

If the playing field is not long enough to accommodate 13 yards behind the goal, the goals must be moved closer together to maintain this space. Please reference Page 8 in the Rule Book.

Our State Rules Interpreter, Sue Paige, will contact all official's chapters. Please advise your grounds crew. ▲

\*Barry Imboden, Supervisor of Buildings & Grounds at Hunterdon Central High School. He successfully had slit drainage and irrigation installed on his high school football field in June of 2002.

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**Rutgers July 31 - Rutgers Turf Research Field Day** at the Adelphia Plant Science Research Station in Adelphia, New Jersey. 732-932-9711 ext. 135 (*Sports Field Managers learn about the research on turf grasses to improve your turf fields*).

### SFMANJ

**August TBA - Equipment Demonstration & Field Day** in Bergen County from 8:30am to 3pm. See info on page 1. Fliers are in the mail. Call 908-730-7770 for more information.

### SFMANJ & RUTGERS PRESENTS

**October TBA - Infield mix Demonstrations and Classes** at Rutgers Snyder Farm in Pittstown, NJ. Watch for info in the next newsletter.

### NJRPA

**May 13<sup>th</sup> - Evesham Township, Marlton, NJ or  
May 14<sup>th</sup> - Roxbury Township, Succasunna, NJ**  
Professional Aquatics Safety Seminar. Questions, call 732-568-1270.

**Playground Safety Certification Course**, for information call 732-568-1270.

**DID YOU KNOW?** The application of many pre-emergent, grassy weed (crabgrass) control products will interfere with the germination and development of desirable grasses when applied close to the time of seeding.



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**DID YOU KNOW?** Post emergent herbicide applications are most effective when plants are actively growing. Ester formulations (oil-soluble) are typically more effective in cooler weather (below 50°) Amine formulations (water-soluble) are more desirable in warmer weather due to less volatility.