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16th DAYS OF EDUCATION

18th and 19th of November 2014 in hotel MAESTOSO, Lipica

Tuesday, 18.11.2014

- 8.15 - 8.45 registration of participants
- 9.00 - 9.45 **Dr. CALE A. BIGELOW** (Professor of Agronomy, Purdue University): Soil and managing soil organic matter
- 9.45 - 10.30 **ADAM MOELLER** (Agronomist, USGA Green Section): Thatch management for new creeping bentgrasses, venting aeration – a benefit to putting greens
- 10.30 - 10.45 refreshment break
- 10.45 - 11.30 **ADAM MOELLER** (Agronomist, USGA Green Section): Irrigate for playability and turf health
- 11.30-12.15 **GIUSEPPE SERENELLI** (Herbotech S.r.L.), **GORAZD NASTRAN** (Green Consulting d.o.o.): Turf pigments on cool season grasses
- 12.30 - 13.30 lunch
- 13.30 - 14.15 **MIKE FIDANZA Ph.D** (Courtesy Professor of Turfgrass Science, Penn State): Snow mold and fairy ring management update
- 14.15 - 15.00 **Mag. HARALD STÜCKLER** (Prochaska Handels GmbH.): Mechanical turf treatment in extreme weather and climate situations
- 15.00 - 15.15 refreshment break

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- 15.15 - 16.00 **Dr. CALE A. BIGELOW** (Professor of Agronomy, Purdue University): Creeping bentgrass cultivars – what is new?
- 16.00 - 16.30 **ALJOŠA GOLOB** (head greenkeeper GC Celje): Working at The Senior Open, Royal Porthcawl, Wales
- 18.30 - dinner in hotel MAESTOSO

Wednesday, 19.11.2014

- 9.00 - 9.45 **ADAM MOELLER** (Agronomist, USGA Green Section): Preparing greens for severe winter conditions: What we learned from the Polar Vortex
- 9.45 - 10.30 **DAVID HARRISON** (Campey Turf Care Systems): Revolution in Renovation
- 10.30 - 11.00 refreshment break
- 11.00 - 11.45 **Dr. ANDREJ SIMONČIČ** (director of Agricultural Institute of Slovenia): New legislation for Plant Protection Products
- 11.45 - 12.30 **MIKE FIDANZA Ph.D** (Courtesy Professor of Turfgrass Science, Penn State): Using wetting agents effectively
- 12.30 - 13.00 **TONI VITALJIČ** (Agronomist, Turf advisor): Diseases on cool season grasses – control and management
- 13.00 - conclusion of 16th Days of Education and departing of participants