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Tehama County Prune Day

Thursday - March 9, 2006

8:00 AM - 1:30 PM

Red Bluff Elks Lodge - 355 Gilmore Road - Red Bluff, Calif.



The 3rd Annual Tehama County Prune Day is being presented by the University of California Cooperative Extension and the Tehama County Agricultural Commissioner's Office. The program is designed to provide orchard information to growers, PCA's and related agri-business people. Anyone interested in prune production is encouraged to attend. Handicapped facilities are available. 2.0 hours of PCA credit has been requested. For more information please call Richard Buchner or Cindy McClain at the Farm Advisor's Office (530) 527-3101. The meeting costs are on a break-even basis. Please register by March 3, 2006 so enough lunches can be ordered.

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PRUNE DAY SCHEDULE of EVENTS

- 8:00 AM** REGISTRATION - - Pick Up Lunch Tickets & (PCA and Private Applicator Sign-Ins)
Coffee & Doughnuts
- 8:25 AM** WELCOME and INTRODUCTIONS
Richard Buchner - Host, UC Farm Advisor, Tehama County
- 8:30 AM** PRUNE BREEDING PROGRAM - New Varieties
Carolyn DeBuse - Dried Plum Development Program - UC Davis
- 9:00 AM** IS POOR POLLINATION RESPONSIBLE FOR THE 2005 CROP?
Dr. Vito Polito - Pomology Dept., UC Davis
- 9:30 AM** MECHANICAL PRUNING
Bill Krueger - UCCE Farm Advisor, Glenn County
- 10:00 AM** AG COMMISSIONER UPDATE - Regulatory Issues / Sacramento Valley Water Quality Coalition - *Doug Compton - Tehama County Assistant Ag Commissioner*
- 10:30 10:40 AM** BREAK
- 10:40 AM** PRUNE DISEASE MANAGEMENT
Dr. Jim Adaskaveg - Plant Pathology, UC Riverside
- 11:10 AM** CONTRACT NEGOTIATIONS FOR PRUNE GROWERS - Finding a good home for your fruit . - *Greg Thompson - Prune Bargaining Association*
- 11:40 AM** IRRIGATED LANDS WAIVER - How we got to where we are.
David Guy - Executive Director, Northern California Water Association
- 12:30 PM** BUFFET LUNCH - *Prepaid Reservation*

2.0 Hours of PCA Credit has been applied for (1 Hour of Laws and Regs, 1 Hour of Other)



**REGISTRATION FORM
TEHAMA COUNTY 2006 PRUNE DAY
THURSDAY - MARCH 9, 2006**

Registration must be received by March 3, 2006

Please detach and mail this form with a check made payable to "UC Regents".

Cost \$13.00 per person to cover lunch and meeting expenses.

Mail to: UC Cooperative Extension
Prune Day
1754 Walnut Street
Red Bluff, CA 96080

Name: _____ **Company:** _____

Address: _____ **City, State, Zip:** _____

Day Phone: _____ **Amount Enclosed: \$** _____



If Reservation is for more than one person, please list names of others attending:

Publications Available at Walnut & Prune Days

Pub #	Publication Name	Price	Tax	Total
3270	IPM Walnuts (<i>Newly Revised-3rd Edition</i>)	\$ 30.00	\$ 2.18	\$ 32.18
3373	Walnut Production Manual	35.00	2.54	37.54
3308	IPM Almonds	32.00	2.32	34.32
3364	Almond Production Manual	30.00	2.18	32.18
3353	Olive Production Manual	35.00	2.54	37.54
3389	IPM Stone Fruits	35.00	2.54	37.54
21585	Costs of Pressurized Irrigation Systems - Tree Crop	5.00	.36	5.36
21579	Drip Irrigation	5.00	.36	5.36
21471	Covercrops for Calif. Agriculture	3.50	.25	3.75
3383	Private Applicators Reference Manual	7.00	.51	7.51
3394	Private Applicators (Spanish)	7.00	.51	7.51
3324	Safe & Effective Use of Pesticides	35.00	2.54	37.54
3350	Weeds of the West	35.00	2.54	37.54
3386	Natural Enemies Handbook	35.00	2.54	37.54
3332	Pests of the Garden & Small Farm	35.00	2.54	37.54
3359	Pests of Landscape Trees & Shrubs	42.00	3.05	45.05
3395	Rare Plants of Northern California (<i>New</i>)	36.00	2.61	38.61
3402	Floriculture & Nurseries	45.00	3.26	48.26
3382	Calif. Master Gardeners Handbook	35.00	2.54	37.54
3346	Specialty & Minor Crops	35.00	2.54	37.54
2442	Handling Strawberries for Fresh Markets	5.00	.36	5.36
3351	IPM Strawberries	30.00	2.18	32.18
3387	Agricultural Information on Internet	12.00	.87	12.87
3426	Tree Fruit Pest I.D & Monitoring Cards (<i>New</i>)	15.00	1.09	16.09
21434	Making Table Wine at Home	15.00	1.09	16.09
3419	Wine Grape Varieties in California (<i>New</i>)	30.00	2.18	32.18
3342	California Farm Records Book	5.00	.18	5.18
	2002 Cost Study for Walnuts	-free-		
	2001 Cost Study for Prunes	-free-		
	2001 Cost Study for Almonds	-free-		

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