

PEST-VENTURES

PEST VENTURES 2012

Thursday 26 April 2012

Best Western Premier Yew Lodge Hotel
Kegworth, Nottinghamshire DE74 2DF

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NOT HARDER**

About Pest-Ventures

Pest-Ventures brings together people from across the pest management business – bridging the gap between pest control researchers and practitioners.

Established in 1999, the 2012 programme is brought to you by Adrian Meyer from Acheta, Moira Hart from communications consultancy, Dewpoint Marketing and Frances McKim & Helen Riby, editors and publishers of Pest magazine and the associated digital news service.

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Meeting the challenge of providing an effective, value for money pest management service has never been tougher.

Customer expectations in both the commercial and domestic sectors remain high. There are technical challenges to overcome, such as rodenticide resistance and the explosion in bed bug infestations.

Public sector cuts threaten local authority services, recession hit customers, especially in the domestic market, are increasingly reluctant to spend on pest control. And, the legal and regulatory position is in a state of flux with anticoagulant rodenticides, for example, still under threat from 'Green' MEPs in the European Parliament.

Against this backdrop it is more important than ever to keep up-to-date with current research, legal developments and best practice. So come along to Pest-Ventures 2012 and find out how to work smarter, not harder.

Who should attend?

All pest management professionals including pest control technicians in the public or private sector, facilities managers, the people responsible for pest control in local authorities, water and food companies, consultants and the manufacturers and distributors of pest management products.

08.30 Registration, tea/coffee and exhibition		
09.00	Chairman's introduction	Adrian Meyer Pest-Ventures
	The future of pest control legislation in the UK	Jonathan Peck the National Pest Advisory Panel (NPAP)
	The National UK Pest Management Survey - the results are in!	Helen Riby, Pest magazine & a speaker from BASF Pest Control Solutions
Tea/coffee break and exhibition		
	Block control revisited – a fresh look at an old technique including resurgent pests such as bed bugs (includes participative break-out session)	Clive Boase The Pest Management Consultancy
	A national strategy for rat control in sewers	Dave Oldbury the National Pest Advisory Panel (NPAP)
Three-course lunch		
14.00 Resume after lunch		
	Anticoagulant resistance in Norway rats in the UK: Where are we now?	Professor Rob Smith Universities of Huddersfield & Leeds
	Anticoagulant resistance now in house mice in the UK!	John Charlton John Charlton Associates
Tea/coffee break and exhibition		
	The end of 'permanent baiting' as we know it? (includes participative break-out session)	Adrian Meyer Acheta
16.45 Close		

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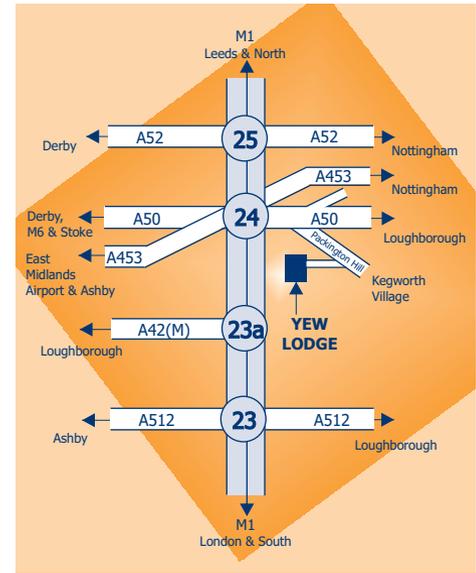
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THE VENUE

Pest-Ventures 2012 will be held in modern conference facilities at the Best Western Premier Yew Lodge Hotel. The hotel is located at Packington Hill, Kegworth, Nottinghamshire, Tel: 01509 672518, Fax: 01509 674730. For 'sat-nav' users, the post code is DE74 2DF.

The best hotel rates can be obtained online (currently £99 for bed & breakfast and with other deals for dinner, B&B and advanced pre-paid bookings). However, just like budget airfares, the fuller the hotel, the higher the rates become. Bookings can be made direct with the Yew Lodge at www.yewlodgehotel.co.uk or by phone. Other local hotels and guesthouses can be found easily online.

The Yew Lodge is conveniently sited close to junction 24 of the M1, with the M42 and East Midlands Airport nearby. For those travelling by train, the nearest stations are, East Midlands Parkway, Loughborough, Derby and Nottingham.



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