

opportunities just to mention a few. So let's all get out and try to make a few more meetings. Remember IT IS your Association.

TARP Meeting - Recently I attended our regional TARP meeting at Crow Canyon CC and I must say I was very impressed. All the speakers did a great job and are to be commended. There was a great deal of interest from those in attendance. A lot of the questions and comments from the floor were from professionals and club officials which I feel is good. It shows that people other than the superintendents are interested in some of the problems we are faced with. I would like to say THANKS to Bill Davis and all others involved with putting this years program together.

I would also like to thank everyone at Crow Canyon for their hospitality. We were only able to play the front nine, but enjoyed it so much we played it twice.

El Macero Country Club, Wednesday, May 24, 1978. It has been quite some time since we have had the pleasure of having a meeting at El Macero and as always things looked good. Having decided that sleep was more important than golf, I did not get to see the golf course but I did get a chance to talk to some of the golfers and they felt the course was in great shape.

As always the hospitality at El Macero is great and I would like to personally thank Jack.

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We were extremely fortunate to have had two speakers who spoke on communication. Bob Badger, Professional of El Macero told us how important it was for the superintendent to keep the professional and manager aware of operations on the course. He also pointed out the need for each of the three to support the other during discussions with members.

Duke Newton, owner of Brady-Holmes said that the superintendents position was one of a manager since in most cases he was on his own out on the course. The value of the property and equipment makes it imperative that superintendents have an experienced mechanic on the job. He warned us when going to a new club to be sure to get an understanding of the clubs policies and future plans. He should survey needs in regard to equipment and sprinkler system and get a committment from the club so he will be able to accomplish its goals. Thanks to Bob and Duke for a great program.

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