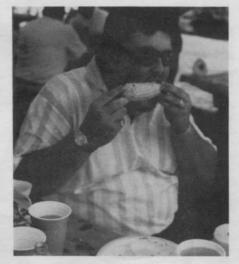
1988 PICNIC

About 60 members and their families enjoyed the annual picnic at Hobbits Glen on August 9th. As usual, Bill Neus was an excellent host. How would you like the August meeting every other year? Any Volunteers!

We hope that it was the heat that limited attendance this year. Less than half the anticipated crowd showed up. No one that was there had to eat any dinner that night. The Mid-Atlantic would like to thank Turf Equipment and Supply Company for the beer, John Strickland for the corn (not easy in a year like this) and lastly, Lou Rudinski and Bob Larsen for the tents. If you didn't make it this year, try a little harder next year. It's a great get-together.



The Supplier



The Consumer



Lindsay Nash & Family



The Water was Great!



Al Waston, Honorary Member



Clowning Around



Our President and the Chef



Pot Luck

CHEF RECOVERING

Get well wishes to Paul Barefoot who is home recovering from triple bypass surgery. Paul was operated on August 11. If you see Paul out for one of his walks during the coming weeks, honk your horn. Better yet, give him a call or drop him a card. We all want Paul to know how much he was missed at the picnic this year, the first he missed in over twenty years. We missed our chief cook and auctioneer. Get well quick Paul!

Welcome New Members

The Mid-Atlantic Association of Golf Course Superintendents would like to welcome four new members:

Archie Hall, Class D Superintendent at Cedar Point G.C.

Mike Minard, Class F Sales Representative for TESCO

Robert Karnei, Class D Assistant Superintendent at International Town & C.C.

Richard Schneider, Class F Technical Representative for O.M. Scotts

Please welcome our new members at our next monthly meeting.

GOLF

by Tom Regan, CGCS

The final round of the point tournament will be played this month. The date of the meeting/tournament is Wednesday, September 14th and will be held at Tantallon C.C. The leader after four meetings is Russ Bateman with 27½ points followed by Ken Ingram with 23½. The rest of the top ten are Nick Vance 22½, John Newcomb 19, Jeff Yingling 18, Steve Cohoon 17, George Renault 15½, Bob Orazi 14½, Grant Pensinger 14, and last and certainly not least is Tom Regan with 14 also.

We will be playing a blind bogey this month. I'd like to correct last months newsletter item concerning low gross at Kenwood C.C. Joel Ratcliff of Indian Springs was the low gross winner for Superintendents with a dazzling 76. Sorry Joel!

The October meeting will be the Memorial Tournament. It will be held at Rehobeth Beach. We will be competing for the Ruben Hines (low net) and Bill Glover (low gross) Trophies, as well as some excellent prizes. See you there.

Congratulations

To Steve and Carla Nash. These baby boomers have started another boomlet with their third, Lindsay Ann who was born July 10. Lindsay is big like her dad, weighing in at 10 lb. 4 oz. Those of us that were at the picnic had a chance to see the family and little Lindsay.

LADIES NIGHT Oct. 21 - Columbia

Our 60th Anniversary Ladies Night is coming up on October 21st at Columbia Country Club. We are planning a first class affair with dinner and dancing. All our wives should be speaking to us again by then so make plans to attend. Invitations will be mailed in September.

REMEMBER VINCE TRIPLETT

At the last board meeting your directors voted to help the family, and a check has been sent. We would like to follow up with another gift from his friends in December. Checks may be sent to the association office. Make them out to MAAGCS, it may help the family have just a little better Christmas. THANKS!



The Crabs Were So Good!