

STMA ANNOUNCES REGIONAL STMA CONFERENCE IN PHILADELPHIA

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Sports Turf Managers Association (STMA) is planning a 1-day Regional Conference to be held at the Philadelphia Eagles' Lincoln Financial Field and the Phillies' Citizens Bank Park in Philadelphia, PA on Friday, June 27, 2008. This event is open to all sports turf managers and crew members as well as others involved with athletic field management.

The program will feature stadium tours, presentations of both warm and cool season turfgrass management, an interactive "chapter challenge" contest and demonstrations.

Join your peers for a full day of education, professional development, and networking. Take back to your facility the newest practices for managing turfgrass in the Mid-Atlantic and Northeast.

This program is supported by the following STMA-affiliated Chapters:

1. Chesapeake Chapter of STMA
2. Keystone Athletic Field Managers Organization
3. Sports Field Managers of New Jersey

4. Sports Turf Managers of New York
5. Virginia Sports Turf Managers Association

Stay tuned for more information about this event at www.sfmanj.org and by mail.

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