



Ontario Golf Course Management Conference and Trade Show

DAY 1 - WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 28TH, 2015

TIME	SESSION	ROOM
7:00am-4:00pm	Registration	Peller Foyer
7:30am	Awards Breakfast	Peller Ballroom - ABC
9:00am - 10:30am	"Re-establishment Techniques and Research following the Polar Vortex of 2013/14" 1.5 IPM Dr. Thomas Nikolai, Ph.D., Michigan State University SPONSORED BY SYNGENTA 	Peller Ballroom - ABC
10:30am	Break - SPONSORED BY TURF CARE	Peller Foyer
10:45am - 12:15pm	"Irrigate for Turf Health and Playability; Not Colour" and "Putting Green Rootzone Management" 1.5 IPM Adam Moeller, Agronomist, USGA SPONSORED BY SYNGENTA 	Peller Ballroom - ABC
12:30pm - 1:45pm	Buffet Luncheon with Keynote Speaker "Gazing into my Crystal Ball: How our Business is Changing and What it means to You" Pat Jones, Publisher/Editorial Director, Golf Course Industry and Lawn & Landscape Magazine SPONSORED BY SYNGENTA 	Peller Ballroom - ABC
2:00pm - 3:30pm	Innovative Superintendents Panel	Peller Ballroom - ABC
	"Culturally Promoting Bentgrass in Fairways" - Chris Tritabaugh, Superintendent, Hazeltine National Golf Club	
	"Winter Protection Procedure" Rob Ackermann, Superintendent, Weston Golf and Country Club	
	"Sometimes the Problem is You. The Role of Bias in Decision Making" - David Kuypers, Syngenta, Former Superintendent at Cutten Fields 1.5 IPM SPONSORED BY SYNGENTA 	
3:30pm - 3:45pm	Break - SPONSORED BY TURF CARE	Peller Foyer
3:45pm - 5:15pm	"Estimating Turfgrass Nutrient Use" 1.5 IPM Dr. Micah Woods, Ph.D., Chief Scientist, Asian Turfgrass Center SPONSORED BY SYNGENTA 	Peller Ballroom - ABC
6:00pm	Shuttles leave from Marriot Gateway to Planet Hollywood TRANSPORTATION SPONSORED BY ONTARIO SEED CO., MASTER'S TURF SUPPLY LIMITED, UPI ENERGY LP, GT GOLF & TURF	Marriot Gateway - Outside main lobby
6:00pm-11:00pm	OPENING NIGHT PARTY SPONSORED BY ALLTURF LTD., VANDEN BUSSCHE IRRIGATION & EQUIPMENT, ZANDER SOD CO LTD. & HUTCHESON SAND AND MIXES Featuring the Aaron Garner Band	Planet Hollywood
Wednesday's CGSA Points: 3.62 Wednesday's GCSAA Points: 0.70		

DAY 2 - THURSDAY, JANUARY 29TH, 2015

TIME	SESSION	ROOM
7:00am - 4:00pm	Registration	Peller Foyer
7:00am	Continental Breakfast	Peller Foyer
7:15am - 8:45am	"Soil Moisture and Irrigation: 3 Key Points for Summer" 1.5 IPM Dr. Micah Woods, Ph.D. SPONSORED BY NGF Golf, Division of NORTHGATE FARMS 	Peller Ballroom - ABC
8:45am - 9:00am	Break - SPONSORED BY DUKE (G.C.) EQUIPMENT LTD.	Peller Foyer
9:00am - 10:30am	"Attract, Engage, Retain a Great Team" Mark Thompson, President & Chief Engagement Officer, McKinley Solutions SPONSORED BY NGF Golf, Division of NORTHGATE FARMS 	Peller Ballroom - ABC
10:30am - 11:30am	OGSA Membership Meeting	Peller Ballroom - ABC
11:30am	Trade Show Opens	Exhibit Hall A
12:30pm	Trade Show Lunch	Exhibit Hall A
4:30pm - 5:30pm	Trade Show Social - SPONSORED BY DIRECT SOLUTIONS - Division of AGRIMUM AT 	Exhibit Hall A
5:30pm	Trade Show concludes	

FREE EVENING
Thursday's CGSA Points: 1.5
Thursday's GCSAA Points: 0.30

DAY 3 - FRIDAY, JANUARY 30th 2015

TIME	SESSION	ROOM
7:00am - 9:00am	Registration	Peller Foyer
7:00am - 8:00am	Annual General Meeting (with Continental Breakfast starting at 6:45am)	Room 201
7:30am	Continental Breakfast	Peller Foyer
8:00am - 9:30am	"Application Strategies to Improve Disease Control" 1.5 IPM Dr. John Kaminski, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Turfgrass Management/Director, Golf Course Turfgrass Management Program SPONSORED BY NGF Golf, Division of NORTHGATE FARMS 	Peller Ballroom - ABC
9:30am - 10:30am	"Management Philosophy on Newly Constructed Bentgrass Greens" 1 IPM Chris Tritabaugh, Superintendent, Hazeltine National Golf Club SPONSORED BY NGF Golf, Division of NORTHGATE FARMS 	Peller Ballroom - ABC
10:30am - 10:45am	Break - SPONSORED BY NUFARM AGRICULTURE INC.	Peller Foyer
10:45am - 11:45am	"Communication in the 21st Century" Dr. John Kaminski, Ph.D. SPONSORED BY NGF Golf, Division of NORTHGATE FARMS 	Peller Ballroom - ABC
11:45am	Conference Wrap Up	Peller Ballroom - ABC
12:00pm	Conference Concludes	

Friday's CGSA Points: 1.75
Friday's GCSAA Points: 0.35