

Basic Training: Turf Management



This one-day workshop, offered in *three* locations is designed for beginners in turf or for more experienced professionals who want a review on the basic foundations of turfgrass management. This workshop will cover the basics on plant growth, turfgrass establishment and cultural practices in the morning, and the pest management and pesticide safety in the afternoon. A great workshop for the whole staff!

December 9, 2008

Marion Co. Extension Office
6640 Intech Blvd, Ste 120
Indianapolis, Indiana

Registration: 8.30 am (Eastern)
Workshop: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
(lunch on your own)

December 10, 2008

Clark County REMC
7810 State Road 60
Sellersburg, Indiana

Registration: 8.30 am (Eastern)
Workshop: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
(lunch on your own)

December 11, 2008

Marshall Co. Extension Office
112 W. Jefferson
Plymouth, Indiana

Registration: 8.30 am (Eastern)
Workshop: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
(lunch on your own)

Morning Topics

- Basic Growth:** The fundamentals of turfgrass growth emphasizing how management affects growth and physiology.
- Establishment:** Soil preparation, planting date, species selection, and post-plant care for seed and sod.
- Cultural Practices:** Mowing, irrigation, aerification, thatch control, and other practices to maintain healthy turf.
- Fertilization:** Fertilizer needs, rates, timing, and sources for an efficient fertilization program.

Afternoon Topics

- Weed ID & Control:** ID, biology and control of crabgrass, dandelion, clover and many other weeds.
- Disease ID & Control:** Understanding ID, biology, and management of common turf diseases.
- Insect ID & Control:** ID, biology, and management of white grubs and other insects.
- Pesticide Safety:** The practical and legal aspects of using pesticides on Indiana turf.

- Preregistration:** Preregistration is required. Attendance is positively **limited to the first 60 registrants**. If for any reason you are unable to attend, all registration fees are to be considered a donation to the MRTF, a 501c3 not-for-profit organization.
- Deadline:** Registration deadline is December 1, 2008
- Price:** **member:** \$60 per person for the first two members and \$40 per person for any additional member
nonmember: \$90 per person
- Directions:** Will be included with a confirmation letter.
- CCH:** 3 CCH's have been requested for category 3b and RT
- Membership:** Contact Jennifer Biehl at 765-494-8039 or biehlj@purdue.edu for information.

DETACH AND RETURN

Organization _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

MRTF Membership (qualifies for MRTF Member Prices) \$100/Company \$ _____

Attendee Name	Indianapolis			Sellersburg		Plymouth	
	12/09/08	12/10/08	12/11/08	Member	Nonmember	Total	
1. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$60.00	\$90.00	\$ _____	
2. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$60.00	\$90.00	\$ _____	
3. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$40.00	\$90.00	\$ _____	
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Make checks payable to MRTF or charge:

MasterCard Visa Am. Express

Card No. _____ Exp. Date _____

Authorized Signature _____

Total Due \$ _____

Return form to : MRTF P.O. Box 2285 West Lafayette, IN 47996-2285 or Fax: 765/496-6335 by 12/1/2008

Calendar of Events

July 15, 2008: Field Day

Daniel Turf Center, West Lafayette, Indiana

September 29, 2008: MRTF Golf Outing

The Fort Golf Resort, Indianapolis, Indiana

November 10-12: Turf & Ornamental Seminar

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January 12-14, 2009: Indiana Green Expo

Indiana Convention Center, Indianapolis, Indiana

February 11-12, 18-19, 2009: IN-IL Short Course

Holiday Inn, Willowbrook, Illinois

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Midwest Regional Turf Foundation

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