

**THE BULL SHEET, official publication of THE MIDWEST ASSOCIATION OF GOLF COURSE SUPERINTENDENTS.**

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**THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

With all the leaves falling it looks like our busy season is coming to an end. We had a nice year with not too much trouble on the golf courses and now all we need is a nice rain to carry us through the winter months.

I would like to thank Art Benson and the St. Charles Country Club for the fine day we had at our annual tournament. It's too bad that the rain couldn't have stayed away a little longer because quite a few of the golfers got wet. The Golf Committee did an excellent job in selecting the prizes for our tournaments.

The Educational Committee has been busy making arrangements for the Fall Clinic and they have a very good program lined up for us.

The Fall Dinner Dance will be held November 8th at the Elmhurst Country Club. Norm and Peg Kramer have been busy making all the arrangements for the evening so let's all plan to attend.

Our next meeting will be at the Silver Lake Golf Club. Norm Kramer and John Coghill will be our hosts for the day. If the weather is good we will play golf in the afternoon and have Dinner and a Business Meeting in the evening. See you all at this meeting on Monday, November 3rd.

Ed Stewart, President

**THE FALL DINNER DANCE**

Our Annual Fall Dinner Dance will be held at Elmhurst Country Club on the evening of Saturday, November 8. There will be flowers for the ladies, dinner served at 7 p.m., the music will be by Correy Lynn's fine orchestra and there will be many and wonderful door prizes. Norman Kramer, Entertainment Chairman says that it is imperative that you make your reservations before November 5. Call Lockport 8-4-2-M-2 or by mail at Rural Route #1, Lockport, Ill. Donation will be \$5.00 per person to be paid at the door. Elmhurst Country Club is located on Woodale Road between Irving Park and Grand Ave., Addison, Ill. For an evening of fun, plan to come and bring your friends.

**NOMINATING COMMITTEE APPOINTED**

At our October meeting, President Ed Stewart announced that he had appointed the following committee to prepare a slate of officers for the coming year.

Chairman, Ray Davis, Amos Lapp, Al Johnson, Dominic Grotti, Henry Lange.

**COMING EVENTS**

November meeting, Silver Lake Country Club, November 3. Norm Kramer and John Coghill, our hosts.

Fall Clinic sponsored by our Association. Olympia Fields Country Club, November 18-19. Gordon Brinkworth, our host.

December meeting. Annual Meeting and Election of officers for 1959, Glendale Golf & Country Club, December 1. Clarence Mueller, our host.

**THE OCTOBER MEETING**

It turned out that we picked a bad day for our

Annual Fall Tournament at St. Charles Country Club. After a number of fine days the weather changed and 61 golfers were caught in the rain on the course in the afternoon. In spite of the weather, a number of hardy souls finished 18 holes, while others quit at the end of nine holes. Ben Kronn, our Golf Chairman handled the tournament in fine style and is to be commended for his fine work under trying circumstances. Our host, Art Benson received many compliments on the fine condition of the golf course and on his hospitality. A number of superintendents who did not play golf enjoyed the facilities of the club's fine clubhouse in the afternoon. 85 members and guests sat down to a wonderful roast beef dinner in the evening and the meeting followed. Ben Kronn announced that due to the weather, the tournament was run on a 9 hole basis. Emil Mashie with a fine 74 became our 1958 Champion. Frank Dinelli had low gross for the Seniors and becomes Champ in that class.

**PRIZEWINNERS**

Class A Low Gross, Emil Mashie. Low Net, Don Swenson. Classes B-C-D Low Gross, Chuck Daughterty. Low Net Ed Schultz. Seniors Low Gross Frank Dinelli. Low Net, Ray Davis. Other prizes went to Ed Stewart, Paul Voykin, Al Pruess, Peter Voykin, Chas. Rack, Al Purvey, John Coghill, Don Stewart, Dom Grotti, Mike Coyne, Elmer Lemke, Roy Nelson, Ken Lapp, Jo. Venturella, Ray Runnfeldt, Amos Lapp, Frank Mastroleo, Ray Erickson, Norm Kramer, Dave Mastroleo, Ben Kronn, Joe Dinelli, Jerry Dearie, Adolph Bertucci. Door prizes were won by Scotty Stewart and Bill Black.

**OUR FALL CLINIC**

The Clinic will be held at Olympia Fields Country Club on November 18-19. Gordon Brinkworth will be our host. Gordon has been a wonderful host in other years and we can be assured that he will do all in his power to make us welcome at his club this time. If you are planning to stay overnight at Olympia Fields, please contact Gordon at an early date for your reservation. The rooms are limited. The theme of the 1958 Clinic will be APPLIED RESEARCH. Plan to attend.

**WISCONSIN NOTES**

The annual Business and Election meeting of the Wisconsin Golf Course Superintendents Association was held at Hickory Hills Golf Club, Chilton, Wis. on Monday, Oct. 6, 1958. Mr. Carl Wicks was host. In the golf event Allen Kress won low gross with an 83. Blind Bogey Winners were Ralph Christopherson - Bob Howe - Fritz Reinhardt - Carl Erickson - Cliff Decker.

Main order of business was election of officers for 1959.

Frank Musbach was re-elected President - 10633 W. Burleigh St., Milwaukee; Frank Maurina elected Vice President - 5032 W. Good Hope Rd., Milwaukee; Bob Howe re-elected Sec.-Treas. - 5466 N. Pt. Washington Rd., Milwaukee; Robert Reinders, Director - P.O. Box 428, Elm Grove, Wisconsin; Ralph Christopherson, Director - 1917 Pleasant St., Janesville, Wisconsin. Holdover Directors with one year to serve are Charles Shiley - Art Post - Walt Stepanits.

Cliff Decker is leaving Tuckaway Country Club, and going to the Chicago area - Briargate Country Club, which has been reorganized as a membership club and is located in Deerfield, Illinois.

Chas. Shiley