

8:00 Registration

8:30 Announcements, Introductions, and Managing DEC credits

8:40 Using Retain in Cool vs. Hot Seasons – Terence Robinson, Cornell, NYSAES, will present the effects on fruit ripening after Retain is used to delay the harvest timing of apples under extreme weather conditions.

9:10 Meet the New Pathologist – Kerik Cox, Cornell, NYSAES, will introduce himself, talk about projects related to fruit pathology he has worked on in the past, and talk about some educational tools he is interested in using to disseminate fruit pathology information.

9:25 Herbicide Application Technology – Andrew Landers, Cornell, NYSAES, will present various aspects of equipment maintenance and set up for proper herbicide application in fruit crops.

9:55 Industry sponsors – What's New

10:10 Break



10:25 Apple Disease Management Strategies for 2007 – David Rosenberger, Cornell, Hudson Valley Lab, will present best management plans for apple scab, mildew, and sooty blotch/flyspeck using currently registered fungicides and how to fit newly registered fungicides into the system.

11:35 What can NYCAMH do for your farm? – Jim Carrabba, NYCAMH, will present the various safety trainings available for fruit farms to keep labor safe.

11:45 Industry Sponsors – What's New

12:00 Lunch provided and visit with sponsors

12:50 How you can prepare for labor needs on your farm – Alison DeMarree

1:10 Life after AZM – Art Agnello, Cornell, NYSAES, will present an insect management strategy incorporating registered insecticides after the elimination of azinphos-methyl in tree fruit crops.

Directions to Wayne Co. CCE

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1:40 The life of a worm – Deborah Breth, CCE-LOF, will present the life history of the internal lepidopterae complex to better understand the insect management requirements.

2:00 Designing Effective Tree Support Systems – S. Hoying, Cornell Univ., will present the strengths and weaknesses of hardware and equipment used in tree support systems for dwarf, high density plantings. These systems are critical in culture of dwarf plantings with the benefit of lower pesticide rates required for production.

2:30 High Tunnel Production Systems for High Value Fruit Crops – Marvin Pritts, Cornell University, and Terence Robinson, representing Greg Lang from MSU, will present the concepts behind high tunnel production of sweet cherries and raspberries. These high value fruits are very susceptible to disease if exposed to rain during ripening – high tunnels can significantly increase fruit quality, reduce the need for control of some diseases, and extend the harvest season.

3:30 Adjourn, Pick DEC recertification credit on exit

Please pre-register by Jan 19 so we have accurate numbers for lunch and handouts.



LOF Winter Fruit School Registration Form

Pre-registration by **Jan 19** is appreciated to accommodate planning for lunch and handouts. Send registration form and check to:



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Registration fee for farms enrolled with CCE – Lake Ontario Fruit Program is \$20 to cover lunch, breaks, materials and other costs of programs. At the door, the registration fee will be \$30. If farm is not enrolled, the registration fee is \$85, (\$95 at the door).

Please complete and return form:

Jan 23, Newark Lo	cation		
Name	(number attending)	(number attending)	
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