

# THE GREEN SHEET



CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA GOLF COURSE SUPERINTENDENTS ASSOCIATION

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## CPGCSA MEETING LOCATION

RANGE END COUNTRY CLUB

HOST:

WHITEY KROUT

DATE:

TUESDAY, MAY 17, 1994

SPEAKER:

11:00 AM - KEITH HAPP

LUNCH:

11:30 AM BUFFET

GOLF:

12:30 PM SHOTGUN

COST OF CARTS - \$9.50

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There will be a CPGCSA Board Meeting at 9:30 AM.

(Reservation form inside newsletter)

### HOST SUPERINTENDENT PROFILE:

Whitey Krout worked on and off at Briarwood Golf Course since 1959. He started working as the Assistant Superintendent at Briarwood in 1972 for Chuck Crawford. Whitey received the job at Range End Country Club in March 1977 and has been there since. He is planning to retire from Range End in 1999.

### COURSE PROFILE:

Range End Country Club was built in 1955 by Roy Smith. It is situated on 120 acres with a mountain background. The greens are poa/bent, tees are poa/rye, and fairways are rye.

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

How wonderful it's been to finally get out on the golf course and do "our thing". We heard at the April meeting some superintendents from the Eastern part of the state are having a pretty rough time and once the snow melted had little or no grass left. Some came through the winter with little or no damage, it seemed the further west the less damage occurred. This should be interesting "stuff" for next year's educational meeting in March.

For those that were probably aerifying and seeding their courses and weren't able to attend the April meeting at Penn National Golf Club, you missed a good one. Ed Rhone and his staff provided an excellent outing which was a joint meeting with our Keystone brothers. The weather was beautiful and the playing conditions were superb.

A recent decision by the Central Penn GCSA Board of Directors involves giving our Affiliate members an opportunity to fill two seats on the board. This was brought about because many decisions and discussions involve these people directly, which involves contacting them after the fact. We are asking each company who is an AF member to submit to the board, one name from their company who would be willing to serve on the board as a liaison from their company. When all the names are submitted (the deadline date is April 30th), the Central Penn Board would vote to come up with just two. Those voted in would hold a one year non-voting seat. In doing so we feel this would eliminate sometimes over-abused patronage and allow smooth lines of communication between the two entities.

I guess I better get back to my aerifying and over seeding — see you all in May at Range End Country Club, the home of the God of Sod.

Tony Goodley, CGCS  
President, CPGCSA

## JUST A REMINDER --

Should you need to fax information to Wanda, the number is the same as her home telephone number (717) 274-6004. If the answering machine picks up, be sure to let it run through the recorded message, then the fax will automatically turn on.

If you have any accomplishments or things you have done that could benefit other members, please be sure to get the information to Wanda or Jim Jones.

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## CPGCSA BOARD NEWS

Tony Goodley, CGCS brought the joint meeting together at 11:30 AM. Tony introduced the Keystone board members. The new Central members were introduced to the membership. The speaker was Bob Hesser who spoke on aquatic weeds and their control. Members will receive 1 credit going towards pesticide recertification. The tournament for the day was an individual 100% handicap tournament.

### IDLE THOUGHTS FROM THE EDITOR....

This has been a tough month for this "newsletter editor" to take much time for idle thoughts. It seems like only yesterday that mountains of ugly snow covered the course and the only thing we could think about was how much turf would survive the severe ice. Well the snow is gone and most of the course has weathered it quite well - much to this persons surprise. Unfortunately, it has all been full throttle since opening day of the golf season. The past two winters have taken away the time of the year to get out and get some quality work done before the onslaught of golfers fills every daylight hour. I keep telling myself that all the work always gets finished and that it has been worse in other years, except that this year I'm having trouble convincing even myself. The list of clean up has filled a full legal pad and the project list is now buried under mail I have not opened in weeks.

All of this brings me to the point of all of this rambling. I had the idea of skipping a Central Penn meeting because I had too much to do, but after talking to Wanda (who really does all of my CPGCSA duties) I decided to come. I am really busy with a hectic spring, but figure a day with my colleagues might help my attitude. A chance to share some of my thoughts with a few friends could make the next few months easier. One thing about this business, we all compete in a friendly way each year but we are all on the same side when it comes right down to crunch time. Take some time this summer to come out to a meeting even if you don't think there is any way you can fit one more minute into the day. You'll see some old friends, make some new ones and have a great time.

