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The HT3810's versatility is increased with a front PTO pulley and rear hitch plate which can be hooked up to a variety of attachments. Other features include a high-vacuum cutter housing with provides clean cutting and efficient discharge action, and adjustable cutting height at the touch of a lever.

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Brooms play a role

Although most professional snow removers use either large blades or plows to push the snow or spinning metal augers to throw it (or a combination of blade and blower), sweeping with a rotary broom is better in some situations. This became apparent to millions of television viewers a few winters back when a Sweepster motorized sweeper spun onto the artificial turf at stadium at Foxboro, MA, whisked a neat little swath through the snow, enabling the New England Patriots to kick a last-second field goal to defeat the Miami Dolphins in a National Football League playoff contest.

These brooms, with their spinning polypropylene bristles, can be quite handy when removing snow from decorative pavers, artificial turf, grass, and other surfaces that could be damaged by a rigid blade. They come in a variety of sizes, from walk-behind models to Sweepster's four-foot diameter sweeper (requiring over 300 horsepower just to power the brush) that clears a 20-ft path.

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