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SPEAKERS

Kyle Banas Nursery Manager, Pizzo Native Plant Nursery





Nate Maren
Woody Plant Breeder & Genomics Specialist,
The Morton Arboretum



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JOIN US FOR A DAY OF INSPIRATION AND LEARNING

Expert Speakers: Be inspired by industry leaders as they share their insights and valuable tips to help you flourish in your gardening journey!

- Native Seed Collection and Propagation Techniques: Learn about the processes and methods used for collecting and propagating native seeds.
- ► Hoop House Construction and Expansion Project: Get insights into the latest construction and expansion initiatives.
- ▶ New Shipping Building and Automated Shipping Lines: Discover the advancements in automated shipping at Pizzo Nursery.
- Plant Trial Gardens and Living Wall Display: Explore the trial gardens and see the living wall display in action.
- Prairie, Woodland, and Wetland Plant Production: Understand the comprehensive plant production process for different ecosystems.
- Foamstream Demo by Russo Power Equipment: Watch a live demo of Foamstream technology, which uses boiling water and foam to control unwanted vegetation.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

9:00 AM - Registration

9:15 AM - Presentation and Overview of Pizzo Native Plant Nursery

Kyle Banas, Nursery Manager, will provide an in-depth overview of the nursery's operations and mission.

9:30 AM - Foamstream Demo by Russo Power Equipment

Witness the innovative Foamstream technology in action, utilizing boiling water and foam to effectively control vegetation, algae, and moss.

10:30 AM – Pizzo Native Plant Nursery Tour

Explore the nursery and discover its key features and projects

11:30 AM - Presentation by Nate Maren from The Morton Arboretum

12:15 PM - Lunch Provided

Enjoy a complimentary lunch while networking with industry peers.

1:00 PM - Depart for The Morton Arboretum

We will conclude our visit to Pizzo Native Plant Nursery and head to The Morton Arboretum for further exploration and learning.

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