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### WILLING TO LEARN

You've criticized my stance and swing,  
My drives and every shot.  
From tee to tee, you've helpfully  
Improved my game a lot.

Now one more item needs your clear  
And analyzing brain.  
Please tell me how you like my grip—  
Around your jugular vein.

—Catherine Lavarney



## FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

JOHN NYLUND

I will begin by thanking Sundance Golf Club with Host Superintendent Gary Peterson for hosting our May meeting. The day provided many superintendents with a golf outing despite the strong winds and many superintendents were treated to an impressive display of Toro's equipment.

June 6 will take us to Whitefish Golf Club and Host Superintendent Bernie Zimmer. This area is a great recreation area for the entire family so make a long weekend and enjoy some fishing, golf or just relaxing at the resort. Cushman Motors will also have an equipment display and Turf Supply Company will have Dr. Robert Shearman as a speaker following lunch on Monday.

I would like to recognize Don Lindblad and Mark Smith of our Research Committee for the fine job they have done this year organizing our Research Program. Many fine projects have been received by the committee and now it's time to decide which ones our association shall pursue. They will be informing the association of the details soon in HOLE NOTES.

I would also like to mention that the U.S.G.A. has notified us that admittance to the National Senior Open at Hazeltine National Golf Club will be by showing your GOLD G.C.S.A.A. membership card at the main gate for clubhouse and grounds privileges. This is your national G.C.S.A.A. card, not your green state membership card.

In closing, I would like to thank our associate members for their participation in our association's monthly meetings and our HOLE NOTES. They, in turn, appreciate your patronage and ideas so take time to let them know your needs.

Thanks...and see you all at Whitefish Golf Club in June.