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On behalf of the Board of Directors, CNLA would like to thank Jason Scire from Van Wilgen's Garden Center and Tracy Van Rye from Prides Corner Farms for all of their efforts and time on the CNLA Board of Directors. Mr. Scire has other obligations that warrant his attention at this time and Ms. Van Rye has informed the Board that she will be leaving the industry. They both have contributed towards CNLA's success with Mr. Scire serving since 2010 and Ms. Van Rye who would have completed her first year with the Board. Once again, thank you both and we look forward to seeing you at future CNLA events.

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Legislative Update

CNLA Lobbyist Team, The Kowalski Group, provided a Legislative Update. To view the complete update, [click here](#).

MEMBERSHIP



Renew your 2015-2016 CNLA Membership today!

Due by October 1, 2015

Continue receiving the many benefits of being a CNLA member:

- Discounted Rates for Quality Education Programs & Trade Shows
- Free Legal Advice from CT's Top Labor Attorney
- Government Relations Activity on Your Behalf
- Group Purchasing Programs & More!

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CNLA Membership Year: July 1, 2015-June 30, 2016

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**Needs Assessment Survey - UConn Nursery
IPM Program 2015 Now Open!**

Dr. Alejandro Chiriboga, Visiting Assistant Extension Educator at the University of Connecticut, Department of Plant Science and Landscape Architecture, is conducting an online Needs Assessment Survey which attempts to clarify the current Integrated Pest Management (IPM) training needs for the Nursery Industry in Connecticut. With your assistance we will be able to determine the relative importance of key management issues you face and determine where to focus our efforts.

Please take this brief one-time only survey which should only take about 10-12 minutes, but the results will provide valuable information to the UConn Nursery IPM Program.

Your Anonymous Survey Link:

https://uconn.co1.qualtrics.com/SE/?SID=SV_9mfrlwVHkieVII1

Or you can copy this link, then paste it into an email or website.

This survey will remain open from June 1 to August 31, 2015.

Thank you in advance for your input and time!



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Join Us! 2015 Summer Family Day (formerly Summer Field Day)



Treat your staff and family to a day full of fun and education at the beautiful Bartlett Arboretum & Gardens! Don't miss out on the opportunity to meet with over 50 vendors and attend educational programs. Register by **July 12th** before rates increase!

Rain or Shine!

**Wednesday, July 15, 2015
Bartlett Arboretum & Gardens
Stamford, CT**

This program is a cooperative effort of the CNLA, UConn Extension, the Connecticut Department of Agriculture, and the Risk Management Agency/USDA.



Schedule of Programs:

9:30AM-10:30AM:
Implementing the Statewide UConn Nursery IPM Program: an Outreach Update -Dr. Alejandro Chiriboga, UConn Extension 1 credit

11:00AM-12:00PM:
The History of Pesticides: From Biocides to Biofriendly -
Dr. Neil Hendrickson, Bartlett Tree Experts 1 credit

1:00PM-2:00PM:
Walking Tour - Dr. Jeffrey Ward, CAES 1 credit

2:00PM-3:00PM:

Role of Nutrition in Ornamental Plant Health - Dr. Wade Elmer, CAES 1 credit

Tours of Sam Bridge Nursery & Greenhouses

10:00AM-2:00PM (tours every half hour)

Register Now

1. Online by [clicking here](#).
 2. Download the [Registration Form](#) and mail/fax to the CNLA Executive Office.
 3. Call the CNLA Office to register by phone.
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**It's Not Too Late! Register to Exhibit at the
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Register Now for the Connecticut Accredited Nursery Professional Program 2015



CNLA's annual **13-week certification program** will teach you the basics of botany, plant identification, and professional horticultural information. CANP's low admission price - *starts at \$130 for members and \$180 for nonmembers* - makes accreditation open to all persons in the nursery and landscape industry.

Classes start **August 18th** at the **Jones Auditorium** in New Haven, CT!

Register Today!

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2015 CANP Course Schedule & Directions



Get Out Your Calendars!

Upcoming Industry Events

- Proven Biological Control Programs for Indoor and Outdoor Production of Ornamentals - WB Young Building, UConn ~ Storrs, CT, June 18, 2015. For more information, visit <http://ipm.uconn.edu>
- CNLA 2015 Summer Family Day - Bartlett Arboretum & Gardens ~ Stamford, CT, July 15, 2015.
- CNLA Connecticut Accredited Nursery Professional 2015 Program - Jones Auditorium ~ New Haven, CT. Starts August 18th!

- CNF hosts Past CNLA Presidents Reception - Saturday, August 29th 3pm-7pm at Chamard Vineyard in Clinton, CT. More information to follow.
- CNF Annual Golf Outing -Tuesday, September 22 at Lyman Orchards Golf Club, Middlebury, CT. 8AM Tee Time. More information to follow.

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3. Once you are signed up, search for Connecticut Nursery & Landscape Association. Click on the page and then click on the "Like" button to follow CNLA.



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