



EDITOR,S CORNER

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I would first like to say how enjoyable this past year has been for me as Editorial Chairman. It has brought me in contact with a greater number of members which has in turn benefitted all of us through their articles. I was able to contact many superintendents for articles during the winter when time was not as precious. This worked well for most of the year. However, some had to be contacted during the season. I would personally like to thank all superintendents, associates and others that did take time to write an article for the HOLE NOTES. The people that really make the HOLE NOTES work are the M.G.A. staff. A special thanks to Anita, Warren, Guy and Ross for all your help given me this past year. Thanks go to Paul Mayes,

Midland Hills C.C. and Kevin Clunis, Stillwater C.C. for last month's HOLE NOTES articles; to Jim Nicol, Host Bunker Hills Golf Course, for providing such a nice day for our last golf outing, and your clubhouse staff for taking care of our group. And as tradition holds for November meeting was the "Attitude Adjustment Hour" provided Bud and Greg Shaughnessy from Long Lake Ford. It's always a nice way to finish off the season. Thanks guys.

Randall Nelson, Arrangements Chairman, has been busy with arranging meetings for 1986. The following is a tentative schedule for 1986. Remember that the list is tentative. January, Izaty's; February, GCSAA meeting; March, USGA Regional Seminar, Town and Country Club; April, Faribault Country Club; May, Hastings Country Club; June, Detroit Lakes Country Club; also the picnic will be held at 1984's site; July, Purple Hawk; August, open; September, Midland Hills Country Club; October, Wedgewood Valley Country Club; November, Edinburgh U.S.A.

If anyone is interested in hosting a monthly meeting, please contact the arrangements chairman. Keep in mind that many arrangements must be made a year in advance and meeting sites are needed for 1987. Please think about it and present the idea to your appropriate committee for approval. Where else could you get 80+ turf specialists at your golf course for a day?

I hope everyone had a good and safe Thanksgiving and you were able to spend this time with family. As mentioned previously, we sometimes get so involved in work at our courses during the summer that we inadvertently forget how important our families really are. After all, that's the important aspect of Thanksgiving.

I hope everyone has a safe and happy Holiday Season.

**TURF CONFERENCE
PRAYER BREAKFAST
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5th
FEATURING KARL KASSULKE
FORMER VIKING GREAT**

