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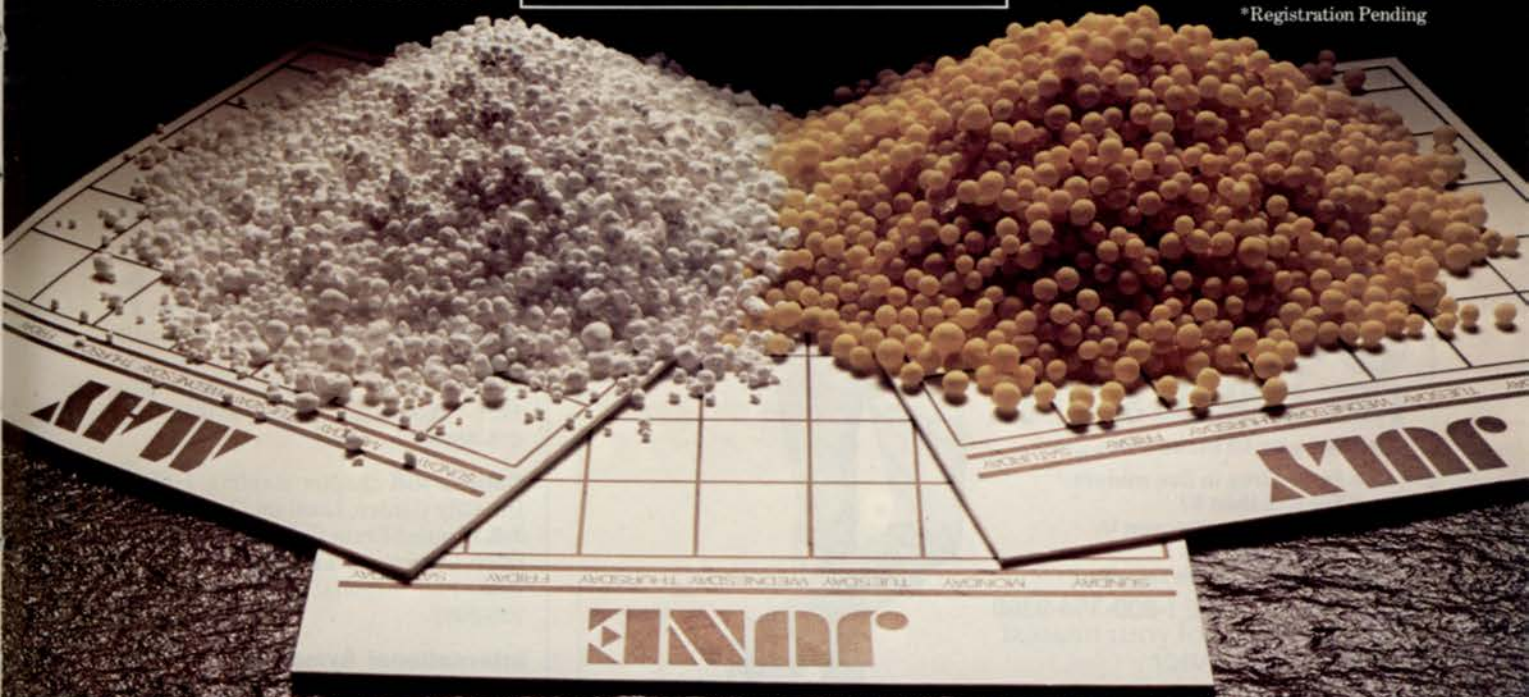


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Southeast Region Parks and Recreation Maintenance Operations workshop, Unicoi State Park, **Mar. 8-13**. Contact Charles Gregory, Recreation Advisor, Recreation Services Section, Georgia Dept. of Natural Resources, 270 Washington Street, S.W., Room 704, Atlanta, GA 30334.

The Irrigation Association Short Course, Lansing, MI, **Mar. 10-11**. Contact The Irrigation Association, 13975 Connecticut Ave., Silver Spring, MD 20906, 301/871-1200.

Northeastern Pennsylvania Turf & Grounds Maintenance School, Master Host Motel, Wilkes-Barre, PA, **Mar. 10-11**. Contact E.V. Chadwick, Luzerne

County Cooperative Extension Service, Court House Annex, 5 Water Street, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18702, 717/822-1109.

Residential Landscape Design Short Course IV, Fisher Auditorium, Ohio Agricultural Research and Development Center, Wooster, OH, **Mar. 16-17**. Contact Fred Buscher, Area Extension Agent-Landscape Horticulture, Administration Building, OARDC, Wooster, OH 44691, 216/262-8176.

