

# MGCSA Research Committee Goes on Tour

*Stops Included Rolling Green, The University of Minnesota and Indian Hills*

Rick Fredericksen, CGCS, Research Chairman, and eight other members of the MGCSA Research Committee visited Rolling Green Country Club, the University of Minnesota and Indian Hills Golf Club on April 5.

Pat Walton, CGCS, and Rolling Green Country Club let the MGCSA conduct a cover study on their par

3 course the past few years. Jon Powell and Pat led the committee around the course to view what effect the different covers had on the greens.

The tour then went to the University Turf Plots where Troy Carson explained some of the different grass studies being researched.

Dick Grundstrom met the group at Indian Hills Golf Club. Don Taylor showed some of the findings of different top dressing practices.



**DON TAYLOR**  
*University of Wisconsin, River Falls*



**UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA REPRESENTATIVES**, from left are Don White, Jon Powell and Troy Carson.



**The MGCSA Research Committee**, from left: Tom McCann, Keith Scott, CGCS, Rick Fredericksen, CGCS, Rob Panuska, Paul Eckholm, CGCS, Pat Walton, CGCS, Jon Powell, Bob Simondet, and Tom Proshek.