



Steve Cook was featured in an article about irrigation system upgrading/replacing called "Use Your Head."



The 2013 Old Tom Morris Award winner was announced recently, and that person is Mike Hurdzan, the renowned golf course architect who gained critical acclaim for his designs with a focus on environmental stewardship and affordability. The award will be presented at Education Conference in San Diego on February 6th.

GCSAA members now have a chance to earn a \$25 GCSAA gift certificate by referring a friend for GCSAA membership by January 31st. All you need to do is email your friend's information (name, facility name and address, and email address) to them by the 31st (mygcsaa@gcsaa.org) and claim your reward (if that friend actually joins).

If you are registered for the Show in San Diego, you can access your "My Planner" tool at gcsaa.org by clicking on the Education Conference button. The tool is an interactive technology that allows you to chart your course the entire week, map your route on the trade show floor, plan your sessions and seminars, and communicate with exhibitors to set appointments before you arrive in San Diego.

Equipment For Sale:

7 John Deere 220A walking greens mowers with groomers, some 2001, some 2002, all in good working condition. Call Dave Biery at Black Sheep Golf Club and make an offer. 630-761-0379.

4 sets of 3 cutting units for Toro 3100 riding greens mowers. All are 11-blade, center-adjust, with groomers and are sharpened and ready to mow. \$1,200.00 per set of 3. Call **Steve Partyka** at White Pines Golf Club at 630-766-9579 or email him at partykasteve@yahoo.com.

The following items are in good working condition, and are being offered up for sale:

- 5- John Deere 220A walking greens mowers—
\$1,000 each, or all 5 for \$4,000
- 1- John Deere 260B walking tee mower—\$1,500
- 1- 2002 John Deere 3215B 2wd fairway mower
with 2200 hours—\$3,250
- 1- 2004 Jacobsen T628 4wd with Lastec deck,
5200 hours—\$4,000
- 1- Toro Hydroject with 860 hours—\$1,500.

Call or email Scott White or Gordon Watson at The Mauh-Nah-Tee-See Club at 815-399-2961 or purdueturf@comcast.net. **-OC**

Last month was another big one for finding MAGCS members in OPP's (Other People's Publications). TurfNet's Blog Aggregator had **Don Cross, CGCS** of Skokie Country Club's blog informing his membership about their greens covering program, **Steve Cook, CGCS, MG** chimed in on goose control, **Shane Conroy** updated the Park Ridge CC membership on the completion of his path project, and **Steven Biehl** spoke on the winterization of the Naperville CC irrigation system and pump station. Elsewhere, in *GCI*,