

2018 MTGF FIELD DAY

PRESENTED BY



Extension
Turfgrass Science

AUGUST 9 REGISTRATION FORM

The TURF & GROUNDS FIELD DAY is back on the St. Paul campus this year as the University of Minnesota once again partners with the Minnesota Turf and Grounds Foundation to produce this popular event at TROE Center and UFore Nursery.

MAKE PLANS TO JOIN US ON THURS., AUG. 9 for outdoor education presented by University of Minnesota faculty and staff working in turfgrass science, horticulture and forestry. The Field Day will run from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m., with presentation topics ranging from turfgrass species for natural areas to disease management in turf and trees.

Our research and extension programs at the University of Minnesota are constantly evolving. This spring we had several graduate students defend their thesis projects and new students have entered the program. We have also had several new staff hires, and we are looking forward to showcasing their work.

FIELD DAY AGENDA - AUG. 9, 2018

8:00 - 9:00 am / Registration and Networking

9:00 am - 12:00 pm / Turf Track

12:00 - 1:00 pm / Lunch, Vendor Networking & Putting Contest

1:00 - 3:00 pm / Tree and Grounds Track

EDUCATION POINTS

CEU's for Certified Arborist, Municipal Specialist, BCMA - Science, .GCSAA-approved Education Points will be available and announced.

COMPLETE AGENDA ON BACK

FIELD DAY IS LOCATED ON THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF LARPEUR & CLEVELAND IN FALCON HEIGHTS

GCSAA APPROVED
EDUCATION POINTS



Please register _____ people at \$25 ea. for the Turf Track and Lunch for a total of \$ _____

Please register _____ people at \$25 ea. for Lunch and the Tree and Grounds Track for a total of \$ _____

Please register _____ people at \$35 ea. for ALL DAY and Lunch for a total of \$ _____

Name(s) _____

Employer / Company _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Check Association(s): ☐ MGCSA ☐ MPSTMA ☐ MSA ☐ MASMS ☐ MAC ☐ MTA ☐ MTSC ☐ MNLA ☐ STUDENT

TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ _____

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: MINNESOTA TURF AND GROUNDS FOUNDATION

QUESTIONS: 952-473-3722 www.mtgf.org

MAIL TO:

MTGF FIELD DAY
P. O. BOX 617
WAYZATA, MN 55391

TURF TRACK

TROE CENTER

New Wetting Agent Research

Ryan Schwab, Graduate Research Assistant

Nutrient and Pesticide Runoff From Home Lawns and Golf Courses

Dr. Brian Horgan, Professor

Social and Economic Value of Urban Greenspaces

Ben Janke, Postdoctoral Associate

Fine Fescue Putting Green Research

Dominic Petrella, Postdoctoral Research Associate

Consumer Mixture Drought Trials

Florence Sessoms, Research Scientist

Using Technology to Enhance Irrigation Efficiency

Chase Straw, Post-Doctoral Research Associate
& Dan Sandor, Post-Doctoral Research Associate

Breeding Sustainable Grasses

Dr. Eric Watkins, Professor

Protecting and Promoting Pollinators in Lawns

James Wolfin, Graduate Research Assistant

Reducing Pesticide Use through Natural Weed Suppression

Jon Trappe, Post-Doctoral Research Associate

TREE & GROUNDS TRACK

UFORE NURSERY

What Trees Will We Be Maintaining in 2050?

Dr. Gary Johnson, Professor/Extension Professor

Emerald Ash Borer Pathology Research

Alissa Cotton, Undergraduate Research Assistant

Top Five Tree Diseases in 2018

Ben Held, Research Scientist

Conservation Arboriculture & Retrenchment Pruning Research

Chad Giblin, Research Fellow
& Brian Luedtke, Arborist Technician



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