**Sunday, October 1**

### Special Events (Separate Fee)
- **8:00 am** Fishing Trip - Join Captain Farley aboard the Beverly B for a half day of fishing on the Chesapeake Bay
- **Noon** Annual Golf Tournament - to benefit the TREE Fund, Owl’s Creek Golf Course

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**Monday, October 2**

### Field Day and Outdoor Trade Show
VA Tech’s Hampton Roads Agricultural Research and Extension Center (HRAREC). Special thanks to USDA Forest Service and Virginia Department of Forestry Urban and Community Forestry Grant, which is supporting our reduced registration rate for field day and student scholarships. (Registration includes breakfast and seafood buffet lunch.) 6 CEU’s available.

### Program and Demonstrations to Include:
- **Insect Identification** Eric Day and Dr. Peter Schultz, VA Tech
- **Bayscaping, Riparian Buffers, and Rain Gardens** Laurie Fox and Susan French, VA Tech
- **Tree Evaluation and Climbing** Eric Day and Dr. Peter Schultz, VA Tech
- **Tree Roots** Jim Flott, Community Forestry Consultants, and Dr. Bonnie Appleton, Pete Edlind, Kristina Villaire, and Tracy Brier, VA Tech
- **Weed Management** Dr. Jeff Derr, VA Tech
- **Tree Recycling** Kevin Richardson, Pogo Organics, and Dean Arrington and Carl Wood, Southern Public Service Authority
- **Trees vs. Utilities** Sam Vaughn, Dominion Virginia Power, Dr. Bonnie Appleton
- **Growth Regulators** Dr. Tom Banko, VA Tech
- **Disease Diagnosis and Fungal ID** Dr. Chuan Hong and Mary Ann Hansen, VA Tech
- **Aquatic Management** Laurie Fox, VA Tech
- **Chain Saw Safety** Mark Chisolm and Mike Preddy, Stihl
- **Cabling and Lightning Protection Installation** Tim Nuckols, Nuckols Tree Care, Oscar Richardson, Signature Landscapes, Dr. Eric Wiseman, VA Tech, and Scott Beecher, Streamline Tree Care

### Optional Tours - Norfolk Botanical Gardens or VA Tech’s Hampton Roads Agricultural Research and Extension Center (see descriptions under special events)
- **3:30 pm**
- **5:30 pm**

### Dinner on your own
- **8:00 pm** MAC-ISA Reception
- **11:00 pm** Hilton Virginia Beach Oceanfront

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**Tuesday, October 3**

### Educational Sessions and Exhibit Hall, Hilton Oceanfront
- **7:00 am** Registration and Breakfast with Exibitors
- **8:00 am** Silent Auction
- **8:00 am** Welcome
- **8:15 am** General Session
  - Tall Tree Tales, The Cultural History of North American Trees - Wesley Green, Colonial Williamsburg
- **9:15 am** General Session
  - ISA Update - Lauren Lanphear, ISA
- **9:30 am** General Session
  - Don’t Plant Trees, Plant Roots - Jim Flott, Community Forestry Consultants
- **10:30 am** Break with Exibitors
- **11:00 am** Concurrent Educational Sessions
  - Cranes and Modern Arboriculture - Mark Chisolm, Stihl, Inc.
  - iTree, New Tools to Assess Urban and Community Forests - Keith Cline, USDA Forest Service
  - IPM Strategies for Asian Ambrosia Beetle and Other Pest of Shade Trees - Dr. Peter Schultz, VA Tech
  - Trees Have Hormones...and They Know How to Use Them - Joe Murray, Blue Ridge Community College

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15+ ISA CEU’s Available
Noon: Lunch
1:30 pm: MAC-ISA Awards, Passing the Gavel, and Business Meeting
1:45 pm: Concurrent Educational Sessions

