

## Northeast

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Edge has one of the most unique plant species habitats in the Northeast. Seven rare and endangered plants are located at the shoreline of one of five ponds on the course.

them preserve and enhance wildlife habitat and protect natural resources — in 1992.

“The Hyannisport Club has shown a strong commitment to its environmental programs. They are to be commended for their efforts to provide a sanctuary for wildlife on the golf course property,” said Jean Mackay, staff ecologist for the Audubon Society of New York.

“The board of directors are very proud of the work that Charlie Passios, golf course manager, and his staff have accomplished in order to receive this significant

designation,” Robert DeLaney, president of the Hyannisport Club, said. The club owns a beautiful part of Cape Cod which serves not only as a golf course but also as a wildlife habitat and sanctuary.

“Certification comes with great pride for us at the Hyannisport Club,” said Passios. “The Audubon Sanctuary System is a perfect program to promote environmental stewardship, stimulate awareness of golf’s positive relationship with the natural ecology of the property and, most important, it is education — education for the public, the management staffs and the students that participate in our specific programs.

This awareness is not new to the golf industry, as for years we, as stewards of these special properties, have always had a close tie to our surrounding environments. Now because of the cooperative sanctuary program, we have an opportunity to document our progressiveness.”

## West

### MAJOR RESTORATION AT AVIARA

CARLSBAD, Calif. — Aviara Golf Club, an Arnold Palmer-designed course that skirts the

Batiquitos Lagoon, is helping in a \$55 million restoration of the lagoon that will enhance the natural habitat for plants, birds and animals. The ambitious restoration project calls for dredging 3.4 million yards of sand that will be siphoned through 15,000 feet of pipeline to a nearby beach. There are also plans for an information kiosk near the lagoon and a 1.5 mile hiking trail.

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### EXPO DONATES PROCEEDS

CHICAGO — Proceeds of the North Central Turfgrass Exposition (NCTE) were donated to the Illinois Turfgrass Foundation Research Fund.

More than 35 turf specialists and 100 exhibiting firms were on-hand at Pheasant Run Resort in St. Charles, Ill. Over its three days, the NCTE featured 18 sessions addressing the needs of golf course superintendents, grounds maintenance personnel, sports and non-sporting turfgrass managers, sod producers, turf equipment technicians, landscape contractors and designers and lawn care professionals.

**TURF, INDUSTRIAL SHOW SET**  
 SPRINGFIELD, Mass. — The 64th Massachusetts Turfgrass Conference and 19th Industrial Show are scheduled for March 6, 7 and 8, here at the Springfield Civic Center. For more information, contact Dr. Joseph Troll of the Massachusetts Turf and Lawngrass Association, at P.O.



**OCEAN EDGE JOINS AUDUBON BREWSTER, Mass.** — Ocean Edge Golf Course has joined the Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary System (ACSS), a national program designed to help landowners preserve and enhance the environmental quality of their property.

By joining ACSS, Ocean Edge will be involved in projects that enhance habitat for wildlife on the golf course and preserve natural resources for the benefit of the local community. Ocean

**HYANNIS A CERTIFIED SANCTUARY**  
 HYANNISPORT, Mass. — The Hyannisport Club is the first golf course in Massachusetts to achieve designation as a “Certified Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary” from the Audubon system. The Hyannisport Club joined the program — which provides information and guidance to golf courses to help

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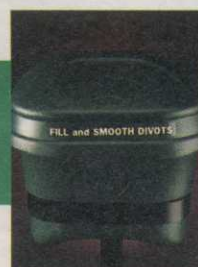
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