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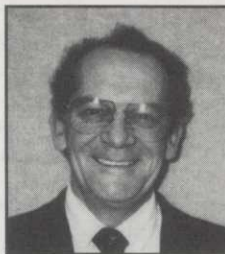
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**PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

A sincere **thank-you** to Bill Neus and his staff at Hobbits Glen for hosting the MAAGCS annual picnic.



Those who visited "Waco" witnessed the near-total destruction of the fire Bill experienced in July. Bill, thanks again for a fantastic day! Your staff had the course looking great. Unfortunately, members of my foursome had their minds on crabs and beer.

Gordon Caldwell did a great job organizing the entire affair. Thank you to all who helped Gordy, especially those who did the cooking and supplied the crabs, and to the ladies who brought covered dishes and cleaned up afterward. It was a great picnic because of your efforts.

In the early weeks of September all Superintendents will receive a request for monetary assistance to the MAAGCS Legislative Fund. The MAAGCS must continue its pro-active

approach to environmental legislative issues. As stated in past issues of this newsletter, and at regular monthly meetings, future legislation will affect the industry positively only if we can secure sufficient funds to hire a full-time lobbyist, hire expert testimony when required, and show support to legislators who are willing to sit with the MAAGCS when issues are brought before them. Please discuss these issues with club officials; their course conditions could be affected if you are limited in the products/methods you require to satisfy turf qualities they demand. **Help us so we can help you.**

The September meeting will be at The Beach Club Golf Links. Jon Machmuller promises Eastern Shore hospitality. This will be a lunch meeting. "Casual" is the word of the day. September is a great time for the beach—your wife could catch the last rays of summer or spend a day sight-seeing!. Call Jon if you would like to book a fishing trip either Monday or Wednesday. Great tuna and dolphin 50 miles out! You will forget the pressures of the summer past and return ready to start anew.

*Lou Rudinski, President*



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**EDUCATION NOTES**

**Scholarships Available.** Our association supports the education of future golf course superintendents. If *any member* has a candidate who is currently furthering his college education, we are interested.

Please have candidates ask for the application: Sean Remington, MAAGCS Education Chairman, 6100 Connecticut Avenue, Chevy Chase, MD 20815; 301-656-6323.

**Applications should be in by October 15, 1994.**

*Sean Remington, Education Chairman*