

Golf Course Superintendents Association of New England

NEWSLETTER

MAY 1955

The days are not long enough at this time of the year to turn out a good Newsletter. For the summer months therefore, look for brevity, and an inferior product, with apologies from the editor.

The first outdoor meeting of the season, held at Sandy Burr May 2, started off with a bang. Over a hundred attended, including superintendents' assistants. The educational feature, practical demonstrations of routine work on the golf course, apparently received general approval, judging from the close attention given. The program was conducted exclusively by our members, and everyone participating did a marvelous job, including those who only had a moment's notice before willingly substituting for absentee demonstrators. This type of program may have opened the door to similar affairs for other meetings and a few new thoughts for winter gatherings. The attendance prize winners drawn during the luncheon (a tasty, appetizing, jovial meal) were:

Host Supt., Cosmos Piantedosi
Educational Chr., Tony Sperandio
Bill Carter
Norman Mucciarone
Homer Dudevair

The winners of the afternoon tournament were:

Member Supt:

Tie Robert Mucciarone
Paul O'Leary
3rd Joe Butler
4th Guy Tedesco

Blind Bogey Guest

Rokusin 77
Blake 77
Almonte 76
Lacontone 76

At the close of the day all agreed it had been a grand one. Hospitality excellent, educationally perfect, weather superb.

Following is a tentative schedule of coming meetings:

Oak Hill C.C., Chairman	June 6
Rhode Island C.C., Championship	July 11
? ? ?	August
Juniper Hill G.C.	Sept. 12
Brae Burn, Supt-Pro	Oct. 10

The June meeting to be held at the Oak Hill C.C., Fitchburg, Mass. promises to be another outstanding one. All chairmen, or an up and coming substitute are invited. Special demonstrations will be staged including drainage problems and modern drain pipe now being used. Those who arrive before 10:30 P.M. will have an opportunity to draw a lucky number entitling them to an \$89.95 power rotary mower being donated by The Clapper Company. Here is the schedule:

9:30 to 12:30—Equipment Demonstration and Displays:

Winner of \$89.95 power mower to be drawn not later than 10:30 A.M.

1:00 - 2:00 P.M.—Luncheon

2:00 P.M.—Golf Tournament. Chairman—Supt. or Supt. only.

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