Leaders

PEOPLE ON THE MOVE



Sylacauga, Ala.based Pursell Technologies Inc. named Andrew Semple as regional sales manager for the northern United States and Canada.

Austin, Texas-based distributor Van Waters & Rogers Inc. named Ronald Ostrander and Terry Johnson as turf landscape specialists in the company's Professional Products & Services business unit.

Post Falls, Idaho-based turfgrass seed provider Medalist America named Myra Potts as turf specialist for a six-state region, including Alabama, Florida, Georgia, South Carolina, Tennessee and Mississippi.

San Diego-based Eco Soil Systems Inc./Turf Partners named Thomas E. Vrabel, Ph.D., as bioherbicides product manager and technical services director.



John LaFoy was elected president of the Chicago-based American Society of Golf Course Architects.

Shannon Letcher was named director of golf for the Sanctu-

ary GC at WestWorld in Scottsdale, Ariz. Jeff Davis was named superintendent of the new 18-hole, daily-fee golf club.

Daniel McIntyre was named superintendent at Dryden Park Municipal GC in Modesto, Calif.





Robert D. Irving was named director of golf

Susan Spencer was

named marketing co-

Calif.-based Rain Bird's

named business devel-

opment manager and

Dana Blakeslee was

promoted to golf satel-

lite brand manager.

ordinator for Azusa.

Matthew A. Zirkle was

Golf Division.

at The Rim GC in Payson, Ariz.

Ken James and Jim Shoemaker formed Golf Industry Associates to provide consulting services to the golf industry. James was formerly senior vice president of operations and acquisitions for

American Golf Corp. Shoemaker has a 35-year track record with the food and beverage industry, including a stint as director of food and beverage for American Golf Corp.'s Midwest region.

Augusta, Ga-based Club Car named Kevin Nicusanti as vice president of sales and marketing, Robert McElreath as vice president of sales, and Chris Plummer as vice president of marketing and business development.

Let us know about your people on the move. Send information and color photos to Golfdom's Larry Aylward at 7500 Old Oak Blvd., Cleveland, 44130. Fax information to 440/891-2675 or e-mail to laylward @advanstar.com.

The Company Line

PRODUCTS & SERVICES

Turf collection system

John Deere's TC125 Turf Collection System is a tow-behind attachment that allows one person to pick up and dump turf debris, such as aeration cores, sand, clippings, leaves and thatch. The TC 125 covers a swath 48 inches wide and has a hopper capacity of 25 cubic feet. With a brush speed of 500 to 600 rpm, an average-size green can be cleared in about 15 minutes.

For more information, contact John Deere at 800/537-8233, www.deere.com or CIRCLE NO. 201

Greensmower Hudson Sales & Engineering Inc.

offers its Hudson-Star greensmower, which provides a cut from one-eighth to three-eighths of an inch. Cut adjustments of one-thirtysecond of an inch or less can be made to assure a proper cutting height. The mower has 11 computer-balanced cutting blades.

For more information, contact Hudson Sales & Engineering at 877/547-3367, hudsonstar.com or CIRCLE NO. 202

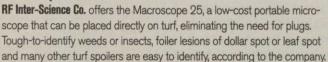


Sub-soiling tools

Brillion Iron Works has one- and twoshank sub-soilers that use the same shanks, points and wearstrips that have been used on its larger sub-soilers. One- and two-shank sub-soilers can be used by those needing aggressive subsoiling but are limited by tractor horsepower or working space.

For more information, contact Brillion Iron Works at 800/409-9749, www.brillionfarmeq.com or CIRCLE NO. 203

Microscope



For more information, contact RF Inter-Science Co. at 516/698-4799, www.rfinterscience.com or

CIRCLE NO. 204



Mini-loaders

Gehl Co. introduces the Gehl Advantage, a line of mini-loaders designed with big loader features in a choice of two compact maneuverable packages, according to the company. Choose from skid-steer or articulated-steering styles. As narrow as 32 inches, the mini-loaders are effective for turf maintenance, landscaping and light construction.

For more information, contact Gehl Co. at 414/334-9461, www.gehl.com or CIRCLE NO. 205

Power landscape rake **Glenmac/Harley Power Equipment** offers

the Harley Model S6 Power Box Rake, a 72-inch bi-angular, bi-directional power landscape rake for skidsteer loaders. It works somewhat like a tiller, but also levels, pulverizes, rakes and collects rock, according to the company.

Bi-angular construction allows the operator to angle the single roller and twin barrier up to 20 degrees left or right for grading and windrowing.

For more information, contact Glenmac/Harley Power Equipment at 701/252-9300, www.glenmac.com or CIRCLE NO. 206

Sod layer attachment

Melroe Co. introduces its new Bobcat sod layer attachment, which features auxiliary hydraulic controls that allow finger-tip control to open and close the sod layer arms. Relief values prevent oversqueezing of sod rolls and a brake mechanism automatically stops the roll in place once it is off the ground to safeguard against unwanted unrolling of sod, according to the company.

For more information, contact Melroe Co. at 701/241-8740, www.bobcat.com or CIRCLE NO. 207