

meeting dates

- Central Plains Turfgrass Conference, Manhattan, Kans., Oct. 17-19.
- Turfgrass Equipment & Materials Educational Exposition, 13th annual, sponsored by Southern California Turfgrass Council, Orange County Fairgrounds, Costa Mesa, Calif., Oct. 17-18.
- Wisconsin Golf Turf Symposium, eighth annual, Pfister Hotel, Milwaukee, Oct. 24-25.
- Southern Agricultural Chemicals Association, 19th annual meeting, Callaway Gardens, Pine Mountain, Ga., Oct. 28-30.
- Turf and Landscape Irrigation Conference, Northern California Turfgrass Council. Asilomar Conference Center, Pacific Grove, Oct. 28-30.
- California Council of Landscape Architects, annual meeting, Ahwahnee Hotel, Yosemite Park, Calif., Nov. 2-4.
- Michigan Pesticide Association, fall conference, The Olds Plaza, Lansing, Mich., Nov. 7-8.
- Washington State Weed Conference, Cosmopolitan Chinook Motel and Tower, Yakima, Wash., Nov. 7-9.
- **Penn-Del Chapter, International Shade Tree Conference,** general meeting, Marriott Motor Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa. Nov. 8.
- **University of Georgia Turfgrass Short Course**, 4th annual GGCSA, Center for Continuing Education, Univ. of Ga., Nov. 12-13.
- American Society of Agronomy, Las Vegas, Nev., Nov. 12-15.
- Colorado Crop Protection Institute, 3rd annual, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, Colo., Nov. 14-15.
- **New Jersey Federation of Shade Tree Commissions,** annual meeting, Haddon Hall Hotel, Atlantic City, N.J., Nov. 17-19.
- North Central Weed Control Conference, annual meeting, Sheraton-Jefferson Hotel, St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 4-6.

National Agricultural Aviation Association, 7th annual conference, Diplomat Hotel, Hollywood, Fla., Dec. 5-8.



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- Western Association of Nurserymen, trade show and 84th annual meeting, Plaza Inn, Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 6-8.
- **Tennessee Turfgrass Association**, annual conference, Roger Millers King of the Road Motor Inn, Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 7-8.
- Northeast Weed Science Society, annual meeting, Holiday Inn, 18th & Market St., Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 8-10.
- Kansas State Shade Tree Conference and Kansas Arborist's Association, annual meeting, Student Union, Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kans., Jan. 8-9.
- Michigan State University-Michigan Pesticide Association, weed workshop, MSU campus, East Lansing, Mich., Jan. 9-10.
- New York State Arborist Association, annual convention, Raleigh Hotel, So. Fallsburg, N.Y., Jan. 13-16.
- Michigan Turfgrass Conference, 44th annual, Kellogg Center, Michigan State University, East Lansing, Mich., Jan. 15-16.
- **New Hampshire Turf Seminar**, Sheraton Wayfarer Motor Inn, Bedford, N.H., Jan. 17-18.

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sponsibility to support, nuture and help make these groups grow and thrive. Ignorance of meeting dates, dissatisfaction with the governing group, inordinate distance to travel, hotel accommodations, and other reasons are but lame excuses which satisfy only the people who make them.

Any well-known national organization today didn't gain it's prominence by member laziness and platonic attitude. It's people in attendance; people in action for a united effort; people who desire to make the organization meaningful, and people who have the fortitude to stand up and be represented. That's what Green Industry associations need. And it's about time we started recognizing the fact that without people, associations will fold. What have you done for your association this year?

