



# BTME 98 show space expands to accommodate extra exhibitors

Almost at the end of summer and here at BIGGA headquarters our sights are firmly fixed on winter as we work towards producing the BIGGA Turf Management Exhibition for 1998.

Here at last we are able to reveal the plans for this show and the regular visitors among you will see that changes have been made. The most significant of those being the addition of a new Hall, a marquee (Hall G) situated at the front of Hall C.

The success of the last show with a record visitor attendance of 5,486 has resulted in many requests for more stand space from existing exhibitors and a growing list of companies wishing to attend for the first time – Hall G has given us the opportunity to accommodate all these requests.

There are at present 148 exhibitors attending the '98 show offering visitors the widest possible range of products and services

for the fine turf professional.

"We believe that in expanding into Hall G we have been able to increase the size of the show without losing its unique atmosphere," said show organiser James McEvoy.

New companies to BTME include Flymo, Olivers Seeds, City Irrigation, Bailey's of Norfolk, Verde Sports, Data Form, Par 4, Merrist Wood Golf Club and returning from a four year break Fairfield Turf Limited. When asked what had prompted their return, Ellis Cummins, from Fairfield Turf, said: "I have been a visitor to the show for the past two years and have been very impressed.

"I feel we would be missing out on a great opportunity if we did not exhibit this time."

There are limited spaces left so anybody wishing to exhibit at BTME 98 should contact Amanda Mayo on 01347 838581.

**HOW THE SHOW IS SHAPING UP: THE EXHIBITION PLAN SO FAR, OVERLEAF**

BIGGA TURF MANAGEMENT EXHIBITION



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**WELCOME TO THE 1998 BTME QUIZ!**

# Come to the show FREE!

★ Here's part two in our competition where you as a Greenkeeper can go to BTME 98 ABSOLUTELY FREE!

Together with the BTME, the Learning Experience 1998 will provide a varied and informative education programme. The workshop programme for 1998 once again includes the very successful golf course design and construction, and levelling and surveying, with the introduction of a NEW workshop on irrigation and drainage.

All you have to do to stand a chance of winning one of the three superb prizes is to answer six questions – there were two last month, two in this issue, below, and the final two plus the entry form appear in October's issue.

**FIRST PRIZE:** Return rail travel from anywhere in the UK plus three night's accommodation at a top hotel in Harrogate and entry to all the education seminar sessions.  
**SECOND PRIZE:** Return rail travel from anywhere in the UK plus two night's accommodation in a top Harrogate hotel and entry to all the education seminar sessions.  
**THIRD PRIZE:** Return rail travel from anywhere in the UK plus one night's accommodation in a top Harrogate hotel and entry to all education seminar sessions.

## SEPTEMBER QUESTIONS

1. Name BIGGA's Education Officer.
2. Name the new workshop.

*Don't miss your chance to attend the largest indoor turf management exhibition in Europe.*



For more information about BTME 98 contact Amanda Mayo or James McEvoy on 01347 838581

