

Jim Nicol Nominated for 1999 GCSAA Election

MGCSA President Jim Nicol, CGCS, has been approved as a nominee for director for the 1999 GCSAA election.

GCSAA members will elect three officers and three directors from a field of 10 candidates at the annual meeting in Orlando Feb. 13. The nominating committee met July 25 at GCSAA headquarters and, after closely examining the eligibility and qualifications of the nominees, unanimously approved the following candidates:



James J. Nicol

- For president: David W. Fearis, CGCS at Blue Hills Country Club in Kansas City, Mo.

- For vice president: R. Scott Woodhead, CGCS at Valley View Golf Club in Bozeman, Mont.

- For secretary/treasurer: Michael Wallace, CGCS at Hop Meadow Country Club in Simsbury, Conn.; and Tommy D. Witt, CGCS at Still-Waters in Dadeville, Ala.

For directors: David S. Downing II, CGCS at Wild Wing Plantation in Conway, S.C.; Joseph H. Emanuel, CGCS at Hurstbourne Country Club in Louisville, Ky.; **James J. Nicol, CGCS** at Hazeltine National Golf Club in Chaska, Minn.; Timothy T. O'Neill, CGCS at Country Club of Darien in Darien, Conn.; Samuel R. Snyder VII, CGCS at Hercules Country Club in Wilmington, Del., and Mark J.

Woodward, CGCS at Dobson Ranch and Riverview Golf Courses in Mesa, Ariz.

Jon D. Maddern, CGCS, and Ken Mangum, CGCS, each have one year remaining on their two-year director terms. 1998 President George Renault III, CGCS, will serve as past president, and Paul S. McGinnis, CGCS, 1998 immediate past president, will retire from the board.

"The nominating committee was pleased with the quality and number of candidates that were nominated for the 1999 board of directors," says Bruce R. Williams, CGCS, nominating committee chairman. "The chapter delegates will have a huge responsibility in representing GCSAA voting members given this year's competitive election slate. I urge GCSAA chapters to select a delegate who will dedicate the necessary time to accomplish this task."

Also serving on the nominating committee are Mark D. Kuhns, CGCS; Thomas E. Mason; Sanford G. Queen, CGCS, and Nick L. Vance, CGCS. Fearis serves as board liaison to the nominating committee.

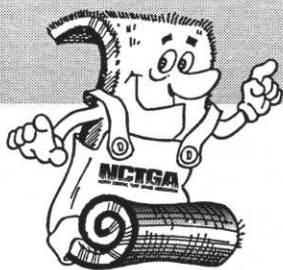
Candidates were introduced at the Chapter Delegates Meeting, Sept. 18-19. They offered brief presentations and participated in one-on-one question and answer sessions. In-depth profiles of the candidates will be included in the official notice of annual meeting to be mailed to all GCSAA members in January.

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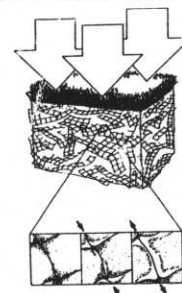
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