

CGSA Redesign Process and Exciting Upcoming Events and Projects:

WE LISTENED!

- 2016-2017 Membership rates have been reduced by 25% for Superintendents (\$349) and Assistants (\$277) by eliminating non-essential services and reducing Head Office Expenses through office sharing. Members who pay their membership dues by May 31st will have a chance to win a registration to the 2017 conference.
- The 2017 Canadian Golf Course Management Conference will take place in the smaller centre of Victoria, BC from February 27 – March 3, 2017 with a Unique Experience for Networking and Education.
- The Fall Field Day will take place at some high profile venues across the country and abroad. This year's event is being held at the historic Royal Montreal Golf Club, the oldest golf club in Canada on October 4, 2016 – Watch for more details on some future sites!
- New Sponsorship Value Bundles will be catered to each individual industry
 partner to best suit their business model and support the CGSA and the industry.
- The new Champions Program has been established to work closer with the provinces and regions across the country to better meet the needs of our members.

CONTINUING WITH CORE SUPPORT ACTIVITIES

Profiling for the Profession continues with the <u>CGSA Bayer Superintendent of the Year and the CGSA Toro Future Superintendent of the Year Award</u>. New Award Deadlines start June 30th.

- The **2016 National Tournament Program** kicks off in May with our first plaque presentation to Jay Leach during the Canadian University/College Championship at Morningstar Championship Golf Course in Parksville, BC.
- The CGSA continues to Advocate for the Canadian Golf Superintendent profession. The recent re-evaluation of Chlorothalinil and Iprodione are two examples how the CGSA works on behalf of our industry.
- The CGSA continues its NAGA involvement with a seat at the table working cooperatively with our allied partners at NGCOA, CSCM, PGA Canada, and Golf Canada.

This is just the beginning! We need your support and we want YOU to share the value of the **NEW** CGSA.

If you know someone who isn't currently a member of the CGSA, <u>Click here</u> for a copy of the 2016-2017 Membership Application form or it is available on-line at: http://golfsupers.com/en/become-member.

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