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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

Great Turnout At Lake City C.C. April Meeting



The April meeting at Lake City Country Club had a great turn-out with more than 70 members in attendance. Almost two dozen golfers played on mid-season condition greens. Our thanks to Cliff Reynolds and his staff for hosting the meeting. Our appreciation goes to the members and owners who allow the membership of our association to host the monthly meetings at their clubs. We would also like to thank Larry Thornton of Wilbur-Ellis for providing the speaker. Owen Towne of Ciba-Geigy gave a very informative talk on the process that a pesticide must go through in order to become registered.

Greg Hubbard, Research Chairman has been busy lining up the golf courses needed for this year's Turf Tourney. The date is June 19 with the dinner to be held at Midland Hills Country Club. The proceeds from the Turf Tourney go into the trust fund. The Trust Fund Endowment has presently over one-half the projected total needed to make it self sustaining for research.

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Applications are available through local colleges and technical colleges, and at the Association Office for the Harold Stodola Scholarship. The deadline for completing and returning the applications, transcripts, advisors' forms and superintendents' forms is July 1. If you have a person on your staff that meets the guidelines, please encourage him or her to apply.

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John Nylund and Braemar Golf Club host our May 11 golf meeting.

The MGCSA Roster book is out and has some very nice changes in it. Along with the spiral binding are the new divisions for membership, the listings for Distinguished Service Award and Scholarship Recipients. Also new to the Roster this year is a section for new members. When new members are listed in the *Hole Notes*, add the new members' names to the Roster. We are still looking to complete the list for Past Presidents. If you can add to this list or if there are errors that need correcting, please let the Association Office know.

-Rick Fredericksen, CGCS MGCSA President



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