Introduction to the International Tree Failure Database - Bill Jones, USDA Forest Service
Meeting Urban Canopy Goals - Sally Calggetti, USDA Forest Service
Abiotic/Biotic Disorders - Dr. Bonnie Appleton and Mary Ann Hansen, VA Tech
Young Tree Pruning - Rob Farrell, VA Department of Forestry and Joe Murray, Blue Ridge Community College

2:45 pm: Break with Exhibitors
3:15 pm: General Session
3:15 pm: Customer Service - Lauren Lanphere, ISA
4:15 pm: Extended Exhibit Hours (Light Refreshments)
6:00 pm: Dinner on Your Own

Wednesday, October 4
7:00 am: Registration and Breakfast
8:00 am: General Session
8:00 am: Regarding Behavioral Safety - Joe Engberg, The Care of Trees
10:30 am: General Session
9:00 am: Gold Leaf Awards
10:30 am: Tree Ethics - Melissa Levangie, New England Trees
11:00 am: Break with Exhibitors
11:00 am: Concurrent Educational Sessions

Getting Everyone Involved in Safety - Joe Engberg, The Care of Trees
Working With a Consultant - Ed Milhous, Trees Please
Bacterial Leaf Scorch - Tina McIntyre, Arborlife Professional Tree Care
Thomas Jefferson and the Trees of Monticello, Peter Hatch, Monticello

2:00 pm: Break
2:15 pm: General Session
3:15 pm: The Role of Genetics in the Success of Urban Landscape Trees - Chris Hughes, Select Trees

Accommodations: Support MAC-ISA and reserve your room today at the Hilton Virginia Beach Oceanfront (your reservation will help reduce our rental fees). Call 757-213-3001 and mention MAC-ISA to get our reduced rate of $110 plus taxes. Special rate good until September 8, 2006. Limited space Saturday. The new Hilton Virginia Beach Oceanfront offers panoramic views, along with a rooftop indoor pool, fully equipped fitness center, flat screen TVs, great restaurants, and more. For more info www.hiltonvb.com

Locations: Field Day (Monday) – VA Tech’s Hampton Roads Agricultural Research and Extension Center. Educational Sessions on Tuesday and Wednesday will be held at the Hilton Virginia Beach Oceanfront. Directions will be mailed with the confirmation letter.

To Register: For best rates register by September 1, 2006.

Discounts: 25% discount available for full time student members; 10% off full registration for companies sending 3 or more persons and paying together. Does not include special events.

Full Student Scholarships Available: Call 703-753-0499 for more information.

For more information on Virginia Beach contact: www.vbmeetings.com or call 800-700-7702. The Virginia Beach Neptune Festival, September 29 to October 1, a celebration of the area’s sea faring heritage and the grand finale of the summer www.neptunefestival.com. Closest airport - Norfolk Virginia Beach International Airport.

Sponsorship Opportunities Available: Great marketing benefits. Call 703-753-0499 or email macisa@erols.com for registration information.

Exhibit Show: Outdoor Show at Field Day at VA Tech’s Hampton Roads Agricultural Research and Extension Center, Indoor Show at the Hilton Oceanfront, Oct. 3-4. Interested in exhibiting? Limited space available, call 703-753-0499 or email macisa@erols.com for registration information.

MAC-ISA 2006 Annual Golf Tournament to benefit the Tree Fund:
Sunday, October 1, Tee times begin at noon. This year’s golf tournament will be at the Owl’s Creek Golf Course, located just blocks from the Virginia Beach resort area. The cost will be $80 per person that includes 18 holes, cart, range balls, BBQ pork butt, and prizes. Appropriate attire is required. We encourage early registration. Registration ends on September 14th. Please contact Jason Heizer, 757-897-6364 for tournament information and Nancy Herwig for registration information, 703-753-0499.

Chesapeake Bay Fishing Trip: Sunday, October 1, 8:00 am - noon. Join Captain Farley aboard the Beverly B for a half day of fishing on the Chesapeake Bay. All fishing gear provided. Cost $40. Sponsored by Nuckolls Tree Care.

