

Leaders

PEOPLE ON THE MOVE

The National Golf Course Owners Association named its newest officers: president **Henry DeLozier**, vice president **Charlie Birney**, secretary **Bill Aragona** and treasurer **Meriam Leeke**. **Ralph Stading** earned a three-year term on the board of directors.

BASF named **Joe Schuh** as the new technical manager for its Specialty Products Division (SPD). It's a promotion for Schuh, who most recently served as the regional technical service manager for BASF's Diversified Crops Region. For the past six years, Schuh managed technical training programs, worked with university cooperators to develop research programs and helped deliver new products to market.

Aquatrols rehired **Kathy Conard** as its turf and ornamental marketing manager.

Kokopelli Golf Club named **Bradley H. Schenck** as its head superintendent. The club also added PGA of America veterans **Jesse Barge** as director of golf and **D.W. Davis** as head golf professional.

Toll Brothers Inc. appointed **Maurice Darbyshire** to general manager of Dominion Valley Country Club in Haymarket, Va.

The Ohio Turfgrass Foundation elected **Glen Pottenger** its president, **Mark Jordan** its vice president and **Todd Voss** its treasurer. Trustees **Kim Kellogg** and **Don Lawrence** received three-year terms.

The Golf Course Superintendents Association of Southern California named its board of directors for 2006-07: president **Steven Sinclair**; vice president **Reed Yenny**; secretary-treasurer **Robert Hertzog**;

immediate past president **Kevin Neal**; directors **Juan Maldonado**, **Terrance Mayo**, **Ken Newcomb** and **Ryan Porter**; commercial liaison **Wayne Owens**; and student liaison **Kevin White**.

Brad Cahoon, a high school senior from Hurricane, Utah, received \$1,000 from the Irrigation Association Education Foundation scholarship through the Future Farmers of America program.

Greg Muirhead, a Montclair, N.J.-based architect, was elected president of the American Society of Golf Course Architects. He will also chair the ASGCA Executive Committee. Other members of the executive committee include **Steve Forrest**, vice president; **Bruce Charlton**, treasurer; **Doug Carrick**, secretary; and **Tom Marzolf**, immediate past president.

Palmer Course Design co-founder and president **Ed Seay** received the Distinguished Service Award from the American Society of Golf Course Architects for his contributions to the organization and its members.

FarmLinks LLC named **Doug Powell** its new director of marketing. The company, which hosts The First Tee, also earned Golf Digest's 23rd annual Junior-Development Award.

DuPont Professional Products named **Mark Coffelt** global development manager.

Marriott Golf promoted **Brett Meabon** to director of golf at Shadow Ridge Golf Club, Palm Desert, Calif. The company also named **Jason Winter** the superintendent at The Rock Golf Club in Muskoka, Ontario.



DeLozier



Seay



Primato



Powell



Whitley



Schenck



Krause



Barry

Target Specialty Products named **Stephen Whitley** an account representative for the golf, sports turf and landscape market in Southern California.

Certified superintendent **Mark Merrick** joined Syngenta Professional Products as a field sales representative for the turf and ornamental team.

Ken Stofer, the co-founder of the Tillinghast Association, passed away in early May.

Stacey Pine was retained by the Responsible Industry for a Sound Environment to manage a grassroots program for the specialty pesticide and fertilizer industries.

Reinders Inc. hired **Keith Krause** as a territory manager in its turf division.

Joe Steranka, chief executive officer of The PGA of America, was named to The Environmental Institute for Golf Advisory Council.

The Golf Course Superintendents Association of New Jersey honored Bayer Environmental Science sales representative **Shaun Barry** with its 2005 Distinguished Service Award.

Grigg Brothers announced the hiring of **Gordon L. Kauffmann III**, who will serve dual roles. He will coordinate university and independent research trials and new product development primarily in the northeastern United States. He will also serve as the technical sales representative in Florida and the Northeast.

In Memory

Certified superintendent **Sherwood Moore**, the first and only superintendent to win the Old Tom Morris Award from the GCSAA in 1990, died at his home in Brewster, Mass., in July. He was 90.

Moore, the former superintendent at Winged Foot Golf Club, was the president of the Golf Course Superintendents Association of America in 1962. Moore was an expert in turfgrass management and among the best at growing bentgrass in his time.

Mark Phipps, who had been the Northeast regional sales manager for the Turf & Specialty division of Nufarm Americas for the last 6.5 years, died last spring after battling pancreatic cancer. He was 46.

