

DPCA 2025 Short Course

King Cole Farm, 1730 Bayside Drive, Dover DE 19901

Tentative Schedule Day 1 (DE 7A), Wednesday, March 5th

7:00 AM - 8:15 AM

Registration - Coffee & Breakfast. Vendor Tables open

8:15 AM - 8:30 AM

Introductions, Instructions and Opening Remarks | Ralph Taylor, DPCA President
Gold Partner Presentations | NISUS

8:30 AM – 9:30 AM

Session 1 | DDA Updates and Safety

9:30 AM – 10:30 AM

Session 2 | Comprehensive Approach to Rodent Control | Brian Lynch (Bell Labs)

10:30 AM – 11:00 AM

Vender, Partner and Sponsor Introductions | Vendor/Exhibit Hall Break

11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Session 3 | Kissing Bugs| Jennifer Peterson (Univ. of DE)

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM

Lunch & Exhibit Hall
(door prizes at 12:50pm - must be present to win)
Silver Partner Presentations | TBD

1:00 PM – 2:00 PM

Session 4 | Occasional Invaders | Richard Spigler (BASF)

2:00 PM – 3:00 PM

Session 5 | Overwintering Pests | Bill Best (Target Specialty)

3:00 PM – 3:30 PM

Vendor/Exhibit Hall Break

3:30 PM – 4:30 PM

Session 6 | Ants | Lisa DiDomenico (Envu)
**Business Track Breakout | Marketing Strategies | On The Rise Creative Co.*

4:30pm – 4:45 PM

Closing Remarks Day 1 | Ralph Taylor, DPCA President

*Credits requested with DE, MD NJ, PA.

Tentative Schedule Day 2 (DE 7B), Thursday, March 6th

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM

Registration - Coffee & Breakfast. Vendor Tables open

8:00 AM - 8:15 AM

Opening Remarks | Ralph Taylor, DPCA President

8:15 AM – 9:15 AM

Session 7 | DDA Updates and Safety

9:15 AM – 10:15 AM

Session 8 | Termites Biology & Behaviors | James Agardy (Viking Pest)

**Breakout Session | Fumigation | Robert Verrico | 1 Credit of 7C*

10:15 AM – 10:45 AM

Vender, Partner and Sponsor Introductions | Vendor/Exhibit Hall Break

10:45 AM – 11:45 PM

Session 9 | Termite Treatments | Richard Spigler (BASF)

**Business Track Breakout | Insurance | John Diesel, CIC (Consolidated National Insurers, Inc)*

11:45a PM

Lunch & Exhibit Hall

(door prizes at 12:50pm - must be present to win)

1:00 PM – 2:00 PM

Session 10 | Carpenter Ants | Emily Zobel (Univ of MD)

**Business Track Breakout | Financial Awareness | Christina Hibbitt (BIG Financial Services)*

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Session 11 | WDI, Beetles | John Singletary (NISUS)

3:00 PM – 3:30 PM

Vendor/Exhibit Hall Break

3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Session 12 | The Effects of Moisture on Wood Decay Fungi: Using Borates for remediation | John

Singletary (NISUS)

4:30 PM – 4:45pm

Closing Remarks – Ralph Taylor – DPCA President

**Credits requested with DE, MD NJ, PA.*

Delaware

<i>Categories</i>	<i>Credits</i>
7A - General Pest Control	6
7B - Wood Destroying Pest Control	6
7C - Fumigation Pest Control (non-agricultural)	1

Maryland

<i>Categories</i>	<i>Credits</i>
7A, 7B, 7D, 7E, 10*, CORE*	16*

Pennsylvania

<i>Categories</i>	<i>Credits</i>
00 - Core	2
12 - Wood Destroying Pests	8
18 - Demonstration and Research	8
11 - Household/Health Related	2
15 - Public Health - Vertebrate Pest	2
23 - Park/School Pest Control	2

New Jersey

<i>Categories</i>	<i>Units</i>
3C - Interior Plantscape	2
7A - General and Household Pests	12
7B - Termites and Other Wood Destroying Pests	10
7C - Fumigation	2
7D - Food Processing	8
7E - Wood Preserving	3
8A - General Public Health	12
8C - Campground	12