STMA IN ACTION

**Colorado Chapter:** CSTMA will hold a Mid-Summer Seminar on July 12 at Suplizio Field in Grand Junction, CO. A flyer will be sent with further information.

Make plans now to take part in "The 1996 Lawnmower-Man Open" Golf Tournament set for July 23 at the West Woods Golf Club in Arvada, CO.

For information on this seminar or the golf tournament, the Colorado Chapter or other upcoming events, call the 24-Hour CSTMA Chapter Hotline/FAX: (303) 438-9645 and leave a message, or contact: Troy Smith, Denver Broncos, at (303) 649-9000.

**Florida Chapter #1:** Note date change — the Florida Chapter meeting originally scheduled for July 16 has been moved to August 6 to accommodate the needs of Olympic Trials Soccer. The meeting site is the Orange Bowl Press Box. Meeting host, Dale Sandin, Orange Bowl sports turf manager, will give a slide presentation on Olympic Trials Soccer. A stadium tour will complete the day’s activities.

The Florida Chapter will also hold a “Turf Rodeo” on August 29 in conjunction with the Florida Parks and Recreation Association (FPRA) activities at the Rolling Hills Country Club in Ft. Lauderdale.

**Minnesota Chapter:** MSTMA’s second Workshop on Wheels has been set for Tuesday, July 16, in conjunction with a St. Paul Saints game. More details on this day-long event will be announced soon.

For information on the workshop, the Minnesota Chapter or other upcoming activities, contact: Brian Deyak at (612) 255-7223.

**Midwest Chapter:** “Training with the Bears” is planned for Wednesday, July 24, at the Chicago Bears Training Facility in Lake Forest, IL. The meeting will include a tour of the new state-of-the-art training facility.

For information on this meeting, the Midwest Chapter or other upcoming events, call: The Chapter Hotline, (847) 439-4727.

**Iowa Chapter:** For information on the Iowa Sports Turf Managers Association and upcoming activities, contact: Lori Westrum at The Turf Office at (515) 232-8222 (phone) or (515) 232-8228 (fax).

**Southern California Chapter:** The Southern California Chapter’s next meeting is planned for August 31 at the Epicenter Stadium in Rancho Cucamonga. Activities include a stadium tour, a dinner and camaraderie break, and the opportunity to attend the game between the Rancho Cucamonga Quakes ball team and a worthy opponent.

For information on this event, the Southern California Chapter and upcoming activities, contact: Chris Bunnell at (619) 432-2421.

**STMA Chapters on the Grow**

**Arizona:** For information on the newly forming Sports Turf Managers Association of Arizona, about upcoming events, or to find out how you can get involved, contact: Bill Murphy, City of Scottsdale Parks and Recreation Department, at (602) 994-7954.

**Kansas:** The newly forming Kansas Chapter is meeting regularly on the last Wednesday of each month. A mid-September seminar is in the planning stages. The same seminar format will be repeated during the designated week at different sites across the state — starting in east Kansas and then moving on to central and west Kansas locations.

For information on the monthly meetings, the September seminars — and especially to get involved — contact: Mark Schimming of Wichita Baseball, Inc. at (316) 292-2907, extension 205.

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