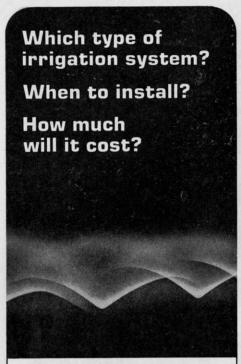


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Weight It Out

This is a table published by the Wisconsin Golf Course Superintendents Association in its newsletter which every superintendent should keep within easy reach. Any man who says "Who Needs it?"—that he has all this stuff committed to memory—has got to be kidding.

VOLUME

- 1 liter = 1.056 qts.
- 1 gallon = 281 cu. in. or .1337 cu. ft.
- 1 gallon weighs 8.33 pounds
- 1 million gallons = 3.0689 Acre feet
- 1 cu. ft. = 1728 cu. in. or 7.48 gal.
- 1 cu. ft. weighs 62.4 pounds
- 1 g.p.m. = .00223 cu. ft./ sec. or 1440 gal./day
- 1 m.g.d. = 1.547 cu. ft./ sec. or 695 gal./min.
- 1 cu. ft./sec. = 7.48 gal./ sec. or 448.8 g.p.m. or 646,272 g.p.d. or .992 Acre inch/hr.
- 1 acre inch/day requires 18.7 g.p.m. cont. flow
- 1 cu. ft. = 1,728 cu. in.
- 1 cu. yd. = 27 cu. ft.
- 1 Acre ft. = 1,613 cu. yds.
- 1 sq. yd. = 9 sq. ft.
- 1 Acre = 4,840 sq. yds.
- 1 Acre = 43,560 sq. ft.
- 1 pt. = 16 oz.
- 1 qt. = 32 oz.
- 1 gal. = 128 oz.
- 1 oz./1,000 = 2.72 pts./
- 1 gal./1,000 sq. ft. = 43.6 gal./Acre AREA:

Circumference of a circle $C = d \times 3.1416$

Dia. of a circle D = c x .3183

Area of a circle $A = d^2 x$.7854 or $A = r^2 x 3.1416$

Area of a rectangle

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Weight it Out

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 $A = L \times W$

Area of Triangle A = Base

x 1/2 Perpendicular height Area of Parallelogram

A = Base x Height

Volume of tanks V = d² v L

Vol. of cylinder in gals.

 $V = d^2 \times L \times .0034$

1 mile = 1,760 yds.

1 mile = 5,280 ft.

1 rod = 161/2 ft.

1 Acre = 43,560 sq. ft.

1 sq ft. = 144 sq. in. WEIGHT:

1 pound = 453.6 grams

1 long ton = 2240 pounds

1 oz./1,000 sq. ft. = 2.72 pounds/Acre

1 pound/1,000 sq ft. =

43.6 pounds/Acre 100 pounds/Acre =

2.3 pounds/1,000 sq. ft. TEMPERATURE:

Cent. Temperature 5/9(F-32) Fahrenheit Temp. 9/5(C+32)

Fahrenheit Temp. 9/5(C+32 FERTILIZERS: Ammonium nitrate, am.

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tassium sulphate. 870#/A or 20#/1,000

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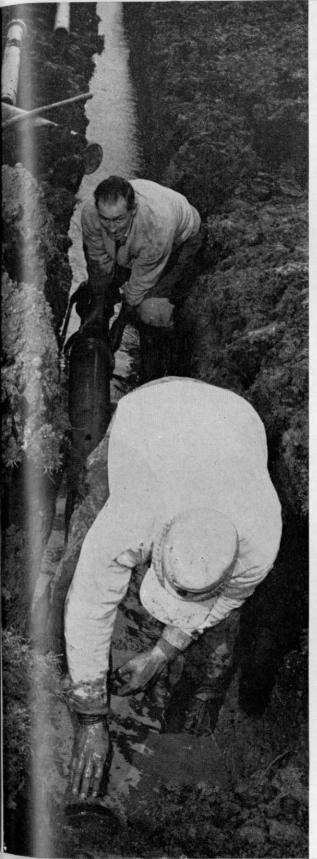
or ureaform.

