



The Association of Grand Rapids Landscape Professionals in conjunction with CGIP Presents:

# 2018 Summer Field Day

Friday, July 27, 2018 • Calvin College, Grand Rapids, Michigan

## DAY AT A GLANCE

7:45am	Registration and Welcome
8:20	Orientation to Morning Workshops
8:30-11:30	Morning Workshops
11:30	Lunch & Trade Show
1:00-3:00	Afternoon Workshop
3:00-3:15	MDA Certification Sign-in

8:30 - 11:30 AM MORNING WORKSHOPS (rotations of one hour each-participants attend 3 sessions)

**A.) Dr. Dave Roberts**

**Michigan State University, Plant Diagnostic Specialist**

The "tree doctor" returns to update participants on current disease and insect threats to woody plants. Abiotic disorders will also be covered.

**B.) Mick Piombino, Colin Oneil**

**Michigan State University instructors**

Mick will cover which are the best flowers for attracting pollinators as well as the ever-present marmorated Stink Bug invasion. Colin will update on Hemlock Woolly Adelgid and the resurgence of Gypsy Moths and their control.

**C.) Rob McCartney**

A key to healthy landscape plants are managing soils. Rob will talk about soil types and how they influence compaction, drainage and nutrient uptake. Improving soil with composts will also be discussed.

**11:30-1:00 LUNCH & TRADE SHOW**

**1:00-3:00pm AFTERNOON LABWALKS - (choose one)**

**D.) Dave Roberts and Rob McCartney**

Dave and Rob will walk and talk through campus to highlight and discuss current landscape diseases and cultural problems. The time will go fast as participants learn at every stop on this walk.

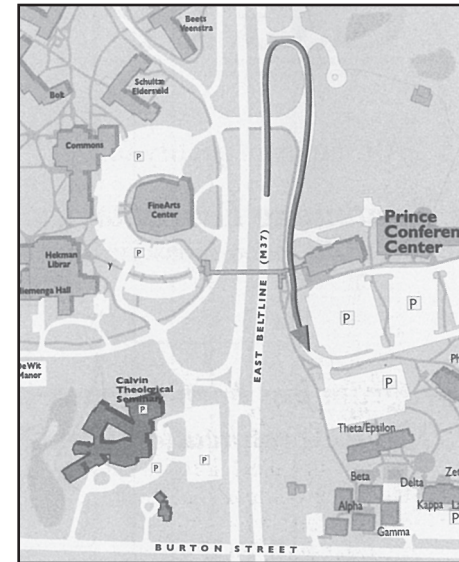
**E.) Matt Byma and Geoff Van Berkel**

Matt and Geoff will talk all thing turf and this walk. The common struggle of poa annua control will be highlighted as well as weeds, and cultural management of sports turf.

**3:00-3:15 PM MDA CERTIFICATION SIGN-IN**

## \* LOCATION \*

*EAST of East Beltline (M-37)*



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