

Call for Articles

This is a call for articles for the 1999 issues of the Florida Green.

Contact Joel D. Jackson, Editor for more information. Phone: 407-248-1971. Fax: 407-248-1971. E-mail; FLGrn@aol.com. All slides and photographs should include identification of persons in the picture and the name of the photographer.

HANDS ON TOPICS for 1999: Share your best practices and tips for these upcoming topics. Slides or photographs are encouraged.

- **Spring Issue** - Superintendent and Vendor Relationships
- **Summer Issue** - Soil Amendments: From Ceramics to Organics
- **Fall Issue** - Superintendent Image and Visibility

SPOTLIGHT: People and events making news in Florida. From award winners to chapter tournaments and other accomplishments. Send in your story. Slides or photographs encouraged.

SUPERINTENDENT'S JOURNAL: Personal observations or experiences related to any phase of the turf management profession. Slides or photographs encouraged.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT: General management topics beyond turf. Examples: Education, facilities, personnel, computers, training, etc. Slides or photographs encouraged.

INDUSTRY NEWS: News items of interest to Florida superintendents from allied associations in the turf/

horticulture industry. Slides or photographs encouraged.

OPINION: Exactly what it means! Articles voicing a personal point of view on any topic concerning Florida superintendents. Slides or photographs encouraged.

RESEARCH: A section reserved primarily for university and technical authors to report on research results within the turf industry. Also reports of practical on-course testing. Slides or photographs encouraged.

RUB OF THE GREEN: Articles and anecdotes with a humorous twist. Slides or photographs encouraged.

STEWARDSHIP: Superintendents are invited to submit ideas and articles about environmental issues and initiatives at their courses. Slides or photographs encouraged.

1999 Florida Green Photo Contest

Category 1 - Wildlife on the Course: mammals, birds, reptiles, amphibians.

Category 2 - Course Landscape – Formal Plantings: annuals, shrubs, trees, entrance and tee signs.

Category 3 - Course Landscape – Native Plantings: aquatic vegetation, grasses, shrubs, trees and wildflowers.

Category 4 - Scenic Hole Layout Shots: sunrises, sunsets, frosts, storms and any other golf hole view.

Prizes

- First Place (\$100) and Second Place (\$50) in each category.
- Editor's Choice - Best Overall Photo - \$100.
- All winning entries published in the Fall 1999 issue.

Easy Rules

1. Color prints or slides. Only one entry per category.
2. Photo must be taken on an FGCSA member's course. Photo must be taken by an FGCSA member or a



member of his staff.

3. Attach a label to the back of the print or slide which identifies the category, course and photographer. **DO NOT WRITE DIRECTLY ON THE BACK OF THE PRINT.** Each photo shall be attached to a sheet of 8.5 x 11 lined paper. Line up the photo with the vertical and horizontal lines to square the photo on the page. Attach the print to the paper using a loop of masking tape on the back of the photo. Slides must be easily

removable for viewing.

4. A caption identifying the category, course and photographer should be typed or printed on the sheet of paper below the print or slide.
5. Judging will be done by a panel of FGCSA members not participating in the contest.
6. Mail entries in a bend-proof package to Joel D. Jackson, 6780 Tamarind Circle, Orlando 32819. No entries accepted postmarked after August 1, 1999.