

## Petry Elected President of STMA

Mr. Greg Petry, Superintendent of Park, Waukegan Park District, Waukegan, IL., was named president of the Sports Turf Managers Association at the professional society's Annual Conference and exhibition held in Baltimore, Maryland in November.

"I am extremely pleased and honored that the members have given me the opportunity to serve," said Petry. "I am looking forward to the coming year—the challenge of expanding member services and developing a strategic plan that will carry STMA organization into the 21st century."

Serving on STMA's board for three years, Petry brings nearly 15 years of sports turf related experience in parks and recreation, education development and programming and association leadership to STMA's top position. Petry founded the Midwest Chapter of the STMA in 1989, served on the Board of Regents for the National Recreation and Park Association, Midwest Institute

of Park Executives and is a past Director of the Parks and Natural Management Section of Illinois Park and Recreation Association.

## DowElanco and SePRO Sign Sales Agreement

DowElanco has sold A-REST™ plant growth regulator, Pipron™ fungicide, and Sonar™ aquatic herbicide to SePRO, inc., Carmel, Indiana. The decision to exit these niche market segments allows DowElanco to focus on key growth opportunities and new technologies, says Dick Holzschu, general manager of DowElanco Specialty Products.

SePRO was created recently by Bill Culpepper, a former DowElanco employee. All three products involved with the transaction remain available in 1994 through the current distributor network under SePRO labels. The agreement also grants SePRO exclusive distribution rights to Rubigan™ EC fungicide.

## Stetson University Using Reclaimed Water

Stetson University in Florida is now using reclaimed water to irrigate part of its 150-acre campus, a National Historic District. "We feel it is important from a conservation standpoint," said Graves Edmondson, Stetson vice-president for business and finance. "We are recycling wherever we can."

The City built a primary transmission main up to East Michigan Avenue, at the edge of campus, and Stetson is putting in the internal lines necessary to use it. The cost of the new lines is offset by the fact that Stetson will no longer have to maintain its pumps at the old well sites, which are expensive to repair or replace when they fail or are damaged by lightning. In addition, Stetson will save the cost of the electricity necessary to pump water from the old wells.

Reclaimed water is odorless and colorless; its quality is closely regulated by the state. The university's drinking water system, which uses city water, is completely separate from the reclaimed water lines, however.

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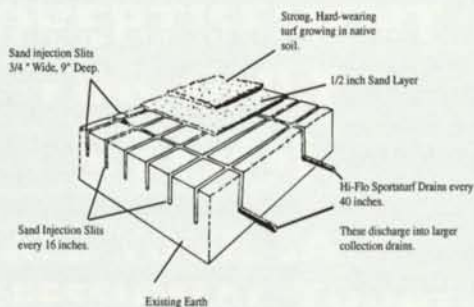
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The Encore PRO Rider utilizes a Kawasaki FD620D 20 hp liquid cooled engine and an Eaton 771 dual path hydrostatic drive system, giving smooth control with a wider neutral band. For maximum strength with minimum weight, the main frame is heavy wall steel tubing. Controls are fully adjustable.  
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## Water-Soluble Packaging



American Cyanamid Company has announced a new water-soluble bag for Pendulum WDG. This new packaging is part of the company's effort to address the environmental concerns of its customers.

The Pendulum WDG water-soluble package has been designed to eliminate container disposal problems, provide premeasured quantities in an easy-to-use packet and eliminate product exposure during mixing and loading. The packets are made of inert ingredients that completely dissolve within minutes after being added to the tank.

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Standard with the BS 1400 are a fully adjustable spray box and 12' hand-hose with wand. The spray box switches line width from 2- to 8-inches and is offset to prevent straddling freshly painted lines. With the handhose, users can quickly spray large areas such as end-zones and yardline stencils.

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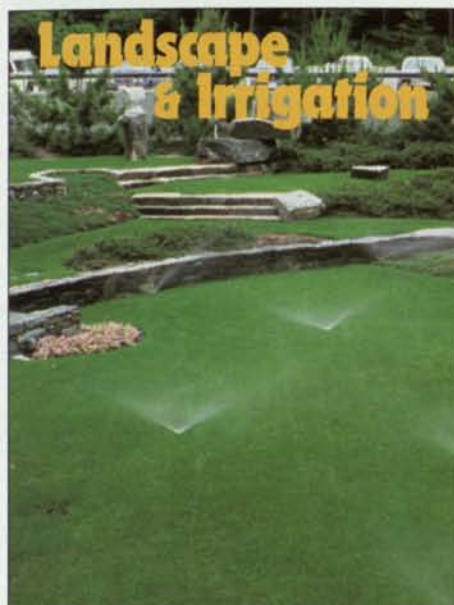