# Exhibition plan and guide to exhibitors to date: August 1997

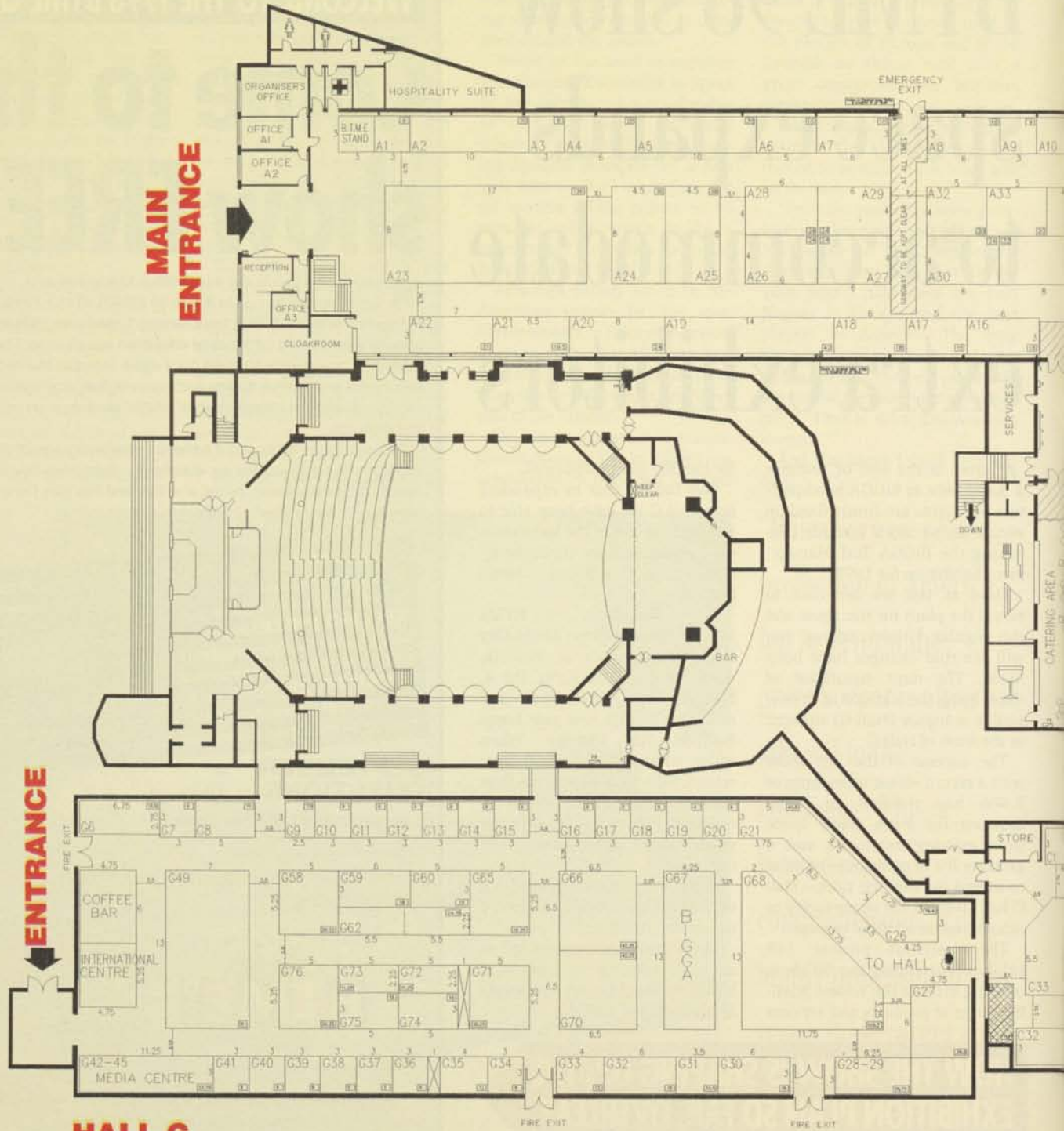
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 A2.....WATERMATION  
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 A5.....OCMIS IRRIGATION  
 A6.....ATTERTON & ELLIS  
 A7 SPORTSGROUND IRRIGATION  
 A8.....AMENITY LAND SERVICES  
 A9.....PSD AGRONOMY  
 A10.....BRITISH SEED HOUSES  
 A11.....TOTRAX  
 A12 - A14.....KUBOTA  
 A15.....TURFMECH  
 A16.....FARMURA  
 A17.....JOHNSONS SEEDS  
 A18.....BRITISH OVERHEAD  
 IRRIGATION  
 A19.....RITEFEED LTD  
 A20.....BARENBRUG  
 A21...RUFFORD TOP DRESSING  
 A22.ALLEN POWER EQUIPMENT

A23.....RANSOMES  
 A24.....ROLAWN (TURF  
 GROWERS) LTD  
 A25.....HUXLEYS GRASS  
 MACHINERY  
 A26.....WIEDENMANN LTD  
 A27.....SUPATURF PRODUCTS  
 A28.....SPORTSGROUND  
 IRRIGATION  
 A29.....MARLWOOD  
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 A34.....BOYD GOLF  
 A35.....KUBOTA  
 B1.....TACIT  
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 B3.....M J ABBOTT  
 B4.....UNDERGEAR  
 B5.....LINDUM TURF

B7.....AVONCROP AMENITY  
 B8.....YORK & MARTIN  
 B9.....KING'S HORTICULTURE  
 B10.....TURF MANAGEMENT  
 B11.....GREENTECH  
 B12.....MULTI-CORE  
 B13.....TALBOT  
 B14.....MAJOR EQUIPMENT  
 B15.....HEPWORTHS  
 B16.....GROUNDSMAN  
 INDUSTRIES  
 B17.....COUNTY CROP  
 B18  
 B19.....SYMBIO  
 B20.....CLEVELAND SITESAFE  
 B21.....GARFITTS  
 B22..SHARPES INTERNATIONAL  
 B23.....MARTIN BROTHERS  
 B24.....SAXON INDUSTRIES  
 B25.....OLIVERS SEEDS  
 B26.....GOLF SIGN COMPANY

