

2008
**GREEN INDUSTRY PROFESSIONAL SEMINAR AND
PESTICIDE APPLICATOR RECERTIFICATION TRAINING
TURF AND ORNAMENTALS**

January 22, 23, & 24, 2008
ERNST COMMUNITY CULTURAL CENTER
NORTHERN VIRGINIA COMMUNITY COLLEGE
ANNANDALE, VIRGINIA

Sponsored by:
The Professional Grounds Management Society (PGMS) - DC Branch
The Northern Virginia Nursery and Landscape Association
Virginia Cooperative Extension

SEATING IS LIMITED. PLEASE REGISTER EARLY.

General Education Sessions 1/22, & 1/24, **Pesticide Recertification Wednesday 1/23, 2008**
Pesticide applicator recertification training has been approved for the following categories:

Virginia	Ornamental Pest Control-(3-A), Turf (3-B), Registered Technician (60), Right-of-Way (6) Regulatory (9), Demonstration and Research Pest Control (10)
Maryland	Ornamental Exterior (3-A), Ornamental Interior (3-B), Turf (3-C), Demonstration and Research (10), Right-of Way and Weed (6)
DC	Exterior Ornamental Plants (3-A), Lawn & Turf (3-B), Interior Ornamental Plants (3-C)

To qualify for pesticide applicator recertification, you are required to attend the entire day January 23, 2008. You must provide proof of attendance by checking in at registration, **and signing in on the recertification roster** with your name and permit number at the beginning of the course on January 23, 2008. Attendance will be verified during and at the end of the training session. We will remit your paperwork to each jurisdiction.

Seminar also approved for: **ISA Certified Arborist CEU's (call for details)**
VA Certified Nurseryman Credits

*For additional information call (703) 250-1368 or email greenisdcaol@aol.com.
Visit www.greenindustryseminar.org for registration confirmation.*

If NVCC closes due to inclement weather, that seminar day will be rescheduled.

Green Industry Professional Seminar
January 22, 2008

Moderator: Eric Wenger, Complete Plant Health Care, Complete Lawn Care, PGMS

8:00 – 8:15 **Welcome**

8:15 - 9:15 **Pros and Cons Of Organic Lawn Care**

Dr. Mike Goatley, Extension Turfgrass Specialist, VA Tech, Blacksburg, VA

9:15 – 10:00 **Healthy Soils For Healthy Plants**

Jose de la Cruz and Fehmi Midani, Potomac Springs Landscape, Springfield, VA

10:00 – 10:15 Break

10:15 - 11:15 **Pruning Evergreen Shrubs**

Steve Sullivan, Divisional Horticulturist, Brickman, Columbia, MD

11:15 - 12:15 Lunch

12:15 - 1:15 **Porous Pavements – 25 Years Of Results**

Dan Wible, Water Resource Engineer, Cahill Associates, West Chester, PA

1:15 - 1:30 Break

1:30 – 2:30 **Permits – When Do You Need Them and How Do You Get Them?**

Bill Benoit, VA Residential Manager, Chapel Valley Landscape Company,
Dulles, VA

2:30 – 3:15 **Time Management Skills To Improve Your Work Day**

Kevin O'Donnell, Head of Grounds, Villanova University, Villanova, PA

3:15 **Adjourn**

Seminar Planning Committee: Mary Bean, Coordinator; Kip Cortelyou, PGMS; Steve D'Amato, PGMS; Stephanie DeStefano, PGMS; Douglas McDaniel, PGMS; Jeremy Hager, NVNLA; Lanelle Kyle, NVNLA; Byron Wates, NVNLA; Adria Bordas, VCCE; Debbie Dillion, VCCE

**Green Industry Professional Seminar
Spanish Session
January 22, 2008**

Moderator: Mr. Steve D'Amato, Gardens of Eden , Woodboro, MD, PGMS Member

- 8:00 – 8:15 **Welcome/ Bienvenida**
- 8:15 - 9:00 **Healthy Soils For Healthy Plants**
Jose de la Cruz and Fehmi Midani, Potomac Springs Landscape, Springfield, VA
- 9:00 – 10:00 **Time Management Skills To Improve Your Work Day**
Kevin O'Donnell, Head of Grounds, Villanova University, Villanova, PA
- 10:00 – 10:15 Break/Descanso
- 10:15 - 11:15 **Pros and Cons Of Organic Lawn Care**
Dr. Mike Goatley, Extension Turfgrass Specialist, VA Tech, Blacksburg, VA
- 11:15 - 12:15 Lunch/Almuerzo
- 12:15 - 1:15 **Pruning Evergreen Shrubs**
Francisco Morales, Spanish Related Training, Brickman, Columbia, MD
- 1:15 - 1:30 Break
- 1:30 – 2:45 **Immigration Reform Update**
Romney Wright, Attorney, Immigration Law, Tysons Corner, VA
- 2:45 Adjourn/Clausura

