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ECKHOFF CONTEST A RECORD DRAW

NORTH PALM BEACH, FL — A record number of entries, 95, made the 1982 Harry C. Eckhoff Award contest the most successful ever.

The Eckhoff contest has been held annually since 1979 by the National Golf Foundation to honor excellence in regional publications and newsletters produced by golf-related organizations. The entry deadline for the 1982 contest was December 31.

An eight-person panel chosen by the NGF met twice in January to determine the winners in four basic categories: club and course newsletters, newspapers, magazines and all other golf news publications.

Entries will be judged on appearance, content and other criteria established by the panel. Results will be published in the March issue of the **Golf Market Report**.



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NEWSLETTER ARTICLE ASSIGNMENTS "BULL SHEET"

March	John Berarducci
April	Roger Stewart
May	Julius Albaugh
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July	Joe Williamson
August	Dave Behrman
September	Mike Hart
October	Ken Goodman

Easy to follow instructions:

These articles are to be presented to the editor of the **Bull Sheet** one month prior to your month's assignment, i.e. John Stephenson - June - submit to editor by May 10, **no later!** All copies are to be double spaced and type written. You may pick a topic of editorial value or report on special interests related to turf and your profession. Get these articles in early so that Ray can work around your articles space. Be Prompt!

U.S. LEADS WORLD IN GOLF COURSES, GOLFERS

NORTH PALM BEACH, FL—Did you realize that there are more golf courses in the United States - 13,013 - than in the rest of the world **combined?**

Did you know that there are more **golfers** in the U.S. than the rest of the world altogether?

Those are two results of a list compiled by the National Golf Foundation, which found there are an estimated 21,000 golf courses and 30 million golfers in the world.

As of Jan. 1, 1983, there were 13,013 golf courses and 17.6 million golfers in the United States. Those figures were compiled by the NGF, with the number of golfers including "casual" players who play less than 15 rounds a year.

Listed below are figures supplied to the Foundation by 14 golf associations in foreign (non-U.S.) countries, indicating the number of courses and golfers. Among the countries whose official figures have yet to be received are Germany, Spain, Mexico and those in Africa and South America. The estimated number of golf courses and golfers in the world is, therefore, conservative.

Country	Golf Courses	Golfers
1) United States	13,013	17,600,000
2) Great Britain (& N. Ireland)	2,035	1,128,469
3) Australia	1,324	350,000
4) Canada	1,140	---
5) Japan	1,200	10,000,000
6) Scotland	444	600,000
7) New Zealand	380	120,000
8) S. Africa	360	60,000
9) Argentina	250	---
10) Sweden	162	101,000
11) Korea (incl. 58 ranges)	83	160,000
12) Italy	68	14,859
13) Netherlands	36	15,000
14) Switzerland	28	8,000
TOTALS	20,523	30,157,328

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