Texas Gulf Coast Superintendents Association

Benefits

Education

The TGCSA meets seven times a year, including our big fund-raiser, and the Annual Meeting. The five regular meetings include an informative educational session where we bring in an outside speaker. Education topics range from technical turfgrass subjects to business management to personal development. The demands of the golf course superintendent's profession are changing rapidly. As a superintendent, continuing education is vital to your future success. Many of these educational sessions have been approved by GCSAA and/or the Texas Department of Agriculture. These hour-long sessions provide attendees with educational points towards the GCSAA certification program and/or TDA pesticide applicators license.

Networking Opportunities

TGCSA meetings and events provide a good opportunity to meet informally with your professional peers and gather important information. Superintendents and assistants share information, solve problems and learn more about the local golf course industry by attending TGCSA meetings. The value of your dues could easily be recovered by finding one inexpensive solution to a problem you are having on your golf course while attending a TGCSA meeting.

Chapter Publication

Greens Talk is a bi-monthly e-newsletter, published by TGCSA, to keep members informed about chapter happenings and upcoming events. Members find this a valuable source of information.

Golf Events and Camaraderie

Participating in the TGCSA supports your profession on a local basis and provides an opportunity to make professional acquaintances in the local golf course industry. Golf outings organized by the TGCSA provide more than an enjoyable release from the tensions of everyday work. Playing golf at other courses is one of the best ways superintendents find ideas for improving their own course; by seeing first hand other management techniques and through conversations on the golf course about maintenance issues. This is an integral part of the benefits of TGCSA golf outings.

GCSAA

As an Affiliated Chapter of GCSAA, The TGCSA is in constant communication with GCSAA and we provide our members with applicable updates on a frequent basis. Information about GCSAA's annual conference and show, annual election, and upcoming regional seminars are highlighted at TGCSA meetings and in *Greens Talk*.

Our Services

- Newsletter Greens Talk
- Website tgcsa.org
- Membership Directory
- Education
- Regular Meetings
- Employment Referral
- Email Alerts
- Scholarships
- Turf Research Funding
- GCSAA Affiliation

Membership classifications and applications can be found at www.tgcsa.org.

Can you really afford not to be a member of the Texas Gulf Coast Superintendents Association?

About Us

Our Mission

Texas Golf Course Superintendents Association was formed to provide its members the opportunity to excel professionally and enhance the game of golf through responsible turfgrass management.

Our History

TGCSA was formed in the fall of 1988 by a group of superintendents in the area. On November 1, 1989, the chapter was officially recognized as an affiliated chapter of GCSAA.

Overview

Membership in TGCSA offers positive benefits to all engaged in the management of golf course operations. Membership demonstrates to employers a desire and commitment to professional development. Golf course owners who support their superintendent's membership in TGCSA provide their course or club with the greatest opportunity to be up-to-date with the latest in turf technology, identifying resources, and establishing and strengthening professional relationships. Membership in TGCSA fosters a unique prospective on how best to serve your course.

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