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Horticulture Students and INLA Member Companies

Work Together to Honor 9/11



The September 13 at the Iowa Arboretum in horticulture at Iowa State University. Madrid, IA. Annually INLA holds a Day of Service

9/11/2001 and to ask INLA members to landscaping the main entrance sign, with volunteer to give back in the community.

of Service. Horticulture students from Des school house and children's garden, and Moines Area Community College and Kirkwood Landscaping the school house, complete with Community College participated along with the proper rain garden for drainage, period INLA member companies and board of appropriate plants, and mulch. directors.

throughout the morning until lunch. BBQ lunch Service such a success! and beverages was provided on site for volunteers by the INLA planning committee. The students also participated in an informative and

2016 Iowa Nursery & Landscape light-hearted scavenger hunt prepared for them Association (INLA) Day of Service was held on by Dr. Jeffery Iles, with the department of

at a location in Iowa to remember the events of Projects at the Iowa Arboretum included; limestone outcroppings, plants, paver edging and mulch, creating a flagstone pathway and Over 30 volunteers participated in the 2016 Day center piece connecting the new one room

The INLA board of directors and the 2016 Volunteers began working on the three project planning committee would like to extend a sites at the Arboretum at 9 a.m. after a short tremendous thank you to all of our volunteers introduction and program. Work continued and students that made our 2016 INLA Day of

> Visit www.iowanla.org/news for full story and photos!

Save the Date! INLA Tradeshow Preliminary Schedule of Events

Tuesday, February 21

ICNP* Testing 1 p.m. ICNP* Continuing Education 1 - 4 p.m. ISA Certification Exam Exhibitor Move-in 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. **ICNP** Preview of Tradeshow Floor & Reception 4 - 5 p.m.

Wednesday, February 22

Tradeshow Opens 7:30 a.m. INLA Annual Meeting 12:00 p.m. Reception Open-Bar 5 - 7:00 p.m. Silent Auction 5:00 - 6:50 p.m. Live Auction 7:00 - 7:30 p.m. Program 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, February 23

Workshops Tradeshow Closing General Session Trade Show teardown 1:30 p.m.

The Iowa State University (ISU) annual Shade Tree During the trade show there will be a reception on Short Course (STSC) is being held in conjunction with Tuesday, Feb. 21 and a Hospitality Hour on the lowa Nursery & Landscape Association (INLA) and Wednesday, Feb. 24. Iowa Arborist Association (IAA) Trade Show on February 21 - 23, 2017.

This partnership brings exhibitors great opportunity to scholarships are presented to ISU students and connect with potential clients by highlighting the best community college students each year. There is no of both worlds and incorporating INLA's long-standing charge to attend this event. trade show into the ISU Shade Tree Short Course educational sessions.

INLA encourages member companies to sponsor the information online here. If you have questions about Trade Show. Sponsors help the conference in a variety sponsorship, exhibiting, or attending please feel free of ways.

INLA Scholarship Deadlines - Nov 15th

Harber ISU Scholarship Deadline Nov 15

For undergraduates in Horticulture at Iowa State University, one \$2,000 scholarship is awarded to a student at Iowa State University.

Community College Scholarships Deadline Nov 15

For full time students enrolled in the horticulture program at any of Iowa's Community Colleges, three \$500 annual scholarships are awarded to three students at Iowa Community Colleges.

INLA annually hosts a hospitality hour and auction to help raise money for the INLA scholarships. The

We strongly encourage you to join us for networking and entertainment. You can access the Exhibitor to contact the INLA office at 515-262-8323.

ITEMS FOR SALE

Vermeer Tree Spade Model TS44A

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Thank You to Renewing Members!!

We informed you in our July newsletter that we began a new INLA strives to promote certified Garden Center and Landscaping mailed out to those who have not renewed in August.

You may review/edit the forms sent to you regarding your membership and send back with payment or simply call the office, confirm your information and use credit card to complete your renewal process.

dues year as of July 1. A second round of dues round have been professionals, so thank you to the following INLA members who have already renewed their membership and paid 2016 - 2017 dues!

> The following renewals were received from 8-20-16 to 10-20-16. *Indicates an ICNP dues paying member.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR MEMBERSHIP!!

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Calendar of Events



February 21-23ISU Shade Tree Short Course/
INLA TradeshowFebruary 22INLA Annual Meeting

