

(Bruce Williams Interview continued)

perintendents, I leave home before my family sees the light of dawn and now I seldom return hom before 6 p.m. each evening. It seeks like every week has some function that requires my presence locally or on the road. This might include committee meetings, Board meetings, executive committee meetings, Speaker's Bureau, etc. This certainly takes away a lot of family time that can never be replaced. I find myself scheduling family activities just like my other appointments to make sure that I don't miss out on the developmental years of my children. I owe a great deal of thanks to my wife for her understanding and taking on the appearance of sometimes being a single parent.

Editor: Since we have an International Golf Course Conference & Show, will we one day soon also have board members from other countries?

B.W.: I think it quite apparent that we will have more international members of GCSAA as time goes on. The globe is getting smaller and more courses are being built abroad than in the U.S. We have had Canadian members on our Board of Directors and one of the candidates in the recent election was Canadian. It is not unreasonable to foresee board members from outside the U.S. in the near future. I think the qualifications of the individuals are much more important than their residency.

A brief note is in order to all of the many people in the MAGCS who have made my service to GCSAA a reality. I thank you for your continued support. You have entrusted me with a significant responsibility and I do not take it lightly. I will do the best possible job to lead GCSAA in the right direction in the next several years ahead. Special thanks to our delegates, Roger Stewart, Bob Maibusch, Al Fierst, and Paul Voykin who have worked diligently on behalf of the MAGCS and myself in recent years. Without your support and the good works of many others I would not be representing the membership of GCSAA. I also hope that the MAGCS will continue to support Tommy Witt in the same fashion as he is destined to be a fine leader of GCSAA.



GCSAA/MAGCS Golf in California

The MAGCS players did pretty good in the GCSAA Golf Tournament. The Chapter Team Net went to: Alan Fierst, Robert Maibusch, John Stevenson, and Roger Stewart. Roger Stewart then won the 6th flight in gross. Senior I Net was won by Mike Bavier. Ken Goodman won the net division in the Senior II.

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