Jim

## MEMBERSHIP NEWS MEL LEAVER, MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN

The following individuals have applied for membership into our association. If there are no written objections within the next seven days, they will be accepted into our association at the next meeting.

William E. Brooks, Superintendent  
Hanover Country Club .....B

Scott C. Fischer, Assistant Superinten-  
dent  
Colonial Country Club .....B

Mark L. Monn, Assistant Superintendent  
Chambersburg Country Club .....B

Mark A. Smith, Superintendent  
Rocky Spring Golf Course .....B

We want to welcome the following individuals into the association.

Donald G. Dodson, Assistant Superin-  
tendent  
Conestoga Country Club.....B

Jon Drossos, Assistant Superintendent  
Wyncote Golf Club.....B

If you know of anyone who is interested in membership into the organization or has questions on the status of their applications, please have them contact Mel Leaver at (215) 966-2354.

## SPEAKER PROFILE JIM LOKE, CGCS, EDUCATIONAL CHAIRMAN

Our speaker for May will be Keith Happ. Keith is a USGA Agronomist for the Mid-Atlantic Green Section. The title of this presentation will be "What a Brutal Start to the Year - Winter Damage". Keith's discussion will be accompanied by a slide presentation.

Keith is a graduate of Ohio State University and a Certified Golf Course Superintendent. His areas of interest include golf and coaching junior wrestling.

# GOLF NEWS JOHN GEHMAN, GOLF CHAIRMAN

## Closest to Pin:

Hole #3 Dave Dewitt  
Hole #13 Ted Zabrenski

## Low Gross:

Dave Dewitt 77

## Low Net:

		Gross	Net
1st Place	Bob Hesser	88	70
	Harry Grove	94	70
	Don Benner	80	70

2nd Place	Jim Jones	81	71
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3rd Place	Whitey Krout	79	72
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The tournament for the May meeting at Range End Country Club will be a Blind Partner, Better Ball Format.

## CONGRATULATIONS

### New Positions:

Eddie Scheck, Assistant Superintendent  
Berkshire Country Club

Please contact Wanda if there are any changes in your employment or status so we can publicize it and keep our records up to date.

## EQUIPMENT FOR SALE:

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\*\*\*\*\*1981 Roseman Hydra-gang mowers and tractor frame unit. \$2000.00. Call Ted Zabrenski at Brookside Country Club (215) 326-7069.

We will be advertising Used Equipment for sale in each newsletter. If you have anything that may be of interest to anyone else, please contact Wanda to place your ad.

## WORTH MENTIONING:

\* We would like to welcome Ron Garrison as our newest member to the CPGCSA Board of Directors. Ron will be the Social/Public Relations Chairman.

\* Don't forget to wear your nametag at all meetings. If you don't it will cost you a buck. If you have lost yours or never received one, please contact Wanda.

\* We are now resuming our advertising of job openings through the association. If you have a position to advertise, please contact Wanda.

\* Please check and make sure that your 1994 CPGCSA Membership dues are up to date. If you have not sent your dues, please do so by May 15, 1994, so that we can continue to send you our association mailings. If dues are not received by the above date you be removed from the roster.

\* Please remember to complete your reservation forms and return them to Wanda before the deadline in the newsletter — It is a big help to the host superintendent and the association. You must have a reservation to attend the meetings.

\* Green Sheet Supporters — please check to make sure your ad has been paid for the 1994 year.

## 1994 CPGCSA MEETING SCHEDULE

May 17 (Tues)	Range End Country Club Whitey Krout, Superintendent
June 14 (Tues)	Overlook Golf Club John Dougherty, Superintendent
July 18 (Tues)	Waynesborough Country Club John Segui, CGCS Joint Meeting with Philadelphia
August 11 (Mon)	Berkley Country Club John McCormick, Superintendent
September	Berkshire Country Club Rob Ehrhart, Superintendent
October	Country Club of York Terry Wueschinski, CGCS Annual Meeting

**CENTRAL PA GOLF COURSE SUPERINTENDENTS ASSOCIATION**

**MEETING NOTICE:**

Date: Tuesday, May 17, 1994

Location: Range End Country Club

Speaker: Keith Happ 11:00 AM

Host: Whitey Krout, Superintendent

Lunch: \$15.00

Golf: 12:30 PM Shotgun

Buffet - Casual 11:30 AM

Cart - \$9.50 (Mandatory)

Showers: yes (limited)

Cocktails: 5:00 PM (after golf) Casual

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**MEETING RESERVATION AND DINNER POLICY**

All dinners are prepaid and depending on the club, lunch and golf may also be included in the prepaid cost.

