

TURFGRASS CONFERENCE

MAY 1 & 2, 2006

MONDAY, May 1, 2006

8:00 a.m.	REGISTRATION - Lobby, Tifton Campus Conference Center at the RDC, Exit 64, I-75.	2:25 p.m.	WELCOME - Dr. David Bridges, Assistant Dean, UGA Tifton Campus Tifton, GA.
9:00-10:45 a.m.	PESTICIDE TRAINING at Tifton Campus Conference Center at the RDC, Exit 64, I-75, Eddie Seagle, Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College, Tifton, GA.	2:30 - 4:00 p.m.	DISCUSSION OF RESEARCH at Coastal Plain Experiment Station Research Plots. <i>(This discussion will be different than the earlier one at 10:45).</i>
9:00-10:45 a.m.	IRRIGATION TRAINING at the Tifton Campus Conference Center at the RDC, Exit 64, I-75, James Hall and Mike Williamson-Jerry Pate Turf & Irrigation, Atlanta. Jeff Fleming-Stovall and Company, Atlanta. - Moderator: Danny Cravey		Panel: Peggy Ozias-Akins and Song Zhang, University of Georgia, Tifton - TISSUE CULTURE AND MOLECULAR TECHNIQUES IN TURF Will Hudson, University of Georgia, Tifton Campus— INSECT CONTROL IN TURF Bruce Martin, Clemson University, Florence, SC- DISEASE CONTROL IN TURF Clint Waltz, University of Georgia, Griffin- MANAGEMENT ON TIFBLAIR CENTIPEDEGRASS Tim Murphy, University of Georgia - WEED CONTROL IN TURF Paul Raymer, University of Georgia- PASPALUM CULTIVARS Wayne Hanna, University of Georgia, Tifton - BREEDING FOR QUALITY AND PEST RESISTANCE
11:00-12:00 a.m.	PROPER SOLVENT CEMENT TECHNIQUES FOR PVC PIPING—SAFETY AND MSDS at the Tifton Campus Conference Center at the RDC, Exit 64, I-75, W. T. Bailey, IPS Corporation, Durham, NC.		
11:00-12:00 a.m.	DISCUSS AND VIEW BREEDING AND PEST CONTROL on RESEARCH PLOTS at Coastal Plain Experiment Station-Test Area 2— SHADE RESISTANCE, DROUGHT RESISTANCE, NEW CENTIPEDEGRASS CULTIVARS, NEW BERMUDAGRASS CULTIVARS, ETC. (Walking tour by Wayne Hanna, <i>This discussion will be different than the one at 2:30</i>).		
Noon	LUNCH at the Tifton Campus Conference Center sponsored by Southern Turf Nurseries, Inc., Tifton, GA.	6:00 p.m.	DINNER at Tifton Family Golf Center, Brighton Road (I-75 north, Exit 66, then 1.3 mile east), Sponsored by Tifton Turf, Inc.

AFTERNOON MEETING

1:00 - 2:30 p.m.	ABAC Bus Transportation from Tifton Campus Conference Center at the RDC to Coastal Plain Experiment Station every 15 minutes.
1:30 - 2:30 p.m.	VIEW BREEDING AND PEST CONTROL on Research Plots at Coastal Plain Experiment Station-Test Area 1.

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TUESDAY, MAY 2, 2006 (General Session)

Participating in the Pesticide and Equipment Workshop and Field Day on the turf plots on Monday and in the Educational Program on Tuesday will earn credit on your pesticide applicator license according to state. Forms that must be filled out will be distributed at the **end of the Tuesday program**.

MEETING LOCATION:

TIFTON CAMPUS CONFERENCE CENTER AT THE RDC - SMALL AUDITORIUM

8:00 a.m. **REGISTRATION** - Lobby, Tifton Campus Conference Center at the RDC

8:20 a.m. **WELCOME** - Caroline Helms, Vice President and Dean of Academic Affairs, Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College, Tifton, GA.

MODERATOR – Wayne Hanna, University of Georgia, Tifton Campus

8:30 a.m. **WEED CONTROL IN TURF**- Scott McElroy, University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

9:00 a.m. **EMERGING TECHNOLOGY IN THE TURFGRASS INDUSTRY**- Dana Lonn, The Toro Company, Minneapolis, MN.

