



# JULIAN VAIL, LLC NEWS & NOTES



OCTOBER 2, 2009

## 2009 MICHIGAN LEGISLATIVE SCHEDULE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SENATE

10:00 am - Tuesday, October 6

### Michigan Council of Private Investigators

At their membership meeting on September 30, 2009, the Michigan Council of Private Investigators awarded the Professionalism award to Mr. Bruce Hulme for his contribution to the advancement and promotion of the investigation profession. Also recognized were the MCPI Investigative Excellence Award Recipients M.L. Elrick & Jim Schaefer, of the Detroit Free Press, for their work on the Kwame Kilpatrick case.

*Congratulations to all three men.*



Al Cavasin presents Bruce Hulme the MCPI Professionalism Award



Wayne Bullen with Jim Schaefer and M.L. Elrick, Detroit Free Press

### GRANT TO IMPROVE SAFETY FOR YOUNG EQUINE ENTHUSIASTS

Funded by the U.S. Department of Agriculture Cooperative State Research, Education and Extension Service, the YFSEC program supports national efforts to teach young people to safely work in the agriculture industry.

This year grants were awarded to programs focusing on filling gaps in youth farm safety education. The unique safety needs of young people working on equine facilities identified by MHU and eXtension HorseQuest fit the bill.

“This project was developed to help young people learn to avoid injury while they are working with horses, mules and donkeys,” says Karen Waite, MSU Extension youth equine specialist and co-principal investigator. “We are planning some very creative online curriculum tools that will be educational, but also fun and interesting for kids”. Please visit [www.extension.org/horse](http://www.extension.org/horse)

### INTEGRATED CROP & PEST MANAGEMENT UPDATE

Farmers, agribusiness consultant, pesticide sales and service professionals, crop consultants and field crop educators can get a jump on the 2010 growing season with updates and recommendations for handling potential pest problems by attending the Integrated Crop and Pest Management Update on December 18 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the MSU Pavilion for Agriculture and Livestock Education.

This program will give participants access to new research-based information. They will also receive copies of the 2010 MSU Weed Control Guide and other related bulletins. Speakers will cover topics related to biofuel crops and farm safety practices during transportation and storage.

Registration is \$50 before December 11 and \$60 after that date. The registration form is available at: <http://web1.msue.msu.edu/eaton/2009cropmanagementupdate.pdf> or call 517-543-2310 for more information.



## UPCOMING EVENTS

**MICHIGAN CONTRACT SECURITY ASSOCIATION**  
General Membership Mtg.  
October 21, 2009

**GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF PROFESSIONAL PRIVATE INVESTIGATORS**  
- SEIC Fall Conference  
Nov. 6-7, Atlanta, GA

*Bittersweet October. The mellow, messy, leaf-kicking, perfect pause between the opposing miseries of summer and winter.*

*~Carol Bishop Higgs*

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