

INCLUDES MGCSA'S JAMES J. NICOL, CGCS

GCSAA's 2000 Board Candidates Announced

James J. Nicol, CGCS, Hazeltine National Golf Club, is one of three candidates for GCSAA directorship. GCSAA members will elect three officers and two directors from a field of seven candidates at the annual meeting in New Orleans, Feb. 19. The nominating committee met July 31 at GCSAA headquarters and carefully reviewed the eligibility and requirements of each nominee. Those nominees approved for candidacy include:



James J. Nicol, CGCS
Hazeltine National Golf Club

- For president: R. Scott Woodhead, CGCS at Valley View, in Bozeman, Mont.
- For vice president: Tommy D. Witt, CGCS at Stillwaters in Dadeville, Ala.
- For secretary/treasurer: Ken Mangum, CGCS at Atlanta Athletic Club in Duluth, Ga.; and Michael Wallace, CGCS at Hop Meadow Country Club in Simsbury, Conn.

• For directors: James J. Nicol, CGCS at Hazeltine National Golf Club in Chaska; John D. Maddern, CGCS at Elk Ridge Golf Course in Atlanta, Mich.; and Timothy T. O'Neill, CGCS at Country Club of Darien in Darien, Conn.

Samuel R. Snyder VII, CGCS, and Mark J. Woodward, CGCS, each have one year remaining on their two-year director terms. 1999 President David W. Fearis, CGCS, will serve as past president, and George Renault III, CGCS,

1999 immediate past president, will retire from the board.

"We have a strong field of candidates once again for the 2000 election. Each of the candidates has extensive volunteer leadership experience at the chapter and national level," says Paul S. McGinnis, CGCS, nominating committee chairman. "The nominating committee is confident that whomever the voting members elect, the association will continue to be led by highly qualified members into the new millennium."

In addition to McGinnis, the nominating committee includes Robert J. Maibusch, CGCS; William F. Ploetz; Steven M. Wright, CGCS; and Randall P. Zidik, CGCS.

Candidates were introduced at the Chapter Delegates Meeting, Sept. 10-12. They offered a brief presentation 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 and *Golf Course Management* magazine to be mailed to all members in January.

IT'S TIME TO FIELD A TEAM FROM MGCSA

GCSAA Golf Championship Set Feb. 14-15 in Mobile, Ala.

Which team of superintendents will reign as champions in 2000? The time has come to select MGCSA's golf team(s). Now is the time to get our chapter members to enter the GCSAA Golf Championship and represent the chapter!

Deadline for individual registration is November 1. The registration deadline for entering a Chapter Team is January 20, 2000.

A new item from last year allows one team member to be an affiliate member. All team members must be a member of the MGCSA.

If you are playing in the GCSAA championship and would like to be on a MGCSA team, call the business office at (612) 473-0557.

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