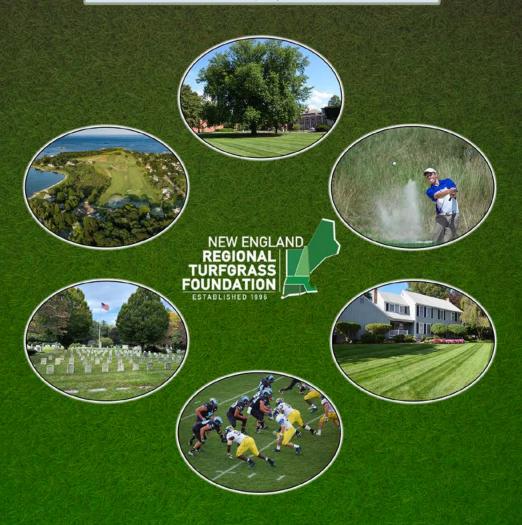
# - The 29th Annual New England Regional Turfgrass Conference & Show

March 3-5, 2026



Providence, R.I.

### New England Regional Turfgrass Conference & Show



### Success Through Innovation....

elcome to the New England Regional Turfgrass Conference & Show. It is an honor to gather once again with professionals, educators, students, and industry partners who continue to elevate the standards of turfgrass management throughout our region.

This year's theme, "Success Through Innovation," speaks directly to the challenges and opportunities facing our industry. From changing environmental conditions to evolving expectations from the communities we serve, turfgrass professionals are navigating a landscape that demands creativity, resilience, and forward-thinking solutions. Innovation is no longer optional, it is essential.

Throughout the conference, you'll find countless opportunities to explore new ideas: cutting-edge research from leading universities, emerging technologies that are reshaping our daily operations, practical sessions that tackle real-world challenges, and a trade show offering the latest products and tools designed to help you work smarter and more sustainably. But innovation is not solely about new equipment or advanced science. It is also about collaboration. The strength of our profession comes from the sharing of knowledge—across disciplines, across generations, and across the many sectors that make up the turfgrass community. Together, we continue to redefine what success looks like for sports fields, golf courses, municipal landscapes, and all the green spaces that enrich life in New England.

Thank you for your commitment to excellence and for being part of this year's conference. I encourage you to engage fully, ask questions, make connections, and carry the spirit of innovation forward into your work. By doing so, we ensure not only the success of our own organizations, but the long-term vitality of our entire industry. Wishing you a productive, inspiring, and enjoyable conference.

Ben Polimer President, New England Regional Turfgrass Foundation





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### **Pre-Conference NERTF Seminars:**

All registration can be done at www.nertf.org, including Check Payments and Purchase Orders.

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- Educational Sessions •Trade Show Lunch (Thursday attendees)
- Conference Reception Admission to Trade Show
- Sports Turf Seminar Morning Refreshments

2 Day Badge: \$195.00 \* Note: Trade Show only
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# Thursday On-Site Registration:

- \* Badges are an additional \$25.00 at the door.
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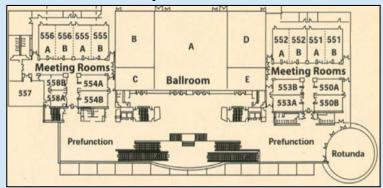
2026-Attendee Cancellations received before February 20 shall be honored. A \$25 processing fee will be charged per company. All requests after the 14-day deadline shall be charged an administration fee of \$25.00/pp. No refund requests will be honored after 5pm, Monday, March 2, 2026. All requests must be submitted in writing by these deadline(s) to the show office. (Email: gsykes.nertf@qmail.com)

### **Dress Code:**

New England Regional Turfgrass Conference and Show Dress Code.

- ☐ Business Casual for Men and Women (Be Comfortable)
- ☐ Jackets/Ties are optional (Look Professional)
- ☐ Please Leave your Hat in the Truck!

### **Ballroom Level Floorplan**



## **Register at NERTF.org**

## Some of the 2026 Featured Speakers



**Dr. Gerald Henry** is the Athletic Association Endowed Professor of Environmental Turfgrass Science at the University of Georgia. His research focuses on reducing inputs through precision turfgrass management, improving athletic field performance and player safety, weed biology and ecology and ecosystem services.

