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PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

If you remember last months message, I talked about commitment, involvement, dedication, and professionalism. to coin a phrase "to be all you can be". this was no more evident than the participation exhibited at our recent institute and GCSAA Seminar.

It was good to see the involvement and dedication from our members. Not only did they help to make these events the most successful to date, but more importantly it show the type of commitment our members have in making our Association one of the strongest in the State.

Too often its easy for members to join an Association with the sole intention of "what can it do for me". I'm confident and proud of the fact that our Association is built on the premise of "what can I give back". I say this

because we wouldn't be as successful as we are if our members didn't give something back. At times our Association may not always be looked on as favorably as we'd like, particularly on a state level. But then again you have to remember our Association is built on our beliefs and convictions tailored towards our membership. They are our survival.

At this time I would be remiss if I didn't thank everyone for the many hours of work associated with our Institute and GCSAA Seminar. From the various committees to all the Affiliate Members I offer you a hearty congratulations.

To our membership, I look forward to seeing you at our Christmas Party and bid you a Happy and Safe Holiday Season.

Mike

GOLF COURSE SUPERINTENDENT INSTITUTE A SUCCESS

Fountaingrove Country Club in Santa Rosa, Robert Tyler, superintendent, played host to the third annual Golf Course Superintendents Institute held on November 6-8, 1991. An even 100 attendees came to the educational session at the Doubletree Hotel and 58 golfers participated in a point-par golf format.

Golf Results are as follows:

Longest Drive-Mike McCraw
Closest to the Pin # 5-John Martin
Closest to the Pin # 17-Mike Higuera

Low Gross

First Place-Mike Phillips
Second Place-Scott Lewis
Third Place-Corey Eastwood

Low Net

First Place-Dave Barlow
Second Place-Walt Bray
Third Place- Jorge Bartolomeu



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