

## MEETINGS

There was a Board Meeting Monday, August 5, at the Red Coach.

Business - Treasurer's Report, Communications, Distinguished Service Award. Moved and seconded that the name of Harold Stodola be submitted for this award. Annual Tournament - Necessary to change the date to September 23; all concerned to be notified by postcard, various special events to be determined by committee. It was determined that Seniors are to be over 50 years old and are eligible for only one prize. Conference, Annual Meeting and Seminar - Registration will be Wednesday night and the Annual Meeting will also be on Wednesday night. The Pesticide Seminar will be held prior to the Conference (see meeting schedule for further details regarding the Seminar). Membership - Application for membership received from John Hopko, Elk River Country Club was presented. The application will be voted on at the next regular meeting. The Board approved life memberships for George Leppanen, Virginia and John Thompson, Cook, Minnesota. New Business - The Board theoretically supports the tentative draft of Anoka Tech. and its philosophy. Larry Vetter will head the Long Range Planning Committee.

## AUGUST MEETING AND OUTING

The August meeting was held in Owatonna, Minnesota, Monday, August 12th. The meeting was preceded by an outing of golf and visiting at the Owatonna Municipal Golf Course. Mike Klatte was the host and did an outstanding job. The Owatonna Municipal Golf Course is an unusual course; it is a comparatively narrow course as golf courses go but with the creek running through the course it is not only a beautiful course but also a very interesting one. It is a course that knowledge of the layout is very beneficial as the creek, doglegs, etc. present a golf course that requires not only excellent golf shots but some very good thinking before making the shot. In addition to this Mike had the course in outstanding condition. In riding around the course taking pictures we had an opportunity to take and visit with all of those playing and we heard nothing but compliments about what the players were finding to play on. Very special compliments were given to the large and excellent conditioned greens. This was also designated Kromer day and the Kromer Company had their equipment on display and it created a lot of interest. They gave away some mementos, beverages and three door prizes. A drawing of the names of those that had registered was made and the following lucky people were the winners: Jim Lindblad, Rolling Green Country Club, Graphite Shaft Putter; Jim Bartels, Eastwood Golf Club, Rochester, AM-FM Portable Radio and Gerald Pirkl, Brauer Associates, Carbon Shaft Driver.



Host  
Mike Klatte

After the fun and enjoyment at the course, all attending were invited to the Eagles Club for a cocktail and more door prizes and then to the Owatonna Inn for an excellent Steak Dinner and meeting. It was a great day and our thanks and gratitude to Mike and all others concerned.

## SEPTEMBER MEETING

There will be no September meeting as that is the day devoted to the Annual Tournament. See the enclosed entry form for details regarding this event. We cannot stress too much the importance of getting your reservation in before September 16th. This applies to those that intend to attend the dinner only as well as those that will be playing in the Tournament. The entries and reservations must be sent to Jim Wodash, 816 William Street, Albert Lea, Minn. 56007. Entries and reservations received after that date cannot be accepted.