



# THE COACH APPROACH

Wisconsin High School Golf Coaches Association Newsletter

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## A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Fellow Coaches:

As we head into another school year, I am pleased to report your Board of Directors is working hard to improve the quality of high school golf.

In the past year we have made terrific strides. This is due to the exceptional and dedicated work of your Board. The highlights of the year were:

1. We updated the constitution to reflect current thinking.
2. Our membership almost doubled to over 200 members.
3. We developed stronger relationships with the WIAA and WISAA.
4. We helped Hal Metzen and the Golf Foundation advance.
5. We strengthened our ties with the State University Golf Coaches.
6. We've put out three very productive newsletters.
7. We are working on a rules test for players and coaches.
8. We've received a donation of 100 tickets from the GMO.
9. We announced the first ever Girls and Boys All State teams as well as an Academic All-State team.
10. We conducted a survey of our membership that provided some exceptional insight to what we need to work on for high school golf.
11. We are working on a membership services package that will provide products and direction to all of our members.
12. We strengthened our relationship with the Wisconsin Golf Association and the PGA of Wisconsin.
13. We are working on special awards to include Coaches Hall of Fame and Friend of High School

Golf.

14. We have printed a special membership certificate.

15. We got Hornungs Pro Golf to donate our membership bag tags.

If someone had suggested we could have gotten all of this done, we would have disagreed. It has been a great year and we're on the move for 1988-89.

I must thank especially, members of the Board who are leaving who have contributed substantially. We will miss Sandy Smith of Hartford and her outstanding job on membership. She was a great asset. Also, special thanks to Don Voeller of UW\_Whitewater who is a first class gentleman and has been a great help. Also many thanks to John Zigers of DePere Abbot Pennings and Steve Kohri of Milwaukee Marquette.

We need your support. Our association can make a difference! High school golf faces numerous problems in the future and it is our goal to address those problems.

Join us to make Wisconsin High School Golf the best for both coaches and players!

Sincerely,

Gregg Shimanski, President.



# Role of the golf coach is multi-faceted

By Lee Kaczmarek, golf coach at Waukesha South

The high school golf coach has a job very different in several respects from fellow coaches in other sports. Because of the self discipline and control required by etiquette, the lack of a referee, and the problem of competition and practice being conducted under public scrutiny on non-school property, the coach must play several specific roles in order to be successful. These roles involve securing non-school facilities, disciplining, instruction, and modes of practice. The golf coach, of course, plays no role in the actual competition because of rule nine which prohibits the player from receiving advice except from his caddy.

The first role of the coach is securing a golf course on which to practice and compete. Be this public or private, it is wise to remember that the course is owned and operated by others and therefore full cooperation must be given to those in charge. In some cases you must contact the pro or a member of a board. Whoever the person in charge may be, get to know him and be sure you understand all rules and regulations pertaining to the use of that facility.

A second role would involve the discipline of your players. Based on conversations with the Wisconsin State Golf Association member clubs, one of the biggest problems seems to be a lack of discipline on the part of the players. Because of the nature of this game, more self control is required, and must be taught, than in most other sports. There is a mandatory decorum essential when playing golf. Coaches should not bring to the golf course numbers larger than they can personally handle. To bring 40 players to a course and control them

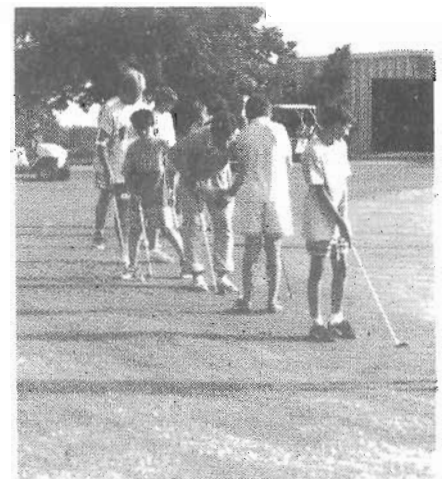
while spread out over 150 acres is impossible. This just leads to trouble with the golf course management, as does expecting the pro or starter to get all those players on the course after school when public or members also want to use the course. Use common sense in these situations and remember that the school does not own or control the course. You should also be present any time your team practices or plays. The absence of a coach during practice was the single biggest complaint from WSGA member clubs. Keep in mind that your team not only competes, but also practices under public scrutiny. You must be in charge of your team at all times.



