

## HINTS FOR HOMEOWNERS

### Lightweight Option For Trimming Grass & Weeds

(NAPSA)—Even if you've got the world on a string, you may still need a string trimmer to keep grass and weeds in line.

The problem is that many string trimmer models are too awkward and heavy for some people—particularly women and the elderly—to use without straining themselves. In addition, with electric models, users can get caught up and tangled in cords, or worse, cut into them and cause a short.

Fortunately, there is a lightweight, cordless option that makes it possible to easily reach any part of the lawn or garden. Weighing just 10 pounds, this well-balanced model is ergonomically designed to help reduce user fatigue.

The Ryobi 155r is considered easy to operate; its dependable battery technology ensures an instant start every time. In addition, the sealed cell removable battery maximizes power, performance and durability.

Other features include:

- The trimmer head and motor are positioned on either end of the straight shaft to keep the unit balanced;
- The comfortable handle adjusts for left- and right-handed operators;
- A bump head line feed sys-



**With a lightweight string trimmer, it's even easier to keep lawns neat and weeds under control.**

tem (.080" line) with a 10" cutting path; and

- A wall-mounting charging station automatically recharges the unit when it is not in use.

The 12-volt Ryobi 155r is also an inexpensive option for homeowners, retailing for about \$99.

Ryobi Outdoor Power Products, based in Chandler, Arizona, is a major producer of hand-held lawn and garden equipment. To learn more about the company's rechargeable string trimmer, or any other outdoor power product, call 800-345-8746 or visit the Web site at [www.RyobiOutdoor.com](http://www.RyobiOutdoor.com).