



## COVER STORY

### 08 College/University Softball Field of the Year

Pioneer Field of Texas Woman's University and Robert Trevino earned the 2002 STMA Softball Field of the Year Award.

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#### IPM strategies for warm-season turfgrasses

Disease control includes appropriate cultural management practices for healthy turfgrass, environmental stewardship, and minimal fungicide use.

#### Taken by "Surprise"

When the City of Surprise, AZ, announced plans to build one of the most ambitious pro training sites to date, it came as, well, a surprise.

#### Modular turf system evolves in Puerto Rico

The Ponce Lions completed last baseball season on a real-turf field, and that same surface was then changed over into a track-and-field venue.

### 29 Sportsturf Machines

#### 8 steps to an easy field facelift

In his work as a county extension agent, Jeff Fowler sometimes meets folks who forget the basic steps in maintaining athletic fields.

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#### 7 ways to maintain a safe playing surface

Kevin Vos, CSFM, shares what he and his crew do to keep their 8-field, 41-acre facility safe.

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