Hazardous Waste Management Conference, Stouffer's National Center, Arlington, VA, **Mar. 16-17**. Contact Robert W. Nash, executive director, The Energy Bureau Inc., 41 East 42nd Street, New York, NY 10017, 212/687-3178.

Energy Bureau Conference, Stouffer's National Center, Arlington, VA, **March 16-17**. Contact Robert W. Nash, Executive Director, The Energy Bureau, Inc., 41 East 42 Street, New York, NY, 212/687-3178.

Second Annual Professional Grounds Management Society Workshop, Catonsville Community College, Baltimore, MD, **Mar. 17-18**. Contact Mark D. Raab, 11011 McCormick Road, Hunt Valley, MD 21031, 301/667-7741.

Maine Turf Conference, South Portland, ME, **Mar. 18-19**. Contact Vaughn Holyoke, University of Maine, Deering Hall, Orono, ME 04401, 207/581-2111.

5th Turf Conference of Reinders Brothers, Inc., Waukesha Expo Center, Waukesha, WI, **Mar. 18-19**. Contact Ed Devinger, Reinders Brothers, Inc., 13400 Watertown Plank Road, Elm Grove, WI 53122, 414/786-3300.

Irrigation Association's Institute for Agricultural Irrigation, University of California-Riverside, **Mar. 23-Apr. 3**. Contact the IA, 13975 Connecticut Ave., Silver Spring, MD 20906.

The California Landscape Contractors Associations' second annual Landscape Industry Show, Convention Center, Long Beach, CA, **Mar. 26-27**. Contact Michael Leeson, CLCA, 1419 21st St., Sacramento, CA 95814, 916/448-2522.

Pest Control Operator's Conference, Earle Brown Continuing Education Center, St. Paul Campus, University of Minnesota, St. Paul, MN, **Mar. 30-April 1**. Contact Sherry Brothen, Office of Special Programs, Agricultural Extension Service, University of Minnesota, St. Paul, MN 55108, 612/373-0725.

University of Florida Turfgrass Research Field Day, Fort Lauderdale, FL, **Apr. 1**. Contact Dr. Bruce J. Augustin, University of Florida, Agricultural Research Center, 3205 SW 70th Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33314, 305/475-8890.

Canada ISA chapter meeting, Holiday Inn City Centre, London, Ontario, **Apr. 1-3**. Contact Ervin C. Bundy, ISA Executive Director, 5 Lincoln Square, P.O. Box 71, Urbana, IL 61801, 217/328-2032.

International Symposium on Phytophthora, Riverside, CA, **Apr. 1-4**. Contact Donald C. Erwin, University of California, Dept. of Plant Pathology, Riverside, CA.