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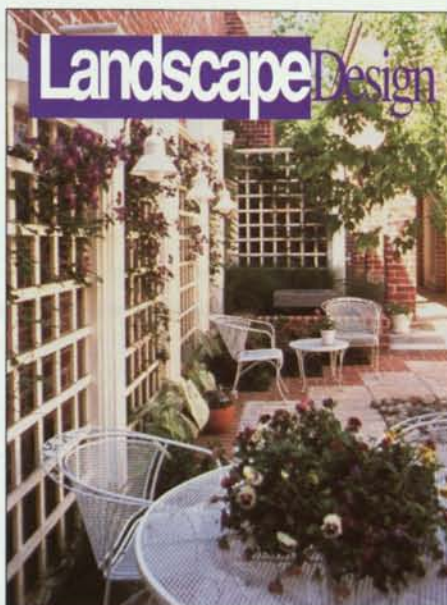
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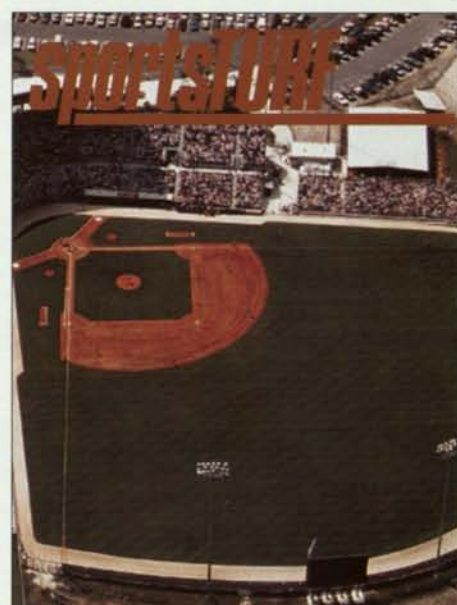
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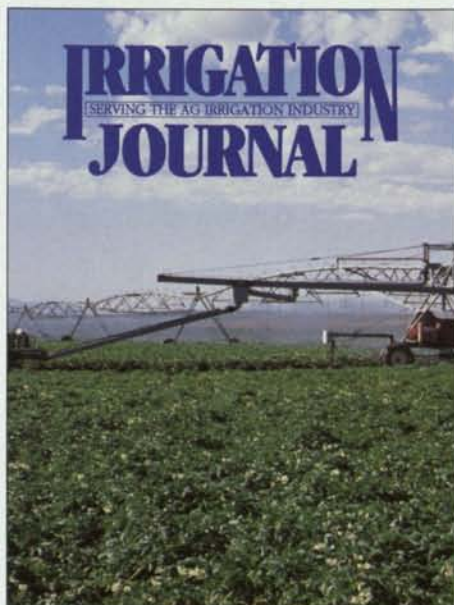
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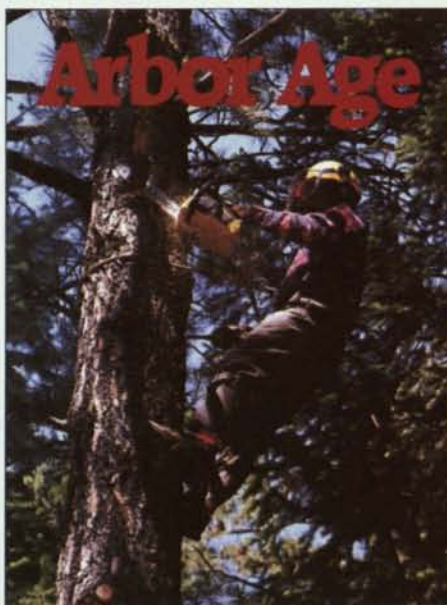
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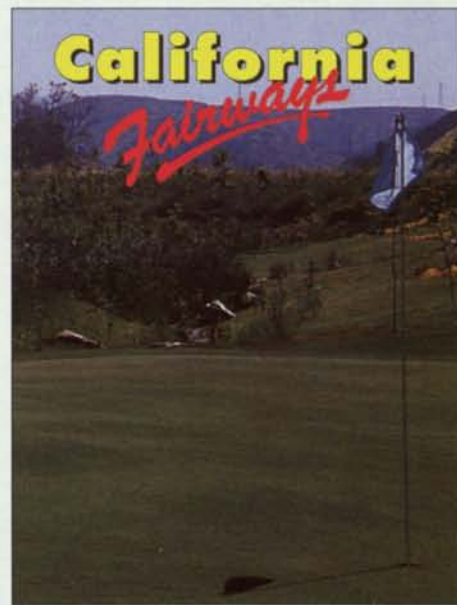
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