



CELEBRATE THE
ANNIVERSARY
OF JENS JENSEN'S
150TH BIRTHDAY

CULTURAL LANDSCAPE SYMPOSIUM 2010 will focus on the historical significance, legacy, and relevance of "Prairie Style" landscape design in southeast Michigan.

- Connect with Michigan and national Prairie Style design experts.
- Learn how the Prairie Style legacy in southeast Michigan has relevance to our understanding of today's sustainability issues.
- Identify resources available in southeast Michigan to the general public, landscape practitioners, researchers, writers, educators, and students interested in the subject.

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A CENTURY AGO, the natural landscape of the Midwest inspired a new American architectural and landscape design expression known as the Prairie Style. The 150th birthday anniversary of landscape designer Jens Jensen in 2010, offers a timely and unique opportunity to explore the Prairie Style legacy in southeast Michigan.

WHEN: Friday, October 1 and Saturday, October 2, 2010

WHERE: • *The Henry Ford Estate* and *The Henry Ford's Benson Ford Research Center* in Dearborn

• *The Edsel & Eleanor Ford House* in Grosse Pointe Shores

• *Nichols Arboretum, the Bentley Historical Library, and Matthaei Botanical Gardens* in Ann Arbor

The Symposium is limited to approximately 60 participants due to facility size limitations



PRESENTATIONS AT THESE SITES WILL FOCUS ON

the historical context of the Prairie Style in early 20th century; the designs and cultural contributions brought to these properties by early practitioners of this style; interpretation techniques being developed; sites and sources for additional resources on the topic; and future significance of Prairie Style landscapes as related to sustainability issues.

THE SYMPOSIUM WILL INCLUDE PRESENTATIONS AND TOURS LED BY:

Professor Robert Grese, Landscape Architect and Author, University of Michigan

Mr. Christopher Shires, Director of Interpretation and Programs, Edsel & Eleanor Ford House

Mr. James R. Johnson, Senior Manager, Creative Programs, The Henry Ford

Ms. Julia Bachrach, Author and Chicago Park Historian, Chicago Park District

Ms. Judith Endelman, Director, Benson Ford Research Center, The Henry Ford

Ms. Karen Jania, Reference Archivist, Bentley Historical Library, University of Michigan

Dr. Donn Werling, Author and Cultural Interpreter, former Director, Henry Ford Estate

Ms. Kathy Steiner, Head of Access Services, Benson Ford Research Center, The Henry Ford

Ms. Janet Marinelli, Author and Interpretation Specialist, former Director of Publishing at Brooklyn Botanic Garden

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REGISTRATION DEADLINE: SEPTEMBER 15, 2010

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FRI., OCTOBER 1, 2010

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(Continental breakfast, lunch, and transportation between locations included.)

SAT., OCTOBER 2, 2010

The Henry Ford's Benson Ford Research Center; Nichols Arboretum, Bentley Historical Library, and Matthaei Botanical Gardens.

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Name: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Day 1 (cost \$75) Day 2 (cost \$75) Day 1 & 2 (cost \$125)

I request Vegetarian Meal Option

Optional Friday Night Barbecue with Speakers at Henry Ford Estate (cost \$35)

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