(50#/A or 15#/1,000

150#/A or 31/2#/1,000

Hydrated lime 1,100#/A or 25#/1,000

220#/A or 5#/1,000





Robert Porter (I.), club president, discusses installation wit Hal Dance, past president. Note copper mill in background

What's par for this course?

Sometimes there's so much moisture at the Copper Golf Course in Magna, Utah, that the water table is within 2 inches of the surface. Sometimes there's so little moisture that the clay-gumbo ground bakes hard as rock. Another difficulty at this unique course, located near the Great Salt Lake, comes from corrosive fluids seeping out of the "tailing pond" of a nearby copper mill. To keep the course up to par all season long, the management and superintendent chose Certain-teed FLUID-TITE® Asbestos-Cement Pipe for their new irrigation system. They needed (and got): Quick, secure installation even below water level (see photo). Pipelines unaffected by salty, alkaline ground water. Resistance against "hot" soil. Send for new brochure and full details on this durable, economical pipe!

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Fire Insurance: Part II

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the lonely country clubs are overlooked and, therefore, fail to receive the fair consideration which these systems deserve.

Auxiliary or remote station systems are within the reach of every country club,

regardless of size or budget.

Approved watchman service is another method to assure fire protection and accomplish insurance premium reductions, provided the possibility of human error and human frailty is overcome by approved time recording apparatus. To gain credit, watchman service must extend to all parts of the clubhouse or other buildings with recording stations properly installed and approved by the rating bureau.

Finally, insurance premium credit is afforded for adequate and properly located first-aid fire extinguishers. In order to maintain the credit on manual extinguishers, it is necessary to have the unit recharged annually and hydrostatically tested every three to five years.

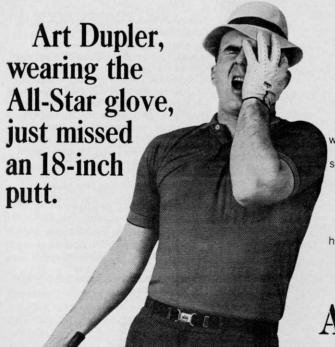
There are many ways for a country club to reduce its fire insurance premium burden. Local fire prevention officers, insurance company fire protection representatives, and local rating bureaus will gladly make the necessary recommendations. Unfortunately, too many country clubs are content to take their chances with hostile fire. With the annual fire record what it is, the gamble is foolhearty.

Has your country club had a fire protection review recently?

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Grounds too Green

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flowers themselves. Gerber keeps one of his veteran employees, Mike Arone, on the flower detail from the latter part of May until October. Another man is occasionally taken off turf maintenance to trim the yews and pfitzers.

Flowers are expensive. Cannas, salvia, petunias, marigolds, dwarf dahlias, snapdragons, Dusty Miller, etc. are bought in flats. Dahlias and marigolds can be obtained in dwarf, medium and tall varieties. Zinnias are the only flowers that are planted from seed at Glen Oak because they germinate much faster than others.

Gerber doesn't plant spring flowers such as tulips because there aren't enough members around to enjoy them. Pretty much the same is true of fall flowers although salvia, dahlias and marigolds linger until well into October.

Maintaining flower beds doesn't take as much work as most people suppose. The important thing is finding an employee who has a feeling for flowers.

The soil at most clubs probably doesn't require much preparation for flower growing. When the plants are put in they should be fertilized with a handful of 12-6-4 or 10-6-4. Later, a sprinkling of 10-7-3 is enough to keep them in bloom. The only exception are zinnias which require a rather constant light fertilizing.

The rule of thumb for watering is to turn on the sprinklers when the ground is dry, meaning that watering should be fairly constant in July and August.

After flower beds are established for two years, weeding isn't much of a problem. It can be done by hand, especially if the weeds are kept out the first two years. At the end of the season the dead plants should be removed from their beds.

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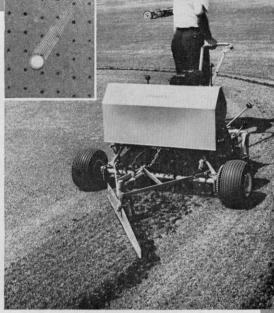
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