

Naumann's NorCal News

Mark Francetic has left Deep Cliff Golf Course in Cupertino and is now the superintendent at Shoreline Golf Links in Mountain View. Shoreline is owned and operated by the City of Mountain View and Deep Cliff is operated by CourseCo.....**Frank Zamazal** is the new superintendent at Spyglass Hill Golf Course in Pebble Beach. Prior to accepting this position he was the first superintendent at Eagleridge Golf Course in Gilroy. Replacing Frank is **Patrick O'Fee**. Patrick had been the assistant at Eagleridge before his promotion. Eagleridge is operated by Crown Golf....**Ross Miller** has left PinHigh Golf Center and is now in golf course construction on the east coast. **Chris Bailey** has left Fremont Golf Course and is now the superintendent at Big Foot Golf Course near Eureka.....**Ken Rasmussen** is the new superintendent at Valley Gardens Golf Course in Scotts Valley....**Zane Bentley** is the new superintendent for the Hayward Area Recreation District (HARD). They have two golf courses in Hayward; Skywest and Mission Hills of Hayward and he will be overseeing both of them. Zane was the superintendent of a course in Pensacola, Florida before coming west.....

Replace Your Divots

Reprinted from GolfWeek

You can literally eat off the fairways at Muirfield Village Golf Club in Dublin, Ohio and never get sand in your food. That's because Memorial Tournament host Jack Nicklaus believes players should get relief from sandy divots, because technically they are ground under repair.

In 1994, golf course superintendent Mike McBride designed an apparatus that would cut strips of sod from the Muirfield Village nursery. Every day at the end of play, a crew fills in divot holes with fresh grass. The PGA Tour agronomy field staff does not allow this technique to be used during The Memorial tournament because it feels the practice leaves small seams. So McBride's staff picks up fresh divots off the driving range tee and uses those to fill in the damage to the fairways.✓

GCSANC Meeting Program

July 18, 2000

Oakmont C.C., Santa Rosa

Program Outline — GCSAA .35 PDU's

"Maintaining Cool Season Putting Green Turf During the Summer Season"

7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.	Meeting Registration
8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Dr. Robert Green, U.C. Riverside – Management of Annual Bluegrass Putting Greens in California.
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Mr. Pat Gross – USGA – Methods of Dealing With Heat Stress on Cool Season Putting Green Turf.
10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Mr. Mike McCullough – NCGA – Problems and Solutions Used to Combat Turf Loss on Putting Greens in the NCGA Area.
10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Putting it all together. Panel Discussion by all speakers and question and answer period.
11:30 a.m.	BBQ Lunch
12:30 p.m.	Golf off 1 st and 10 th tees

Future Board Meetings

July 10th @ Fountaingrove Resort 12:00 pm.

August 15th @ Oakhurst CC 11:00 a.m.

August 26th - State board meeting in Reno

Media Scorecard - June

- ✓ *Golf at Orinda - Bob Lopic, Bob Costa, Eric Gilmore*
- ✓ *Golf Column CC Times - Bob Lopic/US Open Staff*
- ✓ *Golf Today - Question of the Month*
- ✓ *Press Release - US Open Staff*
- ✓ *Press Release - Gary Carls Environmental Certification*
- ✓ *Supt/Pro - Invitations extended to four golf writers*
- ✓ *Superintendent News - Press release Palo Alto Juniors*
- ✓ *Monterey Herald - Feature Article "Their Grass Is Greener"*
- ✓ *Monterey Herald - Feature Article "Staying Alive"*
- ✓ *Golf Column - S.F. Examiner "Greens Crew Hits Rough Times"*