NEW PRODUCTS

Variable hydraulic feed on PeCo chipper

PeCo Inc. has introduced a midsize Hydraulic Brush Chipper. The PeCo Model 40/30H offers variable hydraulic feed, to 170 feet per minute. The 300-pound flywheel with two 10-inch cutting blades is powered by a dependable 40hp Lister diesel engine. Cutting capacity is 9 inches.

Unique features of the 40/30H include: 360-degree rotating base and discharge chute, two pivoting jack stands, easy to adjust heavy duty chip deflector, reversible blades and a hinged flywheel cover for easy maintenance. Electric brakes or surge brakes are optional.

The chippers weight is evenly distributed, making it maneuverable and easy to tow. The trailer offers a torsionally sprung axle for smooth tracking behind the tow vehicle. The tongue height is easily adjusted and available with a 3-inch pintle eye, a 2-inch coupler or a 2 5/16-inch coupler.

For more information, contact: PeCo Inc., P.O. Box 1197, Arden, NC 28704; or call 1-800-438-5823, 704-684-1234; or fax 704-684-0858.

Parker sweeper handles standing water

The Parker Sweeper Company has introduced the Hurricane 5, a powerful, all-purpose walk-behind blower. This powerful blower easily removes leaves, loose debris and standing water. The Hurricane 5 is designed with a powerful 5 hp Briggs & Stratton engine, a front mounted swivel turf caster, semipneumatic rear tires, and a plowtype handle with throttle control. These features give the operator easier maneuverability on rough terrain. The Hurricane 5 is constructed with an 11 gauge steel housing and a six blade aluminum-magnesium impeller fan producing 2000 CFM at 150 mph. This tremendous air force is released from a front or side discharge. The Hurricane 5 is backed by a two years parts/one year labor warranty.

For more information, contact the company at P.O. Box 1728, Springfield, Ohio 45501-1728; or phone 513-323-4901. CIRCLE #316



Photo courtesy of Nat Binns, golf course superintendent, Lakewood Country Club, Rockville, Maryland. (unretouched photo) Actual side-by-side comparisons prove ...

TerraShield[®] is your best protection against costly winter kill damage.

Warren's TerraShield also helps stimulate healthy root growth and get spring green-up started sooner so your course is ready for play weeks earlier.

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Best for winter protection ... TerraShield gives you up to 3 times more blanket material than thin plastic films, light-weight fabrics or sheets of material resembling rows of ribbons sewn loosely together.

Best for wind protection . . . because it's a nonwoven polyester blanket and not a film or sheet, TerraShield does a superior job protecting against dessication kill by keeping cold, dry, winter winds away from grass crowns.

You can have TerraShield Greens Blankets ready for your course in plenty of time for installation this fall if you act now.

To order, just phone Davenport Seed Corporation at 1 800 828-8873 **Best for extra strength**... because it's 100% polyester continuous filament needlepunched fabric, TerraShield resists ballooning and fights ripping and tearing that can destroy thin films, sheets, or lighterweight fabrics. (And, there is no need for crosswires to keep TerraShield in place in very high winds.)

Best for healthy turf... because it 'breathes', TerraShield lets oxygen, carbon dioxide, and water vapor pass through freely and easily. It also helps retain needed soil moisture.



Side discharge on Deere chipper

With many chipper/shredders, the mulch piles up under the machine, so you have to move it periodically. And you have to bend down to lift everything into a vertical hopper. These common annoyances have been eliminated by two new gas-engine designs from John Deere - the models CS5 and CS8. The model numbers designate their horsepower. Both models have a side discharge to blow mulch away from the unit, rather than under it. A collection bag is standard equipment - either drawstring or velcro closure.

A 10-foot flexible vacuum hose is available as an attachment for quick collection of leaves, pine needles and other yard debris. A hitch kit also is available for towing to the job.

For more information, contact Deere at P.O. Box 29533, Raleigh, N.C. 27626; lor call 919-954-6420. CIRCLE #318

Disc-style chipper from Vermeer

An economical PTO-driven discstyle brush chipper-designed to reduce the time, cost and labor of handling brush and wood materials reduction-has been introduced by Vermeer Manufacturing Company.

The 606 runs off the power takeoff of the tractor and features hydraulic feed for smooth, controlled brush feeding action. A self-feeding roller drags brush material into a housing that contains the chipper's cutting disc. Cutting wheel speed is 1645 @ 540 RPM on the PTO. The hydraulics are controlled by an easy-access manual feed control bar which starts, stops or reverses the feed process. Near waist-high feed table height reduces unnecessary stooping or bending and provides excellent leverage when loading heavy limbs.

For more information, contact Vermeer at New Sharon Road, Pella, Iowa, 50219; or call 1-800-370-3659.

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dustries. The company's liquid and dry thatch-reducing products, which will continue to be marketed under the Bio Grounds Keeper label, is distributed nationally and internationally. Sustane Corp. currently manufactures and markets organic fertilizers made from composted turkey litter for the agricultural and turf industries.

"Organic lawn and turf products have shown steady growth during the past five years, and we expect that growth to continue due to the proven performance of organic and biological products and increased environmental awareness," Duffey said.