

GCSAA Announces New "Associate" Membership Classification

As of July 1, 1998 GCSAA has opened an Associate membership classification that is open to golf course employees who are working toward a career as a golf course superintendent. Any golf course employee who meets the requirements may be classified as an Associate member instead of an Affiliate member. Annual membership dues for an Associate member are \$125.00.

Requirements:

1. Applicant must be on a career track within the golf course superintendent profession.
2. Applicant must hold a degree from an accredited university/college that may include one of the following types of degrees:
 - 4 year turf or "other" bachelor's degree
 - 2 year associate turf/plant science degree
 - 2 year turf certificate
3. Applicant must be a former GCSAA student member. This requirement will take effect July 1, 1999. Individuals not members before this date are grandfathered with regards to this requirement.
4. Associate class member applicants will be required to provide an application attested by a Class A or B superintendent member of GCSAA.

Associate Membership Benefits:

Green membership card

All of the privileges of membership except that of voting and holding office.

One personal subscription to Golf Course Management

If you have any questions regarding the Associate membership classification or your eligibility, please call the GCSAA Service Center at (800) 472-7878.



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