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**President's Message**

**by Bruce R. Williams, CGCS  
President, MAGCS**

At our July meeting we gathered to honor the Senior members of our association. While only a small portion of our fine Senior members were in attendance, I want the rest of you to know how we feel about you. The following proclamation was given at the meeting honoring our Senior members:

We, the members of the Midwest Association of Golf Course Superintendents are deeply indebted to all of our Senior members for their contributions to our profession. Each one of you has helped to set the ideals for which many of us hope to aspire to. While each of you are unique, collectively you have set the stage for future generations to follow in your footsteps.

We salute you as mentors, innovators, & leaders of our industry. On behalf of our membership I would like to thank all of you for many years of dedicated membership to our great Midwest Association of Golf Course Superintendents. We look forward to seeing you at many of our monthly meetings in addition to the special Seniors' Day meeting.

It doesn't seem like one day a year is enough to recognize our Senior members. However, our gratitude goes out to all of you 365 days of the year. Best of luck and good health to all of you. **Seniors we salute you!!**

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<b>Issue date:</b>	<b>Article &amp; Author</b>
September 1988	"Bentgrass in Retrospect" Roger Stewart
January 1989	"Lightweight Fairway Mower Comparison" David Blomquist
January 1989	"In Defense of Kentucky Bluegrass" Dudley Smith
November 1989	"Proper Restitution" Brian Green
April 1990	"Orange Lines in the Roughs" Timothy Kelly
May 1990	"Shellcrackers Keep the Geese Away" Kevin Czerkies

The judges for this year's competition will be: Bruce Williams, President MAGCS; Dr. Tom Fermanian, U. of I.; Edwin Wollenberg, Retired Superintendent; Dr. Randy Kane, U. of I. & CDGA; and Fred D. Opperman, Editor.