

ROOKIES

PRODUCT UPDATE

BALL MARK REPAIRER



The Standard Golf/Shur-Way ball mark tool provides an alternative to bending over to repair ball marks left by golfers. Because he can stand up, a crew member can repair a number of ball marks quickly rather than having to kneel down for each repair.

The tool uses narrow aerification knives to force the grass and roots around a ball mark back to the center. The result is a neater repair than the conventional ball mark device which just raises the sunken spot caused by the ball. The unit is made of plated steel and quality aluminum castings.

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TURF INSECTICIDE

Turf care professionals may now use Sevin SL insecticide for control of a number of turf-damaging pests since a recent change in the product's label permits a wider range of application dosages. Now the dose can be specifically tailored to the target pest, from two quarts per acre for June beetle grubs to eight quarts per acre for hard-to-control white grubs and bluegrass billbugs.

With the new dosage flexibility, Sevin SL controls more than 100 insect pests that attack turf, trees, shrubs, flowers and garden vegetables. The water-based formulation is non-corrosive and can be mixed with most fungicides, miticides and other insecticides for improved application efficiency.

The lower doses save money and provide the applicator with an insecticide that

answers concerns of environmentalists. Sevin is also used to control insect pests on game birds.

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COMPACT FLOW MONITOR



The Model 1000 is a compact digital instrument that displays the rate of flow or total flow of an irrigation pipe at the push of a button. When connected to an insertion-type or tee-mounted flow sensor, the device calculates flows in pipes ranging from one to 40 inches interior diameter.

The five-inch-square instrument contains a microprocessor for field calibration and storage of flow information. The only calibration necessary is setting the interior diameter of the pipe being measured. The flow monitor will then provide flow rate and total flow data. Changes in flow can be sent to a flow alarm through a pulsed output circuit.

The unit will operate on power ranging from eight to 34 volts DC and 110 volts AC. It is intended primarily for surface mounting on panels.

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RYEGRASS BLEND

Symphony perennial ryegrass blends are mixed to meet local growing requirements for overseeded turf. Fine-leaf perennial ryegrasses, including Pennant, Bell, Pennfine, Manhattan II and Palmer are custom-blended for your particular region to provide the best results for parks, resorts, country clubs and golf courses.

The blend is selected to establish quickly and transition out in the spring. The peren-

nial ryegrass components are also chosen for wear tolerance and insect resistance. Symphony exhibits higher shade tolerance than bermudagrass and camouflages off-type bermudagrasses that do not go completely dormant during the winter.

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GOLF COURSE ACCESSORIES

The Lewisline is a complete assortment of specialty products for golf courses. From benches to ball washers, tee markers to cup cutters, special-event signs to trap rakes, flags to tee towels, if it is used on the golf course, it's in Lewisline's catalog.

Custom-designed accessories are also available for club insignia, as well as a wide assortment of information signs to warn golfers of ground under repair, out of bounds, cart restrictions and winter rules. Both portable and permanent benches are available, as well as trash receptacles and cleat brushes.

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PORTABLE FENCE

Open up more fields for Little League tournaments with portable safety fence by Easy Up and Out Field Inc. Little League rules require a perimeter fence in an arc 200 feet from home plate running from foul line to foul line. With the existing shortage of fields for Little League play in many areas, the fences permit use of multi-use fields and larger fenced baseball fields.

The four-foot-high vinyl-coated fence is suspended from five-foot-long plastic posts topped with caps. When a player crashes into the fence, it gives, preventing injuries sometimes caused by metal fences. The fence and posts have the strength to resist wind deflection and damage when struck.

When Little League play is finished, the fence and posts are quickly and easily removed, rolled up and stored in a movable wheeled cart.

The D-shaped posts are made of Merlon polycarbonate manufactured by Mobay Corp. The posts are inserted in the field in two-inch permanent groundsleeves. Polycarbonate plugs cover the groundsleeves when the fence is not being used.

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