B27.....PRIME WATERMAN  
 B28.....BETTER METHODS  
 B29.....LLOYDS & CO  
 B30.....STANDARD GOLF  
 B31 & B32.....JACOBSENS  
 B33 & B34.....MIRACLE  
 B35.....LELY UK LTD  
 B36.....PAR 4  
 B37.....TIL  
 B38.....CHARTERHOUSE  
 B39.....ETESIA  
 C1.....SWAN PLANT SERVICES  
 C2  
 C2A.....VERDE SPORTS  
 C3.....MOMMERSTEEG  
 C4...INDUSTRIAL POWER UNITS  
 C5.....PERRYFIELDS  
 C6.....TURFACTANT  
 C7.....EP BARRUS  
 C8.....WHITE HORSE  
 CONTRACTORS

C9.....ALLETT MOWERS  
 C10.....HEADLAND AMENITY  
 C11.....LINKS LEISURE  
 C12.....KAWASAKI  
 C13.....BOURNE AMENITY  
 C14.....COURSE CARE  
 C15  
 C16.....BANKS AMENITY  
 C17.....COURSE WEAR  
 C18  
 C19.....SOVEREIGN TURF  
 C20.....J D GREARSLEY  
 C21.....HAYTER  
 C22.....FARM & GARDEN  
 MACHINERY  
 C23.....TILDENET  
 C24.....NATURE FIRST  
 C25.....MAXICROP  
 C26.....HYDROSCAPE  
 C27.....HUMATE  
 C28.....SEWARDS



## HALL G

**The must-not-miss dates for your diary:**

9am-5.30pm Wednesday 21st January

9am-5.30pm Thursday 22nd January

9am-1.30pm Friday 23rd January, 1998

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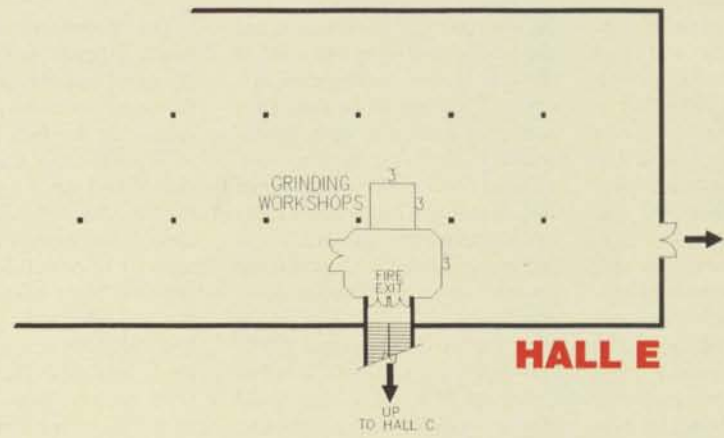
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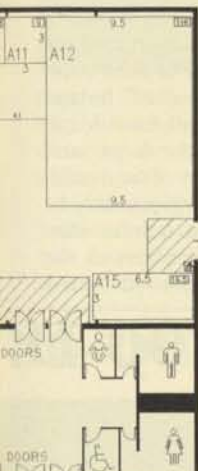
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**Education programme starts Monday 19 January**

