Themedays 2005 Composting & Mushroom growing

In October, C point organises themedays. An unique chance to get informed about the latest developments, to refresh your knowledge and to get new contacts in mushroom business.

Program

3 and 4 October 2005:

Composting and tunnelmanagement

Discussion on the following topics:

- Choice of raw materials and their influence on selectivity and process management
- Different systems of composting: bunkers, traditional or full indoor
- Process management and climate control phase I and phase II
- Phase III: spawnrun in a tunnel, supplementing
- Hygiene on the compostyard and tunnelfarm and measurements to prevent contamination
- Visit to a compostyard
- Discussion and current subjects.

5 October 2005: Farmvisits

The program of this day is the whole chain from compost/substrate to mushroom growing and the packing and marketing of the product.

We want to visit a compostyard, a mushroomfarm, a trading company and eventually a supermarket (with al proper reserve)

6 and 7 October 2005:

Growing and harvesting

This growing session will give special attention to optimisation of the growing.

- Water management
- Regulating of the number and spreading of pinheads

- Control of the quality of the mushrooms in the first, second and third flush.
- Current subjects about pest and diseases
- Discussion and current subjects.

Target group of the themedays

The themedays are meant for workers of a mushroom farm, self-employed persons and farm managers. Experience in mushroom growing is desirable.

Costs

The costs of the themedays are €uro 155,-(excl. VAT) per day per person (including lunch).

Accommodation

There is a possibility for board and lodging in conference centre "De Witte Hoeve" at Venray. Information will be send after registration.

Further information

If you wish to receive more information about the Themedays or other courses organised by C point, please contact:

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