**Dr. J. Scott McElroy** is a Professor at Auburn University and has dedicated the majority of his life on earth to killing weeds making grass better for all people. Dr. Scott received his Ph.D. from NC State Univ., worked a stint at the University of Tenn., and has been toiling away at all things turfgrass at Auburn for the last 18 years.



**Dr. Travis Gannon** is a professor in the Dept. of Crop Science at NC State University and serves as the co-director of the Center of Turfgrass Environmental Research and Education. His research and outreach efforts support the development that balance effective management with environmental sustainability.

Ms. Bre Schoultz took her passion for keeping equipment running to become a true powerhouse in the world of small engine repair. She created the Podcast "Chickanic" that today has one million followers and more than two hundred million views. She breaks down complex repairs into no nonsense tutorials on small engines and more!



**Dr. Olga Kostromytska, is** an Extension Assistant Professor at the University of Massachusetts with a research program focused on gaining a better understanding of biology and ecology of turfgrass insect pests, developing sustainable management strategies, reduced insecticide applications and investigating resistance mechanisms to identify and solve insect pest problems.

**Dr. Mike Fidanza** is a Professor of Plant and Soil Science at the Pennsylvania State University (Berks Campus). His research focus includes turfgrass ecology, plant health products, soil surfactants, seed technology, and cultural practices in turfgrass ecosystems.



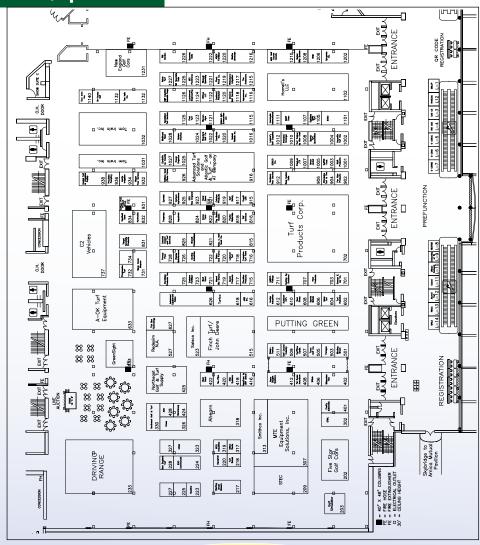
**Mr. Lee Butler** has worked at NC State University for 26 years in Turfgrass Pathology. He presently runs the diagnostic lab which assists turfgrass managers worldwide with disease diagnosis and management. Lee helps to manage their fungicide efficacy trials in addition to teaching turf students the art and science of turfgrass pathology.

## Floor Plan

Don't Miss Our 22nd Live Auction Wed., 4pm Hall D

# **2026 New England Regional Turfgrass Conference & Show**

Rhode Island Convention Center • Providence, RI



Title Sponsor Ball Park Lunch Wednesday, March 4th



# Conference Agenda

### **Tuesday, March 3**

Sessions within these borders must all be attended to achieve credits listed

### PRE-CONFERENCE SEMINARS

### MORNING SEMINARS: 8:00am-12:00pm

8:00am-5:00pm	Cemetery Management       Full Day Seminar         See Page 7       3 Credits, 3B, 10, Pvt, CL & DL & 1-3A
8:00am-10:00am	Boosting Turf Resilience with Soil Surfactant Technology <sup>1</sup> /4 Day Seminar Dr. Mike Fidanza, Penn State Berks, Dr. Stan Kostka, Penn State Berks and Mr. Tom Malehorn, iGin Research 1 Credit, 3B, 10, Pvt, CL & DL
8:00am-12:00pm	Nitrogen Fertilizer and Soil N for Cool Season Turfgrass ½ Day Seminar Dr. Beth Guertal, Retired, Auburn University 2 Credits, 3B, 10, Pvt, CL & DL
8:00am-12:00pm	<b>Bunkers: Everything You Ever Wanted to Know and More</b> 1/2 Day Seminar Mr. Jerry Lemons, Golf Links, Inc. & Mr. Adam Moeller, Moeller Consulting, Inc.
8:00am-12:00pm	Golf Course Pesticide Application Optimization
10:00am-12:00pm	Tips To Build a Weed Control Program for Your Facility
10:00am-12:00pm	ABC's of Irrigation System Design