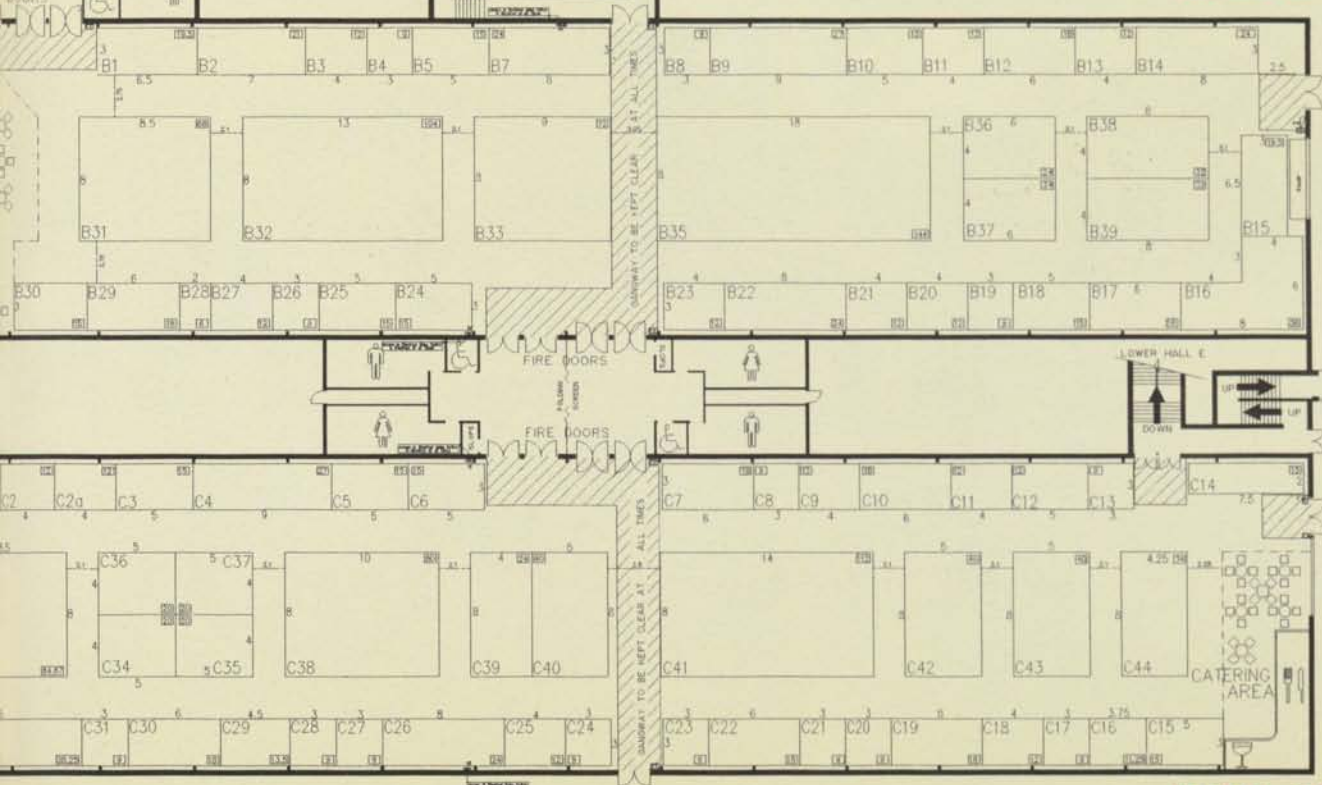


## HALL A



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| C29.....ERIC HUNTER GRINDERS | G9 ...BIGGA NORTHERN REGION                           | G30.....COOPER PEGLAR             | G60-61.....GTC                                      |
| C30.....ROFFEY BROTHERS      | G10...BRITISH ASSOCIATION OF GOLF COURSE CONSTRUCTORS | G31                               | G62.....LOGIC IRRIGATION/T & G TURF                 |
| C31.....TONICK WATERING      | G11.....EURO-GOLF                                     | G32.....EAGLE PROMOTIONS          | G65.....FORCE LIMOGRAIN                             |
| C32 & C33.....JOHN DEERE     | G12.....PREMIUM CREDIT                                | G33.....CITY IRRIGATION           | G66.....RHÔNE POULENC                               |
| C34.....BLEC LTD             | G13.....ASSOCIATION OF GOLF CLUB SECRETARIES          | G34.....WELSH COLLEGE             | G67.....MYERSCOUGH COLLEGE                          |
| C35.....D W TOMLIN           | G14-15.....BIOSEED                                    | G35.....MYERSCOUGH COLLEGE        | G68.....HARDI                                       |
| C36.....BOUGHTON LOAM        | G16.....SEMINAR REGISTRATION                          | G36..WARWICKSHIRE COLLEGE         | G70.....GEM PROFESSIONAL                            |
| C37.....TARMAC               | G17.....GOLF COURSE NEWS                              | G37.....HADLOW COLLEGE            | G71.....RAIN BIRD                                   |
| C38.....NEW HOLLAND          | G18   | G38.....ELMWOOD COLLEGE           | G72.....BRITISH INSTITUTE OF GOLF COURSE ARCHITECTS |
| C39                          | G19.....GCSAA   | G39.....CANNINGTON COLLEGE        | G73.....FLOWTRONIX                                  |
| C40.....SISIS                | G20   | G40.....REASEHEATH COLLEGE        | G74   |
| C41.....HAYTER               | G21-25..AMENITY TECHNOLOGY                            | G41..ASKHAM BRYAN COLLEGE         | G75.....CAPRARI PUMPS                               |
| C42.....PATTISONS            | G26.....BLAZON  | G42-45.....MEDIA CENTRE           | G76.....BAILEYS OF NORFOLK                          |
| C47.....I.O.G.               | G27.....ENGLISH GOLF UNION                            | G49-57.....RIGBY TAYLOR           |   |
| G6                           | G28.....TWOSE OF TIVERTON                             | G58.....PAN BRITANNICA INDUSTRIES |   |
| G7...NORTH STAFFS IRRIGATION |   |                                   |   |
| G8.....STRI                  |   |                                   |   |

## HALL B



## HALL C

More than just an exhibition