

From the Editor

by Chris Ayers, Director of Communication

I am sure many of you noticed that our last edition of Turfgrass Matters was larger than normal. We simply had an abundance of materials that just-had-to-go into the first edition and an overwhelming number of advertisements submitted by our valued commercial members. I am extremely pleased by the response from these members of our association. Without their advertising support, we certainly could not continue to produce the quality newsletter that all of you have come to expect. With that in mind, I am sure that many of you did not notice the change in Turfgrass Matters' masthead. At the behest of Lee Dieter, CGCS-Retired, we have

amended the volume number to date back to MAAGCS' inception in 1928.

The initial offerings from our two new columns, "Superintendents Speak Out" and "Bullets from the Boardroom" were well received and will continue throughout the remainder of the year. Special thanks to Doug Fleming and Nick Vance, CGCS for launching these two features.

As always, we are looking for a few good articles to include in the newsletter. Too often we must rely on outside articles to make our newsletter educational. Please consider contributing an article to help keep our publication "local."

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