

2004 USGA Green Section Education Conference

Friday, February 13, 2004
San Diego, Calif.

CONSTRUCTING NEW PATHWAYS TO THE FUTURE

10:00 - 10:05 a.m.

Welcome

Moderator: BOB BRAME
Director, North-Central Region

10:05 - 10:15 a.m.

Southeast Regional Report

Ideas, trends, and solutions from the Southeast Region.

10:15 - 10:35 a.m.

Research Results in Use Today

DARIN BEVARD
Agronomist, Mid-Atlantic Region

CHRIS HARTWIGER
Agronomist, Southeast Region

DAVE OATIS
Director, Northeast Region

New research results are announced daily, but what does it mean to the golf course superintendent who is managing the golf course every day?

10:35 - 10:45 a.m.

Northeast Regional Report

Travel to the Northeast Region for more good ideas and the inside scoop on what superintendents are doing.

10:45 - 11:05 a.m.

Construction or Renovation — Which Way Should I Go?

PAUL VERMEULEN
Director, Mid-Continent Region

BUD WHITE
Agronomist, Mid-Continent Region
Many courses are updating their greens to remain competitive. When it is your turn, will you choose complete reconstruction or partial renovation?

11:05 - 11:15 a.m.

Presentation of the Green Section Award

BRUCE RICHARDS
USGA Executive Committee

11:15 - 11:25 a.m.

Northwest Regional Report

The search for good ideas and new ways to do things continues — this time in the Northwest Region of the USA.

11:25 - 11:45 a.m.

Green Construction Recommendations

JIM MOORE
Director, Construction Education Program
The "Specs" have changed. How will this affect you and your course when it comes time to build or rebuild the greens? The hows and whys of the new *USGA Guidelines for Putting Green Construction*.

11:45 - 11:55 a.m.

Southwest Regional Report

Catch a glimpse of the unique trends and innovative solutions occurring in the Southwest Region.

11:55 a.m.

Closing Comments

2004 USGA NATIONAL & REGIONAL CONFERENCES

National Conference

February 13 San Diego Convention Center
San Diego, California

Florida Region

November Palm Beach Gardens Marriott
Palm Beach Gardens, Florida

Mid-Atlantic Region

February 23 Radisson Hotel
Monroeville, Pennsylvania
March 16 DuPont Country Club
Wilmington, Delaware

Mid-Continent Region

January 21 KCI Expo Center
Kansas City, Missouri
(with Heart of America Golf
& Turf Conference)
January 26 Polk County
Convention Complex
Des Moines, Iowa
(with Iowa Turfgrass Conference
& Trade Show)
March CDGA/USGA Green Seminar
Chicago, Illinois
March 9 Lakeside Country Club
Houston, Texas

North-Central Region

January 27 Indianapolis
Convention Center
Indianapolis, Indiana

Northeast Region

March 2 New England Turf Conference
To Be Announced

Southeast Region

March 16 Ballantyne Resort
Charlotte, North Carolina

Northwest Region

March 3 Whitefish Lake Golf Club
Whitefish, Montana
March 22 Waverley Country Club
Portland, Oregon
March 23 Lakewood Country Club
Denver, Colorado
March 24 The Country Club
Salt Lake City, Utah

Southwest Region

January 12 Friendly Hills Country Club
Whittier, California
March 15 Castlewood Country Club
Pleasanton, California
March 24 Phoenix Country Club
Phoenix, Arizona