

Applications Now Being Taken for 1991 Harold Stodola Memorial Scholarships

Applications are now being taken for the 1991 MGCSA Harold Stodola Memorial Scholarships sponsored by the Minnesota Golf Course Superintendents' Association.

Originated in 1987 in honor of the late Harold Stodola, a prominent golf course superintendent, the MGCSA scholarship is an annual grant awarded to candidates who are interested in golf course management as a career, have high scholastic capabilities and have superior performance as an employee of a golf course.

Students meeting the following criteria are urged to apply:

1) The candidate must be a resident of Minnesota or employed by a Minnesota Golf Course Superintendents' Association member superintendent;

2) The candidate must have completed the first year of a two-year turfgrass technical program or completed the second year of a four-year or baccalaureate program with major emphasis in turf management.

3) The candidate must fill out the application form (available from the MGCSA office) completely.

Application forms must be returned to the MGCSA office by July 1. Similarly, the student's advisor and golf course superintendent must have their reports postmarked no later than July 1.

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Another court has ruled local regulation of pesticide is preempted by federal law.

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