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PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

In thinking about what to put in my first "President's Message," I came up with the idea of helping myself out a little. Lately I've been having a problem with my greens after applying sand. Whether applying the sand after aerifying, or doing light topdressings, the greens seem to go downhill for a while afterward.

My question is, "is anybody else out there in Superintendent Land having similar problems?:" If so please give me a call at (408) 274-0433.

You may be asking yourself right now if this is an appropriate topic for the President's Message. And my answer is that it is exactly these types of questions that our Association and specifically this newsletter is all about.

Seminars and Institutes aside, it is my opinion that your fellow superintendents are your best source of information to help you deal with problems that you and they may be having. It is this newsletter's job to facilitate the communication between it's members.

Brian

HELP WANTED

WANTED: Greenskeeper who will specialize in pesticide applications. Qualified Applicators Certificate not required although getting one within a year of starting is expected. Apply at The Villages G & CC. Phone (408) 274-0433.

PESTICIDE CLASSES

The following classes are available at Napa Valley College or Ohlone College, Newark Campus. Pre-registration is always advisable. If you have further questions please contact Joe Davis, (707) 255-5207 or fax (707) 255-0733.

Urban Pest Management- June 18 & 19 Pest Control in Landscape Maintenance-June 21 Pesticide Application and Safety-June 22







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