Another role of the coach revolves around instruction. There are many golf coaches who are either not good players nor informed on golf swing fundamentals. Thus, they feel inadequate to teach. There are, however, several areas where some knowledge is essential. Your players must know both the rules and etiquette of the game and it is not difficult, with some study to be able to teach your team members this information. Many coaches are reluctant to help players with swing problems because they don't know enough to feel confident enough to

instruct. Coaches can learn by reading any number of good books on golf swing fundamentals, or by arranging to have the local pro help several times a season. Your players need even the smallest amount of basic help to reassure them that they are on the right road.

A final role involves conducting practice sessions. The biggest complaint I've heard from players on other teams over the last 20 years is that their practice session always consists of playing nine holes and then going home. The coach never watches them and the players feel that "coach doesn't care." Kids don't learn just by playing nine holes. Even if you don't know swing techniques, have your players hit golf balls at a practice area or driving range at least twice a week, including chipping and putting practice. Good players already know that to improve you must practice often, not just play. During these practice sessions, you can prepare your team for competition. Even if you can't help with their swing, just your presence will encourage them to work harder and behave themselves in a manner which is conducive to producing fine players capable of gaining the self-control necessary for success.



## committee seeks nominations for WHSGCA awards

Shortly after the first of the year, you will be receiving a nomination form from the WHSGCA Award Committee seeking nominations for the following awards:

1. Friend of High School Golf
2. A PGA Pro or a Non-Pro who has made a contribution to a golf program.
3. Golf Coaches Hall of Fame.

For the Friend of Golf Award, the committee requests you nominate someone who has made a significant contribution to the development of high school golf in the Sate of Wisconsin. You might, for example, consider someone who has served as a Junior Golf Instructor, a tournament director, camp director, clinician, author, elite golfer, etc.

The PGA Pro or Non-Pro award for service should include nominees who have provided outstanding service to junior golf/high school golf programs.

For Golf Coaches Hall of Fame, the committee asks you to consider the number of years in coaching, win/loss record, conference championships, trips to the state tournament, state championships, development of outstanding golfers, and his/her promotion of golf through service to the golf association, tournament director, camp director, clinician, author, or any other means.

After receiving your nomination form, please return to the committee by February 28, 1989.

This past summer, Dirk Willis was awarded the James Paul Linn Scholarship by the All-American Collegiate Golf Foundation. A committee of golf pros, athletes, coaches, journalists, and businessmen selected eight

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Single Day Ticket (Good Any Day)	\$ 15	\$12	_____	_____
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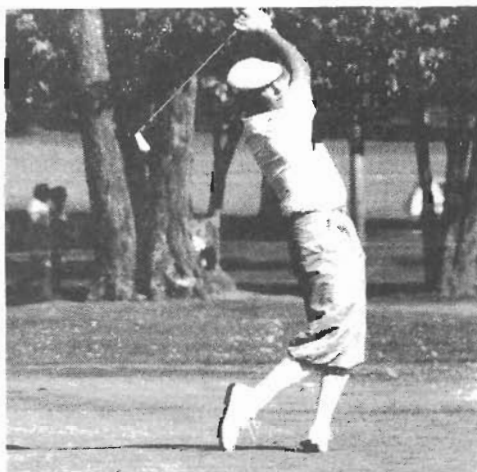
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Colorful Payne Stewart is always a crowd favorite.



Gordon Kress (right) with 1988 GMO Champ Ken Green.

## Willis receives Linn Scholarship

recipients throughout the nation. The applicants were judged by the committee on academic excellence, financial need, participation in school activities, and good moral character.

Willis was an outstanding golfer for Platteville High School the past

four years and finished second in the 1988 WIAA Class B State Tournament at Lake Arrowhead, was named to the second team of the WHSGCA 1988 All-State Team, and now play successfully for UW-Platteville. Willis is the son of Mike and Sandy Willis of Platteville.

## How well do you know the rules of the game?

The following is part one of a test now being designed by the Rules Committee of the Association. It can be used for both the coach and the players to give each an understanding of their knowledge of the rules of the game. Part 2 will be published in the next issue of The Coach Approach.

### Rules Test-part 1

1. If a player has lost a ball on land, that player has the following options:

- a.) play another ball from as near a spot to where the original ball was lost. Penalty one stroke.
- b.) Replay the shot from from the spot where the ball was originally. Take a two stroke penalty.
- c.) Replay the shot from where you originally hit the shot. Penalty-one stroke plus distance.

2. If a player hits a ball into a regular water hazzard (i.e. one that must be crossed in order to reach the green) he or she has the option to do one or more of the following:

- a.)Replay the shot from where it was originally hit with a one stroke penalty.
- b.) Take the ball back on line of flight keeping the spot where the ball last crossed land before it entered the water in front of you. Penalty of one stroke.
- c.) Drop the ball on the other side of the water and hit the next shot from there with a two stroke penalty.
- d.) Play the next shot from the water with no penalty.

