



The Central Pennsylvania Golf Course Superintendents Association has elected a new slate of board members for 1989. Left to right are Vice President Bob Beyer, Ted

Zabrenski, Jeff Fry, President Bill Wall, Jim Jones, Mike Yenny, John Chassard, Mike May. Absent from the photo were Greg Hostetter and Mark Jacobs.

GCSAA donates funds toward grass research

The Golf Course Superintendents Association of America has contributed \$25,000 to the USGA/GCSAA Turfgrass Research Committee to support ongoing scientific work on new turfgrass varieties that would require less water and be more disease resistant.

GCSAA President Dennis D. Lyons presented the funds at the June 14 annual USGA/Golf Writers Association of America banquet during the U.S. Open in Rochester, N.Y.

"GCSAA sincerely supports the USGA turfgrass research project. We look forward to working together with the USGA on other projects in the future," Lyon said.

The Turfgrass Research Committee currently supports 25 research projects and has distributed more than \$2.8 million since 1983, said Bill Bengeyfield, USGA Green Section national director.

"We do thank GCSAA for the research funding they provide, and we also appreciate the time people like (GCSAA Vice President) Jerry Faubel, Dennis Lyon and (GCSAA Executive Director) John Schilling contribute to the committee," Bengeyfield said. "And \$25,000 is absolutely fantastic."

GCSAA names Jones to post

Pat Jones, former Golf Course Management staff writer, is directing the Communications Department for GCSAA.

Jones has written extensively on technical, industry and government topics.

He will oversee the association's programs in government relations, public relations and scholarship and research.

Floyd, Lopez picked

Raymond Floyd and Nancy Lopez have been elected to the Modern Era of the PGA/World Golf Hall of Fame by the Golf Writers Association of America.

They will be inducted at Pinehurst, N.C., Nov. 4, at the annual tournament there.

The Veterans Committee also elected for simultaneous induction Roberto deVicenzo and the late Jim Barnes.

ASSOCIATION NEWS

CMAA in temporary offices

The Club Managers Association of America had to accelerate its plans to relocate its national headquarters and moved July 7-10 into temporary offices.

Executive Vice President James A. Schuping said CMAA will still move into its Alexandria, Va., headquarters in September but in the interim can be contacted at P.O. Box 26308, Alexandria, Va. 22313-

6308; telephone 703-739-9500 and FAX 703-739-0124.

Schuping said the temporary move was necessitated when the purchaser of the former CMAA property "moved his property-development program forward."

"Our anticipated move to the new facility at King Street Metro Place, 1733 King St. in Alexandria will occur in mid-September."

There's a new name in the winner's circle at Doral

Taming the famed Blue Monster course is the only way a golfer gets into the winner's circle at Doral. It's no different for turf professionals. Steve Kuhn, superintendent for all five of Doral's courses, occupies a permanent spot. John Deere, a new name at this prestigious Florida resort, just moved in.

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