

Superintendents Speak Out

by Doug Fleming

How Have You Weathered This Season's Heat and Drought?

-Doug Bader, Towson Golf & C. C.

* "We have plenty of water, but everything outside of the irrigation is gone."

* "Starting August 19th the course will be closed 4-6 weeks while we convert to bentgrass fairways."

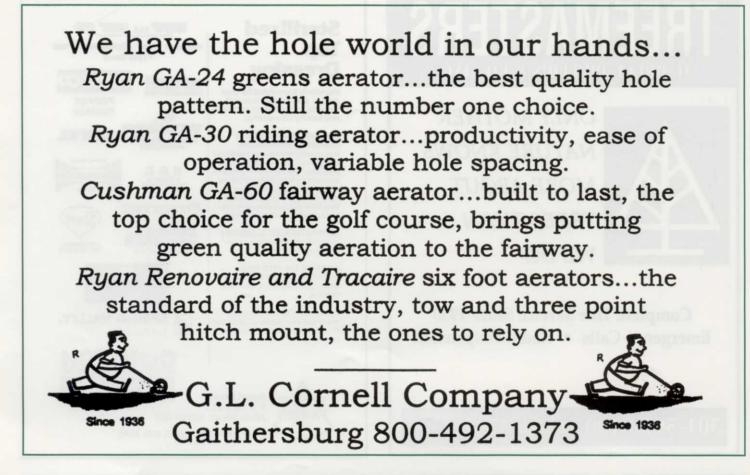
-Dave Rudinski, Rolling Road C. C. * "This is the best year I ever had, the city water supply has held up well!"

-Bernie Beaven, CGCS, Breton Bay G. & C. C. * "It was the perfect season for bermuda grass fairways, but I'll be glad when it's over."

-Jeff Vance, Laytonsville G C

* "Very windy season, even during periods of high humidity. I still did not get very much disease." -Paul Krout, CGCS, Bonnie View, C. C. * "It was a good year for bentgrass fairways, I had the ability to manage water properly."





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