

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL CONFERENCE – FEBRUARY 23-24, 2010				
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2010				
12:30 pm	Registration			
1:00-5:00	This session made possible by a grant from the Environmental Stewardship Fund		Nutrient Management Symposium Moderator: Ernie Steinhöfer, CGCS, <i>Metro Turf Specialists</i> Frank Rossi, Ph.D. and Marty Petrovic, Ph.D., Cornell University DEC Credits: 3a, 3b, 10, 25 = 1.50 each • CNLP Credits = 4 • STMA CEUs = .35 This exceptional half-day nutrient management symposium reviews the role of nutrients in turf and how to manage fertility while preserving water quality.	
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2010				
6:00 am	Registration & Coffee			
6:30-7:30	EARLY BIRD Basic Turf Disease, Pick Your Best Defense Richard Buckley, <i>Rutgers University</i>		Moderator: Thomas Wright, <i>Mohonk Mountain House</i> DEC Credits: 3a, 3b, 10, 25 = 1.00 each CNLP Credits = 1 • STMA CEUs = .1	
7:30-8:15	Trade Show & Break			
8:15-9:45	GENERAL SESSION Insecticides: Modes of Action and Resistance Management Pat Vittum, Ph.D., <i>University of Massachusetts</i>		Moderator: Tom Leahy, CGCS, <i>Sleepy Hollow Country Club</i> DEC Credits: 3a, 3b, 10, 25 = 1.50 each CNLP Credits = 1.5 • STMA CEUs = .15	
9:45-10:30	Trade Show & Break			
10:30-12:00	GOLF TURF Moderator: Ernie Steinhöfer, CGCS <i>Metro Turf Specialists</i> DEC Credits: 3a, 3b, 10, 25 = 0.75 each CNLP Credits = 1.5 STMA CEUs = .15 Turfgrass Nutrition and Fertility Requirements A.J. Turgeon, Ph.D. <i>Pennsylvania State University</i>	LAWN & LANDSCAPE CLT TRAINING Moderator: Peter Muller <i>Quality Lawn Care</i> DEC Credits: 3a, 9, 10, 25 = 1.50 each 2 = 1.00 CNLP Credits = 1.5 STMA CEUs = .15 ISA CEUs = 1.5 Hemlock Woolly Adelgid Research and Ornamental Entomology Update Rick Harper <i>Cornell Cooperative Extension of Westchester County</i>	SPORTS TURF Moderator: Thomas Wright <i>Mohonk Mountain House</i> DEC Credits: 3a, 3b, 10 = 1.00 each CNLP Credits = 1.5 STMA CEUs = .15 Management of Soil and Sand Based Fields Marty Petrovic, Ph.D. <i>Cornell University</i> Sustainable Sports Turf Management Frank Rossi, Ph.D. <i>Cornell University</i>	CEMETERY MAINTENANCE Planning for Disaster or the Disasters of Not Planning Valerie Newell <i>NYSAC Disaster Preparedness Committee Chairperson</i> The Best Cemetery Equipment and Processes in the USA that Eliminate Waste and Improve Services Gino Merendino <i>Merendino Cemetery Care</i>
12:00-1:00	Lunch & Trade Show			
1:00-2:00	GOLF TURF Moderator: Steve Renzetti, CGCS <i>Pinnacle Turf</i> DEC Credits: 3a, 3b, 10 = 1.00 each CNLP Credits = 1 Mow Better; Understanding Putting Surface Mowing on the Modern Golf Course Frank Rossi, Ph.D. <i>Cornell University</i>	LAWN & LANDSCAPE CLT TRAINING Moderator: Steve Botto <i>Steve Botto, Inc.</i> DEC Credits: 3a, 9, 10, 25 = 1.00 each 3b = 0.50 CNLP Credits = 1 2009 Hot Topics Tamson Yeh, Ph.D. <i>Cornell Cooperative Extension of Suffolk County</i>	SPORTS TURF Moderator: Joseph Potrikus <i>Greener World Landscape Maintenance, LLC</i> DEC Credits: 3a, 3b, 10, 25 = 1.00 each CNLP Credits = 1 STMA CEUs = .1 Sports Turf Disease Update Richard Buckley <i>Rutgers University</i>	CEMETERY MAINTENANCE Cemetery Irrigation Systems <i>Storr Tractor Company</i>
2:00-2:30	Trade Show & Break			
2:30-3:30	GOLF TURF Moderator: Michael Maffei, CGCS <i>Back O'Beyond, Inc.</i> DEC Credits: 3a, 3b, 9, 10, 25 = 1.00 each CNLP Credits = 1 STMA CEUs = .1 Golf Course Insects Pat Vittum, Ph.D. <i>University of Massachusetts</i>	REGULATORY UPDATE Moderator: Steve Botto <i>Steve Botto, Inc.</i> DEC Credits: CORE = 1.00 CNLP Credits = 1 STMA CEUs = .1 ISA CEUs = 1.0 Inspections, Contracts and Pesticide Registration Thomas DeChillo <i>New York State Department of Environmental Conservation</i>	SPORTS TURF Moderator: Steve Renzetti, CGCS <i>Pinnacle Turf</i> CNLP Credits = 1 STMA CEUs = .1 Building a Green Stadium Bill Deacon <i>New York Mets</i>	CEMETERY MAINTENANCE Cemetery Equipment Maintenance Anthony Abbondola <i>Argento & Sons</i>