3. A player hits into a lateral water hazzard (i.e. one that runs along side the fairway). That player has one or more of the following options:

- a.) Play the next shot from the water with no penalty.
- b.) Drop back on line of flight as far back as one wishes with a one stroke penalty.
- c.) Drop within two club lengths of the spot where the ball last crossed land before entering the water, but not closer to the hole with a one stroke penalty.
- d.) Drop within two club lengths of a spot even with where the ball entered the water with a one stroke penalty.

e.) Drop the ball within two club lengths of a spot on the opposite side of the hazzard even with where the ball last crossed the land before entering the water with a one stroke penalty.

f.) Replay the shot from where it originally was hit with a one stroke penalty.

g.) Go back as far as you like keeping the spot where the ball last crossed land before entering the water between yourself and the pin and take a one stroke penalty.

4. A player hits their ball into an unplayable lie. He or she has the following options:

- a.) Hit a provisional ball from the original spot with a two stroke penalty.
- b.) Drop within a two club length area but no closer to the hole and take a one stroke penalty.
- c.) Return to the original spot and replay the shot with a two stroke penalty.
- d.) Return to the original spot and replay the shot with a one stroke penalty.
- e.) Go back as far as you like keeping the spot where the ball lay between yourself and the pin taking a one stroke penalty.

5. If a player hits a ball off the golf course, he or she has the following options:

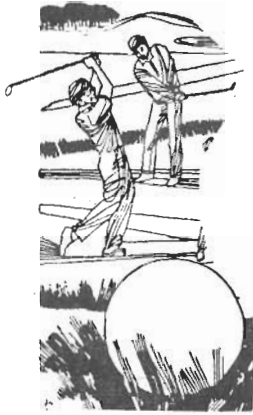
- a.) Drop another ball as near to the spot where the first ball went out with a two stroke penalty.
- b.) Return to the spot where the ball was originally played and replay the shot with a one stroke penalty.
- c.) Play a provisional ball from the original spot playing that ball only if the first is OB and taking a one stroke penalty.

6. A player grounds his or her club in a hazzard (i.e. a sand trap or in water). The penalty is:

- a.) no penalty
- b.) One stroke
- c.) Two strokes

7. A player whose ball lay on the green strikes an opponents ball or the flag stick. The penalty is:

- a.) no penalty
- b.) One stroke
- c.) Two strokes



8. A player whose ball is just off the green but is putting strikes an opponents ball or the pin in the hole. The penalty is:

- a.) No penalty
- b.) One stroke
- c.) Two strokes

9. A player plays the wrong ball from a sand trap. The penalty is:

- a.) No penalty
- b.) One stroke
- c.) Two strokes

10. A player plays a wrong ball from outside a hazard. The penalty is:

- a.) No penalty
- b.) One stroke
- c.) Two strokes

11. A player tees his or her ball from in front of the markers. The penalty is:

- a.) No penalty
- b.) One stroke
- c.) Two strokes

12. A player accidentally moves the ball when it is on the tee causing it to fall from the tee. The penalty is:

- a.) No penalty
- b.) One stroke
- c.) Two strokes

13. A players ball lies in a sandy area through the green. There is a small mound of sand about six inches behind the ball. The player grounds the club lightly and on his backswing brushes the sand mound. Is there a penalty?

- a.) Yes
- b.) No

14. A paved cart path is not an obstruction.

- a.) True
- b.) False

15. A golfer playing in the rain may apply resin to the grips of his clubs to keep his hands from slipping.

- a.) True
- b.) False

16. Is it legal for a player to brush aside leaves on his or her line of a putt with his or her visor or cap?

- a.) Yes

b.) No

17. A white line defines an area of ground under repair. A ball lies on the white line, but no part of the ball lies over the inside edge of the line. Is the ball considered to be in the ground under repair area?

- a.) Yes
- b.) No

18. The maximum number of clubs in a golfers bag is:

- a.) 12
- b.) 14
- c.) 15

19. Your ball is considered on the putting green when:

- a.) All of the ball is on the green
- b.) **At least half of the ball is on the green**
- c.) **Any part of the ball is touching the green**

20. You must inform your opponent or fellow competitor of your intention to play a provisional ball.

- a.) True
- b.) False

21. When out of bounds is defined by a line on the ground, the line itself is out of bounds.

- a.) True
- b.) False

22. Stakes and lines defining the margin of a water hazard are considered to be in the hazard.

- a.) True
- b.) False

23. In stroke play, the competitor returns his scorecard to the committee. The hole by hole scores are correct, but the total score for one 9 on the card, signed by the competitor, is incorrect. What is the penalty?

