SFMANJ AUGUST DEMO FIELD DAY

Thanks to participating vendors !!!

THANK YOU to Paramus Catholic High School and George Van Haasteren for providing the site and accommodating our chapter.

THE FOLLOWING VENDORS DEMONSTRATED THEIR EQUIPMENT AND DISPLAYED PRODUCTS & SERVICES:

Aer-Core, Inc. - Turf Equipment
Blec Sandmaster Sand Injector,
Wiedenmann Deep Tine Aerator

Finch Turf Equip. - Turf Equipment
John Deere Field Rake Groomer

JDL Equipment - Turf Equipment, paint machines
Easy Mix
“No Mix Self Cleaning Battery Powered Field Liner”

RotaDeiron Emrex, Inc. - Turf Equipment
Finn Mini Skidsteer, Thatch Master, OverSeeder

Storr Tractor Co. - Turf Equipment
Toro Groundsmaster 3500
First Products Aeravator, aerator seeder
Buffalo Turbine Blower on WM2100

Till Paint Co, Inc. - Quality paint
Jaydee Driver Liner

Sunshine Tree & Landscape - Turf Equipment
Bed Edger/Trenchmaster

Wilfred McDonald Inc. - Turf Equipment
Smithco Super Rake Infield Conditioner
I-Stripe 22 Infield Mower
Jacobsen Turfcat Rotary Mower
Topdresser

THE FOLLOWING VENDORS DISPLAYED THEIR PRODUCTS AND SERVICES:

The Terre Company - Turf Supplies
National Seed - Specializing in quality grass seed
Landscape Plus - Goose & Deer Control
Geo.Schofield Co. Inc. - Athletic Turf products
DVH Athletic Turf - Athletic Field construction & maintenance
Rain Bird Corp. - Irrigation Supplies

Treadlite Paver Supply Co. - Playground surfacing, ground pavers

SFMANJ BUSINESS

Next Board of Directors Meeting - Sept. 10th
Wed., 4pm at Storr Tractor Company on Rt. 22,
Somerville.

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Rutgers University Sports Turf Outreach Program 2003
October 2nd Workshop
Snyder Research Farm - Pittstown, NJ

Schedule:
11-11:30 Registration
11:30 – 12:15 Lunch
12:15 – Plot Tours
- Effects of Mowing Height, Mowing Frequency, and Fertilization on Turfgrass Quality
- Broadleaf Weed Herbicides & Application Timings
- Cool Season Turfgrass Establishment following winter seeding/effects of seeding dept on turfgrass establishment
- Baseball infield mix demonstration
- Turf paint technology and inclusion of primo growth regulator
2:30 – 3:30 Indoor education
- Pesticide storage & handling & equipment calibration
- Cultural practices influencing disease management
NJDEP Pesticide credits: core and category

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