

State semminar and Golf Tournament 2012

Aloha To All,

As the president of the Hawaii State Golf Course Superintendent Association it is with great pleasure to welcome everyone to the annual golf tournament and seminar.



It has been a great year for the association and congratulations and special thanks to our board of directors for their continuing effort in making the association the viable and vibrant organization that it is. I would also like to thank the numerous committee members who have helped out with this tournament this year and the years past. Membership participation at all levels is the key to growth and improvements in our association. Our annual tournament is being held at Ewa Beach Golf Course and this is our highlighted tournament for the year.

The board would like to thank all of our sponsors for this year with a special thanks to our platinum sponsor Pacific Golf and Turf. Also, we would like to give thanks to Brian Grady and his staff for hosting this event. The conditions of the course are excellent and it is ready for tournament play. Mr. Grady and his staff and everyone involved at Ewa Beach has done a tremendous job. It should be a great day for golf and we hope everyone enjoys themselves. The seminar will be held at the Hawaii Prince Hotel on September 14 from 8 am - 5 pm. We would like to welcome Mark Esoda, CGCS and Larry Gilhuly USGA to the island. The seminar will include discussions on Water Management and USGA Items of Interest. I am dedicated as your president to try to enhance and improve all our association events in the coming year in order to have more participation by all of our Hawaii State Golf Course Superintendent Association members and the Ohana that surrounds them.

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