# PUBLIC HAILS CHICAGO

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Are the Schools successful? Ask any one of the four thousand golfers in and around Chicago who have been exposed to them and the answer will be the same – yes. Can they last? Ask the people who keep writing or calling into the Chicago Park District administration building all year round — wanting to know when the next Free Golf Schools will start! Can Walsh stand the pace? Right now he wishes he were a platoon in number so that he could take care of all the people who clamor to get into the schools every year!

# TRACTOR MAINTENANCE TIME CHART

The following maintenance points apply to most types of golf course automotive equipment. Details omitted are not to be overlooked. The periods suggested for checking and servicing are based on average golf course equipment under normal operation. Blank spaces are provided for filling in additional points.

### DAILY

... or every 10 hours — CHECK — Service if necessary \*Crankcase oil level Crankcase breather cap Radiator water level Air Cleaners (tractors) Fuel supply

\*\*Pressure fittings, grease cups, and oiling

## WEEKLY

60 hours or every 1,100 miles CHECK—Service if necessary Tire Pressure Battery \*Transmission level \*Differential level \*Final drive level \*Steering gear level Air cleaners Fuel strainer of filter Fuel sediment bowl

## MONTHLY

250 hours or every 5,000 miles CHECK—Service if necessary Crankcase ventilator Oil filter Distributor—points Spark plugs Fan belt Water pump packing Hydraulic brake fluid level Tire condition

### SEMI-ANNUALLY

Seasonal or every 15,000 miles WHICHEVER OCCURS FIRST SERVICE Engine support bolts (tighten) Body bolts (tighten) Valve adjustment Generator (clean) Starter (clean) Wheel bearings (packed type) Brake linings and drums Cooling system (flush)

#### ANNUALLY

OVERHAUL—By a competent mechanic—Engine, Oil Pan, Fuel System, Power Transmission Line, Steering and Brake Connections, Hydraulic Systems, Springs and Shock Absorbers.

### MAINTENANCE REMINDERS

In addition to the checking and servicing done at regular intervals, the operator of golf course machinery should be constantly on the watch for any unusual conditions as listed below:

Leaks-oil, fuel, water Improper action of brakes Steering gear play Unusual engine noises Frayed wiring Improper clutch action Loose nuts and connections Poor starter action Drop in charge rate (ammeter) Drop in oil pressure (oil gauge) High engine temperature (temp. gauge) Defective lights and horn Poor windshield wiper action Broken springs Loose fuel tank supports Defective governor

\*Crankcase, transmissions, differential, final drive and other gear cases should be drained and refilled at periods recommended in manufacturer's instructions. The conditions under which golf course machinery is operated determine the period of time a lubricant should be used.

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\*\*Follow manufacturer's recommendations for servicing lubrication points.

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