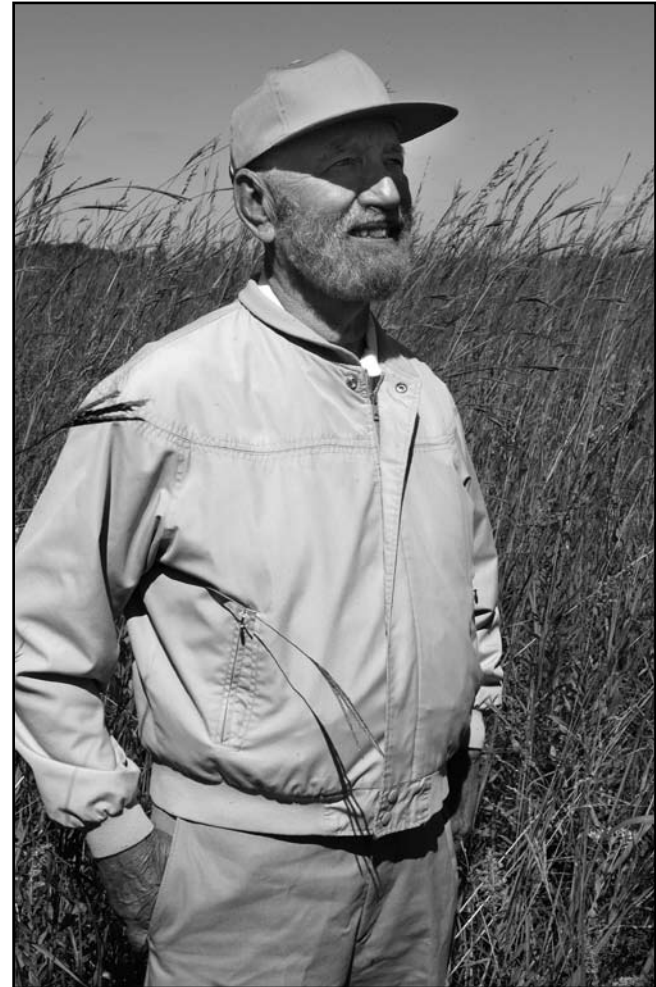


*Dr. Robert F. Betz
and his lasting influence on Fermilab and the region*



Saturday, July 17, 2007 • Ramsey Auditorium

Program

Welcome

Pier Oddone, Fermilab

A Tribute to Our Father

Melanie Gregory, Betz Family

Fermilab's 30-Year Relationship with Dr. Betz

Mike Becker, Fermilab

From Blue Jays to Blue Stem

David Crooks, Leave No Trace

Impacts of Bob Betz on Plant Conservation

Marlin Bowles, The Morton Arboretum

The Study of Ecology at the Fermilab Prairie

Rod Walton, Fermilab

A Prophet Who Launched a Culture

Stephen Packard, Audubon Society

Dr. Betz the Educator: The Power of Passion

Marcy DeMauro, Forest Preserve District Will County

A Token of Appreciation

Stan Johnson, Santa Fe Prairie

“We live only a little while, and prairies live for millennia. We think, eventually, the prairie will take over and that this [Fermilab prairie] will be indistinguishable from a natural prairie. We won't see it in all its glory, but at least we will have prepared the way for somebody else to see it.”

— Robert F. Betz
Summer 1988

The program is followed by a reception on the 15th floor of Wilson Hall. Attendees are invited to join family and friends for a walk in the Robert F. Betz Prairie at Fermilab at 4:30 p.m. Please drive to the parking lot in the middle of the prairie. Signs are posted.