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## FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

DENNIS HENDRICKSON

This year is beginning to look like an exciting year for the M.G.C.S.A. One reason for excitement is that the Board of Directors of this organization is searching for ways to improve our monthly meetings. As we all know, education is the key in our profession. We learn by listening to educational speakers, discussing our problems and possible solutions with our peers and by reading pertinent information. Our present goal is to modify our membership meetings to allow for an educational speaker at each of our luncheons. We will also allow time for a question and answer period as well as time for discussion with fellow superintendents and associate members.

Our meeting at the Mankato Country Club on April 13 will feature Dr. Don Taylor speaking on the results of his research on sands for topdressing. "Boots" Fuller will also give an explanation of changes the U.S.G.A. has recommended for the greens at his club. There will also be a tour of the maintenance building. Don't miss this meeting! It should be well worth attending. The Board will be waiting for comments from the membership after this meeting.

You will all be receiving the Research Memorandum Invoice in the mail soon. It is the responsibility of the superintendent to speak to the appropriate people at the club to get the participation our Research Program needs. You owe it to your club! Every golfer will benefit.

The Research Program has some excellent programs this year. Let's all do our part!

SEE YOU IN MANKATO!