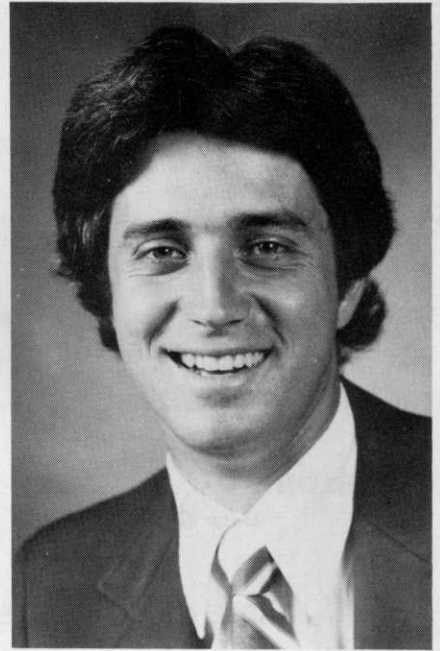


## ***President's Message***



The Florida Golf Course Superintendent's Association has been very active and productive in 1980. At our most recent board meeting a state logo was adopted and soon will be seen on our stationery and blazers. We also had the opportunity to meet with G.C.S.A.A.'s president, Mel Lucas, and discuss how their plans and philosophies relate to the F.G.C.S.A. Attendance at this board meeting was strong and very encouraging. Your chapter presidents and vice presidents are to be commended for their dedication and outstanding contribution toward strengthening our state association and its chapters.

October will be a busy month for golf course superintendents and their affiliates in the turf industry. The Florida Turf Grass Association conference and show will be held in Gainesville from October 19-22. In accordance with our By-Laws, the Florida Golf Course Superintendent's Association will hold its annual meeting at that time.

The board and I look forward to personally meeting you and discussing our association's objectives. You should make plans now to attend these annual functions and receive their many benefits.

*Tom Hur*