

Leaders

PEOPLE ON THE MOVE

Dr. James A. Beard, author of several basic texts and reference books on turfgrass management and hundreds of scientific papers and technical articles, was named the winner of the Don A. Rossi Award by the Golf Course Builders Association. Beard is the president and chief scientist of the International Sports Turf Institute in College Station, Texas.

Dana Garmany was named chairman of the board for Scottsdale, Ariz.-based Troon Golf. Garmany is also CEO of the company, which he helped establish in 1996. Troon Golf also promoted **John Sauter** to president. He was previously chief operating officer.

Marysville, Ohio-based The Scotts Co. named **James Hagedorn** as president of Scotts North America. He will direct sales, marketing and op-

erations for Scotts' North American Professional business groups; the newly formed Consumer Pesticides Business Group; the Business Process Development unit; and consumer divisions.

Eugene Mayer, a turfgrass consultant for The Scotts Company, was named the 1998 Professional of the Year by the Ohio Turfgrass Foundation.

Edward C. "Ted" Horton, CGCS and vice president of resource management for the Pebble Beach Golf Co., will receive the 1999 President's Award for Environmental Leadership at the upcoming GCSAA Show in Orlando. **Don Ewoldt**, CGCS at Chesterton, Ind.-based Sand Creek Country Club, will receive the 1999 Leo Feser Award.

RISE (Responsible Industry for a Sound Environment) elected one new member and re-elected two

members to its Governing Board. The new member, elected to a three-year term, is **Michael McDermott**, manager of Professional Products for AgrEvo Environmental Health in Montvale, N.J. Re-elected to a three-year term were **Chris Shaddy**, manager of Turf and Ornamental Business for Philadelphia-based Rohm and Haas Co.; and **James K. Champion**, chairman and president of Glenwood, Ill.-based Riverdale Chemical Company. Champion was also re-elected to a one-year term as RISE chairman.

The Georgia Golf Course Superintendents named its 1998-99 executive committee. Members are: **Jim Dusch**, president; **Franz "Buck" Workman**, vice president; and **Chuck Underwood**, immediate past president. New board members include **Sam Crowe**, **Harold Franklin**, **Craig Ketelsen**, **Phillip "Wade" Thomas**, **William Smith**, **Frank Siple** and **Jimmy Jeter**.

Orlando, Fla.-based Masters Golf Corp. named **Norm Haglund** as vice president of operations. Haglund has more than 20 years of experience in the golf industry.

Janet Mulroy was named vice president of marketing for Scottsdale, Ariz.-based Granite Golf Management. The company's MG Orender was named secretary of the PGA of America.

Maumee, Ohio-based Andersons Inc. named **Michael J. (Mike) Anderson** as president and CEO. He had been president and chief operating officer of the company.

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