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## THE PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Now that we are well into Spring, we should be relatively healed up from any winter damage. Generally speaking it becomes quite a hassle and a challenge thru the Spring season. There is the constant training of new personnel to keep your labor force well tuned. It takes many hours to train these people to the point where they can be a dependable operator on your team. It requires patience and ingenuity on your part as a golf course superintendent. Hang in there with your head high and it becomes very rewarding.

Please read the Ads in the news letter and then support the business firms that keep our paper in print. Without these Ads, we would have no news letter. They have the knowledge and ingenuity in their business to be very helpful to you. If you have a problem, give them a ring on the phone. They will be more than willing to be of great assistance.

The executive board has made a policy change at the last meeting. It was decided to accept a class "A" membership from another state without a change in their classification. Also a golf course superintendent who qualifies as a class "A" member upon application will be classified as such. It is recommended by our By-laws chairman, Bill Sell, that all members read up on the By-laws. If they have any change that could be of benefit to the association, please get in touch with any board member or Mr. Sell.

See you all at our next meeting site, the West Bend Country Club. I'm sure we will have a fun day at a super, exciting golf course.

> Al Vrana, President

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It will again be our pleasure to visit West Bend Country Club. Dennis has planned a great day, that I'm sure we are all looking forward to.

Dennis hopes to have his new green ready for play. As I understand it, this is a green constructed of sand whose partical size meets specs which were brought out at the 1974 symposium held last fall.

I also understand there will be two half barrels on the course. This is good, it can only improve my game.

The meeting will be at 11:00 AM. Our speaker is Mr. Bill Simmons, who is taking time from his busy schedule to talk on pesticide certification. Lonch will be served at Noon. Cocktails at 6 o'clock, dinner at



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