



Nelson County Cooperative Extension Presents:

Central VA Commercial Tree Fruit School

Lovingston Fire Hall

8.30 - Pesticide Recertification Check-in, Welcome & Housekeeping Items

9.00 -Doug Pfeiffer, “At Risk Chemistry” and “Spotted Lanternfly Update”

9.30 - Chris Bergh, “Current distribution of the samurai wasp in Virginia, following releases and monitoring between 2018 and 2022

10:00 - Kevin Rice “Introductions and AREC Update”

10:15 - Refreshment Break (*view exhibits*)

10.30 - Srdjan Acimovic, “Fire Blight and Bitter Rot Updates”

11:00- Sherif Sherif, “Plant Growth Regulators & Rootstocks for Apple and Stone Fruits”

11.30 - Panel Discussion

12:00- Lunch Break (*view exhibits*)

1.00 - Laura Strawn “Food Safety Considerations”

1.30 - Alexis Hamilton

2.00 - Virginia Employment Commission and Mas Labor, “Labor Updates”

2.15 - Debbie Brown Pesticide Recertification Legal Update

3.00 - Spray Bulletin Update, All Specialists

Thank you’s, Pesticide Recertification Checkout & Conclusion

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