

Walnut Irrigation Workshop

Tuesday, March 20, 2012 12:30 to 5:00 pm Robert J. Cabral Agricultural Center 2101 E. Earhart Ave., Stockton CA 95206

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Walnut production has changed over the past few years, not only in terms of new varieties but with closer spacings and tree training and pruning techniques aimed at higher yields and premium quality nuts. Irrigation technology has also advanced, with systems now capable - when properly designed and managed - of delivering water more frequently and precisely than ever.

The goal of this intensive workshop is to give participants practical information on using standard and new irrigation technologies to improve walnut orchard production and quality while maintaining orchard longevity. Topics and presenters will include:

Introduction and overview of walnut irrigation

Terry Prichard, Irrigation Water Management Specialist, UC Davis

- Irrigation Scheduling Tools
   Allan Fulton, Irrigation & Water Resources Advisor, Colusa, Glenn & Tehama Counties
- Growth and nut quality responses of walnuts to water stress and over-irrigation Bruce Lampinen, Integrated Orchard Management Specialist, UC Davis
- Choosing an irrigation system to meet orchard demands
   Larry Schwankl, Cooperative Extension Irrigation Specialist, UC Davis
- Integrating irrigation scheduling methods into a practical season-long plan Terry Prichard, Irrigation Water Management Specialist, UC Davis

Certified Crop Advisor continuing education credits have been applied for.

## This workshop is free and open to all who wish to attend but you must pre-register.

To register for this workshop, please fill out the section below and fax to **209-953-6128** or mail it in to: Joe Grant, UCCE San Joaquin, 2101 E. Earhart Ave., Suite 200, Stockton, CA 95206.

For questions contact Joe Grant, UC Cooperative Extension, at (209) 953-6100, or jagrant@ucdavis.edu.

## Please register me for the Walnut Irrigation Workshop on March 20, 2012.

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