

REGISTRATION

School of Turfgrass Management
January 16, 17 & 18, 2012

Theodore Wirth Golf Course
Minneapolis, MN

Fill out a separate registration form for each participant. Please print clearly.

name
company
address
city/state/zip
phone
fax
email

Enclose a fee of \$775 payable to
**Minnesota Turf and Grounds
Foundation** and mail to:
P.O. Box 617
Wayzata, MN 55391

or

call 952-473-3722 to pay by credit card

Registration information available at:
www.mtgf.org

Upon receipt of your registration you will receive confirmation with additional information on area hotels and maps to Theodore Wirth GC. Your fee includes:

- Comprehensive reference materials, including a 4-inch binder full of information
- Field pest and turf identification guides and diagnostic tools
- Certificate of completion
- Continuing education credits (GCSAA and state, if applicable)
- Refreshment breaks

Lunches and lodging not included

Deadline

December 23, 2011

Registration is limited, so we encourage you to register early.

Persons who register after the school is filled will be placed on a mailing list for the next session offered.

For questions about the school, please contact:

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ABOUT THE SCHOOL

The School of Turfgrass Management provides 27 hours of intensive, in-depth training in the biology, ecology and cultural management of turfgrass. Technical information will be presented in lecture settings on the basic applications of turfgrass management applicable to golf course management, lawn care, athletic field management and sod production. That knowledge will be integrated into hands-on case studies where attendees will work together to solve problems related to the lecture material.

The Goal

This School is designed to provide a basic foundation of turfgrass training for individuals with no formal education in turfgrass management or for those who desire a refresher.

Who Should Attend

Turfgrass professionals of all skill levels will benefit from this school; however, it will be particularly useful for individuals entering the turfgrass industry, as well as professionals who have been in the turfgrass industry for many years and lack formal training.

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**Providing Knowledge & Technical
Expertise in the Art & Science of
Turfgrass Management**

INSTRUCTORS

Without question, the strength of the School of Turfgrass Management lies within the depth and experience of the turfgrass faculty. This program allows for extensive interaction with scientists having national and international recognition.

Dr. Eric Watkins

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Dr. Brian Horgan

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University of Wisconsin-Madison

SCHEDULE

Monday, January 16:

8am – 6pm

- Turfgrasses
 - Growth
 - Identification
 - Selection and Case Studies
- Turfgrass Weeds
 - Biology
 - Identification
 - Control and Case Studies

Tuesday, January 17:

8am – 6pm

- Turfgrass Soils
 - Physical and Chemical Props.
 - Soil Management
 - Using Web Soil Survey
- Nutrient Management Planning
 - Fertilizer Properties
- Environmental Impacts of Turf Mgmt.

Wednesday, January 18:

8am – 6pm

- Turfgrass Diseases
 - Identification
 - Control Strategies
- Pesticides and Growth Regulators
- Irrigation and Soil Water Mgmt.
- Cocktail hour and graduation ceremony



SURVEY

Facet of the Turfgrass Industry:

- ___ Golf
- ___ Landscape/Lawn Care
- ___ Parks and Recreation
- ___ Supplier/Manufacturer
- ___ Irrigation
- ___ Consulting Services
- ___ Sod Production

Other _____

Years in the Turf and Grounds Industry:

___ 1-4 ___ 5-10 ___ 11+

Highest Level of Education:

___ High School ___ 2-Yr College
___ 4-Yr College ___ Graduate School

Formal Turfgrass Education (all that apply):

___ 2-Yr College ___ 4-Yr College
___ Seminars ___ Short Courses

Other _____

How many people do you supervise? _____

Do you assist with training?

___ Yes ___ No

Are you a member of a turfgrass association?

___ Yes ___ No

Which association? _____