Level 3 Bowling Greens: Advanced Turf Culture

Course description
The key management subjects – soils, drainage and irrigation, to grasses, nutrient levels and IPM, plus more – are studied through a progressive and educational GMA Learning course. Featuring an informative presentation, explore the aspects of turf culture which are applied in managing bowling greens and on completion of this final training step successfully manage pitch playability.

Some of the subjects covered on this course
- Soil problems and how to deal with them
- Irrigation management on a bowling green
- Drainage: impact on the surface and playability
- Grasses: choosing seeds and cultivars
- Managing nutrient levels for optimum playing surfaces
- Integrated Pest Management (IPM)
- Managing Performance Quality Standards

Is this training day suitable for me?
Ideal for the experienced volunteer, or employee and line manager, or just as a refresher for the established employee. With the delivery from an industry expert, explore, develop and reinforce applied technical skills and knowledge, with the latest best practices whilst leading your team to success.

What can I do after this course?
To build on the GMA route, undertake the GMA Level 3 Technical Diploma in Turf Surface Management, or, GMA Level 3 Supervisory Management. These are formal qualifications that explore different aspects of turf management, including the aspect of understanding turf management or leadership and management skills.

Benefits
You will become part of the growing network of sports turf experts and volunteers. You will gain valuable and applicable skills, as well as practical experience. You will enjoy a fun, informative and productive course – with delivery from an excellent and knowledgeable expert.

Course details
- Cost
  Visit www.thegma.org.uk/learning
- Duration
  One day (full)
- Location
  Venues across the UK

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