Tips for Good PC Maintenance

Know your system. At a minimum, you should know what kind of processor you have, how much random access memory (RAM) is installed and how big your hard drive is. If you're aware of these vital statistics, you'll be in a better position to troubleshoot problems when programs tap your machine's capabilities.

Make an Emergency Boot Disk

Before you have problems with your computer, create a startup disk using your original operating system's CD. Save this disk in a safe place for the day – which you hope will never come – when your computer has problems boot-

ing up from the hard drive. If you're using Windows, you should also create a separate floppy disk with the config.sys file, which is the driver that enables your computer to read the system disk from the CD drive.

Use Your System's Built-In Utilities

Your hard drive stores information by scattering it on the hard drive and eventually this fragmentation slows dow the computer. Run Disk Defragmenter to consolidate the data and keep your drive organized.

Use Antivirus Software

Install an antivirus program, and set it to scan your system automatically at least twice a month.

Back Up Regularly

Make a habit of backing up all your important files at least once a month.

Attending to these housekeeping duties should keep your machine happy and your data safe.

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Pipe Logic 102

GOLDLINE® pipe = Drier course

Drier course = Less disease

Less disease = Healthy turf

Healthy turf = Happy players

Happy players = More green fees

More green fees = Higher profits

Higher profits = Happy board

Happy board = Quiet board

Quiet board = Hero status

Therefore:

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