

NEW LITERATURE

Keystone lit details wall construction

Keystone Retaining Wall Systems has released its new technical manual.

The eight-page brochure shows improved details on designing and installing mortarless, concrete modular retaining walls used by architects, superintendents, designers, engineers and contractors.

Architects and superintendents have used Keystone Retaining Wall Systems for tee boxes, golf car path linings, pond retention, parking lots and landscape applications.

The mortarless construction utilizes high-strength, concrete modules with interlocked and reinforced fiberglass pins.

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The system has the appearance of natural, quarried stone with deep shadowing effects.

Keystone walls require no special tools, equipment, mortar, special footings or preservatives.

The dry stack process requires a shallow trench to establish a leveling pad of granular material. Lay the base course, pin the units, backfill and compact. These steps are repeated to the desired height and topped off with a Keystone cap.

The materials can be installed quickly and often by the golf course's own maintenance crew. The one-and-one-half-square-foot blocks make estimating easy.

For more information, contact Keystone Retaining Wall Systems, 7600 France Ave. South, Suite 110, Edina, Minn. 55435 or call 612-897-1040 and fax 612-897-3858.

Lofts shows what grasses grow best throughout U.S.

Lofts Seed, Inc. is offering a free reference guide on what grasses grow best in various parts of the country.

"The Golf Course Professional's Guide to Turfgrass Selection" includes recommendations for golf courses throughout the United States.

The booklet is divided into geographical areas and includes an extensive section on Southern winter overseeding.

Copies can be ordered from Lofts Seed Inc., Chimney Rock Rd., Bound Brook, N.J. 08805.

ASGCA booklet tells how to build muni courses

A pamphlet detailing how townships can develop municipal golf courses is available from the American Society of Golf Course Architects.

"Planning the Municipal Golf Course" contains information on construction costs, site selection, acreage needs, financing and how to begin the project.

The eight-page pamphlet is available free from the ASGCA, 221 N. LaSalle St., Chicago, Ill. 60601. Include a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

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Customers had reported breakage and fading from the sun with the old lids. The new lids are thicker and sun-resistant.

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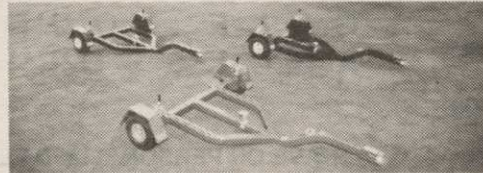
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CALENDAR

December

2-3 — GCSAA seminar in Denver, Colo., on Environmental Considerations in Golf Course Management.*

3-4 — GCSAA seminar in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, on Managerial Productivity.*

3-6 — New Jersey Turfgrass Expo '90 at Trump Taj Mahal, Atlantic City. Contact Dr. Henry W. Indyk, Crop Science Department, P.O. Box 231, Cook College, New Brunswick, N.J. 08903; 201-932-9453.

4-5 — GCSAA seminar in Rochester, N.Y., on Turfgrass Insects: Basic and Advanced Principles.*

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6 — GCSAA seminar on Calculations and Practical Mathematics for Use in Golf Course Management.*

6-7 — Conference on Pension Funds and Real Estate, conducted by Crittenden Research Institute, at Ramada Renaissance Hotel in Washington, D.C. Contact Crittenden at 250 Bel Marin Keys Blvd., Novato, Calif. 94948; 415-382-2486.

6-8 — Florida Irrigation Society Trade Show and Technical Conference at the Orange County Convention/Civic Center in Orlando. Call 407-291-0974.

7 — GCSAA seminar in Seekonk, Mass., on Water Quality and Irrigation Scheduling.*

9-10 — GCSAA seminar in Atlanta, Ga., on Managerial Productivity.*

9-12 — Canadian Golf Superintendents Association's 42nd Turfgrass Conference & Trade Show at the Palais Des Congres de Montreal and Le Meridien Hotel. Contact the CGSA, 2000 Weston Road, Suite 203, Weston, Ontario, Canada M9N 1X3; 800-387-1056 or 416-249-7304.

10-11 — GCSAA-sponsored seminar, Introduction to Soil Science, in Lincoln, Neb.*

10-12 — 21st Annual Georgia Turfgrass Conference and Trade Show at the Hyatt Atlanta Airport. Contact Karen Lavender at 912-681-5189 or Esther White at 404-447-4985.

10-12 — Missouri Lawn and Turf Conference and Trade Show at the Clarion Hotel in St. Louis. Call 314-882-4087.

10-13 — Ohio Turfgrass Foundation Conference and Show at the Cincinnati Convention Center. Contact Phyllis Poure at the OTF, 2021 Coffey Road, Columbus, Ohio 43210; 614-292-2601.

12-14 — Second Annual Pacific Coast Turf and Landscape Conference and Trade Show at the Washington State Convention and Trade Center in Seattle, Wash. The conference and show are sponsored by the Western Washington Golf Course Superintendents' Association and Jones and Associates. Contact Jones and Associates, Park Center, Suite 200, N. 908 Howard St., Spokane, Wash. 99201-2261; 509-327-5904.

12-14 — Desert Turfgrass/Landscape Conference and Show at Bally's Resort in Las Vegas, Nev. Call 702-739-8500.

13-14 — GCSAA seminar in Hershey, Pa., on Basic Principles of Turfgrass Management.*

14-15 — GCSAA seminar in San Antonio, Texas, on Golf Course Restoration, Renovation and Construction Projects.*

17-19 — Texas Turfgrass Association Conference and Show at the San Antonio Convention Center. Contact Executive Director Shirley Duble, 1003 Howe, College Station, Texas 77845.

19-20 — Golf Operations Seminar, coordinated by the Public Golf Management Association, at the Radisson Hotel-Southeast in Denver, Colo. Contact PGMA, 8030 Cedar Ave., Suite 228, Minneapolis, Minn. 55425; 612-854-7272.

January

2-19 — Utility Turf Management/Home Lawn Care Management, at New Brunswick, N.J. Contact The Office of Continuing Professional Education at Cook College, 201-932-9271

* — For more information or to register, contact Betsy Evans, education coordinator, Golf Course Superintendents Association of America, at 800-472-7878 or 913-841-2240. The seminars are dependent upon the availability of the instructors, and are therefore subject to change. One-day seminars cost \$100 for GCSAA members and \$120 for non-members; two-day seminars cost \$180 for members and \$210 for non-members.

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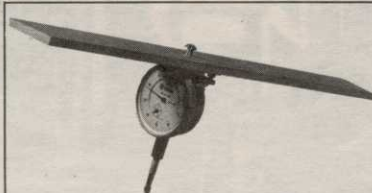
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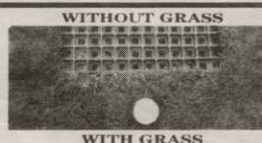
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