Tour of VA Tech’s HRAREC: Monday, October 2, 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm. Stay at the Research Center after field day and get a tour of research projects, demonstration areas, and a few of Virginia’s champion trees. Tour will be led by Dr. Bonnie Appleton.

Tour of Norfolk Botanical Gardens: Monday, October 2, The Norfolk Botanical Garden (NBG), started in 1938 as a Works Progress Administration (WPA) project. Covering 155 acres, the NBG has over 30 theme gardens, and includes a 17.5 acre arboretum with over 200 species and cultivars of both common and rare trees. Free admittance with name badge.

MAC-ISA Welcome Reception and Jam Session: Monday, October 2, 8:00 pm - 11:00 pm, Hilton Oceanfront. Back by popular demand. We had making entertainers from our membership and family members in past years. Do you have musical talents to share? Bring your guitars, harmonicas, and whatever musical inclination you have, and let’s make some music. Spectator’s welcome, light refreshments, and cash bar.

Silent Auction: Tuesday, October 3, Hilton Oceanfront, 7:30 am - 3:15 pm. Support the student scholarship fund by donating items for our annual silent auction. We accept cash, checks, and credit cards for purchases.
MAC-ISA Annual Meeting Registration Form — October 2-4, 2006 — Virginia Beach, VA

ONE REGISTRATION FORM PER PERSON PLEASE

Name (for badge)
MAC-ISA Member #
(This is your ISA number, not your certified arborist number. You are a MAC-ISA member, if you paid chapter membership dues.)

Company Name
Address
City
State
Zip
Phone
FAX
E-mail

Would you like a vegetarian option for meals? Yes No

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FEES

FULL REGISTRATION - Includes all sessions, 3 breakfasts, 3 lunches, opening reception, and breaks.

DAILY REGISTRATION - Includes admission to the session and meals for the day.

If DAILY, mark the day(s) 10/2/06 10/3/06 10/4/06

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MEMBERSHIP (FOR NEW MEMBERS)

Refund Policy:
10% refund charge.
No refunds after 9/25/06

ISA and Mid-Atlantic Chapter $145

Chapter only $50

Chapter only - Student $20

Chapter only - Sustaining $200

SPECIAL EVENTS

Golf Tournament $80 individual $320 foursome

Fishing Trip $40

DISCOUNTS

10% discount off total for 3 or more people from the same company on full registration (regular only). Discount on registration only, not side events. Must register and pay together.

25% Student discount available for full-time student members. Must send proof of full-time status with registration.

GRAND TOTAL $

Amount Enclosed $
Method of Payment
Check (payable to MAC-ISA)
Visa
MasterCard
Discover

Card Number
Exp. Date
Vcode*

Credit card holder name and billing address if different from above

Mail this registration form with payment to: MAC-ISA, P.O. Box 1200, Haymarket, VA 20168
or FAX to: 703-753-0869

Office use only - Check # Amount Deposit Date

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WHEN
October 2-4, 2006

WHERE
Virginia Beach, VA

WHY
Joint field day with Virginia Tech’s Hampton Roads Agricultural Research and Extension Center.
Hear a great lineup of speakers including:
Dr. Bonnie Appelton, Dr. Eric Wiseman, Mark Chisolm, Dr. Bruce Fraedrich, Melissa LeVangie, and many more.

Earn CEU’s.

See and purchase the latest equipment and supplies during the trade show.

HOW
Fill out the registration form inside and mail with payment.

DETAILED INFORMATION ENCLOSED
You won’t want to miss this event!

WHO WE ARE
The MAC-ISA is a nonprofit professional organization of arborists, urban foresters, and others involved in the care of trees. Our membership is made up of arborists from commercial, utility, research and education, municipal sectors, and others.
Our mission is to foster research and education that promote the care and benefits of trees.