# Seminar Announcement: GCSAA Now Offers **Technical Training for your Spray Technician** June 21, 1993 • 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. O.J. NOER RESEARCH FACILITY · MADISON, WISCONSIN

A seminar designed to ensure that your applicator has the skills and techniques to spray effectively.

## The Course

As a golf course superintendent, you are responsible for making sure that your course provides enjoyable play for your club members.

Keeping your course green and healthy requires not only knowledge of chemicals, but also the correct use of spray equipment so that the chemicals have the best chance of working effectively. In addition, application techniques are important to your effort to reduce the amount of pesticides applied to your golf course.

While you may determine what materials, in what amounts are to be used on your course, you must rely on your staff to carry out the responsibility. This makes it crucial to have a skilled, knowledgeable spray technician. Chemicals have little chance of being effective if they are not applied correctly.

This seminar is designed specifically for the staff member who is responsible for spraying on your golf course. Through demonstrations and opportunities for hands-on learning, your spray technician will learn the principles of effective sprayer operation, which will in turn allow you to feel more comfortable about your chemical applications.

## You can be sure your spray technician will:

- Learn how to use various types of sprayers.
- Understand components of sprayers and how they work.
- Gain exposure to calibration and application methods including effects of pressure, boom height, vehicle speed, and weather conditions.
- Learn about equipment maintenance and storage.
- Practice safety procedures including emergency spill clean up and first aid.
- Know how to eliminate costly errors and apply pesticides in the most effective manner possible.
- ✤ Increase the safety factor in all chemical applications.
- \* Know how to use equipment in a manner that will prolong its lifespan and reduce the need for servicing.

This seminar will provide your spray technician with the necessary trainingwithout your having to take the time to provide training yourself

# PLEASE REGISTER AT LEAST ONE MONTH IN ADVANCE OF SEMINAR DATE.

#### Enroll NOW! Registration is limited, and seats will be sold on a first-come, first-served basis.

Any questions, call 913/832-4444. Upon receipt of registration fees, GCSAA can provide a list of low-cost lodging alternatives to those who will be traveling to the program.GCSAA is arranging for pesticide recertification points where possible. GCSAA seminars are accredited by: ACCET (A national accrediting agency listed by the U.S. Secretary of Education)

### **REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

The registration fee for this course is \$95 per person and includes lunch on the day of the seminar as well as take-home reference materials.

RETURN TO:

**Education Department** 1421 Research Park Drive Lawrence, Kansas 66049-3859

**Cancellation Policy:** Cancellations received in writing less than two weeks in advance of the seminar will be refunded at 50% of the registration fee. No refunds will be issued for cancellations received within three working days of the seminar date, except for documented emergencies.

<b>YES!</b> Please enroll my staff member in	Enclosed is a check for \$95
Spray Technician Training to be held on June 21, 1993 in Madison, Wisconsin.	<ul> <li>Please bill my credit card:</li> <li>Visa MC American Express</li> </ul>
MY NAME	CARD # EXP. DATE
STAFF MEMBER'S NAME	SIGNATURE
CLUB	<ul> <li>Please send a list of lodging alternatives.</li> <li>Please send directions to the seminar facility.</li> </ul>
ADDRESS	My club uses the following spray equipment:
CITY	
STATE ZIP	
PHONE (include area code)	