Intensive Fruit Crop Nutrition Management Short Course: Tree Fruit, Berries and Grapes

Tuesday & Wednesday, March 17-18, 2015.
8:00 am - 3:30 pm
Maneeley’s Conference Center
65 Rye St, South Windsor, CT 06074

Program

March 17 & 18: 8 - 8:30 am Registration and continental breakfast
8:30 - 12 noon Class
12 noon Lunch provided
12:45 - 3:30 Class

Tuesday:
For all fruit: Learn about soil and fruit plant nutrition including evaluation of soil chemical properties; nutrient movement in soils, uptake & translocation; factors affecting nutrient availability; nutrient requirements; nutrient deficiency symptoms & disorders; fertilizer materials & methods of nutrient applications including fertigation & foliar sprays.

Learn how to develop and understand fertilization programs for tree fruit.

The Role of Labels: What is the Right Label for You? This talk will look at how consumers perceive environmental practices and how this might impact a business.

Wednesday: Learn about small fruit and grape nutrition. Learn how to develop and understand fertilization programs for small fruit and grapes.

Instructors:
Dr. Warren Stiles, Professor Emeritus – Tree Fruit Production and Nutrition, Cornell University. Presently growing fruit at the family homestead in NJ.
Dr. Marvin Pritts, Professor - Small Fruit Production & Chair- Horticulture Dept., Cornell University
Dr. Ben Campbell, Assistant Professor and Extension Economist, UConn
Mary Concklin, Fruit Extension Educator, UConn and Fruit grower

Each participant will receive a binder full of valuable reference material and information.

Registration
2015 Fruit Crop Nutrition Short Course
Tues. & Wed. March 17-18, 2015

Name(s)

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Farm Name

Mailing Address

City _______ State _______ zip

Phone Number

Email address for registration confirmation

Return form and fee to:
Mary Concklin
Dept. of Plant Science & LA
1376 Storrs Rd, U-4067
Storrs, CT 06269-4067

Must pre-register by March 9, 2015.
Please indicate number attending:
_________ at $75/person if postmarked by 3/9/15
_________ at $90/person if postmarked AFTER 3/9/15
__________ Total enclosed

Make check payable to: University of CT

The University of Connecticut is an equal opportunity program provider and employer. Please call two weeks prior to this event if special accommodations are needed.
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Direction to Maneeley’s Conference Center
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From the south, east and west
Take I-91 or I-84 to I-291.
Take Exit 4 for Rt. 5 (north) – turn left at bottom of ramp.
After 3.5 miles turn right onto Sullivan Ave (Rt. 194).
In ¼ mile take a left onto Rye St., Maneeley’s is on the left.

From the North
Take I-91 south to exit 44 – US 5 toward E. Windsor.
Turn right onto US 5 south
Turn left onto Sullivan Ave (Rt. 194)
In ¼ mile take a left onto Rye St., Maneeley’s is on the left.

From the other North
Take I-84 to exit 63, CT-30 south in Manchester.
Follow CT-30 south and CT 194 west to Rye St.
Turn right onto Rye St. Maneeley’s in on the left.

Many hotels in the area for those needing to stay overnight

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