

The Company Line

PRODUCTS & SERVICES

Bird repellent

Bird-B-Gone introduces Goose-B-Gone, a repellent that makes grass areas unpalatable to geese and ducks. It's simple and easy to use. Apply it by spraying it directly on grass areas where geese or ducks are causing problems. The product contains a biodegradable, food-grade repellent, methyl anthranilate, which is safe to use, according to the company.

For more information, contact 800-392-6915, www.birdb-gone.com

CIRCLE NO. 200



Continuing education

Aquatrol's interactive presentation on soil/water characteristics and behavior and the mode of action of surfactants has been approved for .35 external continuing education credits by the GCSAA. These credits are applicable toward certification and renewal as a certified superintendent.

For more information, contact 800-257-7797, www.aquatrols.com or CIRCLE NO. 201

Leaders

PEOPLE ON THE MOVE

George Hamilton Jr., senior lecturer



at Penn State University, received the 2000 Distinguished Service Award from the Pennsylvania Turfgrass Council.

The following superintendents recently achieved certification: **Glen Moore Jr.**, Toledo CC in Toledo, Ohio; **Norman C. Risk**, Christian Reformed Recreation Center in Hastings, Mich.; **Andrew J. Scully**, Greystone GC in Owings Mills, Md.; **Donald H. Johnson**, Garra de Leon GC in Santa Cruz, Costa Rica; **Donald Portwine Jr.**, Ames Golf & CC in Ames, Iowa; and **Wade D. Vecchio**, Cotton Ranch Club in Gypsum, Colo.

KemperSports Management named **David Groelle** as superintendent

of the Royal Melbourne CC in Long Grove, Ill., and **Tom Prichard** as superintendent at the Glen Club in Glenview, Ill. The company also named **Scott Abell** as director of business development.

Tim Finchem, commissioner of the PGA Tour, was awarded GCSAA's 2001 Old Tom Morris Award.

The Golf Course Builders Association of America named **Jack Nicklaus** as the 2000 recipient of its Don A. Rossi Award. It also certified three of its member companies: Prinsburg, Minn.-based **Duinick Brothers Golf**, Marengo, Ill.-based **Golf Creations**, and St. Cloud, Fla.-based **Reed H. Bertinsky Inc.**

The **Michigan Turfgrass Environmental Stewardship Program**, a joint public-private effort to foster sound envi-



Markers

Par Aide's new Proximity Marker and Contest Indicator make it easy to facilitate contests like closest to the pin, longest drive and longest putt. The polycarbonate signs are sturdily built and can withstand rain, wind and hail, according to the company. The signs can also be customized with a course logo.

For more information, contact 888-893-2433 or

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ronmental practices, received GCSAA's 2000 President's Award for Environmental Leadership.

David Williams was named vice president of the British Institute of Golf Course Architects.

Pacific Sod named two sales managers: **Larry Kaiser** oversees the company's northern California territory and **Steve Whitehead** oversees its southern Nevada and western Arizona markets.

William A. Raney was named president of www.eteetime.com.

Arnold Palmer Golf named **Timothy J. Tierny** as president and chief executive officer and promoted **David Polansky** to chief financial officer.

Lee Rogers was named territory manager in the Northeast for Tri-Pro turf and ornamental markets. His newly created territory includes Virginia,

Turf blankets

Typar Turf Blankets help greens retain warmth and moisture in the winter and create an environment similar to that in a greenhouse. The blankets are porous to allow sunlight, air, water and nutrients through them.

Tests have shown that air and soil under the blankets is 3 degrees to 5 degrees higher than surrounding uncovered areas. This extra warmth is important during the spring because turf under Typar germinates earlier, greens up faster, has longer roots and is stronger, according to the company.

For more information, contact 800-455-3392 or

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West Virginia, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Delaware, New Jersey, New York, Connecticut, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine.

Tyler Enterprises named **Craig Filley** as director of strategic development. The company also named **Steve Beckman** its southwestern Indiana sales representative.

Tom Works was named vice president of Landscapes Unlimited's irrigation group.

Pennington Seed appointed **Stanley J. Kleczynski** and **Charles W. Lohse** as territory managers for the professional turfgrass group.

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