LOCATION & DIRECTIONS

Holiday Inn - Suffern
 3 Executive Blvd. • Suffern, NY 10901
 Phone: (845) 357-4800 • Fax (845) 918-1475

Rooms are available at the conference rate of \$98 single or double. Reservations should be made by February 10, to receive the conference rate.

NYS Thruway (I-287/I-87) to Exit 14B (Airmont Road). From North, exit left; from South, exit right. Take left onto Executive Blvd. Hotel is on the left.

EXHIBITOR INFORMATION

- One complimentary registration per booth.
- Set-up begins at 7:00 pm on Tuesday.
- Table included with exhibit space.
- Electric is available.
- Please bring your own extension cords.
- No banners may be tacked to walls.
- No outside exhibit area is available.
- Hours of Exhibit: Wednesday 7:30 am - 2:30 pm.

Booth assignments will be coordinated by Michael Maffei, CGCS. Any particular needs should be addressed with him at (845) 279-7179.

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The GCSAA has awarded .35 education points for Tuesday's session and .60 education points for Wednesday's session.

New Jersey pesticide recertification credits are available at 1 pesticide recertification unit for each 30 minutes of instruction for CORE or Category 3A or Category 3B.

Credits are also available for the following: ISA and STMA CEUs, CNLP, NYSDEC and Connecticut recertification credits and Certified Landscape Technician (CLT). See the schedule on the left for specific credits awarded for each session.

ATTENDEE REGISTRATION FORM SOUTHEAST REGIONAL CONFERENCE

Please return by February 16, 2010. On-site registration is available.

Please check associations that you are a member of:

New York State Turfgrass Association

Members of the following associations are entitled to member rates:

The Professional Landscape Association of Rockland County Hudson Valley GCSA

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(Please check the box next to the names of those who wish to attend the Tuesday seminar.)

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Nutrient Management Symposium

February 23, 2010

Dr. Frank Rossi, Associate
 Professor of Turfgrass Science,
 Cornell University and New York
 Extension Turfgrass Specialist



Dr. Marty Petrovic, Associate
 Professor of Turfgrass Science,
 Cornell University



Do you have questions concerning fertility as local regulations continue to change which products can be used? How important is phosphorus in fertilizer programs? If you want answers to these questions, don't miss Cornell University's top turfgrass science professors present an exceptional half-day nutrient management symposium. Known for his attention-grabbing style and riveting discussions, Dr. Frank Rossi will team up with Dr. Marty Petrovic, author of over 200 scientific articles, to review the role of nutrients in turf, how to manage fertility while preserving water quality, and best management practices.

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