Kevin Trotta, North Rockland School District and recipient of STMA’s President’s Award for Leadership will be speaking Wednesday afternoon on Environmental Turfcraft for Sports Fields.

A morning sports field managers networking session has again been scheduled for this year’s Expo beginning at 7:00 am on Thursday, December 6. Education on synthetic fields will be presented on Thursday afternoon by Ken Mathis, Brick Township on Selecting a Synthetic Infill System and Kevin Malone, CSFM, Columbia University, on Management of Synthetic Infill Systems.

The entire Sports Field Managers Program is shown on Page 4 of this issue of SFMANJ Update.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2007

1:00-1:30 SFMANJ Business Meeting

1:30-2:15 Management strategies for high traffic fields
Dr. Dr. Mike Goatley, Virginia Tech

2:15-2:45 A cost-based approach to asset task management
Don Savard, CSFM, GCM, Salesianum School

2:45-3:30 Environmental turfcraft for Sports Fields
Kevin Trotta, North Rockland School District

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2007

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7:00-8:00 Early bird Sports Field Managers Networking roundtable

8:00-8:30 Elements of Sports Field Construction
Dr. Mike Goatley, Virginia Tech

8:30-9:00 Renovation of a little league infield
Jim Hermann, CSFM, Total Control, Inc.

9:00-9:30 Low-impact pesticides for turf
Brad Park, Rutgers University

12:00-12:30 Bermudagrass use for Sports Fields in the Mid-Atlantic
Mike Kelley, Poly Tech High School, Delaware

12:30-1:00 Selecting a synthetic infill system
Kim Nickles, Brick Township Parks

1:00-1:30 What you need to know
Beth Richmond, Bedford Recreation

1:30-2:00 IPM at a NJ high school: Myth vs. reality
Rich Heltman, Pine Hill School District

12:00-12:30 Synthetic Infill Maintenance Day Recap

1:30-2:00 Management of synthetic infill systems
Kevin Malone, CSFM, Columbia University

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