



Grace THAT









1.TB 220

The TB 220 grooming brush is the recently redesigned version of the highly regarded TB 200 produced by **SGM INDUSTRIES**.

Hundreds of turf managers around the world have found this tool to be one of the best investments in turf maintenance equipment they have ever made, the company says. Regular use of the brush gently removes the "grain" from putting greens, and the brush is invaluable during topdressing and aerification procedures. The brush is also used on tee and fairway turf, as well as on artificial turf surfaces. sgmindustries.com

2. Z700-Series

KUBOTA unveils its new Z700-Series commercial zero-turn mower line including three models: the Z723, Z724 and the Z725. Designed to run day in and day out, the Z700-Series is a true workhorse boasting the powerful Kohler Command V-Twin Engine and integrated Parker 14cc pump and wheel motor. Available with a rugged commercial deck in three popular cutting widths, 48-inch, 54-inch and 60-inch, the Z700-Series comes equipped with a wide operator platform, a thick high-back adjustable seat and a convenient deck height adjustment dial. Maintenance is easy with an optional maintenance lift kit attachment that allows operators to lift the front of the deck, plus sealed greaseless spindle bearings create less down-time in between jobs. *kubota.com*

3. Reelmaster 3550-D

THE TORO CO. says their Reelmaster 3550-D is the lightest fairway unit on the market, weighing in at 1,985 pounds. The lightweight design allows for gentle turns, and minimizes compaction and tire tracks. It has an 82-inch width of cut and can travel at up to 7 miles per hour. The Reelmaster has five 18-inch cutting units for enhanced ground following over fairway undulations. The Reelmaster 3550-D features a 24.8 hp Kubota diesel engine. Turf-friendly tires are standard, as is

a series/parallel 3-wheel drive system that provides outstanding traction on wet, uphill grades. *Toro.com*

4. UMAXX Mini

KOCH is excited to introduce UMAXX Mini. Whether you spray or spread, UMAXX Mini delivers nitrogen with enhanced efficiency at 150 SGN. This particle size dissolves faster in the tank, or when applied dry, with reduced N rates and less mottling. The result is a faster fill-in with deep green color throughout the season. That's the lasting power of stabilized nitrogen. kasturf.com



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The 19th Hole with.

Billy Hausch

SUPERINTENDENT // Nicklaus Club Monterey, Monterey, Calif.

Billy, what can I get you to drink? Don't tell Jack, but I want an ice cold Arnold Palmer.

Wait... doesn't Jack have his own drink now? He does, it's a lemonade. We carry it, it's made by Arizona (Beverage Co.) as well... but I prefer the Arnold Palmer.

Whoa... Sounds like a political football. It is. We're not even allowed to call them Arnold Palmers in the clubhouse, we have to call them "50/50s!"

Give me a guess: how many concerts have you been to? I've

probably been to close to 600 concerts. I've seen the Grateful Dead — or the entities they've created since Jerry Garcia died — the most. In fact I just got back from Playa del Carmen (Mexico), seeing them for four days. I also celebrated my 40th birthday down there.

I'm impressed! You're a musician too, right? I play harmonica, guitar and I sing, and I play in a Grateful Dead cover band.

Man, you should have grabbed the mic at the Golfdom Summit when we had the guy playing acoustic guitar! When the guy was doing his solo in the tent? I considered it. But I figured people already thought I was weird enough with my long hair and mustache.

You still rocking the 'stache? It's dead until next November. I didn't want to see it go but my fiancée, Kim, was very happy to see it go.



Read anything good lately? I read a really good book... it was impactful. It's called "Allen Carr's Easy Ways to Stop Smoking." You can guess why that was impactful — it actually got me to quit smoking after 24 years. February 25th will be one year, smoke free. After reading that book, man, I put the book down and never touched tobacco again.



How do you celebrate a job well done with the crew? We do barbecues. I bought a large griddle. So we can do *carne asada, al pastor,* that sort of stuff.

Do you cook or does someone else man the grill? It's always me cooking. I enjoy cooking for them. I feel like, as an employee, when you roll into the shop for lunch and there's your boss slaving away, setting you up with a great lunch... that makes you feel valued.

So when was the last time they

impressed you? Honestly, I'm impressed with them every day. I'm fortunate to have a great group of guys... every day they do something that makes me proud. As interviewed by Seth Jones, January 29th, 2014.



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