### AFTERNOON SEMINARS: 1:00pm-5:00pm

1:00pm-3:00pm	<b>Bio-Control Options for Turfgrass Management</b>
	University of Massachusetts & Cornell University 2 Credits, 3B, 10, Pvt, CL &
1:00pm-3:00pm	ABC's of Fungicide Programming
1:00pm-3:00pm	Golf Course Pond Management
3:00pm-5:00pm	<b>Time &amp; Priority Management</b>
3:00pm-5:00pm	Soil and Water Science for Turfgrass-The Basics
3:00pm-5:00pm	<b>Forest Application Training: Chainsaw Safety</b>

<sup>\*</sup> Potential Pesticide Credits

GCSAA Education Points: All 1/2 day seminars receive 0.35 Education Points; All 1/4 day (2 hr.) seminars receive 0.20

			AFTER 2/20
<b>Seminar Pricing:</b>	2 Hour	\$75	\$90
-	4 Hour	\$130	\$145
	8 Hour	\$250	\$275

Meet & Greet
Educators
Reception
5pm-6pm
5th Floor

### 8-Hour Cemetery Management Seminar

### **Tues. March 3, 2026**

### A Premier Lineup of Experts in Cemetery Management

8am	Historical Management of Landscapes Across America	Mr. Greg Melville, Author Middletown, DE
9am	Cemetery Preservation	Ms. Neela Wickremesinghe, Green-Wood Cemetery, Brooklyn, NY
10am	Cemetery Soils: A Unique Growing Environment	Dr. Evan Mascitti, UMass Amherst
11am	Management and Preservation of Trees in Cemeteries	Mr. Bill Logan, Urban Arborists, Rensselaerville, NY
12pm	Lunch	-Rotunda-
1pm	Communicating With Difficult Customers	Ms. Sadie Rosethorn, Sadie Rosethorn Consulting, Brockton, MA
2pm	The Challenge of Mowing Cemeteries and Other Areas	Dr. Scott McElroy, Auburn University
3pm	Cemetery Weed Management	Dr. Matt Elmore, Rutgers University
4pm	Pollinator Habitats and Turf Areas: Can They Co-exist?	Mr. Jason Lanier, UMass Amherst & Ms. Nicole Bell, UMass Amherst

### Cost for Seminar is \$250 and includes lunch







### UMass College of Natural Sciences



Invites you to a Breakfast for alumni, students & friends of the UMass Amherst Turf Program

7:00am Wednesday, March 4, 2026 5th Floor Rotunda



# **Show Highlights**

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### Tuesday Seminar Reception | 5-6pm (5th Floor Rotunda)

Unwind after a full day of seminars with light fare, beverages, and networking.

Sponsored in part by Atticus.

### Wednesday's Ball Park Lunch

Discover what a Ball Park Lunch is at the TPC booth (#702). Sponsored by Turf Products, Inc.

### Wednesday and Thursday Morning Refreshments | 7am

Fuel up with breakfast and beverages outside the 3rd Floor Trade Show. **Sponsored by**Fore the Turf, Turf Enhancement Enterprises, and Winding Brook Turf.

### Wednesday Show Auction and Refreshments | 4pm

Head to the Trade Show floor for the 21st Show Auction. Bid on exhibitor items supporting Turfgrass Research. Beverages sponsored by **BASF** and **Calcium Products**.

### Wednesday Conference Reception | 5pm-6:30pm (5th Floor Rotunda)

Network and enjoy food and drinks. Sponsored in part by Read Custom Soils.

### Thursday Morning Coffee Bar | 7am

Start your day right with a coffee Compliments of STEC

### Thursday Trade Show Lunch | 11:30am-1pm

After an exciting three days, Join us for a hearty lunch to close out the show.

Sponsored by Atlantic Golf and Turf, Advanced Turf Solutions, Envu, and Syngenta.

### **Play The Nine Holes on the Trade Show Floor**

Visit exhibitors and win prizes Sponsored by Target Specialty Products.

