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Salinas Valley Weed School 2012



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Tuesday, November 13 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon Agricultural Center Conference Room (1432 Abbott Street, Salinas)

- 8:00 Registration (no fee required) and Refreshments. Weed Identification Exhibit
- 8:30 Vegetable weed control update Richard Smith, Vegetable Crop and Weed Science Farm Advisor, Monterey County
- **9:15 The impact of anaerobic soil disinfestation on weeds** Joji Muramoto, Associate Researcher, Center for Agroecology & Sustainable Food Systems, UCSC
- **9:45** Herbicide persistence in the soil, when you want it and when you don't Steve Fennimore, Extension Vegetable Weed Specialist, U.C., Davis, Salinas

10:15 Break and Weed Identification Exhibit

- **10:30 Symptoms of various classes of herbicides on crops** *Tom Lanini, Extension Weed Specialist, U.C., Davis*
- **11:00 An explanation of how robotic weed control technology works** Ben Chostner/ Jorge Heraud, Blue River Technology
- **11:30** An overview of field evaluations of robotic weed control Steve Fennimore, Extension Vegetable Weed Specialist, U.C., Davis, Salinas

12:00 Conclusion

4.0 Continuing education credits have been approved. Please call ahead for special accommodations. For more information call Richard Smith (831) 759-7357.

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