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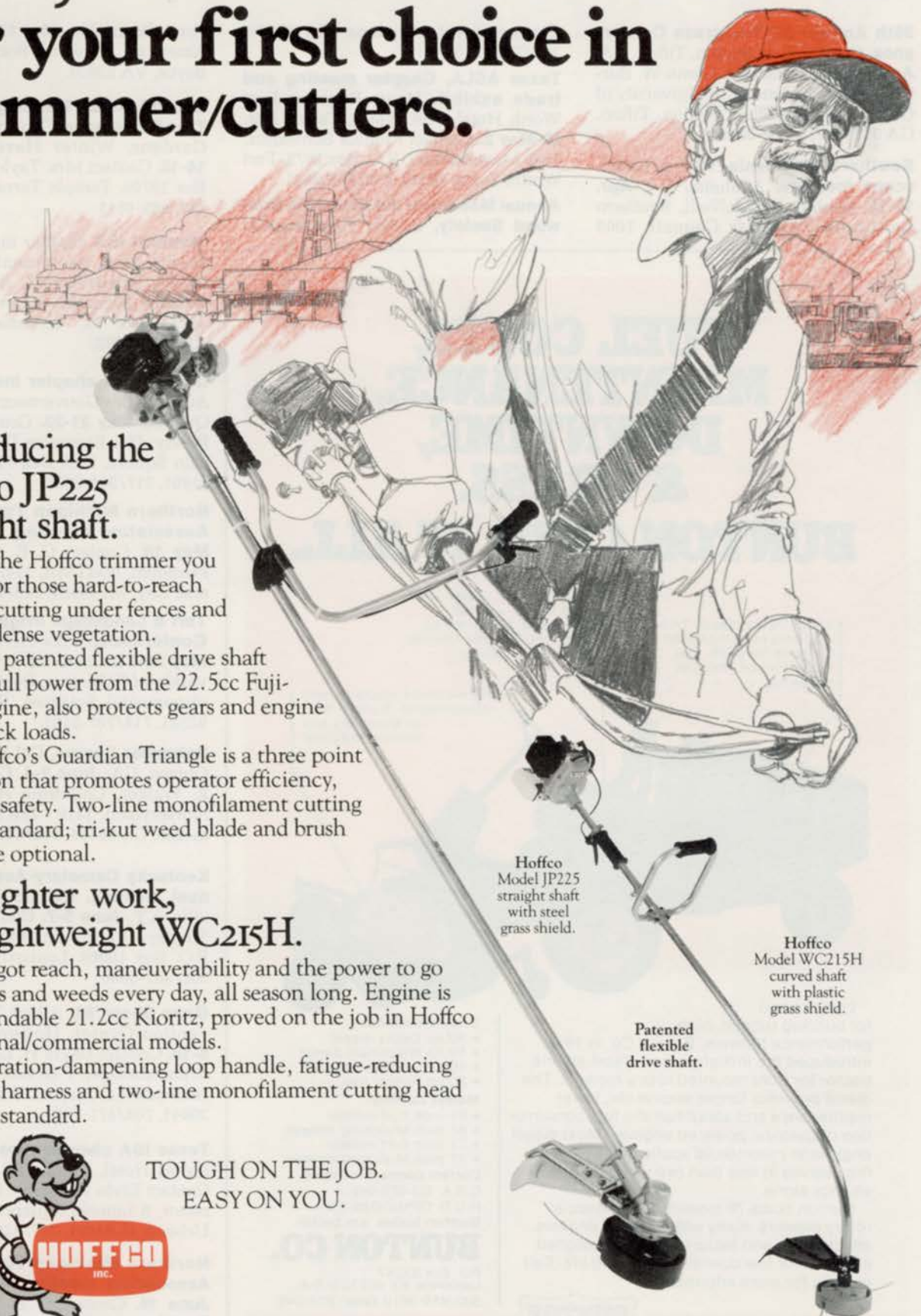
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Southern California Turf & Landscape Institute, Anaheim, CA, **Apr. 14-15**. Contact Ed McNeill, Southern California Turfgrass Council, 1000

Concha Street, Altadena, CA 91001, 213/798-1715.

Texas ASLA, Chapter meeting and trade exhibit, Hyatt Regency-Fort Worth Hotel, Fort Worth, Texas, **Apr. 29-May 2**. Contact Monica Schwanitz, 1100 Macon Street, P.O. Box 2973, Fort Worth, Texas 76113, 817/333-2611.

Annual Meeting of the American Boxwood Society, Blandy Experimental

Farm, Boyce, VA, **May 13**. Contact The American Boxwood Society, Box 85, Boyce, VA 22620.

Second Annual Menninger Flowering Tree Conference, Quality Inn, Cypress Gardens, Winter Haven, FL, **May 14-15**. Contact Mrs. Taylor Burris, P.O. Box 16796, Temple Terrace, FL 33687, 813/985-8511.

Western ISA chapter meeting, Sacramento Inn, Sacramento, CA, **May 17-20**. Contact Ervin C. Bundy, ISA Executive Director, 5 Lincoln Square, P.O. Box 71, Urbana, IL 61801, 217/328-2832.

Quebec ISA chapter meeting, Hotel Auberge des Gouverneurs, Sherbrook, Quebec, **May 21-23**. Contact Ervin C. Bundy, ISA Executive Director, 5 Lincoln Square, P.O. Box 71, Urbana, IL 61801, 217/328-2032.

Northern Michigan Turf Managers Association meeting, Leland, MI, **May 19**. Contact C. E. "Tuck" Tate, President, NMTMA, 1147 Santo, Traverse City, MI 49684, 616/947-9274.

Turf & Landscape Irrigation Institute Conference, Lake Arrowhead, CA, **May 29-31**. Contact J. L. Meyer, University of California, Dept. of Soil & Environmental Sciences, Riverside, CA 92521, 714/787-5101.

Refresher Course, Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo, CA, **June 2-4**. Contact Lanny E. Walker, California Association of Nurserymen, 1419 - 21st Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, 916/448-2881.

Kentucky Cemetery Association annual meeting, Executive Inn, Louisville, KY, **June 5-7**. Contact Lewis C. Tingley, Resthaven Memorial Park, P.O. Box 18068, Louisville, KY 40218, 502/491-5950.

Grow Show '81, Albert Thomas Convention Center, Houston, TX, **June 8-10**. Contact David H. Lindsay, Exposition Manager, P.O. Box 17413, Dulles International Airport, Washington, DC 20041, 703/471-5761.

