

## Ladies' Night Slated for October 9

The MAAGCS is pleased to announce its program for this year's Ladies Night. On Saturday October 9 we will board "The Entertainment Line" for a three-and-one-half hour train ride through scenic Western Maryland. The train features a dinner buffet, open bar, and dancing to the music from your on-board DJ.

Dress for the event is casual and so affords a great opportunity for us to get together more informally than our regular meetings. More important, it is our chance to thank our spouses for putting up with us through another summer of turmoil, as well as the extra time we spend attending meetings. In addition, our spouses can swap war stories about being married to someone in the golf business.

Cost for the event is only \$70 per couple; reservations by September 1 are a must for this popular program. For more information, please check your mail for the brochure or contact Mark Merrick at 410-377-9204 (w), or 410-828-8093 (h). I'll see you on October 9. All Aboard!

### Want to be famous????

Do you want to be famous? Do you want people to recognize your name? Want to be the first on your block to be published? Then send in your MAAGCS newsletter article today! As you can see, *Turfgrass Matters* often reprints articles from other publications. We need to change this! We have many talented members who have great ideas, thoughts, and experiences that would benefit everyone. Put them in writing and send it to: Steve Cohoon, CGCS, Route 1, Box 146, Round Hill, VA 22141. Or fax it: 703-554-2919.

## COHOON'S CORNER

○ The MAAGCS welcomes Mr. Paul Latshaw, formerly of Wilmington CC, as the new superintendent at Congressional CC. Mr. Latshaw replaces long-time member Bill Black, CGCS. We wish both well in their coming endeavors.

○ Don't forget to mark your calendars for the Virginia Tech Field Days in Blacksburg. The event runs from September 21 to 23 and includes the annual golf tournament, industry symposiums, research plot tours, pesticide recertification and training, and a GCSAA seminar, *Maximizing Job Satisfaction*. This information is valuable whether you live in Virginia or Maryland, so register today.

○ Yours truly has changed

positions and left Cedar Crest Country Club to become the superintendent at Southview Golf Course. Southview is a course, currently under construction in Accokeek, Md. with the tentative opening date set for next July. Until the Maintenance facility is completed, I have set up an office at my home where I will be conducting MAAGCS business. If

you have any information for the newsletter you can call me at 703-554-2915 or fax it to 703-554-2919. Your patience is appreciated during this time of transition.

### Educational Support Available to MAAGCS'ers

The MAAGCS is trying to better support the education of future Golf Course Superintendents. If you have any candidates who are currently or plan to continue their higher education, we are interested. The only prerequisite is that they now work with a MAAGCS member.

Please have candidates call for applications: 301-365-0100. All applications must be postmarked no later than October 15.

*Dean Graves, Education Chairman*

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