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TURFGRASS
CONFERENCE**

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MONDAY, APRIL 13, 1992

- 10:00 a.m. REGISTRATION OF GOLF TOURNAMENT PLAYERS – Registration fee for turf conference: \$35.00. (Registration will be in the headhouse of the greenhouse next to the turf plots at the Coastal Plain Experiment Station on Monday and in the lobby of the Rural Development Center on Tuesday. Registration fee for those playing golf will be payable at the Golf Course.)
- 10:30 a.m. WELCOME – Director Gale Buchanan, Georgia Coastal Plain Experiment Station, Tifton, Georgia.
DISCUSSION OF TURF RESEARCH. Tour of the turf research plots for the golf tournament players.
- 12:00 noon LUNCH at Spring Hill Country Club, compliments of Southern Turf Nurseries, Tifton, Georgia.
- 1:00 p.m. GOLF TOURNAMENT at Spring Hill Country Club.
- 2:00 p.m. REGISTRATION FOR THOSE NOT PLAYING GOLF – Registration fee for Turf Conference: \$35.00. (Registration will be in the headhouse of the greenhouse next to the turf plots at the Coastal Plain Experiment Station on Monday and in the lobby of the Rural Development Center on Tuesday.)
- 2:30 p.m. WELCOME – Director Gale Buchanan, Georgia Coastal Plain Experiment Station, Tifton, Georgia.
DISCUSSION OF TURF RESEARCH – Tour of the turf research plots.
- 6:30 p.m. Research putting tournament and barbecue at Tifton Family Golf Course sponsored by Tifton Turf Farms.

TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 1992

MEETING PLACE RURAL DEVELOPMENT CENTER

Participation in the Program will earn 1 hour of credit on your pesticide applicators license. Forms that must be filled out will be distributed at the end of the Tuesday program.

- 8:30 a.m. WELCOME – Dr. Harold J. Loyd, President, Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College, Tifton, Georgia.
- 8:40 a.m. WELCOME – Mr. Mark Hoban, President, Georgia Golf Course Superintendents Association, The Standard Club, Duluth, Georgia, and President, GGCSA, Watkinsville, Georgia.
SESSION CHAIRMAN – Karen White, Executive Director, GGCSA, Watkinsville, Georgia.
- 8:50 a.m. UPDATE ON THE UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA TURFGRASS EXTENSION PROGRAM – Dr. Gil Landry, Extension Turf Specialist, Georgia Experiment Station, Griffin, Georgia.
- 9:00 a.m. THE FUTURE OF GOLF TURF – Dr. Michael Kenna, USGA Director, Green Section Research, Stillwater, Oklahoma.
- 9:30 a.m. MOBILITY AND PERSISTENCE OF PESTICIDES IN A USGA GREEN – Dr. John Cisar, FLREC, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida.
- 10:00 a.m. WARM SEASON TURFGRASS BREEDING WORK AT TIFTON – Dr. Wayne W. Hanna, Research Geneticist, USDA-ARS, Coastal Plain Experiment Station, Tifton, Georgia.
- 10:30 a.m. BREAK

- 10:45 a.m. GOING FOR THE GOLD WITH BERMUDAGRASS GREENS – John Foy, USGA Director, State of Florida, Hobe Sound, Florida.
- 11:15 a.m. THE LATEST THOUGHTS ON THE USGA PUTTING GREEN SPECIFICATIONS – Dr. Norm Hummel, Associate Professor of Turfgrass Science, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York.
- 11:55 a.m. COMPLIMENTARY LUNCH jointly supplied by Southern Turf Nurseries and Tifton Turf Farms under the Rural Development Center Shelter.
- SESSION CHAIRMAN: Sara Bunschuh, Executive Director, Georgia Turfgrass Association, Acworth, Georgia.
- 1:00 p.m. ANOTHER LOOK – EFFLUENT WATER ON THE GOLF COURSE – Mr. Tom Benefield, President, FGCSA, Stuart, Florida.
- 1:30 p.m. A CASE STUDY OF THE BOCA RIO COUNTRY CLUB RENOVATION – Mr. Mike Bailey, Golf Superintendent, Boca Rio Golf Club, Boca Raton, Florida.
- 2:00 p.m. NEW SOD TECHNOLOGY – Mr. Mike Egan, President, Rapid Turf, Inc., Savannah, Georgia.
- 2:15 p.m. NEW TECHNOLOGY FOR BUNKER AND PUTTING GREEN SAND INSTALLATIONS – Mr. Pudge Guettler, Guettler & Sons, Ft. Pierce, Florida.
- 2:30 p.m. SAFE PESTICIDE STORAGE PRACTICES, ETC. – Mr. Lee Bloomcamp, Sales Representative II, Miles, Inc., Agriculture Division, Miami, Florida.
- 3:00 p.m. NEW DEVELOPMENTS WITH SUMMER BENTGRASS FOLIAR AND ROOT DISEASES – Dr. Ed Brown, Extension Plant Pathology, University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia.
- 3:30 p.m. ROUNDUP – Dr. Glenn W. Burton, Research Geneticist, USDA-ARS, Georgia Coastal Plain Experiment Station, Tifton, Georgia.
- 3:45 p.m. ADJOURN

HOUSING RESERVATIONS

Due to some confusion at past Conferences it is requested that you write directly to the motel for room reservations at Tifton. Given below are some of the places in Tifton where you might stay. It is suggested that these reservations be made as far in advance as possible. Should there be any difficulty in securing a place to stay, contact Dr. Glenn W. Burton, Georgia Coastal Plain Experiment Station, Tifton, Georgia 31793.

Carson Motel, Hwy. 82 W., 912-382-3111
 Comfort Inn, 1104 King Rd., 912-382-4410
 Day's Inn, W. 8th St., 912-382-7210
 Hampton Inn, 720 Hwy. 319 S., 912-382-8800
 Holiday Inn, I-75, 912-382-6687
 Master's Economy Inn, I-75 & U.S. 82, 912-382-8100
 Passport Inn, I-75 & Hwy. 82, Exit 18, 912-382-1221
 Quality Inn of Tifton, 1103 King Rd., 912-386-2100
 Ramada Inn, Hwy. 82 W., 912-382-8500
 Red Carpet Inn of Tifton, I-75 & 2nd St. W., 912-382-0280
 Scottish Inn, Hwy. 82 W. & I-75, 912-386-2350
 Thunderbird Motel, I-75 & Exit 19, 912-382-9500
 Town Terrace Motel, W. 12th St., 912-382-4466

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