Texas ISA chapter meeting, Dunfey Dallas Hotel, Dallas, TX, **June 11-13**. Contact Ervin C. Bundy, Executive Director, 5 Lincoln Square, P.O. Box 71, Urbana, IL 61801, 217/328-2032.

Northern Michigan Turf Managers Association meeting, Cadillac, MI, **June 16**. Contact C. E. "Tuck" Tate, President, NMTMA, 1147 Santo, Traverse City, MI 49684, 616/947-9274.

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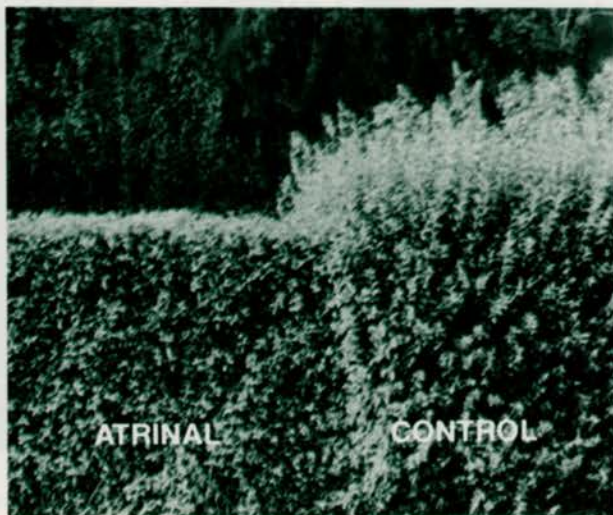
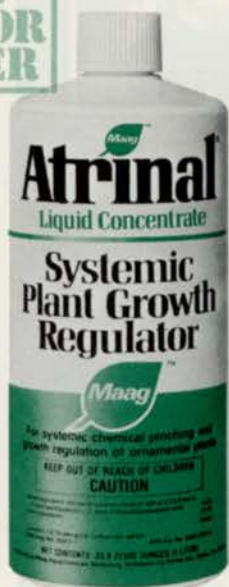
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Better Lawn & Turf Institute Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, **June 30**. Contact Robert W. Schery, Director, BLTI,

991 W. 5th Street, Marysville, OH 43040, 513/642-1777.

Northern Michigan Turf Managers Association meeting, Cadillac, MI, **July 7**. Contact C. E. "Tuck" Tate, President, NMTMA, 1147 Santo, Traverse City, MI 49684, 616/947-9274.

New York State Nurseryman's Association Convention and Trade Show, Onondaga County War Memorial Con-

vention Center, Syracuse, NY, **July 7-10**. Contact Margaret Herbst, 230 Park Ave., New York, NY 10017, 212/685-4579.

American Sod Producers Association Summer Convention & Field Days, Hershey Motor Lodge & Convention Center, Hershey, PA, **July 15-17**. Contact ASPA, Bob Garey, Executive Director 9th & Minnesota, Hastings, NE 68901, 402/463-4683.

International Society of Arboriculture Annual Meeting, **Aug. 9-13**, Boyne Mountain Resort, Boyne Falls, Michigan. Contact E.C. Bundy, 5 Lincoln Square, P.O. Box 71, Urbana, IL, 61801, 217/328-2832.

Sixth Nebraska Turfgrass Field Day and Equipment Show, **Aug. 4**. Contact Dr. Robert Shearman, University of Nebraska, 377 Plant Science Bldg., Lincoln, NE 68583, 402/472-2550.

International Garden Centre Congress, Disneyland Hotel, Anaheim, CA, **Aug. 24-30**. Contact Pat Redding, GCA, 230 Southern Bldg., Washington, DC 20005.

University of Rhode Island Turfgrass Field Day, Kingston, RI, **Aug. 26**. Contact C.R. Skogley, University of Rhode Island, Dept. of Plant Science, Woodward Hall, Kingston, RI, 02881, 401/792-2570.

Northern Michigan Turf Managers Association meeting, Gaylord, MI, **Aug. 26**. Contact C. E. "Tuck" Tate, President, NMTMA, 1147 Santo, Traverse City, MI 49684, 616/947-9274.

Ornamentals Northwest Seminars, Oregon State University, Portland Memorial Coliseum Portland, OR, **Aug. 28-29**. Contact Dr. James L. Green, Oregon State University, Dept. of Horticulture, Corvallis, Oregon 97331, 503/754-3464.

