## Wisconsin Christmas Tree Producers Association

## **Vendor Information - Summer Convention, August 15-17, 2024**

Join us in Shawano to receive a special anniversary ornament and pick up your member sign. Bring cash for bucket raffles. Special WCTPA caps will be available to purchase.

| Deadline                                       | Please register right away and we will get you listed on the association website and on a convention handout.  |
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| Hotels   | Boarders: 715-524-9090. W7393 River Bend Road Shawano, WI 54166<br>4 Seasons: 855-574-8501. 201 Airport Rd, Shawano, WI 54166<br>Quality Inn: 715-526-2044. 104 Airport Rd, Shawano, WI 54166<br>Menominee Casino Hotel, 800-343-7778. N277 Hwy 47/55, Keshena, WI 54135   |
| Convention Site<br>Demonstrations<br>Farm Tour | Convention will be held at Hanauer's Tree Farm, W7816 Broadway Rd., Shawano, WI 54166. Evening meals are in Shawano.  If you would like to demonstrate anything, contact Dan Hanauer at 715-526-6523 (leave a message).  |
| Booth Space<br>includes Friday<br>luncheon     | Inside tents includes 1 chair and 8' table (with table covering), & 1 ticket for Friday luncheon for each 10' space.  10' x 10' is \$275  20' x 10' is \$400  30' x 10' is \$525  Outdoor: provide your own set-up (shelter, table, chair, etc.) includes one ticket for Friday luncheon. Cost: \$275  |
| Literature Only<br>Option                      | For those unable to attend in person, for \$75 you may mail us your catalog/flyer and we will give one to each farm. Send literature to the association office with your registration form & payment. We are planning for 100 farms.   |
| Booth Electricity                              | Please bring your own extension cords; you'll need 200 feet in length.   |
| Sponsorship                                    | Anyone who donates \$100 or more will be designated as a sponsor (see registration form). We will recognize you as such on the convention program, on signs, in announcements, in the WCTPA Quarterly Journal and on our website.  |
| Set-Up   | Thursday 10:00 A.M 3:00 P.M.   |
| Vendors Open                                   | Thursday, 3:00 P.M 5:30 P.M. Friday, 8:15 A.M 4:45 P.M.  |
| All Attendees Pay                              | When you do mailings to your customers, please remember that anyone who comes to pick up supplies must be registered to attend the convention. This also includes growers who come to sign compliance agreements with DATCP/USDA. We want to be fair to all so please point them to the WCTPA registration desk. Thank you for your cooperation on this. |
| Questions?                                     | If you have questions about any of the convention events, please contact Cheryl Nicholson at the association office, 608-742-8663.   |
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| Refreshments                       | Bring your own coffee. Water and cold drinks will be provided each day.  |
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| Thursday Night                     | Informal socializing, on-your-own meal at Jeff & Tammy's Lighthouse Bar & Grill, W6440 Gumaer Rd, Shawano. https://www.facebook.com/TheLightouseShawano/   |
| 70th Anniversay<br>Friday Luncheon | Catered by Primal Eats and includes Rib Singles, Chicken with Original Sauce, Coleslaw, Ceasar Mixed Greens Salad, and Buns. Anniversary cake for all!   |
| Friday evening                     | On the covered patio at Luigi's Pizza & Pasta, 607 S. Main St., Shawano. Buffet menu to include Baked Mostaccioli, Various Fresh Authentic Sicilian Pizzas, Salad, Breadsticks, Water, and Soda. Cocktails or dessert can be ordered and paid for separately.                  |
| Saturday Lunch                     | Buffet lunch from Doc's Timeline Saloon with a menu including Brisket, Pulled Pork, Coleslaw, Mac & Cheese, and Buns. Water and soda.  On Saturday after the tour, local craft beer from Stubborn Brothers to be provided compliments of Shawn Hilliard, Helena Agrichemicals. |
| Photos and<br>Video                | Please be aware that photos and/or video may be taken at the convention. The pictures may be used in publications, on social media or websites.  |
| Raffles                            | <b>Bring cash</b> for some interesting, useful, and fun basket/bucket raffles. The directors each made up one, so you might be surprised what you'll find!   |