

Office Notes

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My thanks to our outgoing board members, Tim Powers, CGCS, Dave Wilber, Nick Checklenis and David Procter. I enjoyed and appreciated your involvement and just want to say, you can do it again someday! Members who commit a minimum of two years out of busy lives are special for you and to your association.

I'm looking forward to five new board members! Association laws and regulation have changed in the last few years. Association bylaws need to be reviewed and updated to current California Corporate codes. It will be a year of review, revise and record.

I just reviewed the 2007 update to the strategic plan. This was a broad undertaking with specific items and goals. Some met, some unrealistic and some not met. Our strategic plan was updated in 2011. The process was independent of the 2007 plan and provided a structured method to strengthen and encourage member participation in the association. A work in progress with some listed below.

GCSANC Resources

Web site: www.gcsanc.com

Job Notices

The association provided an average three position available notices a month for membership.

Membership Directory

You can search online for members' contact information. The directory is also provided in PDF format for download and/or printing.

Information

Research papers, meeting and activities; apply for membership, meeting registrations, association history, bylaws and general information.

Scholarships

Apply for scholarships for your kids. If you have an intern, the turf scholarship is available online as well. GGCSANC awarded five \$1,000.00 scholarships last year. <http://www.gcsanc.com/membership/2010-scholarship-application/>

Free Classified Listings

Sell, buy, swap and free (Jason's List)
<http://equipment.gcsanc.com/>

Free GCSAA Webcasts

NorCalendar
<http://www.gcsanc.com/events/>

Facebook

Updates to current membership activities, association events, industry leaders and programs. www.facebook.com/gcsanc

Twitter

You and your associates' communications, quick, short and to the point.
@GCSANC

Thru the Green

Current and archived, downloadable and printable issues 2009 to current.
www.gcsanc.com

Michigan State University Libraries

Turfgrass Information Center from 1972 to *Thru The Green* 2008.
<http://archive.lib.msu.edu/tic/ttgnc/>

Submit Content

Want to send us something for *Thru the Green*? We love to have articles written by membership. Just submit by these deadline dates:

April 9	May/June Issue
June 11	July/August Issue
August 13	Sept/Oct Issue
Oct 8	Nov/Dec Issue
Dec 10	Jan/Feb 2014 Issue

NorCalendar

MAR 18

**USGA/NCGA/GCSANC
Green Section Conference**
Sequoyah Country Club, Oakland

APRIL 15

**NCPGA, GCSANC & CMAA
Invitational**
Ruby Hill Golf Club, Pleasanton

MAY 20

Superintendents Field Day
Tilden Park Golf Course
See page 7 for more information

JULY 1

**Clifford And Myrtle Wagoner
Scholarship & Research
Tournament**
Claremont Country Club, Claremont

DECEMBER 6

Holiday Party
*Del Monte Golf Course and
Monterey Hyatt Regency Hotel*

More Details?

Visit www.gcsanc.com/events/next/

New Members

Andrew O'Haver
Sonoma Golf Club

Brian Hurley
Harco Fittings

David Marshburn
Earthcare International

Eric Styck
The Olympic Club

Geoffrey Plovanich
The Olympic Club

Heaps Branden
Coastal Paving, Inc.

Jarred O'Barr
Monterey Peninsula Country Club

John Knickelbein
Kimballwest

Mark Wilson
Shorline Golf Links

Robert Clarke
Half Moon Bay Golf Links

Thom Irvin
Indian Hill Club