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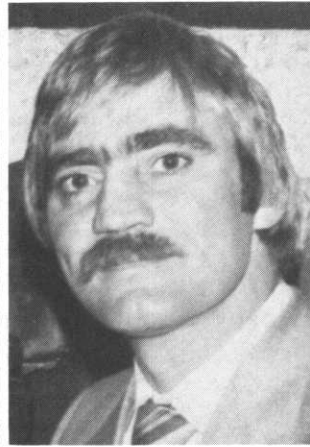
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On the first day of school, each new kindergartner arrived home with a note from the teacher. It read, "Dear Parents: If you promise not to believe all your child says happens at school, I'll promise not to believe all he says happens at home."



FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

Congratulations, Mr. John Lightfoot of Cloquet Country Club. John will retire this fall and his club is having a retirement party for him

Dick DeSplinter

on September 27. John, the entire membership wishes you the best for a long and happy retirement.

Our Annual Tournament is history and Don Lindblad's 81 was the best score this year. Congratulations, Don, I had more strokes than that before I left the practice putting green.

On behalf of all the tournament participants thank you, Host Superintendent Jim Lindblad. Also a special thank you to everyone at the Wayzata Country Club. Jim was also tournament chairman for which he did a beautiful job of organizing a very successful event. Jim, the course was beautiful and I'm at a loss for words to describe the great condition of the grounds. One thing I do know is that your efforts in the maintenance of course has created an awful lot of job security for you.

Next month's meeting will be at the Hastings Country Club where Host Superintendent Steve Schumacher will entertain us for the afternoon.

Mark your calendars for October 13 because it will be our last golf outing of the year.

The course will be a pleasant surprise to you who have not played it. It's not easy by any means and has many holes that require a fine golf shot to achieve par.

This is also a good time to encourage potential new members to come to the meeting and get their applications acted upon. Then they will be all set to enjoy the benefits of membership when the Turf Conference rolls around in December.