

# Event Title: University of Maryland Turfgrass Research Field Day

Date: Wednesday July 18, 2018

Event Time – 4 hrs

## Schedule: 12:30PM to 1:00PM – Registration and Poster Presentations

- Understanding and Following Nutrient Management Guidelines for Turfgrasses in Maryland
- Pesticide Labels 101: Information Needed for Safe and Effective Applications
- Are You Covered? Selecting Personal Protective Equipment for Pesticide Applications
- Management Options for Cedar Apple Rust: A Curious and Damaging Disease of Ornamentals

## 1:00PM to 4:00PM – Walking Tour of Turfgrass Experiments

Presentations will occur every 30 min. Trial areas will be grouped within the same 30 min block based on proximity within the turfgrass facility (*Sub-bullets Denote Small Study Displays*)

- Evaluations of Cool-season Turfgrass Cultivars for Drought Tolerance and Reduced Maintenance Applications
- Evaluation of Warm-Season Grasses for Performance and Winter Hardiness
- Examining Fungicide Programs for Limiting Common Diseases on Putting Green Turf in the Mid-Atlantic
- Fertility, Mowing, Weed, and Disease Management Turfgrass Landscapes in Maryland
  - Evaluating Biological Organisms for Control of Brown Patch in Perennial Ryegrass Lawns
  - Comparison of Conventional and Biological Fungicides for Control of Brown Patch in Tall Fescue Lawns
  - Examining Fungicides for Curative Control of Red Thread and Preventative Control of Brown Patch in Tall Fescue Lawns
- Managing Common Diseases on Golf Course Fairways in Maryland
  - Evaluation of Organic Amendments for Suppression of Dollar Spot and Impact on Fungicide Spray Intervals in Creeping Bentgrass Fairways (10 min)
  - Evaluation of Biofungicide Programs for Suppression of Dollar Spot in Mixed Cool-Season Fairways
  - Evaluation of Bentgrass Cultivars for Fairway Use in Maryland
  - Understanding the Impact of Cultural and Chemical Control for Managing Diseases and Abiotic Stress in Creeping Bentgrass Fairways
- Organic weed control: what are your options?
- Wild-Flower Turf: Meadows Not Lawn

## 4:00PM to 4:30PM – Poster Presentations

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## 4:30PM to Close – Steamed Crabs and BBQ Dinner