

Bernie even sent me a thank-you note for coming up to play Golden Valley. I felt like a heel because I hadn't sent him one back. Bernie, I hope you read this. Thanks a million. You're a great guy.

Best sand during the drought: The Springs. I was in seven of them early in the summer and made six sand saves. Wonderful sand.

Worst sand during the drought: The Springs. I was in six of them during that 102 degree day and I either skulled or dubbed each shot out of them. Horrible sand.

Worst shape during the drought: Brent Fullwood.

Person in the best mood during the drought: Monroe Miller. This column is about a week late and he hasn't hollered at me yet. I'll call him on the hottest days, his equipment will be failing, but you can bet he'll be cheerful. Monroe, don't chop this out of the column. And I didn't write this so you wouldn't be mad at me for handing this in late.

QUAST ADDRESSES TURF STUDENTS AT INDUSTRY SEMINAR FOR 13TH CONSECUTIVE YEAR

"It's an exciting time to grow grass, and a great time to get into this business," said Dan Quast, superintendent at the Milwaukee Country Club. Quast was speaking to 38 top graduating turf students from the U.S. and Canada during the annual College Student Seminar, May 22-25, sponsored by Jacobsen Division of Textron Inc.

"You've got the best of times ahead of you," Quast told the future superintendents and sorts turf managers. "The knowledge and tools are so much better today — it makes the job more enjoyable. Turf equipment and chemicals are better today than they've ever been in my career."

Danny discussed management of people as well as turf, and gave the students a few pointers for success. "If you're dedicated and have a professional attitude toward the job, you'll go far," he said.

Quast has donated his time and expertise every year for the past 13 years to participate in the 21-year-old annual seminar. How many current WGCSA members attended the Jacobsen seminar while college students? Undoubtedly, quite a few.



Milwaukee Country Club superintendent Dan Quast responds to a student's question during the open-panel discussion that concluded Jacobsen's 21st annual College Student Seminar. Who's that guy to Danny's left?

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