

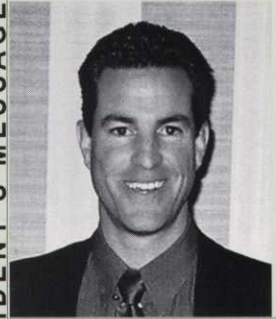
Winter is finally here and hopefully everyone's schedule has slowed down to a comfortable pace. The shorter days, and with any luck, wet weather forces us to breath easier and work a normal 40-hour workweek. This is the time of the year when we get caught up on reading those articles that got tossed aside in the chaotic summer months, enjoy some well deserved R&R, and best of all reacquaint ourselves with our families.

Don't hang up the golf clubs just yet. November 11th – 13th is the CGCSA Annual Conference, Trade Show and Golf Championship in Monterey. Also, this December, GCSANC will be hosting four regional Holiday Gathering events. These casual events proved very successful last year and this year should be no different.

As this year comes to an end, I can't help but reflect back on all of the great events this year. From Sandy Tatum's speech at the Annual Meeting in January, hearing Jim Tunney's stories at the Superintendent Pro tournament, to our grand 75th Anniversary Celebration at Sequoyah Country Club this past October. What an impressive year it has been and there is still more to come. A huge Thank You to all the volunteers and sponsors involved contributing to the success of these events!

I look forward to seeing everyone in Monterey and at the Regional Holiday Gatherings.

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OFFICE NOTES

Barb Mikel

GCSANC Association Manager

It has been a busy spring, summer and now, fall. Looking back to March, I was asking for volunteers for the 75th Anniversary Committee. Well, GCSANC association members answered the call. The group was a good one! My thanks go out to all of you who participated in each and every way. There are some very talented younger members in your association as well as some very gifted "experienced" ones.

The California GCSA meeting in Monterey November 12-15 should be a good one. The education program is excellent and it is a good time for a relaxed golf tournament. Monterey is a favorite get-away, hope you can find time to enjoy it.

Membership renewals are on the way. Please make every effort to get all your updated information back to the office. The changes necessary are on the renewal form. Please make sure it's returned with your payment. You will receive two copies. One is for your office and the other one is to return to GCSANC.

See you in Monterey!



2007 Institute Planning Committee Members gather for a quick photo near The Course at Wente Vineyards. (L to R) SNGCSA – GCSACC Association Manager Irene Cline, Co-Chairman Steve Byrne, Host Superintendent Glenn Matthews, GCSANC Association Manager Barbara Mikel and GCSANC President Jason Green.

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