Garden Industry of America Conference & Trade Show, Pittsburgh Convention/Exposition Center, Pittsburgh, PA, **Sept. 10-12**. Contact GIA, Box 1092, Minneapolis, MN 55440.

Northern Michigan Turf Managers Association meeting, Acme, MI, **Sept. 15**. Contact C. E. "Tuck" Tate, President, NMTMA, 1147 Santo, Traverse City, MI 49684, 616/947-9274.

Pacific Horticultural Trade Show, Long Beach Convention Center, Long Beach, CA, **Sept. 23-25**. Contact Lanny E. Walker, California Association of Nurserymen, 1419 - 21st Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, 916/448-2881.

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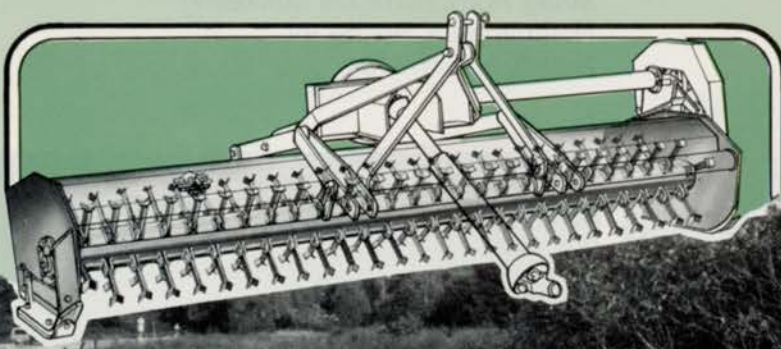
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Central Coast Turf Day, California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo, CA, **Oct. 1**. Contact Ronald D. Regan, Head, Ornamental Horticulture Department, CPSU, San Luis Obispo, CA 93407, 805/546-0111.

Northern Michigan Turf Managers Association meeting, Pinconning, MI, **Oct. 6**. Contact C. E. "Tuck" Tate, President, NMTMA, 1147 Santo, Traverse City, MI 49684, 616/947-9274.

Southern California Turfgrass/Landscape Equipment & Material Educational Exposition, Costa Mesa, CA, **Oct. 14-15**. Contact Ed McNeill, Southern California Turfgrass Council, 1000 Concha Street, Altadena, CA 91001, 213/798-1715.

Southwest Turfgrass Association Annual Conference, Albuquerque, NM, **Oct. 15-16**. Contact Arden Balten-

sperger, Southwest Turfgrass Association, New Mexico State University, Agronomy Dept., Box 3-Q, Las Cruces, NM 88003, 505/646-3138.

Florida Turf-Grass Association 29th Annual Conference and Show, Orlando, FL, **Oct. 18-22**. Contact Beth Eyman, FTGA, 1520 Edgewater Drive, Suite E, Orlando, FL 32804.

C.A.N. Convention, Ventura Holiday Inn, Ventura, CA, **Oct. 20-22**. Contact Lanny E. Walker, California Association of Nurserymen, 1419 - 21st Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, 916/448-2881.

Interior Plantscape Association Annual Meeting, Radisson St. Paul Hotel, St. Paul, MN, **Oct. 28-30**. Contact IPA, 11800 Sunrise Valley Drive, Reston, VA 22091, 703/476-8550.

National Institute on Park & Management meeting, Appleton, WI, **Nov. 1-6**. Contact NIPM, Box 1936, Appleton, WI 54913, 414/733-2301.

The Irrigation Association Annual Convention, Honolulu, HI, **Nov. 9-13**. Contact Tom Schiltz, Director Tech-

nical Services, The Irrigation Association, 13975 Connecticut Avenue, Silver Spring, MD 20906, 301/871-1200.

New York State Turfgrass Association Conference & Trade Show, Albany, NY, **Nov. 16-19**. Contact Ann Reilly, NYSTA, 210 Cartwright Blvd., Massapequa Park, NY 11762, 516/541-6902.

12th Annual GCSA/University of Georgia Turfgrass Short Course, Athens, GA, **Nov. 23-24**. Contact George M. Kozelnicky, University of Georgia, c/o Dept. of Plant Pathology & Plant Genetics, Athens, Georgia 30601.

Ohio Turfgrass Conference and Show, Columbus, OH, **Dec. 2-4**. Contact David P. Martin, Ohio Turfgrass Foundation, Ohio State University, 1827 Neil Avenue, Columbus, OH 43210, 614/422-2591.

Texas Turfgrass Conference, College Station, TX, **Dec. 7-9**. Contact Dr. Richard L. Duble, TTC, Soil & Crop Sciences Dept., Texas A & M University, College Station, TX 77843, 713/845-4826.



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