PUBLICATIONS AVAILABLE:

Stabilization and Enhancement of Sandmodified Root Zones for High Traffic Sport Turfs with Mesh Elements.

Authors J.B. Beard and S.I. Sifers. 40 pages. (1993). This Texas Agricultural Experiment Station Bulletin No. B-1710 contains (a) an updated summary of the Texas-USGA Method of high-sand root zone modification and (b) a comprehensive summary of the research conducted at Texas A&M University since 1985 on the mesh element inclusion system. Single copies available free of charge.

Contact Department of Agricultural Communications, Reed Mcdonald Building, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas, USA, 77843. Phone: (409) 845-2876.

International Turfgrass Society Research Journal. Vol. 7.

Co-editors R.N. Carrow, N.E. Christians, and R. C. Shearman. 1021 pages. (1993). Contains 147 scientific papers divided into 10 sections on 1. Weed science, 2. Diseases, insects, and nematodes, 3. Soil physical properties and turfgrass response, 4. Soil-plant nutrition, soil chemistry, 5. Stress physiology, 6. Plant growth regulators, 7. Breeding and genetics, 8. Establishment and maintenance, 9. Information exchange and systems, and 10. Pesticide and nutrient fate. Price U.S. \$55.00 for members and U.S. \$65.00 for non-members.

Contact International Turfgrass Society, Dr. Richard E. Schmidt, Department of Crop and Soil Environmental Sciences, Virginia Tech University, Blacksburg, Virginia, USA, 24061-0403. Fax: (703)231-3431.

Weeds of Southern Turfgrass: Golf Courses-Lawns-Roadsides-Recreational Areas-Commercial Sod.

Authors T.R. Murphy, D.L. Colvin, R. Dickens, J.W. Everest, D. Hall, and L.B. McCarty.

208 pages. Illustrated with extensive, quality color photos. A <u>must</u> for the library of warm-season turf specialists.

Contact Cooperative Extension Service, College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences, University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia, USA, 30602.

UPCOMING INTERNATIONAL EVENTS:

Nov. 7-12, 1993. Annual Meetings of American Society of Agronomy and the C-5 Turfgrass Division. Cincinnati, Ohio, USA. Over 100 oral and poster presentations on turfgrass research.

Contact ASA Headquarters, 677 South Segoe Road, Madison, Wisconsin, USA 53711. FAX: (608) 274-1212.

July 4-8, 1994. Second World Scientific Congress of Golf. St. Andrews, Scotland.

Papers will be presented on: the golfer, equipment, and the golf course - with the latter including turf agronomy topics.

Contact Dr. Martin Farrally, Congress Director, Department of Physical Education, University of St. Andrews, St. Andrews, Fife, KY169DY, United Kingdom. FAX: 334-74322.

UPCOMING JB VISITATIONS:

Provided for Institute Affiliates who might wish to request a visitation when I'm nearby.

- August 9 to 12 Memphis, Tennessee.
- August 16 to 17 New York, N.Y.
- August 25 to 26 Phoenix, Arizona
- September 4 to 14 Malaysia
- September 20 to 30 Italy
- October 3 to 6 Sun Valley, Idaho
- October 23 to Nov. 2 Japan