TPCA Region 3 President 2014-2015

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January Meeting 2015 Our next Region 3 meeting will be held on Thursday January 15, 6:00 p.m. at Santa Fe Cattle Co. on 2520 Music Valley Drive. Nashville, TN

Guest Speaker: Jim Orr of Univar will be speaking on Rodents.

PRESIDENT DESIGNATE REGION 3.

Region 3 had three nominations for President Designate 2014-2015 but for personal reasons two withdrew leaving Mike Clark of P.E.S.T. Inc. as a nominee. A show of hands voted Mike in as the President Designate and he will take over the Presidency at the July 2015 meeting. We are happy to have Mike working with us and look forward to what he can bring to our meetings.

Region 3 Scholarship

Region 3 will be accepting applications for their 5th Annual \$1,000 Scholarship January 1, 2015-April 30, 2015. Information can be found on our website http://region3mtpca.com under the Scholarship tab Member Companies of Region 3, their employees and their children are eligible to apply for this scholarship. The scholarship will be awarded at our July 2015 meeting.

TPCA WINTER CONFERENCE 2015

The Tennessee pest Control Association will have their General Membership Meeting Tuesday, February 3rd, at the Double Tree Hotel Downtown Nashville at 3:00 p.m. All members are encouraged to attend the meeting for which there is no charge. The registration for the Conference is \$40 a person which includes a visit with your Legislators and the evening Reception with the Legislators; a form can be found on our website under the TPCA Tab.

CERTIFICATION TRAINING:

Find current schools on our website:

We plan to have a Region 3 school on March 17, plans are still being made. http://region3mtpca.com



TPCA Point Pursuit training: check the TPCA website for any training Sandy may have scheduled.

Call Sandy for information 1-800-730-6751 http://tennesseepestcontrolassociationinc.com/51 73.html

License Exams 2014: For licensing and charter information and downloadable forms go to

http://www.tn.gov/agriculture/regulatory/license s.shtml **TN Dept. of Agriculture Apprentice Termite** Technician Schools 2015. 17 points. March 3-5, June 9-1 & September 15-17. Contact Jerry Seabolt at (615)837-5178 regarding registration

Anyone needing Category 3 points, there is a Commercial Horticulture Applicator's Training Class on February 12 at the Lane Agri-Park office complex auditorium in Murfreesboro, TN – information and registration can be found on our website under the 'Training Cat.3' tab 6 points.

There are additional certification classes in various categories on the <u>Registration Review</u> which can be found on our website under Training and Dept. of Agriculture Tabs OR you can have the Registration Review E mailed to you monthly: You can E mail a request to John Ewell at the following address email: John.Ewell@tn.gov

TENNESSEE DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE REGISTRATION REVIEW

A monthly publication featuring the latest information from the pesticide registration/license issuance office. (product changes, certification classes, rule/law changes) If you Want to receive this via E-mail there is no fee. If you receive a hardcopy, the fee is \$12 per year.

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TIFRA RULE CHANGE

The proposed TIFRA rules will become effective on June 29, 2014. the certification time period now runs January 1 to December 31.

2014-2015 TPCA MEMBERSHIP

It is once again time for membership renewal. Membership runs from July 1-June 30. A form can be found on our website. http://www.region3mtpca.com

THANK YOU TO OUR CHEMICAL SUPPLIERS AND REPRESENTATIVES WHO CONTINUALLY SUPPORT OUR MEETINGS AND SCHOOLS.



Dennis Waldrop & Jeff Baker

David James, &



Carol Lane Secretary, Region 3 MTPCA



TEAMWORK Coming together is a Beginning.... Keeping together is Progress.... Working together is a Success