

WELCOME NEW & RENEWED SFMANJ MEMBERS

Currently we have 287 new & renewed members. In the beginning of November, SFMANJ mailed invoices for 2006 membership dues to all current members. If you did not receive an invoice, please contact us at 908 730-7770 or download the 2006 membership form available at www.sfmanj.org. Remember to mail your renewal/payment direct to SFMANJ, PO Box 370, Annandale, NJ 08801.

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MISSION STATEMENT:

Committed to enhancing the professionalism of athletic field managers by improving the safety, playability and appearance of athletic fields at all levels through seminars, field days, publications and networking with those in the sports turf industry.

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 Sports Turf Managers Association

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SFMANJ Annual Membership Registration Form
 * receive updates information by email

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 Signature _____

Individual \$45
 Associate \$45
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Please pay membership dues directly to SFMANJ. Do not send SFMANJ dues to National STMA.

Send with Check or voucher to:

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Frey, George	Fair Lawn Parks & Recreation	Perdomo, Pedro	Rutgers Cooperative Extension
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Mathis, Ken	Brick Township	Warner, Joseph	DVH Athletic Turf
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FIELD OF THE YEAR 2006

Are you proud of your field?

Do you want to show-off your hard work?

If you answered 'yes' to both of these questions, the Field of the Year (FOY) Contest 2006 is right for you. Sports Field Managers Association of New Jersey (SFMANJ) is announcing its annual FOY contest. Individual awards will be presented to the school, FOY and parks/recreation FOY.

ENTERING is easy, send to:

SFMANJ Contest, Po Box 370, Annandale, NJ 08801
Entries must be received by September 30, 2006

ELIGIBILITY:

- Two categories; School or Parks/Recreation fields only
- Current member of SFMANJ
- Natural grass fields only

SEND:

- Color photos of your natural grass field (10 maximum)
- Name of facility and location
- Name of owner
- Your name, position and contact number

CRITERIA for awards:

- Playability and appearance of the playing surfaces
- Based on photos and a site visit by the SFMANJ Award Committee
- Feel free to have sports groups in your photo

AWARDS:

Winners will be honored with a plaque at New Jersey Turfgrass Expo 2006 (December 5-7, 2006) and be interviewed for a feature article in SFMANJ Update newsletter (also receive a two-night stay at Taj Mahal, Atlantic City and three days of education).

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