

STRAWBERRY Conference

All activities at the Savannah International Trade and Convention Center (SITCC) unless otherwise noted.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 2007

- 8:00 - 5:00 pm **EXHIBITOR REGISTRATION OPEN - SITCC**
Exhibitor Set-Up AND Poster Set-Up
- 2:00 pm **GFVGA BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING**
SITCC
- 4:00 pm **GFVGA ANNUAL MEETING**
SITCC

FRIDAY, JANUARY 5, 2007

- 7:00 - 5:00 pm **ATTENDEE REGISTRATION OPEN**
Convention Center Concourse
- 7:00 - 10:00 am **EXHIBITOR MOVE IN**
Exhibitors must be in place by 9:00 am
- 10:00 - 6:00 pm **TRADE SHOW OPEN**
- 12:00 - 1:30 pm **LUNCH** in the Trade Show
(Lunch provided for Three Day and Friday Only Registrants)
- 1:30 - 5:00 pm **EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS**
Roadside Market
Please see page 21.
- 5:00 - 6:30 pm **WELCOME RECEPTION - TRADE SHOW AREA** (Open to all registered attendees)
- Evening **DINNER ON YOUR OWN**

SATURDAY, JANUARY 6, 2007

- 7:00 - 2:30 pm **REGISTRATION OPEN**
Convention Center Concourse
- 7:45 am **EGGS AND ISSUES - LEGISLATIVE BREAKFAST**
(ticketed event)
- 9:00 am **GENERAL SESSION** - Oglethorpe Auditorium
Invited speakers include Georgia's Congressional Delegation

- 10:00 am **SPOUSE PROGRAM**
- 10:30 - 2:00 pm **TRADE SHOW OPEN**
- 12:00 - 1:30 pm **LUNCH** in the Trade Show
(Lunch provided for Three Day and Saturday Only Registrants)
- 1:10 am **Business Meeting of Georgia Strawberry Growers Association**
Discussion of Ga. Strawberry Web Site
Mr. John Washington, Athens, GA
- 1:30 - 5:00 pm **EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS**
Moderator: Dr. Powell Smith
South Carolina Strawberry Coordinator
- 1:30 pm **Managing Mites and Insects in Strawberries**
Dr. Dan Horton, UGA Athens, GA
- 2:00 pm **Using Row Covers in Georgia and SC Strawberry Production**
Dr. Barclay Poling, NCSU, Raleigh, NC
- 2:30 pm **Weed Control in Strawberries**
Dr. Katie Jennings, NCSU, Raleigh, NC
- 2:50 pm **Preventive Maintenance for Diseases of Strawberry**
Dr. Phil Brannen, UGA, Athens, GA
- 3:10 pm **BREAK**
- 3:30 pm **Managing Strawberry Diseases in the Spring**
Dr. Phil Brannen, UGA, Athens, GA
- 3:50 pm **Producing Your Own Plug Plants**
Dr. Barclay Poling, NCSU, Raleigh, NC
- 4:10 pm **Using the Georgia Environmental Monitoring Network in Your Strawberry Operation for Freeze Protection and Irrigation Management**
Dr. Joel Paz, UGA, Athens, GA
- 2:00 pm **SILENT AUCTION CLOSES**
- 2:30 pm **TRADE SHOW CLOSES**
- 6:00 pm **RECEPTION** - Westin Savannah Harbor
(open to all attendees)
- 6:30-7:00 pm **Raffle Drawings held at RECEPTION**
- Evening **DINNER ON YOUR OWN**

SUNDAY, JANUARY 7, 2007

8:00 - 8:30 am

WORSHIP SERVICE

Westin Savannah Harbor

8:30 am

INDUSTRY ROUNDTABLE - (all associations)

Westin Savannah Harbor

Continental breakfast with fellow growers to discuss industry issues

10:30 am

CONVENTION ADJOURNS

HAVE A SAFE TRIP HOME!