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!
July 17, 2008
GREEN INDUSTRY PROFESSIONAL FIELD DAY AND TRADE SHOW
American University, Washington, DC
Classes / Vendors / Lunch / Live Music

**Pesticide Recertification
January 23, 2008**

Moderator: Dr. Raj Waghray, Entomology Consultant, Manassas, VA

7:45 – 8:00 **Welcome –**

8:00 - 9:00 **The Top Ten Landscape Pests**

Dr. Donald Booth, Entomologist, R.A. Bartlett Research Laboratory, Charlotte, N.C.

9:00 - 10:00 **Pesticide Regulations Update**

Mr. Frank Filipy, Pesticide Investigator, Virginia

Mr. Baldwin Williams, Pesticide Investigator, District of Columbia

10:00 - 10:15 Break

10:15 - 11:00 **Non Chemical Pest Management As Part Of Your IPM Program**

Dr. Mark Hardin, IPM Coordinator, Howard County Public Schools,
Ellicott City, MD

11:00 - 11:45 Group A - Lunch in the Forum

Group B - **New Pesticide Products for Turf and Ornamentals**

Dave Young and Bob Butterworth, Fisher & Son Company, Silver Spring, MD

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Group A - **New Pesticide Products for Turf and Ornamentals**

Dave Young and Bob Butterworth, Fisher & Son Company, Silver Spring, MD

12:30 - 1:30 **Pest Management of Lawn and Roadside Turf**

Dr. Kevin Mathias, Instructor and Advisor, Turfgrass Management, Institute of Applied
Agriculture, University of MD, College Park, MD

1:30 - 2:00 **Pests of Interior Plants**

Dr. Mark Hardin, IPM Coordinator, Howard County Public Schools,
Ellicott City, MD

2:00 - 2:15 Break

2:15 - 3:15 **Pesticide Safety – Are You Ready For A Spill?**

Dr. Fred Whitford, Coordinator, Purdue Pesticide Programs, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN

3:15 - 3:30 Collect requests for recertification credit

3:30 Adjourn

Green Industry Professional Seminar
January 24, 2008

Moderator: Ms. Lanelle Kyle, Professional Grounds, Springfield, VA, NVNLA

- 8:00 – 8:15 **Welcome**
- 8:15 - 9:15 **The Effects Of Drought On Trees**
Dr. Donald Booth, Entomologist, Bartlett Tree Research Laboratories, Charlotte, NC
- 9:15 – 10:00 **Designing Around Large Trees**
Melissa Gildea, Principal Designer, Lotus Design and Consulting, Certified Arborist, Reston, VA
- 10:00 – 10:15 Break
- 10:15 – 11:30 **Securing Pesticides And Equipment For The Road**
Fred Whitford, Perdue University Cooperative Extension, Lafayette, IN
- 11:30 - 12:15 Lunch
- 12:15 - 1:15 **OSHA – What To Expect When You’re Inspected**
Zachery Bruce, Regional Loss Control Manager, Hortica Insurance and Employee Benefits, Charlton, MA
- 1:15 - 1:30 Break
- 1:30 - 2:15 **Evaluating The Site With Your Client**
G. Stewart Bunn, Certified Arborist, Bartlett Tree Experts, Springfield, VA
- 2:15 - 3:15 **Bareroot To Bareroot, Coming Full Circle**
Dr. Bonnie Appleton, VA Tech Hampton Roads Agricultural Research and Extension Center, Virginia Beach, VA
- 3:15 Adjourn

All Attendees
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**Green Industry Professional Seminar
Spanish Session
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Moderators: Adria Bordas, Extension Agent, VA Coop Extension, Fairfax County, and David Yost, Merrifield Garden Center, Fair Oaks, VA

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1:30 - 2:30 **English As Your Second Language**
Mary Ray, ESOL Coordinator, Fairfax County Public Schools, Fairfax, VA

2:30 – 3:15 **Recognizing Tree Damage and It’s Causes**
G. Stewart Bunn, Certified Arborist, Bartlett Tree Experts, Springfield, VA

3:15 Adjourn/Clausura

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