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The worms crawl in, the worms crawl out
BY DR. DAVID MINNER

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The University of New England won a 2008 STMA Sporting Grounds Field of the Year Award. Left to right: Lance Tibbetts, Gary Jenness, Phil Taschereau, and Richard Burgess.