

GOLF COURSE SUPERINTENDENTS ASSOCIATION OF NEW ENGLAND

NEWSLETTER

JULY 1955

The host for our July Eleventh meeting was Ray Brigham and the Rhode Island Country Club. It was a joint meeting of Rhode Island and Massachusetts Golf Course Superintendents. A hot day it was. Another one added to more than our share for July. The wear and tear on the Golf Course Superintendents during a hot summer----watering and more watering, spraying, fertilizing etc. is always noticeable. It seemed to be showing on the old timers at this meeting. They welcomed the shade, the relaxation, and the short rest. Just another reason for attending these meetings plus the advantage of exchanging ideas and observing the other courses. Following a refreshing luncheon, the club championship was the afternoon attraction. For the less ambitious and the weary ones, a nine holer or a putting contest was offered. These were well patronized too. In fact, the putting contest drew quite a gallery to witness Trick Shot artist Malone do his stuff. The outcome of the putting contest was a sudden death play off between Farrant, Blake, and Hanna. Howard Sureshot Farrant won this one with his steady nerves and a lucky put. Al Barney won the nine hole contest with a net 37. Prizes were donated by the Clapper Company.

The 18 hole Championship was a nip and tuck affair with John Senkarik emerging as the new champ with a 77. Guy Tedesco was the runner up with 78. Paul O'Leary won the low net prize with 70, and N. Mucciarone 2nd with a net 72. Thanks to the Rhode Island C. C. for an interesting day, an excellent course and fine hospitality.

DON'T FORGET THE KINGSTON TURF CONFERENCE AUGUST 10th

Sleeping Quarters will be available at the college.

A barbecue Turkey Supper will be served at the Point Judith C. C. at 6:30 August 10. Dr. DeFrance is looking for the usual good weather and excellent attendance.

Monday, August 1 ---- The Amesbury Country Club, Amesbury, Mass.

That's the scene of our next meeting.

Ladies are invited to this one. Being in the locality of Hampton Beach, the ladies are urged to bring their bathing suits. Anything from the gay nineties to the latest 55 models will be acceptable. Mike O'Grady is prepared to give a prize to the outstanding model.

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