

STMA Chapter News

Sports Turf Managers Association of Arizona: The AZ STMA will be holding a one day seminar on Sept. 7, 2006 at the Pera Club in Tempe, AZ. More information is available on our website at www.azstma.com. For information on the Chapter or upcoming events, contact David Oropeza, by e-mail at doropeza@cityofnogales.net or 520/285-5781 or Felipe Garcia by e-mail at fgarcia@ci.flagstaff.az.us or at 520/774-2868.

Chesapeake Chapter STMA (formerly called Mid-Atlantic Athletic Field Managers Organization - MAFMO Chapter STMA): For information on the Chesapeake Chapter, contact Glenn Sweet at glenn_sweet@london.net or call 301/495-5522.

Colorado Sports Turf Managers Association: For more information

about CSTMA visit our website at www.cstma.org or call the Chapter Hotline at 303/346-8954 or President Dick Buelter at 303/233-2922, or email dbuelter@jeffco.k12.co.us.

Florida #1 Chapter: The FTGA Conference and Show will be September 12-15, 2006 in Bonita Springs, FL, for more information, visit www.ftga.org or call 800/882-6721. For info visit the Florida #1 Chapter page on STMA's website or contact Tom Curran by e-mail at ctomsell@aol.com or at 954/786-4138 or Bud Nolder at 954/797-2560.

Gateway Chapter Sports Turf Managers Association: We will have a meeting in September 2006 (date and time TBA) at the City of Maryland Heights "Sports-plex Soccer Park". Also, the BMAC Gateway Chapter

Golf Scramble will be held October 18. For info contact Mark Vessel at 636/940-7776 or e-mail vessel@slysa.org or Frank Schaffer at 636/940-7776.

Georgia Sports Turf Managers Association: For info contact Skip Kirby at 770/928-1580 or by e-mail at skip@sportsturfmanagement.com.

The Greater L.A. Basin Chapter of the Sports Turf Managers Association: For more info call Carol Gundlach, CSFM at 909/594-5611 ext. 5174 or e-mail cgundlach@mtsac.edu.

Illinois Chapter (formerly Midwest Chapter) STMA: For info call chapter secretary Libby Baker at 847/263-7603 or e-mail Bake60ft6in@aol.com.

Iowa Sports Turf Managers Association: For info visit www.iowaturfgrass.org or contact Jeff Wendel, CGCS of The Turf Office at 515/232-8222 or fax 515/232-8228 or e-mail Jeff@iowaturfgrass.org.

Keystone Athletic Field Managers Organization (KAFMO/STMA): The 6th Annual KAFMO Cup Open is Mon., Oct. 16, 2006. It will be held at a new location this year - the Iron Valley Golf Club. There will be a 1:00 pm shotgun start. For more info visit KAFMO.org or contact Dan Douglas at 610/375-8469 ext. 212 or email to KAFMO@aol.com.

Kentucky Sports Turf Managers Association: The Kentucky Chapter would like to express their condolences to the family of William "Bill" Young who passed away on June 29, 2006. He retired in January after 50 years in the agricultural chemical business and was executive secretary for our chapter. The

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2006 KTC Conference and Trade Show will be held Oct. 22-26, 2006 at the Holiday Inn University Plaza Hotel and Sloan Convention Center in Bowling Green. For info go to www.kystma.org or contact Tom Nielsen at 502/212-2287 or by email at tnielsen@batsbaseball.com or Aaron Boggs at Aboggs@batsbaseball.com.

Michigan Sports Turf Managers Association (MiSTMA): For info visit www.mistma.org or contact Chad Follis at 269/377-3340 or 269/381-0596 or by email at chadfollis@farmngarden.com.

Minnesota Chapter STMA: For info visit www.mstma.org or contact chapter President Tom Adamini at 952/953-2420 or by e-mail at tadamini@ci.apple-valley.mn.us.

MO-KAN Sports Turf Managers Association: For information on the MO-KAN Chapter or upcoming events, contact Jody Gill at 913/239-4121 or by e-mail at jgill@bluevalleyk12.org.

New England STMA (NESTMA): The NESTMA Fall Workshop will be October 12 at Dartmouth College. For info contact David Pinsonneault at 781/861-2757 or e-mail dpinson@ci.lexington.ma.us or Nick Caggiano at 603/589-3370 or e-mail caggianon@ci.nashua.nh.us.

Nebraska Sports Turf Managers Association: For information on the Nebraska

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Sports Turf Managers of New York: For information visit www.stmony.org or contact Mike Albino at 315/468-6225 or (c) 315/427-1214 or mikealbino@earthlink.net or Kevin Meredith at 607/287-6609 or kimeredith@earthlink.net.

Sports Field Managers Association of New Jersey: For information on the New Jersey Chapter or upcoming events call SFMANJ at 908/730-7770, e-mail HQ@sfmanj.org or visit the Chapter website at www.sfmanj.org.

Ohio Sports Turf Managers Association (OSTMA): For

information on the Ohio Chapter, contact OSTMA headquarters at 614/354-1196 or Ostma@aol.com. You can also visit our new website at www.ostma.org. The new OSTMA address is PO Box 3426 Dublin, OH 43016.

Pacific Northwest Sports Turf Managers Association: The PNWSTMA has a new website! Check it out at www.pnwstma.org. For info contact Matt Johns at 253/445-4538 or mjohns@puyallup.wsu.edu.

Southern California Chapter: The SoCal Chapter STMA will host its 3rd Annual Golf Tournament Sept. 29. For info contact Michael Tarantino at 858/679-2526 or by e-mail at MTarantino@powayusd.com.

South Carolina Chapter of STMA: For info contact Bruce Suddeth at 864/503-5514 or by

e-mail at bsuddeth@uscupstate.edu or visit our website at www.scstma.org.

Texas Sports Turf Managers Association: The TXSTMA Scholarship Golf Tournament will be October 11 at Tangle Ridge Golf Course in Grand Prairie. Start is 8 AM with lunch following. For info contact T.J. Thompson at txturfmanager@lsc.com or 972/670-2138 (m).

Tennessee Valley Sports Turf Managers Association (TVSTMA): For info call Chapter President Al Ray at 931/388-0303 or e-mail ARay@maurycountytn.gov.

Virginia Sports Turf Managers Association: For info contact VSTMA President Bob Studholme at 703/324-8590 or robert.studholme@fairfax-county.gov.

Wisconsin Sports Turf Managers Association: For info visit www.wstma.org or contact Audra Anderson at ajander2@wiscmail.wisc.edu or 608/845-6536 or Brett Grams at brett@waupacasand.com or 715/258-8566 ext. 135.

FORMING CHAPTERS:

North Florida STMA Chapter: For information on the newly forming North Florida Chapter, contact Mark Clay at 904/633-6116 or Jay McCord at 904/448-2583.

Idaho STMA: For information, contact Greg Liggett, at 208/496-2421 or email him at liggett@byu.edu.

Nevada STMA Chapter: For information, contact Corey Angelo at 702/433-3113 or by e-mail at sls654ASCM@lesco.com. ■