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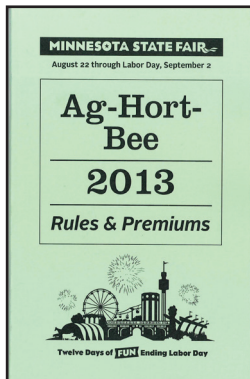
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| June 13-14 | MCIA Board Mtg, Baudette |
| June 15-19 | ASTA Convention, Nashville, TN |
| June 23-26 | AOSCA Annual Mtg, Dearborn, MI |
| July 10-12 | Northern Seed Trade Assn, Sioux Falls, SD |
| Sept 16-18 | Midwest Specialty Grains Conf, Davenport, IA |

MCIA Directory Advertising

Are you interested in advertising in the 2014 MCIA Directory? Watch your mail for more information in July or contact MCIA.

Minnesota State Fair Certified Seed Show

Save your certified seed samples for the State Fair. Entry closing dates for Farm Crops will be Friday, Aug. 9 (New corn closing date is Thursday, Aug. 29). The Ag-Hort-Bee Rule and Premium book can be found online at www.mnstatefair.org, by looking under the competition banner or call the State Fair Office at 651-288-4417. Prepare your samples now for entry to the fair.



Field Inspection Applications

A few items to remember:

1. Enclose payment. Review fee schedule to determine fees. **Note that changes have been made to the fee schedule for 2013.**
2. Include proof of seed source with application.
3. Enclose new variety descriptions.
4. Sign and return completed application by due date.
5. Forms and instructions are also available online at www.mncia.org.

If you have questions, contact your field supervisor or the MCIA office.

Field Inspection Application Deadlines

It's Not Too Late to Apply!

- June 7 - Small grains, corn, sunflowers and other crops not listed below
- June 7 or 3 weeks after planting (whichever is first) - Soybean post spray inspections
- June 7 - Soybean bloom inspections
- Noxious weed seed free forage & mulch (4 weeks prior to each cutting)
- July 15 - Soybeans (pre-harvest inspection only)
- Year of Seeding - Perennials and native grasses & forbs

Iowa State Seed Conditioning Workshops

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| Seed Corn Conditioning..... | June 17-20 |
| Seed Treatment | June 26-27 |
| Soybean & Small Grain Seed Conditioning | July 8-11 |
| Specialty Seed..... | July 16-18 |
| Soybean & Small Grain Seed Conditioning | July 22-25 |
| Gravity Separation | July 30 |
| Gravity Separation | August 1 |
| Seed Corn Conditioning..... | August 5-8 |

For more information contact the Seed Science Center at Iowa State University, at www.seeds.iastate.edu or call 515-294-6222.

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