

# Minnesota Golf Course Superintendents Association

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COLUMBIA GOLF COURSE

RALPH LUNDIN SUP'T

Located at 33rd Central Ave N.E. TIS.

The first meeting of the season was held at Greenhaven in Anoka, and a total of 45 turned out. Approximately 35 members stayed for dinner. This is a sign of encouragement for the various committees that are trying to give you a Ass'n to be proud of. Please try to make these meetings in the future, for there will be prizes galore. For Golf, putting matches, longest drive etc.

If HAROLD DALE can make these meetings coming from WILLMAR you can support your assn by getting to these meetings too.

NEWS\*\*\*\*

Watch for super-duper pictures of our Association activities during 1959 season. Ed Mohava demonstrated fine movies at Anoka last month and Jim Graham has invested in a new camera that does just about everything but talk. (A picture is worth a thousand words) Both these photo graphics experts are under contract with the Ass'n. Just like the movies in Hollywood, again your cooperation is needed by coming to the monthly meetings.

TRY to get to MEDINA GOLF COURSE for a round of golf MAY 18th to 23rd. Help the FESERS put CAMP COURAGE DAYS over. This is a very worthy cause for the crippled children.

SPEAKING of pictures-- those who have some new slides please bring them along, the equipment will be there for your benefit. The education committee is alloting time for this.

What has happened to the New Ulm group? Have not seen The "Toupals", for quite some time.

OUR THANKS to SAM GOAD and GENTLE "JIM WATSON", for there participation in our some what difficult problems of TURF and HUMANS. CARL ANDERSON OF Woodhill contends that last year he suffered with so many breaks in his water system, that this year he would try to rectify this situation. He claims he did- Put about a foot or so of MANURE in a radius of about 4 ft above the valve, this held the frost up to a degree. Result- 2 breaks where he had

not applied any MANURE.

LYLE Cran soon at STILLWATER will be opening his new nine holes in the baking sun very soon.

So glad to see that FRANK CHALLIS is up and around after his operation not so long ago. I must apologize for not getting to this sooner, please accept this humble apology on behalf of the Ass'n Frank. Hope you are well on the way to complete recovery. It has been rumored that ART THOURD will be spending his time in the city of Waconia, Minn., building a golf course. I am sure that ART will be very busy for the next few months. TID BITS\*\*\*\*

When you visit COLUMBIA next meeting you should note the changes that Ralph Lundin has made in the past few years.

THE ARRANGEMENT COMMITTEE HAS A FEW PRIZES FOR THE GOLFERS, IF THE WEATHER IS RITE FOR GOLF YOU HAD BETTER GET OUT AND GET SOME OF THESE PRIZES. THERE MIGHT BE A PAIR OF FOOTJOY GOLF SHOES FOR THE WINNER OF THE 9 HOLE MATCH. PLEASE REGISTER FOR THIS EVENT. \*\*\*\*

Due to the lack of interest in the naming of this paper, we are extending the closing date to May 3, 1959. Lets make this a contest. If it's the 4¢ stamp that is bothering you just send it collect.

\*\*\*\*In case you visit the new building at Minn TORO be sure to have your best suit on. The only thing they haven't got is the 5 piece band.

\*\* Member ERNEST LINDGREN is now working with Herman Senneseth out at Somerset, this is a rumor, hope it is true for Herman got a good man it was said.

\*\*\*\*THE BY-LAWS COMMITTEE BETTER GET ON THE BAND WAGON WE NEED THESE AMENDMENTS NOW SO THE ASS'N CAN BE GOVERNED BY SOMETHING.

\*\*\*\*It seems that the PRO'S are getting complimentary tickets for the coming events in our area, some of the members of our ass'n are asking if we as "Sup'ts" are always going to be forgotten when it comes to things of this sort. Lets have some answers from you members.

The new ROSTER will be sent out with this paper, and if there are any changes Please inform this office.

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