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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

THE HEART OF THE ARTICHOKE

The grounds crew at St. Charles Country Club has a saying that, "We are the heart of the artichoke." We think we are pretty important to the overall operation of the club. This says something about the way we feel about our club and the things that go on daily at our place of business. It is a business, and a serious one that is always under the scrutiny of the members and guests of our establishment. For Golf Course Superintendents, golf is a livelihood. For the amateur golfer, the game is a hobby. No matter how important the golfing public thinks the golf course is, it does not necessarily put meat and potatoes on their table.

Golf Course Superintendents have an obligation to uphold the stately art of Greenkeeping. GCSAA and USGA have gone on public relations campaigns for the Golf Course Superintendents to receive more recognition. There are some people out there that already know that growing quality turf on the golf course is a heck of a lot different than growing turf in the back yard. And there are a few other people that know the Superintendent provides many other services for the club that go beyond the realm of greenkeeping. Examples range from giving friendly advice to the homeowner, through overseeing swimming pool facilities and golf cart fleets. When it comes right down to it the Superintendent has the good of the club at heart.

Many people are depending on us to keep things going where we work. We represent much more than just the outside grounds. We represent the entire golfing community by how we present ourselves and our golf courses. It is important to do more. It is important to learn how to meet people. It is important to actively participate in the game of golf. It is important to actively participate in club projects so that we get the recognition we want and deserve.

In other words, let's not wait around for somebody else to get a little recognition for us. Let's go out and get it for ourselves.

Pete Leuzinger, Pres., MAGCS

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