

Encore expands Pro-Line

Encore continues to expand its Pro-Line of riding mowers. The latest additions are 52-inch and 61-inch riding mowers with drive-line decks. These PTO/Gearbox Drive Line Riders feature the same easy handling performance of Encore's PRO Riders with belt-driven decks and the same zero turning radius and hydrostatic drive. With the drive line option, Encore has incorporated a dynamically balanced PTO shaft and one of the industry's best gear boxes for excellent transfer of power from the engine to the deck.

Encore's PTO/Gearbox Drive Line Rider will improve cutting efficiency in two fundamental ways: 1) by reducing downtime with the drive line's exceptional reliability; and 2) by giving a quality cut even in the worst possible conditions — taller grass, wetter grass, rougher terrain.

This rider's quick responsiveness comes from both its zero-turning radius efficiency and a 20-hp liquid-cooled Kawasaki engine. For more information, call 402-228-4255.

CIRCLE #302

Precision introduces Quick Grind

Precision Small Engine Co., Inc. has introduced the Quick Grind, a bedknife front edge air grinder. This invention grinds bedknives in seconds without any need to remove the reels from machines — even the center reels.

Developed by a mechanic to keep bedknives sharp between reel grindings and to remove burrs after lapping, the product is also easy to use. Simply place Quick Grind on the bedknife and move it from end

to end. That's it — what once took hours can now be done in minutes with Quick Grind.

Quick Grind is manufactured from the highest quality materials and includes a pneumatic tool by MAC Tools to ensure dependability and durability. The Quick Grind also carries a two-year warranty backed by Precision Small Engine Co., Inc. and MAC Tools. For more information, contact Precision at 1-800-345-1960.

CIRCLE #301

ESCO unveils disk filters

ESCO Engineering Corp. has introduced an entirely new device for reliable water filtration and purification tasks at micron-rated levels. Finally, economy performance in a micron rated filter without disposable media, cartridges, or plugging screens. In a new patented design, the ESCO disk filter offers 5, 10, up to 100 micron continuous filtration in a design that offers automatic "on-line" automatic fluid or gas assisted backwash. The user-friendly design employs a uniform pore plastic disk "micro-park" assembly to remove solid or liquid particles from a continuous liquid phase.

The ESCO systems have been proven in large scale water filtration operations on flows in excess of 1000 gpm. For more information, contact David Halverson at ESCO at 617-828-7340.

CIRCLE #303

Excel unveils 3000-Series

Excel Industries has introduced the 3000-Series line of front-mount, zero-degree turning tractors. The Model 3400 features a 28-hp Kubota water-cooled diesel engine, Sunstrand Series-15 hydraulic pumps, and Ross ME wheel motors. Now the Model 3200 has been added to the 3000-series. The 3200 features the same hydraulic components as the 3400, and is powered by a 22-hp Kubota water-cooled diesel engine.

Developed to be more cost-competitive in the 60- and 72-inch market, the 3000-Series still features the same high-quality components and heavy-duty construction that has made the Hustler name famous the world over. Hydraulic drive and the advanced design of the 3000-Series tractors mean that there are 40 percent fewer parts. In fact, there are no daily lube points and only six total lubrication points. For more information, call 1-800-395-4757.

CIRCLE #304

Meet the Scavenger

Parker Sweeper has introduced its all-terrain litter vacuum, the Scavenger. This industrial vacuum devours dirt and debris off all turf and hard surfaces. Equipped with a 5 hp Briggs & Stratton or Honda engine, the Scavenger has a 30-inch sweeping path and a large 9-cubic-foot collection bag for maximum efficiency.

The Scavenger's 10-inch-by-4-inch-wide tires allow for greater maneuverability over a variety of surfaces. For operator safety and bag packing, the Scavenger is designed with a debris deflector, available in manual or self-propelled models. For more information, phone 708-627-6900.

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