Nominations Now Open
Serving on the CNGA Board Helps You & the Industry
The CNGA Board of Directors consists of nine people who are elected by the members. Each year positions become available as terms expire. Directors serve a two year term with a maximum of three terms. The purpose of the Board is to govern the association through policy development and strategic planning. If you would like to be part of this group of dedicated industry leaders, then we invite you to run for the Board. It's an opportunity to experience personal growth while guiding the future direction of the association. To review some of the key qualifications and how to be nominated, click here.

Classifieds
JOBS - NEW!
> Production Grower
plus . . .
Greenhouse Horticulturist, Parks Horticulturist and Garden Center Manager - see all jobs.

Calendar
> Oct. 29 - Fall Workshop - Strategies for Efficient Water Use in Horticulture
> Nov. 3 - CCNP Seminars Start
> Nov 3 - 5 - AmericanHort Disease, Insect & Growth Regulators Conference
> Nov. 6 - Horticulture Leadership Retreat featuring Dr. Charlie Hall
> Nov. 9 - Commercial Pesticide Applicators General Seminar, Parts 1 & 2

Coming next week - Thursday, October 29 - Register Now!
Fall Workshop Will Focus on Water Efficiency
With the increased probability and frequency of drought, getting the most out of your water supply is absolutely vital. "Strategies for Efficient Water Use in Horticulture" will provide a variety of useful topics for improving your use of water in nursery and greenhouse operations. This will be a convenient, virtual workshop from 8:30 - 11:30 AM on Thursday, October 29. Learn more about the program and register here.
Leadership Retreat Offers Economic Insights
Registration is now open CNGA's annual Horticulture Leadership Retreat. But like most events during the pandemic, this one will be virtual, providing the convenience of participating from your office, home or remote location. Dr. Charlie Hall, renowned horticultural economist from Texas A & M, will be our featured speaker and he will provide his data driven, economic forecast for the coming year. The program will also include an update from the Colo. Dept. of Agriculture, a legislative update from American Hort and a Colorado legislative. Round table discussions on a host of relevant business topics will engage participants in lively discussions, solution sharing and new ideas. Please join us – registration is now open!

Special thanks to our sponsor: Tagawa Greenhouse

CCNP Seminars Start November 3
If you are looking to train your staff in identifying and knowing the plants they work with and sell, there’s no better way than the Colorado Certified Nursery Professional seminars. The four seminars (perennials, shrubs, trees, landscape design), provide excellent training to prepare for the CCNP Exam. Once the exam is passed, applicants obtain their certification and receive valuable CCNP recognition and credibility. Space is very limited so reserve your seat today! See the schedule and sign up here.

Commercial Pesticide Applicator Classes
CNGA and Colorado State University Extension offer the Commercial Pesticide Applicators Exam Prep Seminars to help you prepare for and pass the Colo. Dept. of Agriculture's Commercial Pesticide Applicators Licensing Exam. These seminars will be presented using a virtual format (Zoom). They will cover the General Seminar, Parts 1 and 2, and will take place over three days, from 8 AM - Noon on Nov. 9, 11 and 13. Each day will cover different material so it is important to attend all three days. The registration fee is $140. Seminars on Ornamentals and Turf are not included in this offering. Learn more and register here.
For more than 35 years this member has provided insurance services to a variety of Colorado industry's including nursery, crop, flood, sprinkler, farm/ranch and more. As one of the first agencies to write nursery crop insurance in Colorado, they have more than two decades of nursery crop insurance experience. They enjoy meeting on-site with their clients and use technology to be as efficient as possible in meeting their clients’ crop insurance needs. Meet a fellow CNGA member.