

Dear Green Industry Professionals,

You are cordially invited to attend the **2012** Winter Seminar Series. My goal is to offer educational sessions that will allow you to improve the quality of service and the profitability of your horticultural business. Although this course is designed for people in the horticulture industry, all interested individuals are welcome.

There are four weekly sessions beginning Thursday, **January 5, 2012**. The sessions start at 8:45 am and end at noon. They are held at the Lyman Anderson Ag. & Conservation Center located at 1 Fen Oak Court off Agriculture Drive near the East Broadway & South Beltline Highway intersection.

The registration fee for all four sessions is \$50 per person. If two or more people from the same organization are attending, the cost is \$40 per person. If you are only interested in taking selected sessions the cost will be \$18.00 per session. We hope to see you there!

If you have any questions, please contact me at the Dane County UWEX office at (608) 224-3715.

Sincerely,

Lisa Ann Johnson

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To insure equal access, please make requests for reasonable accommodations as soon as possible prior to the scheduled program, service or activity. If you need this material in another format please contact Lisa Johnson at 608-224-3715.

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2012 WINTER SEMINAR SERIES

THURSDAYS

JANUARY

5, 12, 19 & 26



Lyman Anderson Ag. & Conserv. Ctr
1 Fen Oak Court, Madison, WI 53718

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Week 1: JANUARY 5

8:45-10:15 AM Organic Lawn Care: Prof. Doug Soldat of Soil Science will discuss new research on organic lawn care strategies.

10:30 AM-11:15 AM: Insect Pests of 2010
Rachel Arango, UW

11:15 AM-12:00 PM: Web Resources for Green Industry Lisa Johnson will review relevant websites for green industry professionals.

Week 3: JANUARY 19

8:45-10:15 AM Imprelis: Dr. Chris Williamson, turf and entomology specialist, will cover Imprelis and other herbicide damage.

10:30 AM-12:00 PM Garden Plant Architecture: Grasses, Sedges, Rushes & Flags: Ed Lyon of UW Allen Centennial Gardens will cover the use of the above in landscape design and various settings.

Week 2: JANUARY 12

8:45-10:15 AM Disease du Jour: Brian Hudelson of the PDDC will present information on plant diseases new to our area, such as thousand cankers disease.

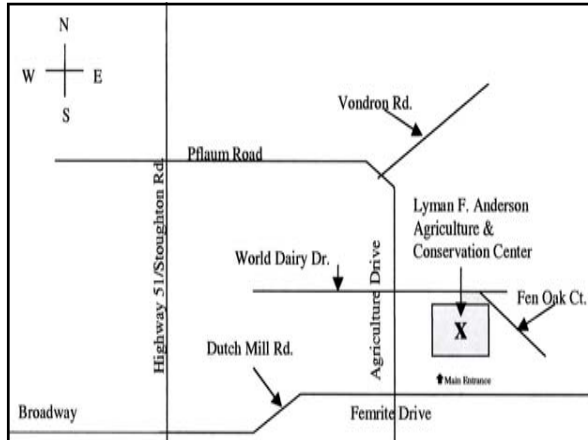
10:30 AM-12:00 PM Dwarf and Smaller Conifers for the Home Landscape: Dr. Laura Jull, Ornamental Woody Plant Specialist at UW-Madison, will review dwarf and small-scale conifer species and cultivars that work best as landscape subjects in our area.

Week 4: JANUARY 26

8:45-10:15 AM ID and Control of Wetland Invasive Species Brock Woods, DNR, will discuss various wetland invasives and their control.

10:30 AM -12:00 PM Stress & Insects: Who Comes First?: Phil Pellitteri, entomologist will answer this age-old question and review common plant-stress-related insects.

The Lyman Anderson Ag & Conservation Center is located at 1 Fen Oak Court on the corner of Agriculture Dr and World Dairy Dr. From HWY 12/18, take HWY 51 north. Turn right at the lights onto Broadway East. This road becomes Dutch Mill Rd and then Femrite Dr. Turn left on Agriculture Dr. Shortly after the turn, on your right you will see a two-story brick building with a satellite dish at ground level. This is the Lyman Anderson Center. Turn right onto World Dairy Dr and then right again into our lot. If you get lost, call 608-224-3707 for directions.



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Name: _____
 Company: _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____
 Zip: _____ Phone: _____
 Email: _____

Site Location: Dane County Extension Office

_____ \$50.00 (all 4 sessions)
 _____ \$18.00 Week 1
 _____ \$18.00 Week 2
 _____ \$18.00 Week 3
 _____ \$18.00 Week 4

**Registrations
due Dec. 30, 2011**

_____ \$45.00 (all 4 sessions per person if two or more
 \$_____ Total from the same company are attending)

Make Checks Payable to: Dane County Treasurer

Mail to: Attn Emily Capick
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 Madison, WI 53718

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Please attach list of additional attendees !