9:30 a.m. **INSECTS TO WATCH FOR AND CONTROL**- Kris Braman, University of Georgia, Griffin Campus.

10:00-10:30 a.m. **BREAK**

10:30 a.m. **TURFGRASS DISEASES AND THEIR CONTROL**- Bruce Martin, Clemson University, Florence, SC.

11:00 a.m. **BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES FOR TURF**- Lee Bloomcamp, Syngenta Professional Products, Gainesville, FL.

11:30 a.m. **NEW FOUR-YEAR TURF PROGRAM AT ABAC**- Eddie Seagle, Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College, Tifton, GA.

11:50 a.m.

SPECIAL RECOGNITION FOR DR. GLENN BURTON'S CAREER- Wayne Hanna, University of Georgia, Tifton Campus.

12:00 - 1:15 p.m.

LUNCH at the Tifton Campus Conference Center at the RDC sponsored by Pike Creek Turf, Adel, GA.

GOLF TURF SESSION

MODERATOR –Patrick O'Brien, USGA Green Section

1:15 p.m. **SUCCESS WITH ULTRADWARF BERMUDAGRASS**- Berry Collett, Director of Golf Maintenance for Sea Island Company.

1:45 p.m. **PAINTED VS DORMANT GRASS**- Chris Hartwiger, USGA Green Section.

2:15 p.m. **RESEARCH ON ESTABLISHING TIFSPORT AND TIFEAGLE**- Beth Guertal, Auburn University, Auburn, AL.

2:45 p.m. **DISCUSSION**

LAWN AND SPORTS TURF

MODERATOR – Lorie Felton- Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College, Tifton, GA.

1:15 p.m. **SPORTS FIELD MANAGEMENT**- John Sorochoan, University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

1:45 p.m. **BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES FOR LAWNS**- Clint Waltz, University of Georgia, Griffin.

2:15 p.m. **SIMILARITIES BETWEEN GOLF COURSE AND SPORTS FIELD MANAGEMENT-WHAT CAN WE DO FOR EACH OTHER?**- Jeff Pixley, Turf Prescriptions, Forsyth, Georgia.

2:45 p.m. **DISCUSSION**

For More Information

Visit our Website:

Tifton Campus Conference Center

www.ugatiftonconference.org

at Upcoming Events

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Tifton Campus Conference Center at the RDC

Phone: (229) 386-3416

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The Sixtieth Annual Southeastern Turfgrass Conference also benefits an ABAC Scholarship and turf research.

TO REGISTER:

Complete the attached registration form and return it with payment to Conference Office, Tifton Campus Conference Center at the Rural Development Center, P. O. Box 1209, Tifton, GA 31793. Make checks payable to TURFGRASS/RDC. If pre-registered, please come by the registration desk and pick up your name tag. **You may also register on-line at www.ugatiftonconference.org.** Registration will be held at the Tifton Campus Conference Center at the RDC.

REFUNDS & CANCELLATIONS:

Refunds will be given for cancellations made one week prior to the conference. A \$10 cancellation fee will be charged. You may also make substitutions at any time at no additional charge. For substitutions or cancellations call 229-386-3416.

FEE:

Registration postmarked by April 17, 2006 - \$65.00
After April 17, 2006 all registrations - \$90.00

PESTICIDE CREDITS/CEUs:

Pesticide recertification credit in category 24 (Ornamental and Turf) has been requested from Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina, Florida, Tennessee, and Alabama. Forms that must be filled out for

pesticide credit will be distributed at the end of the Tuesday program.

Continuing Education Units have been requested from the Golf Course Superintendents Association of America and will be awarded by Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College. Certified Crop Advisors credit will also be offered.

LODGING:

It is requested that you directly contact a motel for room reservations in Tifton. A block of rooms has been reserved at each of the following motels. **(To receive these special rates, refer to the "Turfgrass Conference" when calling for reservations.)** It is suggested that these reservations be made as far in advance as possible. Rooms will only be held at these rates until April 15, 2006.

Days Inn & Suites	(229) 382-8505	\$58.99 plus tax D
Hampton Inn	(800) 892-2753	\$79.00 plus tax D/K
Holiday Inn	(229) 382-6687	\$69.00 plus tax D/K
Marriott Courtyard	(229) 388-0803	\$82.00 plus tax D/K

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