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48th Mid-Atlantic Conference

December 15, 1976

Gentlemen:

I am pleased to announce that the 48th annual conference of the Mid-Atlantic Association of Golf Course Superintendents will be held on January 10-11, 1977. The entire meeting will be held in the Baltimore Hilton Inn which is less than one block inside the Baltimore Beltway (route 695) at exit 20, Pikesville, Maryland. From Washington and points south, take route 95 to 695 west towards Towson. From Delaware and points north, take the Kennedy Highway (95) south to 695 towards Towson, continue on 695 to exit 20.

You will note that there are many well known superintendents, university turf specialists, and people

from the industry who will provide a very interesting program for all turfgrass managers.

We were fortunate in getting Paul Voykin, superintendent of Briarwood C.C. in Chicago, as our banquet speaker. Paul is the author of two books on turf management and he would like to impart some of his Midwest wisdom on us. He is a firm believer in *not* over-grooming a golf course.

Please call the Baltimore Hilton Inn for rooms. We have a reduced rate; \$22 for a single and \$28 for a double. Telephone 301-653-1100.

The cost of the conference and banquet is \$30 for the package. Individual registrations and banquet tickets may be purchased for \$20 each. Turf students and club officials and wives will be given complementary registrations.

The Mid-Atlantic will have a Hospitality Suite open Sunday afternoon before, during, and after the Super Bowl. Come early, bring a friend, and have an enjoyable meeting.

Sincerely,

George Thompson
Program Chairman

Program

MONDAY, JANUARY 10

- 8:30 a.m. Registration—Foyer
- 9:30 a.m. Call to Order—Preakness Ballroom South
MR. GEORGE B. THOMPSON CGCS
Columbia Country Club
Chevy Chase, MD
President's Message and Welcome
MR. DAVID S. FAIRBANK
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- 9:45 a.m. "Behind the Scenes at the PGA
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Manager Golf Course and Grounds
Congressional Country Club
Bethesda, MD

10:30 a.m. "Managing Bent Greens for Summer Quality"

DR. A.J. POWELL
Turf Specialist
Univ. of Kentucky
Lexington, Kentucky

11:15 a.m. "Future Shock—Are You Preparing for 1984?"

DR. JOHN R. HALL
Extension Specialist, Turf
Virginia Polytechnic Institute
Blackburg, VA

12:00 noon LUNCH Steak Sandwich Bar—\$3.50,
or lunch on your own

1:30 p.m. Afternoon session—

Presiding:
MR. GEORGE W. CLEAVER CGCS
Secretary Treasurer GCSAA
Superintendent
Chestnut Ridge Country Club
Lutherville, MD

"New Jersey District Concept, State Level"
MR. PAUL BOIZELLE
President, New Jersey Superintendent Assn.
Fiddler's Elbow Far Hills, NJ

2:00 p.m. "New Jersey District Concept, Local Level"

MR. JAMES F. GILLIGAN
Superintendent
Bedins Brook Club
Skillman, NJ

2:15 p.m. "Zoysia Fairways in Missouri"

MR. LEE REDMAN JR.
Superintendent
Bellerive CC
Creve Coeur, MO

3:00 p.m. BREAK

3:15 p.m. "What's New in Plant Protectants"

DR. JAMES GRAHAM
Monsanto

MR. SAM HORST
Rhodia

DR. M.G. SCHNAPPINGER
Ciba-geigy

DR. WALLACE E. RODGERS
Eli Lilly

6:30 p.m. Cocktail Hour
Cash Bar

7:30 p.m. Banquet—Preakness
Ballroom

Speaker
Special Awards
Installation of Officers

TUESDAY, JANUARY 11

8:30 a.m. Coffee and Danish

9:25 a.m. Presiding

MR. WILLIAM J. EMERSON
Superintendent
Eagles Nest Golf Club
Timonium MD

9:30 a.m. Fusarium blight Symposium

"A pathologist Looks at Fusarium Blight"

DR. RICHARD SMILEY
Turfgrass Pathologist
Cornell Univ.
Ithaca, NY

10:15 a.m. Panel Discussion on Fusarium

Moderator—Ed Wilson
Superintendent
Twin Shields Golf Club
Dunkirk, MD

Panelists:
BRIAN (CORKY) KNOLL
Superintendent
Moselem Springs GC
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