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**A PROFESSIONAL
ORGANIZATION
FOR PROFESSIONAL PEOPLE**

September 20, 2012

Our next Region 3 meeting will be held on Thursday September 20 at 6:00 p.m. at Santa Fe Cattle Co. on Music Valley Drive.

Guest Speaker:

Lee Barrett with Nisus.

Lee has been in the industry for 17 years working for U.S. Borax. Lee currently is vice president of business development in the national and international market for Nisus Corporation. His topic will be Closed Crawlspace.



**Lifetime Achievement
Awards**

This years recipients of the TPCA Lifetime Achievement Awards from Left : Kevin Ruehling for Earnest Green of Colonial Termite & Pest Control the Owners Award (posthumous), Harold and Doris Spray of Spray's Pest Control for their son Terry in his memory, Roy and Carolyn White past owners of Walker-White Termite & Pest Control the Owner Award, Andy Yant, TPCA President 2011-2012, Al Foster of All American Termite & Pest Control the Owners Award, Drew Lockhart of Zoecon Professional Products the Associate Award. Congratulations to all the winners, we appreciate all the hard work they have done to TPCA and Region 3 over the years.

TRAINING:



TPCA Summer Owner & Managers

Retreat, Fall Creek Falls State Park

September 24 & 25, 2012

Go to our web site for information and registration form under the TPCA tab

<http://region3mtpca.com>

Region 3 TPCA Fall School October 30, at the Barn (5 points in categories 7, 10 and 12, 4 in cat. 8. Registration attached to this letter and at our web site under training

<http://region3mtpca.com>



TN Dept. of Agriculture Apprentice Termite Technician Schools 2012 . 17 points .

September 11-13. Contact Jerry Seabolt at (615)837-5178 regarding registration

Category 3 people

Landscape Review, September 11 in

Murfreesboro. 5 points in category 3, 10 & 12.

To be held in Jackson TN. Call 731-424-1643 or go to <http://west.tennessee.edu>

ACE – Become an **Associate Certified Entomologist** at the 2012 Entomological Society of America's Meeting in Knoxville this November. Info on our website <http://region3mtpca.com> or Find the full program at <http://www.entsoc.org/>

What are the benefits of ACE Certification?

In addition to being recognized for your experience, knowledge, and professional certification, ACEs receive:

- a high-quality uniform patch to wear on their uniforms
- an attractive lapel pin to identify their status as ACE
- a static cling decal to display on business or vehicle windows
- a professional certificate of accomplishment for their office wall
- a professional card to carry in their wallets
- the opportunity to display the letters ACE after their name (e.g., John Doe, ACE) to signify their accomplishment
- the ability to use the ACE logo in their promotional advertisements (employers can use the logo as long as they have one or more Associate Certified Entomologists on their full time staff)
- discounted rates to attend the ESA Annual Meeting
- assistance in developing press releases to help promote their certification

All ACEs are included in the publicly -available, searchable online roster of Associated Certified Entomologists. And ACEs agree to a Code of Ethics that assures their employers and customers that they operate with the highest ethical standards. <http://www.entsoc.org/sites/cert/files/ACE.ApplicationWeb.pdf>

2012-2013 MEMBERSHIP

The current TPCA membership ends **June 30**. The 2012-2013 membership form is included in this mailing and can also be found on our website for you to print off. We do not accept credit cards so the membership needs to be mailed with a check.

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



Dennis Waldrop, Don Baker, & Jeff Baker



David James, Gary Potts and Mark



Jim Orr

Reminder:

TN Dept. of Agriculture Newsletter

Below is information on a Dept. of Agriculture newsletter. This letter is available free electronically if you send them your E mail and request it or \$12 for a year of mailed newsletters. The publication is very informative with info on certification classes, changes on custom pesticide applicators, new products in Tennessee & label changes and any changes in rules and regulations. Information for ordering is below.

TENNESSEE DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE REGISTRATION REVIEW

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

Simply log on to <http://agriculture.state.tn.us/emails/subscriptions/pesticidesignup.aspx> you can then enter your Email address and Permit/License information, hit the "Submit" button and you will be on the subscription list.

Carol Lane
Secretary, Region 3 TPCA



TEAMWORK

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