- a.) No penalty. The committee should correct the error.
- b.) Disqualification
- c.) Two strokes. The committee should correct the error.

24. Competitor A returns their scorecard to the committee. On one hole a 5 has been recorded as the score. Competitor B reports to the committee that the score should have been a 6. The committee determines that the score should have been a 6. Competitor A is:

- a.) Penalized 2 strokes and the 5 changed to a 6.
- b.) Disqualified for turning in an incorrect scorecard.
- c. Penalized the 2 strokes and the 5 stands as recorded.
- d.) Is not penalized and the 5 stands as reported because the card was already signed.

25. Competitor A returns his scorecard to the committee. In reviewing the card, the committee finds that the 9 and 18 hole totals have not been recorded on the card under the total column, but under the 9th hole and the 18th hole column. Because the 9th hole total has been recorded as the score for t hole number 9, and the 18 hole total was recorded as the score for the 18th hole, competitor A:

- a.) Is penalized two strokes for each infraction and his card is corrected.
- b.) Is disqualified for signing an incomplete scorecard
- c.) Is not penalized, but the score for the 9th and 18th hole stand as recorded.
- d.) Is not penalized and the committee can correct this obvious mistake.

1989  
**Greater Milwaukee Open**  
 August 31 – September 3rd  
 (Labor Day Weekend)

ANSWERS: 1. C 2. A,D 3. A,C,E,F 4. B,D,E 5.B,C  
 6. C 7. C 8. A 9. A 10. C 11. A 12. A 13.B 14. B  
 15. A 16. B 17. A 18. B 19. C 20. A 21. A 22. A 23.  
 A 24. B 25. C

## STATE GOLF TOURNAMENT RESULTS

### WIAA SPRING BOY'S RESULTS

#### CLASS A TEAM RESULTS

- 1. Madison West 611
- 2. Grafton 635
- 3. Racine Horlick 647
- 4. Wisconsin Rapids 653
- 5. Delavan-Darien 657
- 6. Fond du Lac 667
- 6. Wauwatosa East 667
- 8. Racine Case 673
- 9. Menomonie 677
- 10. Neenah 680
- 11. Portage 683
- 12. Janesville Parker 685
- 13. Arrowhead 687
- 14. Rhinelander 689
- 15. Manitowoc 697
- 16. Wauwatosa West 715

#### CLASS B TEAM RESULTS

- 1. Mount Horeb 667
- 2. Holmen 680
- 3. Spooner 683
- 4. Hayward 691
- 5. Whitewater 695
- 6. Kewaskum 708
- 7. DeForest 714
- 8. Oconto Falls 737

### WISAA FALL BOY'S RESULTS

- 1. De Pere Abbot Pennings 650
- 2. Madison Edgewood 652
- 3. Green Bay Premontre 664
- 4. Waukesha Catholic Mem. 667
- 5. Milwaukee Marquette 678
- 6. Kenosha St. Joseph 685
- 7. Racine St. Catherines 691
- 8. Sheboygan Lutheran 721

### WIAA FALL GIRL'S RESULTS

- 1. Racine Case 742
- 2. Onalaska 759
- 3. Madison West 766
- 4. Homestead 781
- 5. Marinette 783
- 6. Madison Memorial 788
- 7. Fond du Lac 799
- 8. Appleton East 824
- 9. Bloomer 864
- 10. Racine Park 880



# Where next for junior golfers ?

Where can Junior Golfers continue their participation in competitive golf after high school? Don Voeller, State University Conference Representative, has compiled a list of two-year and 4 year colleges, technical schools, and universities that have golf "listed" on their sponsored sports.

As we all know, some of the programs are highly viable while others border on non-existence. As golf coaches, we owe it to our golfers to become aware of the offerings in our state universities.

For girls, the only two schools in the state who have women's golf programs are UW- Whitewater and UW-Madison.

It should also be noted that three members of the Associations first All-State teams played in the WSUC Tournaments or the NAIA District 14 Tournament this fall. Included were: Mark Thomsen , De Forest played for Whitewater; John Staehler, Racine Case also played for Whitewater; and Dirk Willis, Platteville, played for Platteville.

