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Ohio State University Extension Nursery, Landscape, and Turf Team Directory: 2004



Our Vision

The vision of the Extension Nursery, Landscape, and Turf Team is to serve as the University's partner with the green industry to position us for the future.

Our Mission

The mission of the Extension Nursery, Landscape, and Turf Team, through our interdisciplinary and industry partnerships, is to improve the process of acquisition, delivery, and support of accurate, practical, and timely educational resources.

An Invitation

Membership on the team is based on interest and commitment to the vision and the mission of the team. Potential members are encouraged to participate in

some of our activities to determine if they would like to become a part of our team. If you are interested in the work of the team, please contact any of the team members.

The ENLTT Team greatly appreciates the significant funding support of the Ohio Nursery and Landscape Association.

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- Ornamental plant pesticide research (IR-4 Program)
- Biological pest control
- Identification of nursery, greenhouse, and landscape pesticide needs
- Registration of new pesticide products

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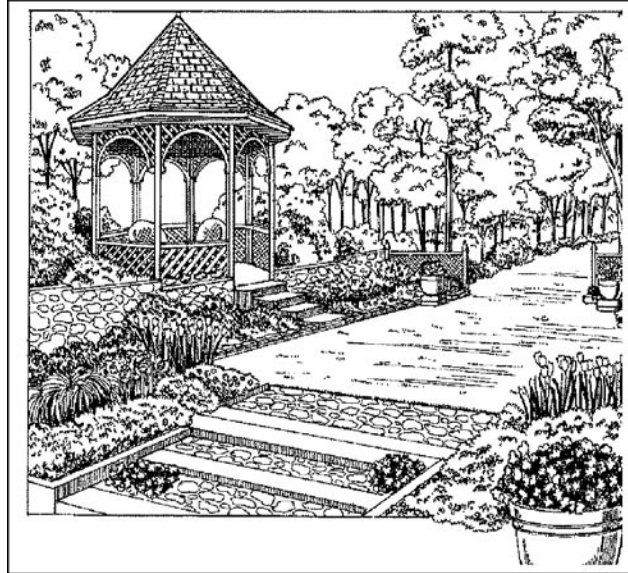
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- Plant disease control
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During the growing season, the team teleconferences weekly and develops a newsletter called the *Buckeye Yard and Garden Line*, which is available by a fax subscription service (contact a local team member) or on the World-Wide Web at:

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