

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

This year's distinguished Service Award is presented to Grady Simril. Grady has never hesitated when asked to do something for the benefit of the golf and turf industry. He has perpetuated the image of a professional in all of his endeavors. He is a long time member of the Superintendents Association, now retired and also past president. He has served on numerous committees for the betterment of the golfing community and was a very active member of the Northern California Turfgrass Council for many years.



Grady Simril

SUPERINTENDENT OF THE YEAR

This person was very active on many projects and functions for the Golf Course Superintendents Association of Northern California. Seems like whenever he had a job to do, it just got done.

Some of the exploits include, Co-Chairman of the annual Christmas Party in 1989 and again in 1990 when the Christmas Party and Larry Lloyd Memorial Tournament was such a success. In his spare time he has also managed to submit four articles for publication in "Thru The Green". He was also very active in functions for the betterment of the community.

Another project which was of great value was the institution of the golf certificates with the PGA for prizes. In essence, he has done a great job for the Association and the community.

The Superintendent of the Year for 1991 is Steve Good.



Steve Good

AFFILIATE MERIT AWARD

Tom Jackson of H.V. Carter, Inc. in Oakland was named 1991 Golf Salesman of the Year by the Golf Division of Rain Bird Sales, Inc. With ten years of sales experience in the irrigation industry, Jackson has spent the past four years working exclusively with golf irrigation products.

"Tom Jackson's dedication to the golf business has resulted in a significant sales increase for 1991, as well as excellent working relationships with the area's architects and golf course superintendents," said Steve Christie, Rain Bird Golf Division's director of sales. "He has set a standard for performance each of us are challenged to meet."

Don Naumann last year's recipient presented the award to Tom Jackson.



Tom Jackson (l) Don Naumann (r)



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