Listed here are the four year colleges and universities sponsoring golf in the state:

Beloit College  
Beloit, WI 53511  
William Knabton  
608-365-3391-Ext. 398 (AD)

Cardinal Stritch College  
100 N. Yates Rd.  
Milwaukee, WI 53217-3985  
James Ewald  
414-352-5400 Ext 259 (AD)

Carroll College  
100 N. East Ave.  
Waukesha, WI 53186-5594  
Mark Aamot  
414-547-1222 (AD)

Carthage College  
2001 Alford Park Dr.  
Kenosha, WI 53140-1929  
Jon Swift 551-8500 Ext 434414-551-8500 Ext 43 (AD)

Concordia College  
12800 N. Lake Shore Dr.  
Mequon, WI 53092-9617  
Chuck Finke  
414-243-5700 Ext 620 (AD)

Lakeland College  
P.O. Box 359  
Sheboygan, WI 53082-0359  
Monte Carter  
414-565-1239 (AD)

Lawrence University  
P.O.Box 599  
Appleton, WI 54912-0599  
Jeff School  
414-735-6760 (AD)

Marian College  
45 S. National Ave.  
Fond du Lac, WI 54935-4699  
Dave Beres  
414-923-7600 (AD)

Marquette University  
1212 W. Wisconsin Ave.  
Milwaukee, WI 53233-2202  
James Nasiopulos  
414-224-7130 (AD)

Milwaukee School of Engineering  
1025 N. Milwaukee St.  
Milwaukee, WI 53202-3182  
Joe Meloy  
414-277-7154 (AD)

Mount Senario College  
1500 College Ave.  
Ladysmith, WI 54848-2196  
Bob Lichty  
715-532-5511 Ext 323 (AD)

Northwestern College  
1300 Western Ave.  
Watertown, WI 53094-4899  
Don Sellnow  
414-261-0806 (AD)

Ripon College  
P.O.Box 248  
Ripon, WI 54971-0248  
414-748-8133 (AD)

St. Norbert College  
Schuldes Sports Center  
De Pere, WI 54115  
Romie Kosnar  
414-337-3030

UW-Eau Claire  
Mc Phee P.E. Center  
Eau Claire, WI 54702-4004  
Frank Wigglesworth  
715-836-2427 AD)

UW-Green Bay  
2420 Nicolet Dr.  
Green Bay, WI 54301-7001  
Eric Hermanson  
414-465-2145 (AD)

UW- La Crosse  
Mitchell Hall  
La Crosse, WI 54601  
Gerald Walford  
608-785-8616 (AD)

UW- Madison  
1440 Monroe St.  
Madison, WI 53711-2051  
Dennis Tiziani 608-262-1866 (AD)  
Women's Golf-Chris Regenber  
608-263-5580 (W-AD)

UW- Oshkosh  
800 Algoma Blvd.  
Oshkosh, WI 54901  
Bob White  
414-424-1034 (AD)

UW-Parkside  
Box 2000  
Kenosha, WI 53141-2000  
Steve Stephens  
414-553-2245 (AD)

UW-Platteville  
Platteville, WI 5381 Steve Zielke  
608-342-1573 (AD)

UW-River Falls  
River Falls, WI 54022-5097  
O.B. Ben Bergsrud  
715-425-3900 (AD)

UW- Stevens Point  
2108 4th Ave.  
Stevens Point, WI 54481-1998  
Peter Kasson  
715-346-3257 (AD)

## where next cont.

UW- Stout  
Menomonie, WI 54751  
Sten Pierce  
715-232-2224 (AD)

UW-Superior  
1800 Grand Ave.  
Superior, WI 54880-2898  
Steve Becker  
715-394-8371 (AD)

UW- Whitewater  
Williams Center  
Whitewater, WI 53190  
Doug Krause  
414-472-4661 (AD)  
Women's Golf-Chris Voeller  
414-473-4165 (Home)

Viterbo College  
815 9th St. S.  
LaCrosse, WI 54601-4797  
James Glasshoff  
608-784-0040 Ext 357

The next issue of the newsletter will contain the names of those two-year and technical schools offering golf programs.

## November Board Meeting Highlights AT THE STEVENS POINT COUNTRY CLUB

-- President Gregg Shimanski expressed his frustration over the lack of effort on the part of some board members. Gregg reminded members of the importance of doing their part.

\_\_\_ Concern was also expressed about the sincerity of the PGA toward this association since this is the third meeting they've missed.

\_\_\_ Hal Metzen sent a report expressing concern about coaches clinics since they were so poorly attended. A suggestions was made to attempt to host a clinic during the WEA convention.

