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Managers may attend the sessions with their scouts at a reduced cost (see form below). In the afternoon there will be a separate workshop session for managers that will include a discussion of pest management updates and resources. This special manager registration includes lunch, but not the notebook of written materials.

All participants must be preregistered prior to the day of the school. Registration fees are reduced if they are received 7 days before the school. See the [online copy of the brochure and registration](#) [1]. Questions may be directed to Jerolyn Packer, Brent Brueland, or Richard Larson at (515) 294-6429 or Joyce Hornstein at (515) 294-1101.

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