# **NEWS FROM THE ASSOCIATE MEMBERS**

FROM TOM HAUGEN

Brayton Chemicals, Inc. was recently presented two awards from Mallinckrodt. Inc. Cecil Kerr. Mallinckrodt representative, presented Ron Mullikin and Terry Griffith of Brayton Chemical the Outstanding Midwest Turf Distributor Award for 1985 and the #1 Turf Distributor of Mallinckrodt in the United States in 1985. Brayton Chemicals, Inc. has earned these awards for the second time in the past Brayton Chemicals, Inc. has three years. home office located in Burlington, Iowa.

FROM STAN KINKFAD

100th Birthday Congratulations to Robert Standard Kinkead of National Mower of St. Paul. Stan's grandfather founded the company in 1919 and still comes to the office every working day despite being confined to a wheel chair.

FROM RICH TAYLOR

Golf Car Midwest announced two Minnesotans

won prizes in the Yamaha Sponsored Classic Giveaway contest this year. Lucian Trumsbee of Albert Lea won a complete set of Yamaha golf clubs. Jon Foucavit of Hutchinson won a Yamaha golf bag. Yamaha also announced that Atlanta, Georgia will be the site of its first north American manufacturing facility.

FROM JERRY COMMERS

Just introduced, the new Cushman Eagle line of utility vehicles designed for multi-use capabilities. The Cushman Eagle line includes both RIM and deck plate models, with several body style options and accessories available.

"We have engineered the Cushman Eagle line from the ground up," says Dan Hedglin, OMC Lincoln Sales Manager. "These new units fill a need for true multi-purpose vehicles which specific markets told us they were looking for. The Cushman Eagle vehicle incorporates a lot of innovative features that are not available on any other product on the market today."

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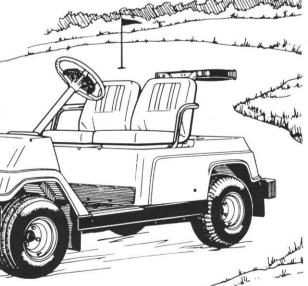


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Designed specifically for golf courses, parks and recreation applications and other grounds management jobs are the Cushman Eagle 550 and Cushman Eagle 551. The 550 features high-strength RIM polyurethane body panels which is reaction injection molded urethane developed by Mobay Chemical Corporation. Standard production color for the 550 is opal. Body panels on the Cushman Eagle 551 are heavy-duty 16-gauge steel deckplate, painted in green.

The new Cushman Eagle vehicle line revives a popular name for the company. Cushman "EAGLE" and "SILVER EAGLE" motor scooters became well known worldwide when they were produced by the company back in the 1950's.

#### FROM GORDY MILLER

Jacobsen has introduced the industry's first diesel-powered riding triplex greensmower that combines added economy, power, and performance of a diesel with the traditional Greens King cutting quality. The Greens King IV Diesel cuts fuel costs virtually in half when compared to a gasoline engine, while providing extra power for climbing and cutting. The liquid-cooled 3-cylinder, 16.5 horsepower diesel engine also provides longer engine life.

The Greens King IV Diesel also has fullfloating and pivoting cutting units that hug the ground and steer through turns without marking or scuffing the turf. The 9-blade Jacobsen reels have power backlapping as standard equipment keeping the blades sharp with less effort. An optional variable speed control valve the operator select the precise ground speed and frequency of cut for consistent greens, while still allowing full speed for transpost.

The lightweight design and even weight distribution of the Greens King IV Diesel, combined with smooth, wide pneumatic tires, virtually eliminates compaction and tire marks for a superior finish.

A wide range of attachements and accessories is available to match individual applications, such as solid and grooved rollers, brushes, spikers and vertical mowers.

#### FROM KENT KROMER

All the staff from Kromer Company are looking forward to seeing you at their Equipment Display at the October 6th monthly meeting at Wedgewood Valley in Woodbury on the east side of St. Paul. Come early so you can visit and learn about their many products.

#### FROM MILT WILEY

Don't forget the Wisconsin Golf Symposium which will be held October 29 and 30 at the Pfister Hotel in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Intriguing subject is THE MICRONUTRIANTS...(WHO NEEDS Mi I waukee Metro Contact Bob Welch. Sewerage District, 735 North Water Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202. 414/225-2202 for costs and reservations.

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## POSITION AVAILABLE

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