



West Georgia Green Industry News

Rolling Hills RC&D Council Partners with Extension for Arborist Training

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Rolling Hills RC&D will again offer an ISA Arborist Certification Preparation course beginning January 15, 2010. The course will review each chapter of the ISA Arborist Certification preparation manual and provide participants with instruction from experienced certified arborists. The training will be hosted at the Carroll County Ag Center. The cost is 150.00 for all four classes or for currently certified arborists, seeking CEUs to maintain certification \$40 per class.

[Registration Details](#)

The ABC's of Pesticide Formulations Clint Waltz and Alfredo Martinez, UGA Extension Specialists The University of Georgia

Pesticides are not sold as pure chemical or active ingredient, it is the active ingredient which is responsible for controlling the unwanted pest. Instead, active ingredients are combined or mixed with other materials such as solvents, diluents, or adjuvants. The final product containing the active ingredient and the added materials is called a **formulation**. It is the one, two, and sometime three capital letters in a pesticide's name that indicates the type of formulation. For example, Barricade 65**WG**, the WG indicates the product is formulated as a water dispersible granule.



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Wild Onion and Wild Garlic-Winter's Pesky Lawn Weeds-Mark Czarnota, UGA Weed Specialist

In early winter landscapers begin to notice wild garlic and wild onion emerging in their garden and lawn. Both wild garlic (*Allium vineale*, Figures 1 and 2) and wild onion (*Allium canadense*) are closely related and difficult to distinguish from one another. Both plants are in the liliaceae plant family and are closely related to ornamentals such as daylilies and Liriope. This family has many unique characteristics which make the use of selective herbicides possible.

[More Details](#)

Upcoming Events



Certified Pesticide Applicator's Test Review, Wednesdays, January 6-Feb. 24. Pesticide CEUs for those already certified available, www.westgeorgiagreenassociation.net or 770/920-7224

West Georgia Green Association, monthly through March. Please contact kliv-ing@uga.edu for more information or check their website www.westgeorgiagreenassociation.net

Get Involved!
Get Certified!

GGIA Wintergreen 2010, January 27, 28 & 29, Gwinnett Center, Duluth, www.ggia.org.

GGIA Winterschool on the Road-Northwest Geogia'n the Green, February 25, 2009, Chattahoochee Technical College, North Metro Campus, Acworth, www.ugaextension.com

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