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Cherry Vinegar Fly Informational Meeting

A new pest has arrived in California - the Cherry Vinegar Fly (*Drosophila suzukii*). CVF attacks more than just cherries. This meeting has been organized to update fruit growers and industry members on the current status, potential hosts, and future outlook for this new pest.



When: Wednesday July 8, 2009
1:30 – 3:30 p.m.

Where: Robert J. Cabral Agricultural Center
2101 East Earhart Avenue, Stockton, CA 95206-3949
Assembly Room 1

This meeting is co-sponsored by the San Joaquin County Agricultural Commissioners Office and the UC Cooperative Extension.

Speakers from the California Department of Food and Agriculture and the University of California will discuss biology, current distribution, known and potential hosts, possible implications for export markets, and control of this new pest.

Growers, crop protection advisors, industry members, and others interested in information on this new pest are encouraged to attend.



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