



# Aqua Chemical Supply, Inc.

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Aqua Chemical Supply Inc will be holding a private PRPS - "2009 Swimming Pool Management Workshop & the PA Department of Agriculture Pesticide Exam" on April 29 & 30, 2009 at the Sunbury YMCA.

In addition there will be a *"review/study session"* available before the exam conducted by Sherri Trometter, Sanitarian, from the Department of Health.

*Pennsylvania Recreation & Park Society*

## 2009 Swimming Pool Management Workshops & the PA Department of Agriculture Pesticide Exams



Core & Category Credits Approved through  
the PA Department of Agriculture



**T**his newly revised workshop has been designed to provide in-depth pool management instruction as well as the information needed to sit for the PA Department of Agriculture Pesticide exam. To become a Certified Pesticide applicator, one must take and pass a core written examination and a category - specific exam (ie, swimming pools, lawn and turf etc.). This two day workshop will focus its attention to the core information including but not limited to; Introduction to Pesticides, Federal and State Laws, Pesticide Safety, Toxicity, Health Issues and Emergencies along with Pesticide Formulations, Label Content and Environmental effects. The content of the class will also discuss information specific to Swimming Pools, category 24, such as pool calculations, water balance and testing, Sanitation/Oxidation, Filtration, and Pool and Hot Tub safety.

Additional Study Guides and Support information which is highly recommended by the PA Department of Agriculture can be purchased through The Pennsylvania State University Publication Distribution Center toll free at 1-877-345-0691 or locally at (814) 865-6713. Call to get pricing information. Telephone orders are only accepted with a Visa or MasterCard. Hours of operation are Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

### Exam Information

The Pesticide Applicator Certification Test will be administered by the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture. The exam will be given in the morning on the second day as long as five or more register for the exam. The exam is two parts: the core exam is \$60 and the category 24 (Swimming Pools) is \$10. These two exams (the core and at least one category) must be passed within 180 days of one another for certification of the individual. The exam can also be taken at Regional PA Department of Agriculture Offices.

Application has been made to the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture for Certification Credits at [www.paplants.state.pa.us](http://www.paplants.state.pa.us)

### Category Credits

00- Core 6  
18- Demonstration & 4 Research  
24 - Swimming Pools 4

## What You Will Learn

### Who Should Attend

- Pool Managers
- Lifeguards
- Hotel and Motel Maintenance Staff
- Campground Owners
- School Maintenance Staff
- Summer Camp and Day Camp Pool Operators
- Aquatic Directors
- Any person responsible for applying chemicals to a swimming pool
- YMCA/YWCA, Head Start, Boys & Girls Clubs Aquatic
- Directors

### Workshop Includes

- Networking Opportunity
- Course Instruction
- Certificate of Participation
- .7 CEU's
- Additional handout materials
- PRPS/DCNR Swimming Pool Management Manual
- PA Department of Agriculture Credits

### Learning Outcomes

- Pool Chemistry
- Pesticide Regulations
- Pesticide Safety
- Record Keeping information and forms
- Reporting requirements
- Filtration Information
- Water Testing Instructions
- Lifeguard recruiting, retention and training information
- Liability and Risk Management Information
- Public Bathing Place Design Requirements
- Spa/Hot Tub Operations Information
- Fecal Incident Response and Recommendations
- Virginia Graeme Baker Pool and Spa Safety Act
- Information on Healthy Swimming

### Agenda Day 1 (Lecture)

8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Registration  
9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Lecture/Instruction  
10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. Break  
10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Lecture/Instruction  
12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. Lunch (Will be provided)  
1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Lecture/Instruction  
3:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Break  
3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Lecture/Instruction  
5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Questions/Evaluation

### Agenda Day 2 (Study/Review & Exam)

8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Registration  
9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Review/Study Session  
10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Exam Time  
(Both Core & Category 24 will be given)

**Swimming Pool Management & Exam 2009**  
**(only one person per form)**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Agency \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ City State Zip

Day phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Fax (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Special Assistance Required \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please print clearly)

**Day 1**

**Payment (See Cancellation Policy below)**

PRPS Class (Includes Lunch) \$50

My check is enclosed.

*Make checks payable to - Aqua Chemical Supply Inc*

Bill my credit card

Visa  MC  American Express  Discover

Cardholder's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Card # \_\_\_\_\_

3 Digit Verification Code (on back of card) \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Cardholder's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Cancellation Policy for Day One**

If a cancellation is made two weeks prior to the first day of the course, the registration fee less a \$20 processing fee will be refunded. Persons cancelling after two week cut-off will not be eligible for a refund.

All cancellations requests must be made in writing and mailed, faxed or emailed to Aqua Chemical Supply Inc.

In the unlikely event of the cancellation of this course, Aqua Chemical Supply Inc's liability is limited to 100 percent refund of registration fees and does not include penalty fees on transportation, deposits for hotel accommodations, or other incurred expenses.

**Day 2**

**Please check if taking Exam (Day 2)**

4/30/09- Sunbury YMCA (providing there are enough people to take the test)

**Payment \***

Exam Core (optional) \$60 \_\_\_\_\_

Exam Category 24 (optional) \$10 \_\_\_\_\_

Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

*Make check for test payable to (amount will depend on parts of test you will be taking) - **Comm of PA***

*\*Payment for the test will be given to the instructor at registration on the day of the test.*

**Both days will be held at:**

**Sunbury YMCA  
1140 North Fourth Street  
Sunbury, PA 17801**

**A very special thanks to the Sunbury YMCA for donating the use their facility.**

**Return registration form and payment to:**

**Aqua Chemical Supply Inc  
183 Moore Street  
Millersburg PA 17061**

**If Paying with a Credit Card you may Fax to:  
717-692-3280**

***Questions?***

***Contact Karen Roach at 1-866-375-2782***

**Registration Deadline**

Deadline to register is March 30, 2009.

Upon arrival at the workshop, attendees should first stop by the registration area to receive their course materials as well as a name badge.

**Meet the Instructors**

The PRPS Swimming Pool Management Instructor Team is comprised of top aquatic professionals in Pennsylvania. The Instructors have a diverse background in swimming pool management, chemical distribution, consulting and education. All instructors must complete the PRPS "Train the Trainer" course before being approved as a qualified instructor.

Instructor will be Malcom E. Eubert