WHY TURF IT WHEN YOU CAN

# "SOD" I

# Nature and technology working together

The Liquid Sod Technique a proven alternative to turf

**★ Cost effective ★ Labour saving** 

Dense sward containing the same percentage of species as sown in seed mixture

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# LIQUID FEEDS

Premier liquid fertilisers are full strength fertilisers equivalent to granular applied products. They are not to be confused with the many "watered down" foliar type feeds on the amenity market. They give both foliar and root feeding and can be used in conjunction with Premier Save N for extended slow release action.

Premier LIQUID FEED 20L

15-0-6 + Mg + Fe + Trace elements. A full strength balanced nitrogen, potash fertiliser with all essential elements for fine turf to encourage hardy turf with good colour but without excessive top growth. Should be used as the first spring application on intensively managed turf prior to pure nitrogen applications. Can also be used as a season long fertiliser on less stressed areas (Fairways, parks, etc.) Apply at 40L per hectare.

*Premier* GREEN "R" 20L

18-0-0 + Mg, Fe & Trace elements. A full strength high nitrogen booster with essential trace elements for use on intensively managed fine turf where phosphate and potash levels are sufficient which will give all the feed value of a granular product. Can be mixed with herbicides and takes effect rapidly due to foliar and root uptake. Apply at 40L per hectare.



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# Landscape Industries in the spotlight

ost of the leading companies involved in turf management will be at the National Agricultural Centre, Stoneleigh Park, Warwickshire, on June 8 and 9 to show their products, technology and services.

Landscape Industries brings together a combination of trade displays, working equipment, discussion sessions and specialist technical features - and admission, parking and the exhibition catalogue are all free.

There will be more than 200 companies displaying everything from chemicals and mowers to nursery products, irrigation and garden accessories. Many manufacturers will be able to demonstrate their equipment in realistic conditions.

Education is also of importance at Landscape Industries, so many of the country's leading industry organisations will be on hand to offer advice. These include ADAS, British Turf & Landscape Irrigation Association, Arbicultural Association, City and Guilds, BALI, BLITO, ILAM,



# JUNE 8/9 1994

National Agricultural Centre Stoneleigh Park, Warwickshire

The International Exhibition for the Professional Landscape and Leisure Industries

Dry Stone Walling Association, National Turfgrass Council, the Sports Turf Research Institute and the Joint Council for Landscape Industries, as well as ten specialist colleges.

The discussion sessions are an established part of the exhibition and will include a couple of talks relevant to greenkeepers. Again, they are free.

# Who to look out for at the show



#### **Supaturf Products Ltd**

Supaturf are the suppliers of line systems including Topline, for marking grass and artificial surfaces, Arena for marking hard surfaces and Arena GUR for marking our ground under repair areas on the golf course.

Supaturf also manufacture a complete range of line marking liquids for all types of line markers and sports applications.

Supaturf's specialist turf and amenity products include Dilute 'n' Shoot, the quick all-in-one method of applying the world's leading wetting agent AquaGro

for the treatment of drought stressed areas.

Completing Supaturf's product line up are a full range of fertilisers for both fine turf and sports turf, fertiliser/grass seed spreaders, and Barenbrug grass seeds.

#### **Amenity Land Services Ltd** (ALS)

ALS tell us their premier liquid fertilisers are full strength and equivalent to granular official products - and not to be confused with watered down foliar type feeds. Premier liquid fertilisers give both foliar and root feeding in their action.

The fertilisers are compatible with most hormone weed killers and can therefore be applied to fine turf, sportsturf or fairways very cost effectively by spraying machine at the same time as herbicide application. Apart from the cost savings this also gives the added benefit of improving the herbicide uptake of target weeds and encouraging grass re-growth into the gaps vacated by dead weeds.

#### **Boughton Loam and Turf Management Systems**

Boughton Loam and Turf Management Systems will be showing a three dimensional display including their range of quality turf dressings, composts and pregerminated grass seed and liquid sod.

Boughton Loam have recently acquired the patent for pre-germinated seed and liquid sod spray on grass and are the only producers of these exciting products. Danny Godfrey, technical manager, will be pleased to see you at Landscape Industries and deal with your enquiries.

#### **Shelley Signs Ltd**

Shelly Signs will have on display copies of their brochure detailing signs available ex-stock for golf courses. examples of their products will also be on display.

The brochure is split into sections covering tee markers, directional, instructional, caution, car



park and entrance and also internal signs.

All these signs are manufactured in glass reinforced plastic. This is a material widely used by local authorities across the country for their specialist outdoor signing because of its durability, toughness and ease of cleaning.

Also available are entrance signs, leader boards and full colour tee markers.

#### **Etesia UK Ltd**

Seen for the first time at Landscape Industries will be the Etesia

Hydrostatic mower with sweeper attachment and all weather cab option.

Etesia mowers are well recognised by commercial users for their exceptional ability to cut both short and long grass, in all weathers.

'Seeing is believing" - visit the demonstration area to see the outstanding performance of these low maintenance, robust, ride-on and pedestrian machines. High output and easy manoeuvrability, make them the professional's choice

#### **Environmulch**

Environulch is an attractive mulch which is ideal for landscaping and gardening use. It is manufactured from seasoned wood which is reclaimed from the renovation of wooden base pallets.

Only clean wood is used, any that is contaminated with oil, chemicals or paint is discarded and not used for wood fibre.

After grinding, the timber fibre is coloured with an organic colourant that is safe to use and meets with the American federal Environmental guidelines.

The mulch is colour retentive for more than three years and is available in four colours.

Environulch suppresses weed growth, aids moisture retention and helps to regulate soil temperature. The gardener or greenkeeper enjoys maintenance work and enhanced garden or golf course appearance.





## GOLF COURSE WALKWAY CHIPPINGS

Environmulch is an attractive mulch which is ideal for many landscape applications. Manufactured from seasoned wood, the product is ideal for Golf Course walkways and has already been specified by many local authority courses since its launch at Landscape Industries '93.

Available in natural and four colours:

- REDWOODGOLDEN CYPRESS
- CEDARHARDWOOD DARK

#### ENVIROMULCH

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