

# USGA to Conduct Annual Meeting January 25-26 in Minneapolis

**Two sessions of a USGA seminar** being held in conjunction with the 1991 USGA Annual Meeting January 25-26 at the Radisson Plaza Hotel in Minneapolis will focus on topics of interest to golf course superintendents.

At 9 a.m. Saturday (January 26) Jim Snow, national director of the USGA Green Section, and Dr. Mike Kenna, director of USGA Green Section Research, will discuss "Golf and the Environment."

At 10 a.m. that morning Jim Latham, director of the Great Lakes Region of the USGA Green Section, will speak on "Golf Course Conditioning—Problems and Solutions."

**The seminar gets underway** with registration at 1 p.m., Friday. Among speakers and topics are Grant Spaeth, USGA president, "The USGA: Progress and Plans;" Reed Mackenzie, Hazeltine National Golf Club and chairman of the 1991 U.S. Open; Stuart Block, USGA vice-president, and P.J. Boatwright, executive director, USGA Rules and Competitions, "Conducting a U.S. Open: Preview—Hazeltine 1991;" F. Morgan Taylor, USGA Executive Committee, and John Matheony, director of operations, USGA, "Golf Technology-Preserving the Challenge," and Betty Richert, chair of the USGA Women's Committee; Leslie Turner

(Minikahda), chair of Women's Regional Affairs, and Laurie Glass, manager of USGA Regional Affairs, "Women's Forum: Regional Issues."

At 7:30 a.m. Saturday M.J. Mastalir, USGA Executive Committee, and Tony Zirpoli, director of USGA Section Affairs, will be speakers at a "USGA Family and Friends Breakfast."

Other Saturday speakers are Mike Vernon, USGA Sectional Affairs Committee, "Liability on a Golf Course; Mastalir, Boatwright and Tom Meeks director of USGA Rules & Competitions, "Rules-Anecdotes and Answers;" Reg Murphy, USGA vice-president, and David Fay, USGA executive director, "USGA Cham-

ampionship Sites: Selection Factors and Current Issues;" Reed and Jane Mackenzie, "Equal Access: The Minnesota Experience;" Karen Bednarski, USGA Museum Curator, "Coming Home to Golf House;" and Warren Rebholz, executive director of the Minnesota Golf Association, Judy Bell, USGA Executive Committee, and Dean Knuth, director of Handicapping for the USGA, "The USGA Handicap System: Slope and Course Rating."

A \$25 registration fee includes a cocktail reception, breakfast and lunch. Call the MGA office (612/927-4643) for a USGA Annual Meeting Seminar registration form.

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