# Research & Innovation

nfortunately, we sometimes work in a profession that can experience death (turf) and destruction. When turf loss occurs, analysis (research) is needed to determine the cause and adjustments (innovations) are warranted to avoid future failures. During our investigation it might be

determined that the loss was unavoidable, a natural occurrence that normally your turf would not be exposed to. It might also show signs of a crack in our protective shield that exposed areas to its own vulnerability. Each day includes factors, good and bad, that can influence turf health. Regardless of the determined cause, how you move forward might be a key to your success. Recovery doesn't just happen, and many steps might be involved. Past challenges and accumulated experiences teach us how to correct our course through turbulent times. Consultation with researchers and peers could be advantageous resources for planning future strategies. Sitting idly and hoping for a better outcome will only guarantee uncertainty and complacency. As they say, tools don't make the mechanic it is how they are used that will make the differenced

don't make the mechanic, it is how they are used that will make the difference! Using the tools available to you like research and innovation can put you on a path to recovery and success.

Wednesday, March 4 - AM Session GOLF 2 NE Credits 3b, 10, Pvt. Cl. & Dl. 2 NE Credits 3b, 10, Pvt.	TAIN SESSION SPORTS/GROUNDS 2 NE Credits 3b, 10, Pvt. CL & DL	EQUIPMENT TECHNICIANS	
8:05am-9:00am Getting Rid of Goosegrass Dr. Matt Elmore Rutgers University	8:05am-9:00am Organic Options for Sports Turf: What's Out There Dr. Beth Guertal Auburn University	8:00am-9:00am 6 Most Common Equipment Tech Issues of 2025 Wr. Dan Gomes Turf Products Corporation Enfield, CT	Sessions within these borders wastall be attended to achieve credits listed
9:00am-10:00am What did We Learn from Fairy Ring in 2025 Dr. Michael Fidanza Pennsylvania State University	9:00am-10:00am Integrated Management of Annual Bluegrass on Sports Fields Dr. Travis Gannon North Carolina State University	9:00am-10:00am Diagnose Like a Pro: Using Chickanic's Tips, Tricks and Tools Ms. Brean Schoultz 'Chickanic' Hot Springs, AR	
10:00am-11:00am 2025 US Open at Oakmont Mr. Mike McCormick Oakmont Country Club	10:00am-10:45am Simplified Strategies for New Sports Turf Irrigation Systems Mr. Ashley Wilkinson GT Irrigation, Inc.	10:00am-11:00am Conflict Management Ms. Sadie Rosethorn Sadie Rosethorn Consulting, Inc. Needham, MA	
Trade Show 9:00am-5:00pm	NE-SFMA Annual Meeting & Awards Lunch 11:00am (By Invitation)		0

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<b>GOLF</b> 2 NE Credits 3b, 10, Pvt, CL & DL	SPORTS/GROUNDS 2 NE Credits 3b, 10, Pvt, CL & DL	EQUIPMENT TECHNICIANS	
1:00pm-1:45pm Controlling Dollar Spot On Fairways*		1:00pm-2:00pm Setting Up Cutting Units Including DPA Units Mr. Trent Manning, CIEM	Sessions within these borders must all be attended to achieve credits listed
University of Connecticut	1:30pm-2:15pm	Ansley Golf Club at Midtown Canton, GA	
1:45pm-2:30pm	Using soil surfactants on sports Fields: What All Practitioners Should Know		
Natural Āreas* Dr. Olga Kostromytska	Dr. Stan Kostka Pennsylvania State University	2:00pm-3:00pm	
University of Massachusetts		Equipment: In an Age of Throwaway Design	
2:30pm-3:15pm A Southern Researcher's Perspective on Growing Weed	Turf Pests & IPM on Sports Fields Dr. Kyle Wickings Comell University	Ms. Brean Schoultz 'Chickanic', Hot Springs, AR	
Dr. Scott McElroy Auburn University	3:00pm-3:45pm		
Annual Show Auction 4:00pm	Aerification Dr. Gerald Henry University of Georgia		
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Conterence Reception 5:00-6:30pm Rotunda-5th Floor	REAL	READ CUSTOM SOILS Experience, Quality, Consistency.	

