



# Cranberry Station Newsletter

**FEBRUARY 2006**

UMASS CRANBERRY STATION

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## **Pesticide Safety Training, Elks Lodge, East Wareham**

**Wednesday, April 5th, 2006 (04/05/06)**

**8 AM - 12 NOON**

This meeting will focus on cranberry pesticide issues. The cost is \$40.00.

FOUR contact hours will be offered towards pesticide re-certification.

- 8:00 – 8:20 Pesticide Update and PPE Review, Martha Sylvia, UMass CS
- 8:20 – 8:40 Groundwater Protection and Water Regulations, Brian Wick, CCCGA
- 8:40 – 9:00 Retrofitting Old Systems, Linda Rinta, PCCD and Dan Barnett, USDA-NRCS
- 9:00 – 9:20 Sustainable Cranberry Production, Jennifer Friedrich, UMass CS
- 9:20 – 9:40 Chemigation Review, Matt Beaton, Cranberry Growers' Service
- 9:40 – 10:10 Coffee Break
- 10:10 – 10:30 WPS Requirements and Inspections, Laurie Rocco, MDAR-Boston
- 10:30 – 10:50 Endangered Species Revised, Steve Antunes-Kenyon, MDAR-Boston
- 10:50 – 11:10 BMP's Review, Carolyn DeMoranville, UMass Cranberry Station
- 11:10 – 11:30 Pesticide Registration - Section 18s, 24C's, and IR-4, Hilary Sandler, UMass CS
- 11:30 – 12:00 Insecticides Update, Anne Averill, UMass Cranberry Station

## **Registration Form for Pesticide Safety Training**

**Elks Lodge, East Wareham**

**Wednesday, April 5th, 2006 (04/05/06) 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM**

Please register for the meeting using this form.

COMPANY \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

NAMES OF ATTENDEES \_\_\_\_\_

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Attach additional sheets as necessary.

**Return with payment by:**

**March 29th, 2006**

Include check made out to: **UMASS**

In the amount of: **\$40 per person.**

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OFFICIAL BUSINESS

### **FREE INDIVIDUAL FARM BUSINESS CONSULTATION**

Speak with a professional advisor in a confidential, **one-on-one** session on these important topics:

- Estate planning and farm transfer issues
- Tax planning
- Record keeping and accounting
- Borrowing and credit
- Crop insurance
- Business planning and business structure

**Where and when: March 7** at the UMass Dartmouth Fall River Campus between 8:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. You must sign up in advance. Call 413-323-4531 for reservations and directions.

You set the agenda and can reserve up to two one-hour slots. You may bring a spouse or business partner and relevant documents to get the most out of your session.

For more information contact Kathy Ruhf at 413-323-9878 or [kzruhf@verizon.net](mailto:kzruhf@verizon.net).

#### **WORKER PROTECTION TRAININGS**

Worker Protection Trainings for cranberry workers in the handler category will be offered in the spring of 2006: April 26, May 31, and June 28. There is a \$5 fee to cover the cost of the WPS training manual.

**Contact Martha Sylvia:** 508-295-2212, ext. 20 to sign up or for additional information.

Dr. Carolyn DeMoranville

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