\_\_\_ Ideally, Len Friede and Gregg Shimanski would like the newsletter to be published in September, December, March and June. To do so, input is needed from ALL association members-articles on any aspect of the game, teaching techniques that work, reactions to articles in the newsletter, or any type of feature would be greatly appreciated!

\_\_\_ The rules committee is busy working on a rules test for coaches. The first part appears elsewhere in this newsletter. The second part will appear in the next newsletter.

\_\_\_ While the association made \$650 from sales of GMO tickets, the potential is there to make at least \$1000. We also need more volunteers for the GMO.

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### WISCONSIN STATE UNIVERSITY CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT STEVENS POINT COUNTRY CLUB- FALL 1988

1. UW-Stout 1161
2. UW-Whitewater 1190
3. UW-Stevens Point 1196
4. UW-Eau Claire 1197
5. UW- Oshkosh 1199
6. UW-River Falls 1240
7. UW- Platteville 1263
8. UW-La Crosse 1285

#### Medalists:

1. Steve Dahlby, Stout 222
2. Rick Kunnert, Oshkosh 226
3. Charlie Brown, Stout 228
4. Jim Lombardo, Eau Claire 232
5. Jim Mc Guire, Stout 233
6. Dan Thomas, Oshkosh 234
7. John Staehler, Whitewater 235
8. Jason Zahradka, Stevens Point 236
9. Jeff Lister, Whitewater 237
10. Mick Gilbert, Stevens Point 237

### NAIA DISTRICT 14 TOURNAMENT STEVENS POINT COUNTRY CLUB-FALL 1988

1. UW-Stout 1161
2. UW-Parkside 1186
3. UW-Stevens Point 1196
4. UW-Eau Claire-1197
5. UW-Oshkosh 1199
6. UW-River Falls 1240
7. UW-Platteville 1263
8. UW-LaCrosse 1285
9. Milwaukee School  
of Engineering 1308
10. Concordia 1371

- Medalists: 1. Steve Dahlby, Stout 222 2. Rick Kunnert, Oshkosh 226 3. Charlie Brown, Stout 228 4. Dave Wente, Parkside 228 5. Dave Krupski, Concordia 232 6. Jim Lombardo, Eau Claire 232 7. Jim McGuire, Stout 233 8. Dan Thomas, Oshkosh 234 9. Todd Schaap, Parkside 235 10. Jason Zahradka, Stevens Point 236





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\_\_ All-State forms will be revised and separate chairpersons will be appointed for girls and boys. Nomination forms for the Girl's All-State team will be due January 1 and the Boy's will be due June 1. Remember to nominate a player for either team, the coach must be a member of this association.

\_\_ Joe Harlow, Kewaskum, has replaced Sandra Smith as Membership Chairperson.

\_\_ Mary Beth Nienhaus talked with Frank Mc Cormick who passed on these views of the WIAA Golf Committee:

1. They want to send out a rules test, but they don't want to make it mandatory for the coaches to return it.
2. They do not want to have rules interpretations meetings for golf.
3. They are interested in our suggestion that rules books from the PGA be sent out for each golfer.
4. They are unsure of WSGCA involvement in the tournament series. The Board appears hesitant.
5. The WIAA will budget for some rules videos. The number is uncertain.

\_\_ Next Executive Board Meeting-March 18 at Nakoma Country Club - Madison. 9 A.M. Let your representative know if there is something you wish to bring to the attention of the board. Remember THIS IS YOUR ASSOCIATION!!!!

# Volunteer Corner

## Plan ahead for the 1988 GMO

The Greater Milwaukee Open is scheduled to take place at Tuckaway Country Club from August 31-September 3.

As you know, the GMO was generous enough to offer our association 100 tickets to sell for last year's tournament. This could have meant a \$1000 profit to our organization. Although we sold only \$650 worth, our obvious goal this year is to sell all 100 tickets.

In addition to the tickets, we offered to provide volunteers to be of assistance to the tournament. We are asking you to

place these dates on you calender NOW so that you are cleared for those dates We need you to make a commitment now so that we can show the GMO how much we appreciate their generosity.



### FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATE TOURNAMENT STANDINGS

#### WIAA CLASS A BOYS

1. Bill Helm, Green Bay Preble 73-72-145
2. Derek Gram, Madison West 77-71 148\* 3. Jeff Comstock, Madison West 76-72-148
4. Ben Walters, Menomonie 70-80-150
5. Dan Helle, Grafton 77-77-154
6. Brent Kaczmarek, Waukesha South 77-78-155\*
7. Mark Schneider, Onalaska 73-82-165
8. Galen Eckland, Badger 80-15-155
9. Jason Samnelian, Racine Horlick 78-78-156
10. Dave Zickau, Madison West 80-77-157

\* won playoff

#### WIAA CLASS B BOYS

1. Mark Voeller, Whitewater 74-79-153
2. Dirk Willis, Platteville 78-77-155
3. Jim Pejka, Hayward 78-79-157
4. Mark Thomsen, DeForest 80-79-159
5. Mike Clinton, Mount Horeb 76-84-160\*
6. Dean Patrick, Spooner 80-80-160
7. Carl Johnson, Holmen 77-84-161
8. Brian Haroldson, Mount Horeb 80-81-161
9. Kirk Wieland, Lodi 80-82-162
10. Scott Seidler, Mosinee 77-85-162

\* won playoff

#### WISAA FALL BOYS

1. Byron Fisher, Madison Edgewood 75-77-152
2. Paul Connell, La Crosse Aquinas 76-78-154
3. Scott Wahl, DePere Abbot Pennings, 76-79-155
4. Jason Fitchett, Green Bay Preble 76-81-157, and Peter Korzilius, Racine St. Catherines 77-80-157
6. Casey Brozek, DePere Abbot Pennings 80-80-160
7. Scott Colby DePere Abbot Pennings 80-82-162, and Peter Williams Beaver Dam Wayland 82-80-162
9. Joe Ring, Madison Edgewood 83-80-165
10. Eric Schroeder, Waukesha Catholic Memorial 82-83-165

## WHSGCA selects Boy's and Girl's All-State Teams

### *Girl's First Team*

*Martha Richards, Senior, Hudson*  
*Brigette Jagemann, Senior, Valders-Two Rivers*  
*Sara Miley, Junior, Divine Savior*  
*Julie Skogen, Junior, Onalaska*  
*Kristi Hinze, Junior, Watertown*

### *Honorable Mention*

*Sarah Nehls, Junior, Madison Memorial*  
*Heather Horn, Senior, Hudson*

### *Boy's First Team*

*Bill Heim, Senior, Green Bay Preble*  
*Craig Darling, Senior, DePere Abbot Pennings*  
*Mark Voeller, Junior, Whitewater*  
*Derek Grams, Junior, Madison West*  
*Jeff Comstock, Senior, Madison West*

### *Boy's Second Team*

*Brent Kaczmarek, Junior, Waukesha South*  
*Jason Fritchett, Sophomore, Green Bay Prebontre*  
*Ben Walter, Junior, Menomonie*  
*John Barret, Senior, Milwaukee Marquette*  
*Dirk Willis, Senior, Platteville*

### *Boy's Third Team*

*Jason Samuelian, Junior, Racine Horlick*  
*Joe Ring, Junior, Madison Edgewood*  
*Mark Thomsen, Junior, DeForest*  
*Mario Tiziani, Senior, Madison East*  
*Kirk Weiland, Sophomore, Lodi*

### *Honorable Mention*

*Mike Clinton, Senior, Mount Horeb*  
*Charlie Buhler, Junior, Racine Case*  
*John Staehler, Senior, Racine Case*  
*Joe Stutz, Senior, Madison Edgewood*  
*Mark Zamitalo, Junior, Greendale*  
*Kenley Hansen, Senior, Waupaca*  
*Casey Brozek, Junior, DePere Abbot Pennings*  
*Jeff Stohr, Senior, Madison West*  
*Rob Mueckler, Junior, Racine Horlick*

### *Academic All-State Team*

*( Players needed to have a 3.5 grade point average or above, top 25% of their class, and played in 75% of varsity meets)*

*Jodi Jenson, Senior, Chetek (3.82)*  
*Mike Delzer, Junior, Waukesha South (4.0)*  
*Brent Kaczmarek, Junior, Waukesha South (4.60)\**  
*Robert Schaeffer, Senior, Waukesha South (3.80)*  
*Scott Anderson, Junior, Waukesha South (3.80)*  
*Derrick Blair, Senior, Milton (3.67)*  
*Paul Sikorski, Senior, Milw. Thomas More (3.50)*  
*Joel Kock, Senior, Lakeland (4.0)\**  
*Scott Wahl, Junior, DePere Abbot Pennings (4.0)*  
*Max Rawson, Senior, Southwestern (3.95)\**  
*Ed Chestolowski, Senior, Green Bay Preble (4.0)\**  
*Carter Balfour, Junior, Madison Memorial (3.81)*  
*Scott Colby, Junior, DePere Abbot Pennings (3.76)*  
*Charlie Ahern, Senior, Fond du Lac St. Marys (3.76)*  
*Scott Braun, Senior, Portage (3.98)\**  
*Chad Ward, Senior, DePere Abbot Pennings (3.56)*