# Thursday, March 5 | AM Session

MECHANICS No Credits	8:00am-9:00am Teaching Chain Saw Safety, Use and Maintenance Mr. Trent Manning, CTEM Ansley Golf Club at Midtown Canton, GA	9:00am-11:00am Deep Dive Maintenance for Tier IV Engines Mr. Nick Testa SUNY Cobleskill	Sponsor Attendee Thursday Lunch	ADVANCED Atlantic FURF SOLUTIONS An Advanced But Solutions Company Co-Sponsor
LANDSCAPE/LAWN CARE 2 NE Credits 3b, 10, Pvt, CL & DL	8:00am-8:45am Battling Summer Stress and the Road to Recovery of Landscape Lawns Dr. Michelle DaCosta University of Massachusetts	8:45am-9:30am Lawn Care and Landscape Diagnostics Mr. Lee Butler North Carolina State University	9:30am-10:15am Home Lawn and Landscape Weed Management Dr. Gerald Heny University of Georgia	Morning Coffee Bar Sponsored by
SPORTS/GROUNDS DL 1 NE Credit 3b, 10, Pvt, CL & DL	8:00am-8:45am Athletic Field Performance Testing and Safety Dr. Gerald Henry University of Georgia	8:45am-9:30am Program ming Preventative Weed Applications Dr. Scott McEroy Auburn University	9:30am-10:15am Sports Field Facility: Being Aware of Liability Mr. Scott Bills Sports Field Solutions	u
<b>GOLF</b> 2 NE Credits 3b, 10, Pvt, CL & DL	8:00am-8:45am Investigating the Efficacy of Fluazinam as a Tool for Manag- ing Dollar Spot Resistance* Dr. Geunhwa Jung University of Massachusetts	8:45am-9:30am USGA Technology in Championship Preparation Mr. Elliott Dowling USGA Green Section	9:30am-10:15am Golf Course Property Optimization: Incorporating Pollinator Spaces Mr. Jason Lanier, UMass Ext. Ms. Nicole Bell, UMass Ext.	Trade Show 9:00am-1:00pm

# Thursday, March 5 PM Session

MECHANICS No Credits	1:00pm-2:30pm Tips and Tricks for Your Maintenance Facility Mr. Trent Manning, CTEM Ansley Golf Club at Midtown Canton, GA		2:30pm-3:30pm Relays and Solenoids Mr. Nick Testa SUNY Cobleskill 2026 Memorial Give-Away 3:30pm
LANDSCAPE/LAWN CARE 1 NE Credii 3b, 10, Pv1, CL & DL	1:00pm-1:40pm Soil Testing for Home Lawns Dr. Sam Glaze-Corcoran University of Massachusetts	1:40pm-2:20pm Turfgrass Varieties to Consider for the Landscape Dr. Scott Ebdon University of Massachusetts	d Future
SPORTS/GROUNDS 1 NE Credit 3b, 10, Pvt, CL & DL	1:00pm-1:40pm The Economics of Fungicide Use on Sports Fields Mr. Lee Butler North Carolina State University	1:40pm-2:20pm Using PGRs on Sports Fields: Advantages and Drawbacks Dr. Evan Mascitti University of Massachusetts	2:30pm-3:30pm (Joint Session) botic Mower Technology: Past, Present and Future Dr. Scott McElroy, Auburn University
GOLF 1 NE Credii 3b, 10, Pvt, CL & DL	1:00pm-1:40pm A Closer Look at Quantifying Surface Organic Matter in Putting Greens Dr. Maureen Kahiu University of Connecticut	1:40pm-2:20pm 2025 Turfgrass Diagnostic Review Dr. Nathaniel Mitkowski University of Rhode Island	Robotic N

# Exhibitor Breakdown & Move-Out (1pm-6pm)

2027 Show Dates March 2-4, 2027

\* Research Reporting

Association Meetings:
UMass Breakfast
UConn Breakfast
NE-SFMA Annual Meeting
NESPA Meeting

Wednesday, March 4
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Pesticide Applicator recertification credits have been requested for New York and New Jersey. Education Points (EP's) have been approved by the GCSÁA.

Rhode Island pesticide applicator and recertification contact hours have been approved for the sessions below. The equivalent categories have been approved in Massachusetts, Connecticut, Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont.

### **Categories:**

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### **NEW ENGLAND** RECERTIFICATION CREDITS

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### **TUESDAY, MARCH 3**

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Soil and Water Science for Turfgrass... (3pm-5pm) 2 Credits 3B, 10, Pvt., CL & DL

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Landscape/Lawn Care AM (8am-10:45am) 2 Credits 3B, 10, Pvt., CL, DL

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