Field Day Educational Sessions

1. Laser Grading: the Technology, the Equipment, the Application
   Laser grading is fast becoming the standard for accuracy in all grading applications. Whether you are involved in grading the skinned infield area of a baseball field to maintain positive surface drainage or site development for a new corporate headquarters, laser-grading technology is being specified and requested more and more. Both speed and accuracy are the products of this system. Learn basic concepts to practical application in this informative class taught by Keystone Precision Instruments.

2. Mid Size Equipment Operation and Safety
   Whether you operate a skid steer loader in the landscaping and construction industry or a mid size tractor in the implementation of your athletic field maintenance program, proper maintenance and safe equipment operation is universal. Every year more and more injuries occur due to unnecessary accidents. Learn national standards of safety and maintenance as required by the Certified Landscape Technician Exam.

3. Intermediate Walk Behind and Riding Mower Operation & Safety
   Your turf maintenance crew spends more man-hours either on or behind a mower than at any other task. As we strive for quality and efficiency in the day-to-day operation of our turf maintenance program, we sometimes fail to think about the basics of both safety and maintenance of our mowing equipment. As a refresher for crew leaders or as an introduction for new employees, this class is highly recommended. This class will review mower maintenance and safe operation based on national standards set forth by The Certified Landscape Technician Test Committee.

4. Playground Safety
   Learn from a Certified Playground Inspector how to limit your liability and provide a safe atmosphere for the children and parents in your community. Become skilled at noticing potential hazards as Keith Sacks of Game Time-Marturano Recreation Company evaluates the Plainsboro Community Park playground and brings to light the potential dangers involved in improper installation and maintenance of playgrounds.

5. Five Points in a Quality Irrigation Installation
   The planning is done. Approval has been secured. The bid has been awarded and construction has begun; this seminar will give you the knowledge to insure you are getting a quality installation of your new irrigation system. It is always easier to get it done right than to correct mistakes at a later date. Bill Wise of Rain Bird Irrigation Company will cover 5 points you can keep your eye on as your irrigation system goes in the ground to insure good performance and long life for this important investment.

One on One Demonstrations

Last but not least there will be time allotted for spectators to spend time with the equipment dealers and operate any of the equipment being demonstrated.

Come show your support to the industry. Registration information can be downloaded from www.SFMANJ.org on the web or see page 17.