“Problem Solving” - Spring Field Day - Held by Sports Field Managers Association of New Jersey

Wednesday, April 3, 2002 8:30 am registration
Plainsboro Township Community Park
(20 Woodland Dr.) ‘Rain or Shine’

It is with great pleasure that the Sports Field Managers Association of New Jersey (SFMANJ) announces it will host a Spring Field Day. This field day will provide attendees with information on athletic field & turf management. Who should attend? Sports field managers, DPW & buildings & grounds crew members, coaches, athletic directors, parks & recreation directors, administrators and supervisors are encouraged to attend.

Attendees can meet vendors, see new products, and watch professionals demonstrate various aspects of athletic field management. O/A Session. TOPICS:

For Your Turf
- Developing a fertility strategy
- Field specific maintenance and renovation
- Turf blankets, you be the judge
- Cool season weed control
- Pesticide safety recertification points
- Irrigation problems

For Your Infield Skin
- Home plate construction
- Pitchers mound construction
- Developing a field specific grading plan
- Lip reduction and maintenance
- Field layout
- Breakaway base installation
- Grooming technique

Mail in Pre-Registration – call for directions

After March 27 Register on-site

SFMANJ Member: $30.00 - After March 27th ......$35.00
Non Member: $40.00 - After March 27th ......$45.00
($10.00 applicable toward new SFMANJ membership)

SEND CHECK OR VOUCHER TO:
SFMANJ, PO BOX 370, ANNANDALE, NJ 08801

Field Day Participating Vendors -To Date
Finch Turf Equipment
JDL Equipment Company
Fisher & Son
Kifco Irrigation
Lesco
National Seed
Wilfred Mac Donald
Storr Tractor Company
The Terre Company
Till Paint Company

Field Day Door Prizes Donated
Cover Tech ................ Turf Blanket
JDL Equipment Company ........ One dozen golf balls
Fisher & Son .................. 3-gal. poly sprayer
SFMANJ ..................... One free membership to STMA
SFMANJ ..................... Compendium of STMA Sports Turf Topics
Storr Tractor Company .... Toro hand blower
Wilfred Mac Donald .......... Husky string trimmer

Items Donated
Profile Company ................. Turface mound blocks
Hinspergers Poly Industries Ltd. .... Evergreen Blankets
Tee Jet ............ Calibration Rulers, to the first 100 people who show up
Jim Hermann... SFMANJ Promotional Pens, to the first 50 who show up
Field Day morning.

SFMANJ BUSINESS
Next Board of Directors meeting – Tuesday, March 26, 3:30 pm at Rutgers University, Horticulture Farm 2, Geiger Conference Room, Ryders Lane, New Brunswick.

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