All fees due for meeting must be mailed in time to reach the return address by the reservation deadline. If uncertain of your reservation, call Wanda to confirm.

MONTHLY MEETINGS ARE PREPAID REGISTRATION ONLY - NO EXCEPTIONS.

You may cancel up to 48 hours prior to the meeting and receive a full refund by contacting Wanda Fry at (717) 274-6004. (not the host or hosting course).

It is in the bylaws of the CPGCSA, that monthly meetings are for members only. Exceptions are made at the discretion of the hosting Superintendent.

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**RANGE END COUNTRY CLUB - RESERVATION FORM:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Course/Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Guest: \_\_\_\_\_ Course/Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Member Handicap: \_\_\_\_\_

Guest Handicap \_\_\_\_\_

Meals Only - \$15.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Meals/Golf - \$24.50 \_\_\_\_\_

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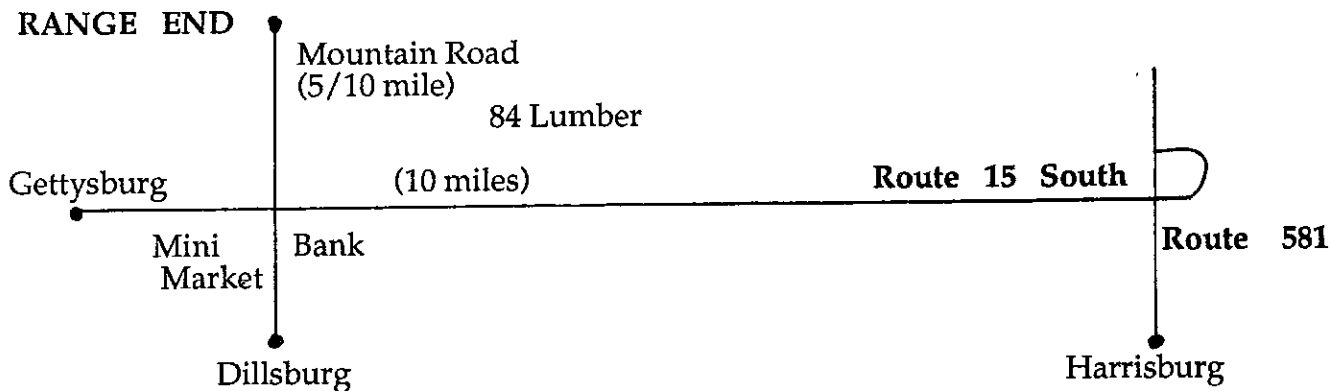


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## GCSAA GOES "PRIME" TIME

Golf course management and a different view of the world of golf will be the feature attractions in an upcoming weekly television show to air on PRIME, a national sports cable television network, and its affiliates.

The show, entitled "Par for the Course," produced by the Golf Course Superintendents Association of America (GCSAA) debuted March 28, on PRIME, GCSAA President Joseph G. Baidy, CGCS, made the announcement.

Every week, "Par for the Course" will take an innovative look at the world of golf by presenting topics on the game's cutting edge. Each episode is 30 minutes in length and the entire series will run for 13 weeks.

"'Par for the Course', is unique in its format because it seeks to entertain and educate viewers not only about how to play the game of golf, but also what it takes to make the game enjoyable," Baidy said.

Because most golfers and other casual observers are not fully aware of the benefits a golf course can provide, "Par for the Course" will spotlight regular features about golf's environmental attributes and other courses management issues. Education on etiquette, golfer's responsibilities and rules of the game will also be emphasized.

In addition, each week "Par for the Course" will highlight great places anyone can play, conver-

sations with major figures in the world of golf, practical golf instruction, and trends shaping golf's future.

"Par for the Course" is written and produced by GCSAA. GCSAA Public Relations Manager Scott Smith will produce the show and veteran sportscaster Duke Frye will serve as co-producer and host of the show. Smith and Frye both bring extensive backgrounds in television production. Smith has been a writer/producer of video, film and cable television programs for nearly 13 years. Frye, a 16-year broadcasting veteran, was formerly a sports anchor at KPRC-TV, Houston. Frye also hosts and produces programs for the Kansas City Royals Television Network, and provides play-by-play commentary for PRIME.

