FYI
by Barbara Mikels

Well, October is finally here and maybe the hectic pace will lessen once the rains show up.

I was digging for something in the office storage area the other day and decided you might like to know what the association was doing in years past. Believe it or not, GCSANC as an organization has been in existence since 1932.

Three decades ago, in 1964, Joe Venturella was President; Walter Boysen, VP; and Clifford Wagoner, Secretary-Treasurer. Board of Directors consisted of Walter Collins, Frank Logoteta, Aubrey Babson, John Da Dalt and Richard Viergever. There were 112 members of all classifications.

GCSANC was making contributions to UC College of Agriculture, Agricultural Experiment Station, Davis for Turfgrass programs of Dr. John Madison.

At the Annual Business Meeting it was voted to form a "Federation of Golf Course Superintendents Associations of California." Dick Viergever and John Da Dalt appointed to serve on an advisory committee for the new "Federation."

The joint NCGA, USGA, and GCSANC sponsorship of a "Communications" seminar held at the California Golf Club to "help solve the communication problems existing around most clubs." Club presidents, green chairmen, managers, and professionals were encouraged to attend... "The more things change, the more they stay the same."

Job opportunities were being published in 1964. In June - Cherry Chase Country Club, Sunnyvale. 9 hole, par 31. Salary $600.00 to $700.00...depending on experience.

The Superintendents October 1964 meeting was held at Travis Golf Course, Travis Air Force Base.

See ya in Santa Cruz.