MGCSA ANNUAL PICNIC - CLOQUET COUNTRY CLUB - MONDAY, JUNE 10, 1974

The 1974 MGCSA Annual Picnic was held Monday, June 10, at the Cloquet Country Club, Cloquet, Minn.

Superintendent John Lightfoot and his gracious bride hosted the event and did a most outstanding job, and made the day a very enjoyable one. John also arranged to have the Arrowhead Turf Association members join the MGCSA members at the Club for a day of fun and relaxation. To add to the enjoyment and to the beauty of the event, wives and girl friends were invited and this really did add to the day. For evidence see the various pictures in this issue.

There was golf, volley-ball, tennis, cards and some good old-fashioned visiting. Yes, and some of the gals, while hubby was out playing golf, took off and went downtown and even to Duluth to do some shopping.



Host and Hostess Mr. and Mrs. John Lightfoot

I noticed in reading John's June "Cup Cuttings" that he prayed for nice weather and he must live right because that week-end and up until early the morning of the 10th it was bad, rainy and cold but cleared off and the sun came out and made it an unusually fine day. Adding to the fun and enjoyment at Cloquet was the pleasant trip, at least from the Twin Cities, with all the rain we had, the trees, fields, lawns, etc. were all a beautiful green and as you drove along it made life worth living.

After all of the physical activities, such as golf, tennis, volley-ball, etc. there was a social hour followed by one of Harry's famous dinners. There were in excess of 90 people there for dinner, which was enjoyed by everyone of them. Thanks John and Harry, and all concerned.

After all were through eating, John Lightfoot gave a welcome message and introduced Mr. Robert Rosen, President of the Cloquet Country Club and his charming wife. President Larry Vetter of the MGCSA responded with a very gracious "thank you."

The annual picnic is the day the MGCSA and also the Arrowhead Turf Association invites the ladies to join them in a day of fun. Rich Rannells, Entertainment Chairman, arranged for door prizes for the ladies and every lady attending received one of them. There were three that he designated as grand prizes - they were won by Debbie Evavold, wife of Superintendent Dan Evavold of the Minneapolis Golf Club, Judy Lindholm, wife of Superintendent Jim Lindholm of Rolling Green Country Club and Philis Wodash, wife of Jim Wodash, Superintendent at the Albert Lea Country Club.

As this was a day of fun and relaxation and an opportunity to join with the wives and girl friends of the MGCSA members as well as with the members, wives and girl friends of the Arrowhead Turf Association, there was no business meeting, therefore, nothing to report from that standpoint, but we will have in the next issue.

Thanks again, John, Mrs. Lightfoot, the officers and members of the Cloquet Country Club for making your facilities available to us and for making the day so much fun.

There was a fine representation of ladies in attendance as evidenced by the fact that more than 30 door prizes were presented to them. In visiting and talking to several of them there is no doubt but that they were thoroughly enjoying themselves.

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