

## **North Jersey Fruit Meeting**

Date: March 9, 2009

Location: Warren Grange No. 110, Asbury-Broadway Road, Asbury, NJ 08802 (Warren County)

Time: 8:30-4pm

Registration \$20 additional farm member Registration \$5

Lunch Registration - \$15 (You must Pre-register for Lunch)

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Coffee and Danish provided by our Commercial Sponsors

- 9:00 Welcome Bill Tietjen, NJAES County Agricultural Agent
- 9:05 NJ Farm Market Update- Ron Good- NJ Department of Agriculture
- 9:20 Resistance Management for Arthropod Pests Dean Polk, NJAES Statewide Fruit IPM Agent
- 9:50 New Insecticides, Properties and Programs for 2009 Dean Polk, NJAES Statewide Fruit IPM Agent
- 10:20 Industry Show and Tell
- 10:40 High Tunnel Fruit Production (Strawberry, Brambles, Cherries) in England- Bill Tietjen-NJAES County Agricultural Agent
- 11:10 Using Crop Insurance to Manage Risk on Your Farm- 2008 Experiences-Dave Lee and Win Cowgill –NJAES County Agricultural Agents
- 11:40 Key Tree Fruit Pests Observed in 2008 and Resulting Fruit Quality. Dr. Atanas Atanassov- Tree Fruit IPM Program Associate
- 12:00 Luncheon-you must pre-register to eat lunch
- 1:15 Growing Blueberries on Upland Soils- Everything you Need to Know to Produce the Blues!-Dr Gary Pavlis, NJAES-County Agricultural Agent Atlantic County

- 1:35 Experiences with Thinning Asian Pears In NJ- Dr Dan Ward, NJAES Extension Specialist in Pomology
- 1:50 Controlling Plum Curculio. Kris Tollerup-NJAES- Research Entomologist
- 2:10 Update On Tree Fruit Disease Control- Norm Lalancette- NJAES Extension Specialist in Plant Pathology
- 2:40 Principles of Crop Load Management in Apple Chemical Thinning, Return Bloom and other Plant Growth Regulators for 2009-NJAES –Win Cowgill- Area Fruit Agent
- 3:10 How Newly Labeled Fruit Herbicides Fit into Your Weed Control Program- Brad Majek-NJAES Extension Specialist in Weed Control
- 3:40 Adjourn

NJ Pesticide Recertification Credits will be awarded following the meeting