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Congratulations

John Hoover and his wife Roxanne are the proud parents of a baby girl, Kristen Irene. Kristen was born on April 12.

GOLF

by Tom Regan, CGCS

The Supt./Pro. tournament held at Green Spring Valley Hunt Club last month was a huge success. The weather, the golf course, and the entire facility was outstanding. Grant Pensinger, our host superintendent, is to be commended. The golf course conditioning was excellent.

We want to offer a special thanks to the following distributors for coming forward with donations for the tournament: The G.L. Cornell Company, E Z Go Company, Lea's Green Meadows, Turf Equipment and Supply Company.

The team of Jim Halley and Glen Barret from Glen Dale Golf Club won the Clare Emery Memorial Trophy with a best ball net of 62. Congratulations guys. They will have possession of the trophy for this year, for display at the club. Permanent cups (matching the trophy) were presented to them at the tournament.

The results of the tournament: 1st -Glen Dale, 2nd - Woodholme, 3rd - Hunt Valley, 4th - Columbia, 5th - East Potomac, 6th - Suburban Club, 7th - Rock Creek, 8th - Cripple Creek, 9th - Westwood C.C., 10th - Hog Neck.

Long Drive winners: Superintendent -John Hoover; Professional - Chuck Bassler. Closest to the Pin winners: Hole #1: Superintendent - John Newcomb, Professional - Paul Haviland; Hole #5: Superintendent - Lee Dieter, Professional - Bill Horney; Hole #18: Superintendent - John Hoover, Professional - Bill Strausbaugh.

We will be sending photographs taken during the tournament to each participant. I want to apologize to the teams who were not admitted into the tournament. We had a deadline set and it was strictly adhered to. Next year we'll have to get our entries in ahead of time. Thanks for your understanding.

Our next golf outing will be held in conjunction with our meeting at Pine Ridge. Tom Cassat is our host on the fourteenth, and our point tournament will resume.

Get Well Quick

We all wish the best to Jack Murray, research leader of the Germplasm Quality and Enhancement Laboratory at the U.S.D.A. in Beltsville. Jack is at home recuperating from surgery and expects to be back at work July 1.



Maryland Turfgrass Field Day and Products Exhibition

The Maryland Field Day will be held on Thursday, July 21, 1988. It will be held at the University of Maryland Turfgrass Research and Education Facility on Cherry Hill and Gracefield Rd., between Rt. 29 and Rt. 212, near Beltsville. Registration is free and begins at 8:30 a.m. The tour of the plots begins at 9:00 a.m. and concludes at 4:00 p.m. A lunch will be served at noon, at a cost of about \$7.00 a person. Exhibits and demonstrations of turf products and equipment will occur during the afternoon. The tour of the plots will cover all phases of turf management. A complete program will be sent to our members by the Maryland Turfgrass Council at a later date. For further information please contact Dr. Peter Dernoedin at the University at (301) 454-3715. See you there!