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From Your President's Desk

MGCSA To Hold 75th Anniversary Celebration on Dec. 3 at Golden Valley CC



Rick Fredericksen, CGCS
MGCSA President

The MGCSA will hold its 75th anniversary celebration on December 3 at the Golden Valley Country Club. In honor of the 75th anniversary, an awards banquet will be held to commemorate this event. After a social hour and dinner, we will recognize this year's scholarship recipients. The presentation of the Distinguished Service Award will also be given that evening. The Board of



Directors has asked the membership to help select our recipient. In last month's *Hole Notes* there was a nomination form to fill out for this award. The board felt that the individual who receives this award would have made an outstanding contribution to the advancement of the golf course superintendents' profession or the green industry throughout the year.

A new award that will be presented this year is the President's Award. This award honors individuals who have made a lifetime contribution to our industry, both locally and nationally. The recipient will be recognized that night as our guest of honor.

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Minnesota has been on the golf map this summer both nationally and internationally. The Solheim Cup was played at Interlachen Country Club from September 19 through the 22 where Matt Rostal is the golf course superintendent. Earlier in the week, Keith Scott, CGCS, and Oak Ridge Country Club hosted the Junior Solheim Cup. Along with the Senior event held at the TPC in Blaine and the PGA championship held at Hazeltine, players and golf fans around the world were treated to some of the finest conditioned golf courses being played. The gentlemen that are superintendents at these courses and their staffs did an exceptional job of representing our industry here. Thank you.

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I would like to commend Rick Traver and the fine job he has done as editor of *Hole Notes* this year. Our association has been kept well informed of local and national items as well as more involvement by our membership in writing articles. As a member I enjoy being able to read about what our association is involved in. Keep up the good work Rick.

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