



# Great Start of a New Year At Woodhill Country Club

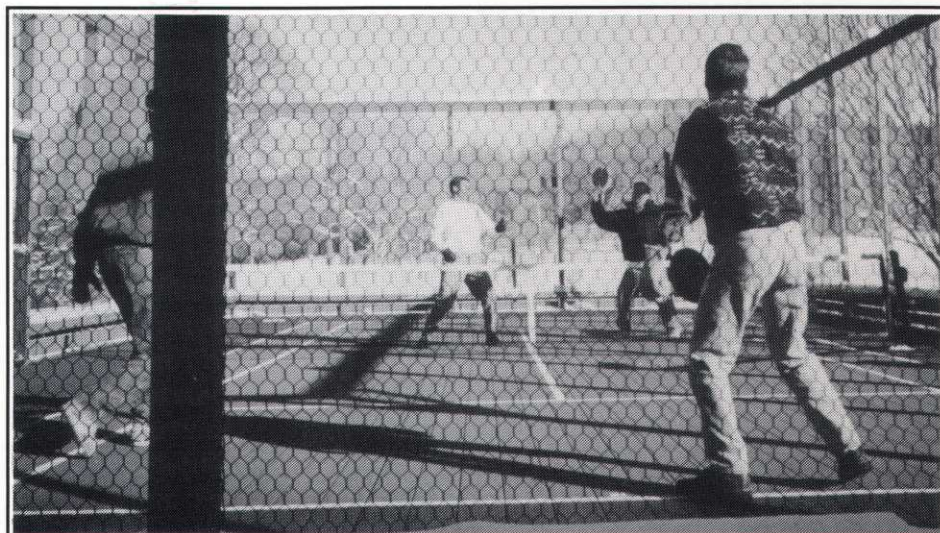
Clear, blue skies along with host superintendent Rick Fredericksen greeted 47 MGCSA members at the first meeting of the year at Woodhill Country Club on January 12.

Heavy snows the night before discouraged 15 more pre-registrants from making the trip to Wayzata but it didn't prevent Rick from having his ice rink shoveled off and the platform courts ready for play.

Plenty of great food, beverages, hors d'oeuvres and conversation were available in "the barn."

It was a perfect setting to relax and exchange thoughts about the upcoming golf season. Some may suggest that it was a better setting to relax and *not* think about the upcoming season. Whatever the case, it turned out to be a great day to spend at Woodhill.

The MGCSA travels to Bearpath for a well-planned, educational meeting on April 16. It will be a little too early to play golf, though.



MGCSA members getting a little exercise on the platform courts at Woodhill.

## Lots of MGCSA Members Make the Trip To Anaheim for the National Convention

Once again, Minnesota GCSA members attended GCSAA's National Convention in droves as over 140 people attended Minnesota's hospitality night.

Minnesota superintendents got a first-hand look at the trials and

tribulations that California's superintendents were having to deal with following extremely heavy rains. The rains have been so relentless that the the tee box to the infamous 18th hole at Pebble  
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