The Mission of the GCSAA

When it comes to maximizing management potential on the golf course, membership benefits through the Golf Course Superintendents Association of America (GCSAA) and affiliated chapters provide a bagful of opportunity for Golf Course Superintendents across the United States — and the world!

The GCSAA is dedicated to serving its members, advancing their profession, and enriching the quality of golf and its environment. Chartered in 1926, the GCSAA now has more than 22, 000 members in 65 countries and offers support and services that benefit individuals like you — people involved with every aspect of the golf course management industry:

- ☑ Golf course superintendents
- ☑ Assistant golf course superintendents
- ☑ Directors of golf
- ☑ General managers
- ☑ Golf professionals
- ☑ Golf course maintenance personnel
- ☑ Golf course owners and developers
- ☑ Club officers, directors and committees
- ☑ County and municipal golf/parks and recreation administrators
- ☑ Golf course architects and builders
- ☑ Researchers, educators and students
- ☑ Manufacturers, suppliers and distributors

Cooperative efforts between the GCSAA and affiliated chapters assist in maximizing individual and team potential through high-caliber educational programs, the industry's largest conference and trade show, valuable career assistance, powerful government representation, networking opportunities, excellent information references, professional recognition, beneficial turf research informative publications and on-going support.

Benefits of the Florida West Coast Golf Course Superintendents Association

Education

The Florida West Coast GCSA has meetings that include informative, educational speakers. Education topics can range from technical turfgrass subjects to business management to personal self-improvement. The demands and technical aspects of the golf course superintendent's profession are changing rapidly. As a superintendent of assistant, continuing education is vital to your future success.

Continuing Education Units

Earn these through attendance of monthly meetings and from our educational speakers. You must have these to maintain your current class A or B membership status.

The Florida Green

Receive one of the best magazines in the industry. The Florida Green is published quarterly. It is full of news from each of Florida's 12 superintendent associations, plus industry news and feature articles.

West Coast Wind

Our own monthly newsletter keeps you up-to-date on what is happening within our chapter.

Networking Opportunities

FWCGCSA monthly meetings and events provide a wonderful opportunity to meet informally with your professional peers and gather valuable information. It would only take one problem to be solved; a piece of equipment bought, borrowed or sold; or a mistake avoided to easily cover your cost of membership.

Employment

The FWCGCSA offers help to those members who have lost their jobs or are looking for advancement through the Florida GCSA job referral service.

Mission Statement

The objective of the FWCGCSA shall be the advancement of the golf course superintendent in his/her club, community and daily life.

Benevolent Fund

A benevolent fund is available for FWGCSA members in time of need.

To join, complete the form below and mail to:
FWCGCSA
1936 Bruce B. Downs Blvd., #305
Wesley Chapel, FL 33543

Florida West Coast GCSA Membership Application

Preferred Mailing Address: ☐ Business ☐ Home

Name of Applicant: _____

Company/Course: _____

Company Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Business Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Fax: _____

E-Mail: _____

Home Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

☐ Please check here if interested in volunteering for board or committees

Class A or SM (Superintendents):	$150.00
Class C (Assistants):	$100.00
Class D (Affiliates):	$400.00
*additional reps (2 max)	$50.00
Class E (Employers, employees of superintendent or state, federal employees)	$100.00
Honorary/Retired	$_____

GCSAA Membership Number: _____
(required by class A or B members)
Make checks payable to FWCGCSA
** must fill out own application form & attach*

I hereby make application for membership in the FWCGSA and herewith attach my dues for one year. I promise to uphold and abide by the code of ethics and bylaws of this association.

_____
Signature

Date: _____

Attestors: Class A, B, or C and E members must have two class A members attest their application. Class D members must have six attestors.

Attestor 1 (print name) _____
Signature: _____
Attestor 2 (print name) _____
Signature: _____
Attestor 3: (print name) _____
Signature: _____

Attestor 4 (print name) _____
Signature: _____
Attestor 5 (print name) _____
Signature: _____
Attestor 6 (print name) _____
Signature: _____