

Dress Code for Seminars

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At their summer meeting, the GCSAA Board of Directors approved an Education Committee recommendation regarding a dress code for all GCSAA seminars, including conference seminars and chapter-hosted regional seminars. As you may recall, a dress code already exists for several conference events. The new seminar dress code is intended to help promote the professional image of golf course superintendents through professional attire.

Accordingly, the new dress code for conference and chapter-hosted seminars is:

Casual business attire (slacks and collared shirts for men, similar attire for women); jackets are recommended.

For your reference, the dress code for other conference events follows:

Trade Show and Educational Sessions:

Golf casual attire.

Opening Session and Government and Environmental General Session:

Sport coat and similar dress for women.

Gala Reception and Dinner:

Coat and tie, and similar dress for women.

Golf Tournaments and Events:

Golf casual attire, such as golf shirt or sweater and casual slacks, no jeans.

Welcoming Reception:

Semi-business attire, such as an open-collared shirt with sport coat for men, and similar attire for women.

Victory Reception and Banquet:

Business attire, such as a suit with coat and tie for men, and similar attire for women.

Members will be notified of the new guidelines through their seminar registration confirmation letters and through *Newsline*. However, we would appreciate any assistance you can give in communicating this new standard, such as through your chapter newsletter. If you have questions regarding this policy, please contact me by phone at 847/304-2840 or by e-mail at tomwitt@ix.netcom.com or contact Deena Amont, Director of Education, by phone at 800/471-7878, Ext. 414, or by e-mail at damont@gcsaa.org. ■

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