

Ward Stienstra To Retire From Position In the Department of Plant Pathology

After 28 years of dedicated extension education and research activities Ward Stienstra is retiring from his position in the Department of Plant Pathology, University of Minnesota Extension Service. His career achievements will be celebrated on Friday, October 23, 1998 in 306 Borlaug Hall, from 5:00-8:00 p.m. The celebration includes a social hour, followed by a light dinner and short speeches from colleagues Ward has worked with over the years. You are invited to attend.

We will present Ward with a bound book of remembrance letters from colleagues, students and friends. We urge you to send your letter on 8½ by 11-inch paper, with a 1½-inch left hand margin to Ms. Debbie Baden Drange, Department of Plant Pathology, 495 Borlaug Hall, University of Minnesota, St. Paul, MN 55108, before Friday, October 16, 1998.

If you wish to make a monetary contribution toward a gift for Ward Stienstra's retirement, please send it to

Debbie Baden Drange, Checks should be payable to the Department of Plant Pathology.

Please join us in celebrating Ward's career, accomplishments and life in the Department of Plant Pathology, and with the University of Minnesota Extension Service.

Please R.S.V.P. by Friday, October 9 if you plan to attend by calling (612) 625-6290 or e-mail:

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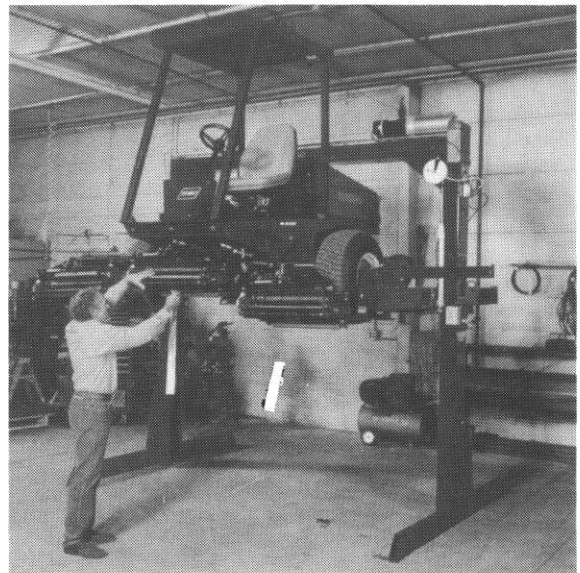
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