

(Midwest Breezes continued)

## WGN Radio / Inverness Connection

by Peter Vandercook

Early morning WGN listeners are getting used to hearing Mike Bavier's voice. Mike has talked to both Spike O'Dell and Bob Collins in past weeks. Both conversations dwelt with various aspects of golf.

Also heard was Larry Leonard, Superintendent of Earlville Country Club in Earlville, Illinois who talked to Spike on the 4th of July as Spike talked to people who had worked on the 4th of July holiday.

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Congratulations to Greg Johnson who has been promoted to Regional Superintendent for the Walters Group. This is the firm that purchased Golf Club of Illinois early in the year and in mid July purchased Eagle Brook G.C. Mark Callahan the assistant at GC of Illinois becomes the new Superintendent there. Greg is looking for an assistant Superintendent for the Eagle Brook Golf Club. Call 708/638-8125 for further information.

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For Sale: 1985 9 Gang Diesel Toro Parkmaster, excellent condition, \$7,000 or best offer. Contact Terry Turnquist, Wheaton Park District, 708/653-5429.

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The July meeting at Steeplechase G.C. was enjoyed by 111 golfers. Glen had the course in great shape and the staff served an excellent steak and corn on the cob dinner.

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Congratulations to Dan Tully who is at the Michael Jordan Golf Center in Aurora. This facility is in the process of being built and seeded. It is designed as a golf learning center on 30 acres. The practice tee of rye grass will be about 1 1/2 acres, a practice green of Penncross will be 12M and a chipping green of 14M square feet. There will also be an 18 hole miniature golf course along with a restaurant and pro shop. Grand opening is planned for mid September.

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Rob Foster is the new superintendent at the Illinois Center Golf in Chicago. Rob was an assistant at Bob O'Link before.

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Fall 1995 Horticulture Courses — Horticulture 322: Plant Nutrition, (Glencoe). Studies the mechanisms of and factors affecting the absorption, transport, distribution, and functions of the essential elements required by higher plants. Lectures and discussions. 4 hours or 1 unit. 6:30-9:45 p.m., Tuesdays, beginning September 5-December 5, 1995. Assoc. Prof. John Swiader. **Tuition and fee:** 4 hours - \$430 or 1 unit - \$482. Phone (800) 252-1360 extention 3-3061.



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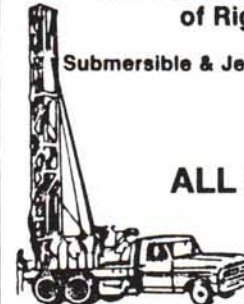
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