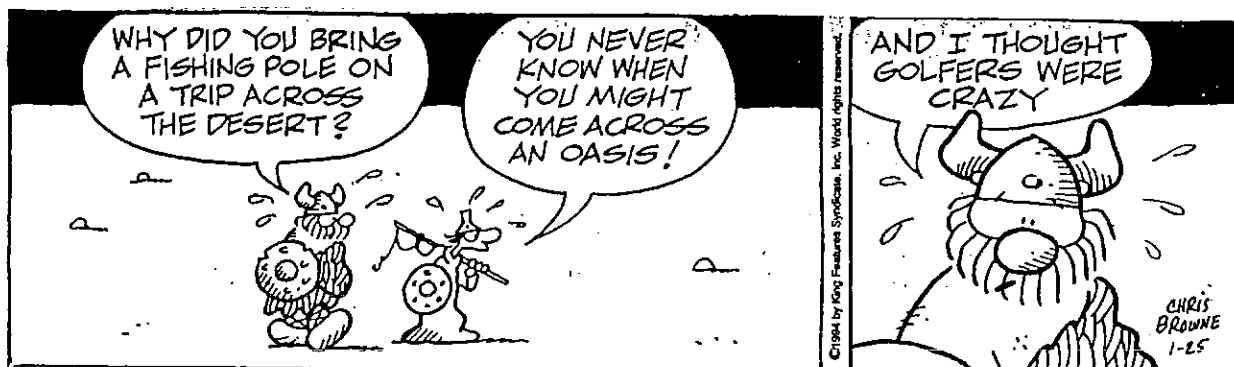
PRIME is distributed to 22 regional sports networks nationwide, serving more than 40 million subscribers. PRIME's global division, Prime International, currently distributes programming around the world to affiliates in Asia, Europe, and South America.

At this time, 19 of the 22 affiliates and the international division have agreed to distribute "Par for the Course."

"'Par for the Course' represents an excellent investment by GCSAA to increase awareness and enhance the image of golf course superintendents around the country and around the world," Baidy said. "Plus, it's yet another opportunity for viewers to discover what makes golf such a great game."

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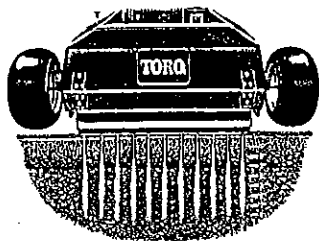
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## Golf proverbs

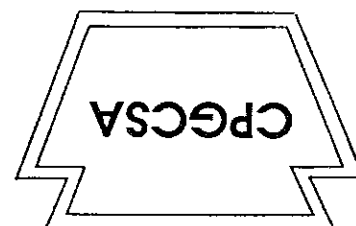
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- A golf match is a test of your skill against your opponent's luck.
- The only thing you can learn from golf books is that you can't learn anything from golf books, but you have to read an awful lot of golf books to learn it.
- Since bad shots come in groups of three, a fourth bad shot is actually the beginning of the next group of three.
- The only sure way to get a par is to leave a four-foot birdie putt two inches short of the hole.
- It's surprisingly easy to hole a 50-foot putt when you lie 10.
- Whenever there is money riding on a hole, someone will appear riding on a mower.
- It's often necessary to hit a second drive to really

appreciate the first one.

- Every time a golfer makes a birdie, he must subsequently make two triple bogeys to restore the fundamental equilibrium of the universe.
- If you want to hit a 7-iron as far as John Daly does, simply play to lay up just short of a water hazard.
- If you leave your 2-iron at home, then your 3-iron will become impossible to hit; if you leave your 2- and 3-irons at home, your 4-iron will become impossible to hit.
- When you select a club for a shot to the green, there are three possible outcomes: 1. It's the right club, but you change your mind. 2. It's the right club, but in the middle of your backswing you decide it's the wrong club so you hit it too hard or too easy. 3. It's the wrong club.
- You really only need four clubs to hit every bad shot in golf.
- The only time your ball ever bites is when it lands 30 feet short.
- A ball hit to the wrong green will always land two feet from the hole.
- If there is a ball in the fringe and a ball in the bunker, your ball is in the bunker. If both balls are in the bunker, yours is in the footprint.
- No matter how early your tee time, there will always be a foursome in the middle of the first fairway.

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