# Landscaping exhibition turns spotlight on the environment

or the first time in its seven year history, the Landscape Industries exhibition will adopt a theme to underline its commitment to the future.

"Landscaping - an environmental legacy" will spearhead a push conservation and enhancement of landscape resources, for the benefit of both current and future generations.

Organisers feel the show now has an important role to play in tackling the landscape issues

which affect the quality of the environment.

There are a number of exciting developments underway for the 1995 event. Support from all sectors of the industry is not only stable, but growing with new faces from organisations such as the Forestry Authority,

the British Urban Regeneration Association and the London Ecol-

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National Agricultural Centre

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Visitors will be able to make the most of their visit thanks to an improved layout which draws the outdoor stands and demonstrations closer to the indoor features and trade exhibits.

Concern in some sectors of an apparent disregard for maintaining green areas in urban developments, provides a focus on the role of landscapes in the urban environment. A daily programme of discussion lectures will take at look at the issues involved, with speakers from the London Ecology Unit and the Landscape Institute.

Trees and hedgerows have an important role to play in creating a natural environment in the urban situation and a new tree workshop will explore ideas in the establishment and maintenance of various tree species.

There's also a recycling focus, where discussion sessions will examine green waste recycling and composting.

One of the exhibition's strengths is its wide range of products and services on show. This appeals to the landscape and leisure professional as the broad spectrum of exhibitors ensures there are a host of out-of-theordinary items as well as mainstream landscape products to see. And 1995 is no exception, with at least ten new companies making their debut at the exhibition.

Landscape Industries takes place on Wednesday and Thursday, June 7-8 at the National Agricultural Centre, Stoneleigh Park, Warwickshire. It is open from 9.30am to 5pm each day and admission, car parking and official catalogue are all free of

charge.

Among the exhibitors

#### **Eric Hunter & Co** (Professional Tool Suppliers)

Hunter's already supply many landscape/ amenity turf contractors, golf clubs and local authority DSOs nationally. Their range of tools, they tell us, will be difficult to sur-

pass. Hunter's have gained considerable recognition for service, reliability, quality and value for money. Their range of tools includes Bulldog, Spear & Jackson, Felco, Ceka, Rolecut, Sandvik, Griffin and Jafco fibre glass handled tools. Other products including Chelwood Rakes, the original Crown "Landscaper" Rake, Cooper Peglers, pressure sprayers and numerous other implements will be on show. Spend a few minutes handling the tools on display or contact Hunter's direct on 01207 270316 for more information or a cata-

#### **Eric Hunter Grinders**

There is a difference between grinding and sharpening mowers, as a visit to Hunter's stand at Landscape Industries will prove. Mowers sharpened properly with a relief angle cut better, stay sharper longer, use less fuel and the blades last longer. That's Hunter's argument and they claim to lead the field in accurate relief angle grinding. Both their Jupiter and Juno machines will grind both the cylinder and the bedknife, quickly and very accurately. Both are also water cooled, keeping heat and dust down. Hunter's well-engineered

formidable reputation at golf clubs, local authorities and mower repair workshops throughout the country.

#### Jacobsen

The Jacobsen range of grass-cutting turf maintenance machinery will be represented at this year's Landscape Industries exhibition by Abbey Mowers.

Abbey Mowers, Jacobsen's dealer for the West Midlands, Warwickshire and Northamptonshire, will be exhibiting a wide range of machinery for the professional landscaper, contractor, greenkeeper and groundsman.

On show will be the new LF128, a high performance 5 unit ride-on fairway mower, powered by a 28hp Kubota diesel engine. Jacobsen promises excellent fuel economy, low exhaust emissions and low noise levels. Meeting all

CARB regulations, the LF128 will offer a cutting width of 100" and has one of the lightest footprints in the industry.

Also on show will be the new addition to the Jacobsen truck range, the SV Workhorse. The SV is available with either a 23hp diesel engine or a 34hp petrol engine and will provide a 1270Kg total rated capacity, giving a payload of 1000Kg. It has excellent 4-wheel stability with steering manoeuvrability equal to a 3wheel vehicle, giving a turning circle of 32".

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### **Rhône Poulenc Environmental**

Look out for Rhône Poulenc products at the Landscape Industries

Spearhead, says the company, brings long awaited new chemistry to the amenity turf market. The pesticide sets new levels of excellence and controls not only the more common weeds in turf but also the problem weeds such as Slender Speedwell and the Clovers.

Vitesse is described as a powerful new way to fight turf disease during the growing season.

Spearhead (trademark of Dow Elanco), contains diflufenican, MCPA and clopyralid. Vitesse contains iprodione and carbendazim. Read the labels before you buy: use pesticides safely.

#### Inturf

Continously developing new products and systems for the sports and amenity turf industry, Inturf are experimenting with a completely new grass that will go into its markets for athletic grounds, landscaping and geneal purpose applications.

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More information at the show, along with Inturf's original patented Big Roll turfing system, Lay'n' Play turf tiles and details of custom grown turf service.



Landscape Industries: an exhibition with a lot to offer its visitors

"You will not find a more comprehensive turf growing, turf installation or turf management service anywhere," said Inturf's managing director, Derek Edwards. With Derek on the stand will be Simon Hannam and Chris Bradshaw

