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## FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

### A Few Final Words As President . . . And Thank You All Very Much



Winter is just around the corner at last. This is a time to relax a little and to renew your family relationships. Our families tend to be overlooked during the hectic season that we all must face, when our golf courses need our highest degree of attention. Re-aquaint yourself with your family while things are quiet on the "work front" and buried under several feet of white stuff! Well, I can dream about several feet of snow, can't I?

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**As we approach the Annual Business Meeting and Turf Conference,** I need to ask you to consider being future candidates for the Board of Directors. We need interested, eligible superintendents to run as directors to shape the future of this association. We have a great slate of candidates for elections this year. We do, however, need interested members to come out of the woodwork and let me or other Board members know of your interest. Take some interest in your state association and stand up for what you want to see happen with it. Our future depends upon you, and I am not psychic. When my duty as nominating chairman arrives in August of 1991, I want to hear from you!

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**With the Conference approaching rapidly, I ask all of you to consider coming to it in the most professional manner and dress that you possibly can.** You are representing not only the club that you are employed by, but also this association. If we want to be considered as professionals and respected as such, we need to convey this through our dress as well as our actions.

Of course, I would like to see you all in sport coats, but I think we can at least present ourselves in nice golf shirts, slacks and sweaters. I do very strongly believe that our employers will understand our desire to dress in the appropriate fashion for an educational conference. If you must be at work prior or afterwards, then bring a change of clothes. Blue jeans or sweatsuits do not cut it! For the Friday night banquet, a suit and tie is preferred.

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**I would like to thank Kevin Clunis and Stillwater CC** for allowing us to meet at their club in October. Although it was a little cool, several die-hards enjoyed a round of golf before the predicted snow flakes were to fall!

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**As this is the last column** I am writing as President, I would like to thank all of the membership for allowing me to be your President this year. It has been most enjoyable and a memorable experience to have served on the Board this last decade. Thank you and God Bless!

—Kerry Glader, CGCS  
President

## About the Cover

Pictured on the cover of this issue is an exterior view of the Northland Inn, site of the 1990 MGCSA Turf Conference and Business Meeting November 28-30. The Northland is located at the intersection of Interstate 694 and Boone Avenue in Brooklyn Park. See you there!