

Research Program

With Spring approaching this is an all important program. Through this program we will endeavor to discover ways to improve playing conditions on golf courses by making it possible to have better grasses and turf on the Tees, Greens and Fairways and by eliminating crabgrass and other unwanted grasses and weeds from the entire course including the rough.

This can only be done by hard work and intensive study by the Golf Course Superintendents. They have pledged themselves to this part of the program but it also requires finances and we ask each club to make a contribution to this worthy cause. The results will be beneficial to the members by making the course more enjoyable to play.

Several of the Clubs have contributed and we thank them for their contributions and ask for their continued help. To the Clubs that have not made a contribution we ask them to do so. You have all heard the familiar phrase "God helps those that help themselves." This also applies to Superintendents. Superintendents can and will help those that help themselves. With that in mind it would be nice for each member of a golf club to contribute 50¢ to this program. That would put our program over in great shape. Make the contribution to your club and they can send a check to the MGCSA. Every penny received by the MGCSA for the research program is used for that purpose only.

Use this form when sending in your contribution. Mail the form and your check to either Dean Sime, Secy-Treas. % Interlachen Country Club, 6200 Interlachen Boulevard, Edina, Minn. 55436 or to Al Wareham, 5600 Chowen Ave., Edina, Minn. 55410. Enclosed is our check in the amount of \$_____ for our 1974 contribution to the Research Program. We are very much in favor of the program and thank the MGCSA for their interest in having the best playing conditions possible.

Club _____

By _____

Title _____

March Meeting-Monday, March 11th

Jim Lindblad, Chairman of Arrangements, wishes to remind the members that the March meeting will be held at Vince Dahle's Brightwood Hills Golf Course (Computerized) bring your clubs. Jim has also arranged with Vince to give a talk on computerized golf courses and to answer any questions you might have. This should be an interesting subject. Brightwood Hills is located at 1975 Silver Lake Road, one Mile North of Hwy 694 on Silver Lake Road. Come early and get in a round or two of golf, remember the season is not too far away and a little early practice could help. There will be the usual other forms of entertainment to enjoy. We will be looking for you. Dinner and the meeting will be at Donatelle's Supper Club, 2400 N.E. Hwy 10, a short distance from Brightwood Hills. The dinner will be buffet style at \$4.50. There will be reports and details about the GCSAA Conference at Anaheim. With the number of MGCSA members that attended that meeting, our meeting should be very instructive and entertaining.

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