

South Sacramento Valley Winter Almond Meeting Arbuckle Golf Course February 19, 2013

2 hours of PCA CE requested (0.5 hrs Laws & Reg; 1.5 hrs “Other”)
2.5 hours of CCA CE hours requested (1 hour Nutrient Man.; 1.5 hours IPM; 0.5 hrs Crop Man.)

Refreshments sponsored by Helena Chemical Company

- 8:00 Sign-in and Coffee
- 8:30 Nickels almond trial updates: pruning, rootstocks, and NP pollinator varieties.
Franz Niederholzer, UC Farm Advisor, Colusa/Sutter/Yuba Counties
- 9:00 Navel orangeworm management in the Sacramento Valley.
Dr. Frank Zalom, Entomology Department, UC Davis
- 9:30 Herbicide resistance, biology, and current weed management research.
Dr. Lynn Sosnoskie, Plant Sciences Department, UC Davis
- 10:00 Weed management and control - *Dr. Brad Hanson, Plant Sciences Department, UC Davis*
- 10:30 -- Break
- 10:45 Ag Commissioner update - *Jack DeWit, Colusa County Ag Commissioner*
- 11:15 Nitrogen management in almond: what have we learned?
Franz Niederholzer, UC Farm Advisor, Colusa/Sutter/Yuba Counties
- 11:45 New spring leaf sampling program for almond - *Sebastian Saa, Plant Sciences Department, UC Davis*
- 12:15 Adjourn

Please note: PCA scantron sheets will not be accepted and PA certificates of attendance will not be available until you are leaving the meeting.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 29TH 2013

Yuba-Sutter Fairgrounds, Franklin Hall

442 Franklin Ave, Yuba City, CA

3 CE Units Approved: 2 Laws & Regs; 1 Other

8:30 a.m. Registration – Coffee & Donuts

ENGLISH

SPANISH

9:00 a.m. Jill LeVake, CAPCA & Dow AgroSciences
“Welcome”

CDPR Environmental Scientists Tom Anderson
& Fidel Perez with Yuba County Ag
Commissioner Louie Mendoza

9:05 a.m. Jon Munger, Yuba-Sutter Farm Bureau President
“The Importance of Safety”

“Worker Safety”

9:15 a.m. Roberta Firoved, California Rice Commission
“Spraying Safely – The Rice Industry Perspective”

9:35 a.m. Russ Stocker, Bob’s Flying Service
“Aerial Application, Ground Safety and Neighbors”

9:55 a.m. Victoria Hornbaker, CDFA
“Vertebrate, Pest Control Laws and Regulations”

OUTDOOR DEMONSTRATION ROTATIONS– (TRANSLATION INCLUDED FOR SPANISH GROUP)

10:30 a.m. **Station #1:** Steve Vance, PBM Sprayers
“Spray Equipment and Application”

10:50 a.m. **Station #2:** Franz Niederholzer, UCCE Orchard Systems Farm Advisor
“Spray Drift Management”

11:10 a.m. **Station #3:** Matt Bozzo, Yuba-Sutter Farm Bureau
“Grower Checklist for Safety & Safety Communication”

11:30 a.m. **Station #4:** Pam Emery, MVP Consolidated
“Respirator Fit Testing/Heat Illness”

11: 50 a.m. **Station #5:** Jan Kendel, Ag Biologist III & Todd Quist, Ag Weights & Measures

12:10 p.m. End of Rotations

RSVP to:

Yuba-Sutter Farm Bureau

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