What do all these actions mean to you, the member? It means that GCSANC is on the move! It means that you, the professional golf superintendent, will be reaping the benefits of recognition for your chosen profession. The interaction, the programs, and the exposure for us as an organization, will continue to enhance and make visible our image as true turf professionals. My favorite word "teleosis", meaning "progress intelligently planned," fits well here. I encourage each of you to get involved, and to challenge this association to continue on toward realizing the potential of the future! We will all benefit immensely.

Thanks for the opportunity to be a part of all this...

Paul

PS: My first draft of this message of Pulitzer quality... unfortunately I had my first real experience with a computer freeze up, and thus lost all of it. What a way to finish!

NAUMANN'S NORCAL NEWS

Lalo Pacheco is the new Supt. at Franklin Canyon Golf Course in Rodeo. He has been elevated to that position from the Assistant Supt. position, which he has held for many years. Lalo is replacing Sam Singh who as a Regional Supt. for American Golf, has moved his office to Mountain Shadow Golf Course in Rohnert Park. His move in no way alters Dave Smith's position as Supt. at Mt. Shadows...Al Mooser has accepted the Golf Course Operations Manager position with the City of Manteca. Al was the Supt. at Plaza GC for the the City of Visalia prior to the move...Leonard Theis has left Ancil Hoffman Golf Course in Sacramento to become the Supt. of 27 holes for the City of Modesto. Within a year he will also oversee the construction of an 18 hole course in order to expand his responsibilities, Rich Sizelove has accepted the Supt. position at Ancil Hoffman Golf Course replacing Leonard Theis. Rich was the assistant there before his promotion...Bob Sensemay has left San Luis Country Club to become the new Supt. at Columbia Edgewater Golf Course in Oregon...Joe Goldbronn is the new Supt. at Cypress Lakes Golf Course at Travis AFB. He was the assistant at Green Valley Country Club prior to his move.

IN MEMORIAM

Ken Stohl, was a member since 1953. He was employed by Bay Rubber Company in Oakland and California Toro. In 1964 and 1965 he was the Superintendent at San Geronimo Valley Country Club in San Rafael. In 1966 he went to the City of Pacifica as Park Superintendent. In 1967 he worked at Orinda CC as the Superintendent until he retired in 1976. He received his 25 year pin in 1973 from GCSA of Northern California. He also took his examination for the Certified Golf Course Superintendent qualification from the GCSA of America in 1973 and passed. Mr. Stohl is survived by his wife Bernice, 160 Ardith Drive, Orinda, CA 94563.