

Friday, December 9, 2011

Annual Strawberry Production and Pest Management Meeting

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Shepard Hall, Santa Maria Public Library, 421 S McClelland St, Santa Maria, CA 93454

4.0 hours of DPR and 3.5 hours of CCA CE Credits have been approved

- 08:00 Registration - No fee
- 08:30 Regulatory and fumigant label updates
Debbie Trupe, Supervising Ag Biologist, Santa Barbara Co Ag Commissioner Office
- 08:45 Research and regulatory update from the California Strawberry Commission
Dan Legard, Director of Research, California Strawberry Commission, Watsonville
- 09:00 California certified nurseries: pathogens of regulatory significance for the Santa Maria area
Heather Scheck, Plant Pathologist, Santa Barbara Co Ag Commissioner Office
- 09:15 Fumigation alternatives for strawberry disease management
Oleg Daugovich, Strawberry and Vegetable Crops Advisor, UCCE, Ventura
- 09:40 Methods to reduce fumigant emissions
Husein Ajwa, CE Specialist, University of California Davis, Salinas
- 10:05 Break
- 10:20 Disease developments for California strawberries
Steve Koike, Plant Pathology Advisor, UCCE, Salinas
- 10:45 Powdery mildew, spider mite, and thrips management on strawberries
Surendra Dara, Strawberry and Vegetable Crops Advisor, UCCE, San Luis Obispo
- 11:05 Southern California strawberry production and variety research update
Kirk Larson, Pomologist and Strawberry Production Specialist, UC South Coast REC, Irvine
- 11:30 Grower experiences and panel discussion
Greg France, Daren Gee, Fidel Sandoval, Bryan Gresser, Ivor Van Wingerden, and Dave Peck
- 12:30 Lunch

Spanish interpretation will be provided

Please pre-register by December 2, 2011 online at <http://ucanr.org/santamariastrawberrymeeting> or call Ingrid Schumann at 805-781-5940 for additional information. Early registration helps w arrangements.

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