural beauty of the site. He has utilized open land as fairways, retained wooded areas as hazards and channelled water from the Bull Run mountains into seven creeks and ponds that come into play on eight holes. This, plus traps at every green and others located strategically in fairways, places a premium on accuracy.

Distance is also important. Measuring 6,600 yards from the regular tees, the course stretches to a formidable 7,125 yards from the championship tees.

## Membership Changes

The following have made application for membership to the Mid-Atlantic Association of Golf Course Superintendents, or are requesting a change in membership classification. This list is being published here in accordance with our by-laws. Unless written objection is received within thirty days after publication, these men will become active members with their requested classification.

		Signed by
Martin Nadenicheck	Class D	Warren Bidwell
Congressional Country Club		Gerry Garard
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