

Field day on East Campus next week

July 13, 2016

We are less than one week away from the 2016 Nebraska Turfgrass Research Field Day. We are particularly excited about this year's event because **it's on East Campus in Lincoln**. Please don't drive up to Mead! Field day starts on Wednesday July 20th with registration, the trade show, coffee and donuts at 8:00 am. Please come early to visit with our vendors who make this event possible. Chancellor Dr. Ronnie Green, Interim Vice Chancellor Dr. Ron Yoder, and our IANR Deans will be there to kick off the event at 9:00 am with research tours to follow. As usual, those famous gourmet hotdogs from the Wahoo Meat Locker will be served for lunch. Remember, only preregistered attendees are guaranteed lunch, so please register today. Our Dean of Extension, Dr. Chuck Hibbard, has graciously agreed to cover the cost of parking on campus. There is no reason to skip this great event.

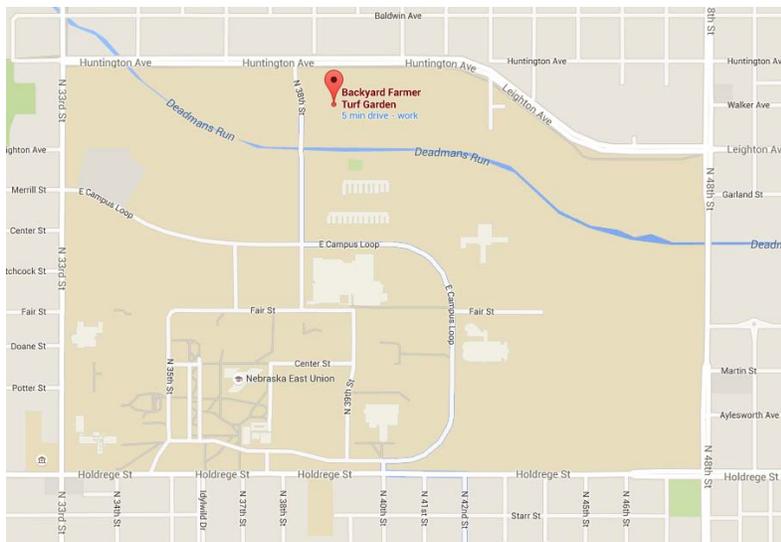
We've worked hard to provide a wide range of topics for 2016. New UNL Turf Professor, Dr. Cole Thompson, will talk about PRE and POST control of weeds in warm-season turf, while Professor Kim Todd will discuss the issues of managing trees and turf. Dr. Jonathan Larson will discuss grub control strategies and is a good resource for all those Japanese beetle questions. Other tour stops will include presentations about syringing and cooling turf, establishing turf in the spring, and PGR growing degree day models for fairways and athletic fields. There will also be demonstrations on how to install a solar power system and components of a decoder irrigation system by station manager, Matt Sousek. Graduate students will show off their weed garden and x-ray gun to identify soil problems. Clearly, there are many diverse topics covered on Wednesday morning!

Escape from your turf facility and join us on east campus next week Wednesday, July 20th. The University of Nebraska Turfgrass Research Field Day is sure to offer something for all turf managers. See you at 8am next week.

Register: <http://goo.gl/H4DO5k>

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The new East Campus Turf Plots are located on 38th St and Huntington Ave on the north side of East Campus. You can navigate to it on Google Maps by searching for Backyard Farmer Turf Garden. There will be parking attendants there to help with parking on Wednesday.

See you there at 8am on July 20.

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