

**Turf Bowl- Learning not just competition!**  
**Friday, May 11<sup>th</sup> at UConn**  
**Start Time 8:30ish**  
**Bring Your Own Lunch**  
**And Calculator**

- Phase I (One Hour)– General Knowledge Exam -Matt Agnello  
    Turfgrass Science and Management Emmons (Editions are very similar)
- Phase II (One Hour)– Identification of Turf Species, Pests, and Disorders –UCONN  
    UConn Professors will review answers to sections immediately afterwards in an effort to learn the ones you missed.

**Turfgrass Identification List**

**Insects**

1. Billbug
2. Chinch Bug
3. Cutworm
4. European Chaffer (with Rater Pattern)
5. Asiatic Garden Beetle (w Raster Pattern)
6. Japanese Beetle (with Raster Pattern)
7. Sod Webworm
8. Deer Tick
9. Grass Mite
10. Leaf Hopper

**Weeds**

1. Broadleaf plantain
2. Buckhorn plantain
3. Carpetweed
4. Common chickweed
5. Smooth Crabgrass
6. Dandelion
7. Foxtail
8. Goosegrass
9. Ground Ivy
10. Henbit
11. Knotweed
12. Mouse Ear Chickweed
13. Nimblewill
14. Purslane
15. Quackgrass
16. Red sorrel
17. White Clover
18. Yellow Nutsedge
19. Yellow Woodsorrel (Oxalis)
20. Hawk Weed
21. Pennsylvania Smartweed
22. Mallow

23. Wild Violet
24. Large Crabgrass
25. Yarrow

### **Turf Species**

#### Creeping Bentgrass

1. Velvet Bentgrass
2. Annual Ryegrass
3. Creeping Fescue
4. Fine Fescue
5. Kentucky Bluegrass
6. Perennial Ryegrass
7. Tall Fescue
8. Zoysia Grass
9. Rough Bluegrass

### **Diseases**

1. Brown Patch
2. Dollar Spot
3. Fairy Ring
4. Leaf Spot
5. Powdery Mildew
6. Pythium Blight
7. Red Thread
8. Rust
9. Arthracnose
10. Pink Snow Mold

### **Turf Equipment**

1. Core Aerator
2. Cup Cutter
3. Broadcast Spreader
4. Drop Spreader
5. Overseeder
6. Reel Mower
7. Respirator
8. Rotary mower
9. Rototiller
10. Sod Cutter
11. Skid Steer
12. Backpack Sprayer
13. String Trimmer
14. Backpack Blower
15. Fungicide
16. Utility Vehicle
17. Compact Utility Tractor
18. Hydroseeder
19. Topdresser
20. Bunker Rake (Ride On Toro Sandpro)

- Phase III (Two Hours) - Facilitator-Patrick O'Keefe  
Equipment Preparation, Maintenance, Problem Solving, and Safety

Contest will be based on a combo of the New Jersey Turf Contest, GCSSA Turf Bowl and UCONN Input

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