

The first step in controlling any plant/pest problem is the accurate diagnosis and identification of the stress factor or pest. Without proper diagnosis of the problem's cause, a treatment cannot be prescribed, or a treatment will not be effective, leading to the plant's decline or death.

Throughout this walk, participants will learn how to identify and diagnose landscape insect, mite and disease



pests. In addition, they will learn about integrated pest management.

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Landscape Pest Walk

Diagnosing Insects and Diseases in the Landscape



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Healthy Landscapes

Thursday, June 21, 2007
6 - 8pm

Mc Dade Park
Bald Mountain Road
Scranton, PA 18504

- Gain Knowledge
- Network with Professionals
- Learn How to Diagnose Landscape Problems

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PROGRAM AGENDA

Thursday, June 21, 2007

Join us on a walk in this great park setting!

6:00 pm - Meet at the Pavilion

- **Diagnosis and Management of Insect & Mite Pests** - *Greg Hoover, Ornamental Entomologist, Penn State University*
- **Diagnosis and Management of Diseases in the Landscape** - *Dr. Gary Moorman, Professor of Plant Pathology, Penn State University*
- **Diagnosis of Cultural Problems and other stress factors in the Landscape** - *Vinnie Cotrone, Extension Urban Forester and ISA Certified Arborist and Mary Pat Appel, Master Gardener and ISA Certified Arborist*

8:00 pm - Adjourn



Directions to McDade Park,
Bald Mountain Road
Scranton, PA 18504

From I-81

Northbound- exit Montage / Davis St. turn left onto Davis Street. Follow Davis St. 3 miles to Keyser Ave., turn right onto Keyser Ave. (Davis St. becomes Union St. in Taylor Borough)

From Keyser Ave.

Travel 2 miles north (toward Scranton), turn left at McDade Park sign (Bald Mt. Rd.) Go 1/2 mile, turn right at main entry to McDade Park,

**Watch for signs to
McDade Park/Lackawanna
Coal Mine Tour.**

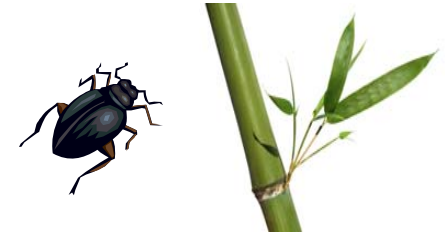
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No core credits.

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**Registration Deadline
June 15, 2007**

REGISTRATION FORM

**Landscape Pest Walk
June 21, 2007**



A Registration fee of \$10.00 per person is required.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

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