

# Green Clippings

CLIP 1: We have received word from Research Chairman Jim Lindblad that the M.G.C.S.A. Research Fund is still considerably short of the goal that was set for 1976. Please talk to the appropriate person at your club so that we may receive these donations before the golfing season flies by us. One way in which the fund is growing is the \$1.00 assessment that is levied on all members not wearing their official name tags at the monthly meetings. This policy was announced several months ago in a previous issue of HOLE NOTES and was enforced for the first time at the August meeting at Forest Hills.

CLIP 2: Life Member Ray Hall of Owatonna is not quite ready yet to call it quits on the work front. He has asked us to mention that he is looking for a part time job either in the summer or winter. He is free to travel and adds that the amount of remuneration is no problem. With all his experience and mechanical ability, I am sure that he would be a bonus to any superintendent's staff. Ray's address is: Ray Hall, Box 522, Owatonna, Minnesota 55060....Telephone (507)451-9926.

CLIP 3: You don't have to be a long ball hitter to win this month at Hazeltine. Golf Tournament Chairman Carl Johnston has announced that there will be a chipping contest and hole-in-one contest as well as the popular raffle which will be held this year. So don't agonize over some shortcomings on the tee! Instead go out and practice your short game so you, too, can get in on all the prizes including a Johns-Manville Club Car donated by Gerry Commers and the Cushman Motor Company.

CLIP 4: M.G.C.S.A. Executive Director Warren Rebholz asks that all superintendents make sure they trim around the M.G.A. markers on each tee. The golfers in the state have come to enjoy the important functional value of these markers and without periodic trimming, they can easily be lost in the overgrowth.

CLIP 5: HOLE NOTES has received word from the National Office that interest in the post-conference Hawaiian Tour is running high. Over 60 reservations have been received already for the trip February 12-19, 1977. If you are interested in plans "Follow the Sun to Hawaii", make your reservations soon as the tour is limited. Non-G.C.S.A.A. members and their families are also eligible to take advantage of this eight day luxury tour. The descriptive brochure and reservation form are available upon request from G.C.S.A.A. Headquarters.

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## FIELD DAY SLATED

Golf Course Equipment Field Day at the Landscape Career Center, Friday, September 17, 1976 from 10:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Come, see and operate the equipment. Bring your assistant and mechanic along also. Take 7th Ave. North off of Hwy. 10 in Anoka to Center (behind Anoka Senior High School)

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