*Chrls Kalberg, Junior, Kenosha St. Josephs (3.75)*  
*Todd Larson, Senior, Greendale (3.87)*  
*Peter Langkamp, Junior, Fond du Lac St. Marys (3.41)*  
*Martha Richards, Senior, Hudson (3.50)*  
*Brigette Jagemann, Senior, Valders-Two Rivers (3.87)*  
*Craig Darling, Senior, DePere Abbot Pennings (3.71)*  
*Mark Voeller, Junior, Whitewater (3.87)*  
*John Staehler, Senior, Racine Case (3.91)*  
*Casey Brozek, Junior, DePere Abbot Pennings (3.76)*  
 \* Ranked number one in the Jr class



## Coaches survey makes for interesting reading

By John Janty

Last spring 162 state high school golf coaches found a few minutes in their busy schedules to complete the coaches survey that appeared in the spring edition of this newsletter. While the number of responses was indeed encouraging, the results were extremely informative and will help provide direction for the executive board.

Since the survey was quite extensive and our space in this newsletter is limited, the results will be disseminated in the next several issues.

First the demographics: out of the 162 responding coaches, 77 were from WIAA Class A schools, 50 coached at Class B schools, 15 represented Class C schools, and 20 had WISAA affiliation. The respondents coached girl's teams, boy's teams, or both boy's and girl's teams.

All but 10 of the coaches were employed as full time employees of the district at which they coached.

Approximately 66% of the coaches have been coaching golf for more than 5 years and almost 50% have been head coaches for 11 or more years. One coach indicated that he has been heading his school's golf program for the past 38 years!

The question on coaching salaries provided some interesting results. For Class A coaches the salaries ranged from a low of \$200 to a high of over \$2,500. The median salary was \$1,260.

For Class B, the salary range was \$450 to \$1990, while the median was \$1100.

Class C coaches had a range of \$750 to \$1500 with a median of \$1010.

Out of the 20 responding WISAA coaches, 7 receive no pay!! The range was \$0 to \$1800 with a median of \$500.

Other items of interest:

### HOW MANY ASSISTANT COACHES DO YOU HAVE?

Class A-out of 77 responding schools, 22 (29%) had 1 assistant, and 3 schools had 2 assistants.

Class B- out of 50 schools, 8 schools had 1 assistant.

Class C-two out of the 15 Class C schools had 1 assistant.

WISAA-out of 20 schools, 4 (20%) had 1 assistant.

### HOW MANY PLAYERS DO YOU TYPICALLY HAVE IN YOUR PROGRAM?

No. of Players	Class A	Class B	Class C	WISAA
0-10	10	4	6	4
11-15	23	21	4	9
16-20	18	16	7	4
21-25	10	12	0	3
26-30	13	1	0	0
31-35	5	2	0	0
36-40	2	1	0	0
41-45	1	1	0	0
46+	3	0	0	1

### DO YOU ENCOUNTER PROBLEMS WITH SCHOOL OFFICIALS WHEN RELEASING STUDENTS FROM SCHOOL TO PLAY IN SCHEDULED GOLF EVENTS?

	Class A	Class B	Class C	WISAA	Total
Yes	27 (35%)	17 (34%)	8 (53%)	7 (35%)	59 (36%)
No	46 (65%)	32 (64%)	7 (47%)	13 (65%)	98 (64%)

### ARE YOU PLEASED WITH THE CURRENT REGIONAL, SECTIONAL, AND STATE TOURNAMENT FORMATS, DATES, ETC.?

	Class A	Class B	Class C	WISAA
Yes	55 (75%)	34 (71%)	12 (80%)	11 (61%)
No	18 (25%)	14 (29%)	3 (20%)	7 (39%)

Would you like to see the starting dates for the seasons (fall or spring) changed in any way?

	WIAA	WISAA	Total
Yes	34 (25%)	5 (25%)	39 (25%)
No	100 (75%)	15 (75%)	115 (75%)

### WIAA FALL GIRL'S RESULTS

#### Medafists

1. Stacy Pirk, Racine Case 166
2. Erika Brown, Madison La Follette 170
3. Julie Skogen, Onalaska 172
4. Lynn Tarrolly, Homestead 174
5. Shayn Johnson, Onalaska 177
6. Dana Tzakis, Madison West 179
7. Jenny Boneham, Marinrtr 181
8. Dona McCumber, Burlington 181
9. Sarah Nehls, Madison Memorial 183
10. Erica Narowitz, Madison West 184