

ECA Education Day 2017

Thursday, December 7th
Canyon Crest Events Center
Twin Falls, Idaho

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seminar to gain knowledge
& earn recertification points?***

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7:00 – 8:30 am **Registration**

8:30 – 9:25 am **The Big Picture: The Pest Management Professional's Role in Protecting Public Health, Property and Quality of Life, Michael Bentley, National Pest Management Association**
Pest outbreaks can cause havoc in urban settings and lifestyles. By controlling pest populations the pest management industry helps limit the damaging effects associated with these pest outbreaks. Michael will show the many benefits that are achieved through pest management.

9:25 – 10:20 am **Protecting the Pest Control Operator from Hanta Virus, What You Should Know, Jeff Weier, Sprague Pest Solutions**
Hanta Virus is a deadly disease that should not be taken lightly for Applicators and Homeowners. Jeff will explain the disease and precautions used to reduce the risk of contact.

10:20 – 10:45 am **Break with Exhibitors**

10:45 – 11:40 **Know your Vegetation Management Products and Chemistries, Do's and DON'TS, John Franson, Wilbur-Ellis Company**
Strategies for effective control of weeds must include a high degree of knowledge of the products being used and how they work. John will go over considerations when deciding on the right products to use in various situations.

11:40 – 1:00 pm **Lunch (on your own)**

1:00 – 1:55 pm **Water Quality and Pesticides: What We Are Finding, Dr. Curtis Cooper, Idaho State Department of Agriculture**
The ISDA Water Quality Program monitored over 500 sites for pesticides in 2017. Dr. Cooper will discuss what pesticides are showing up in these sample results and the levels of concern associated with them.

1:55 – 2:50 pm **Compliance Update from ISDA. Following the Pesticide Label, Kevin Kostka, Idaho State Department of Agriculture**
Applicators need to adhere to label requirements when using pesticides. Kevin will describe the importance of keeping compliant with professional pesticide use. He will also go over some enforcement activities from the past year.

2:50 – 3:10 pm **Break with Exhibitors**

3:10 – 4:05 pm **Diagnosis and Control of Lawn Insects, Mike Stafford, Simplot Partners**
Mike will discuss why diagnosis is so important when controlling turf insects. He will also discuss why control strategies are essential.

4:05 – 5:00 pm **Identification and Control of Tree Insects for Idaho Landscapes, Tom Gritzmacher, Crop Production Services**
The first step in controlling insects and mites on trees and shrubs is proper identification. Tom will discuss common pests seen on our landscapes and how to control them properly.

5:00 pm **Conference Wrap-up and Grand Prize Give-Away**

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ECA Education Day Overview:

Want to earn recertification points in a one-day session this year? The Environmental Care Association (ECA) of Idaho has the answer!

The ECA of Idaho will have a one-day recertification education day at the Canyon Crest Events Center in Twin Falls, Idaho on December 7, 2017. The ECA of Idaho is the State Association representing indoor and outdoor Urban Pesticide Applicators in Idaho for 36 years. Speakers will present many informative topics at sessions designed specifically for pesticide applicators.

Exhibitors will be on hand to answer questions about their products and show you what's new in the industry.

A grand prize give-away will take place at the end of the day. Don't miss this opportunity to attend seminars about the latest technologies and pest control strategies.

Pre-registration is highly advised as it will save you money. Just mail or fax in the registration application in this brochure today, or use the secure online registration.



Directions to Canyon Crest Events Center:

From I-84 take the Twin Falls Exit (Hwy 93) South into Twin Falls. Just past the mall, turn right on Pole Line Road and right onto Canyon Crest Drive. The Events Center is toward the North end of the building.
330 N. Canyon Crest Drive.

Seven (7) Idaho Pesticide Recertification Credits Offered for Education Day in Twin Falls

Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Nevada pesticide credits also available.

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to answer your questions!

Why should you join the ECA?

Products and services offered by ECA for it's members:

- Free company listing on the ECA website: ecaofidaho.org
- Discounted registration costs for educational events
- Up to date industry information
- Recertification sessions
- Voice in legislative issues
- Opportunities to network and exchange information