

University of California Cooperative Extension

Quad-County Walnut Institute

Thursday, March 6, 2014

Evelyn Costa Assembly Room

San Joaquin County Robert J. Cabral Agricultural Center

2101 E. Earhart Avenue, Stockton, California 95206

- 8:00 am** Coffee & registration
- 8:30** Reports from walnut research trials in San Joaquin County
Joe Grant, UC Cooperative Extension, San Joaquin County
- 8:50** Irrigation management in a drought year
Dr. Ken Shackel, Dept. of Plant Sciences, UC Davis
- 9:20** Getting the most from your irrigation system
Larry Schwankl, UC Cooperative Extension Irrigation Specialist, Parlier, CA
- 9:50** Salinity management in walnuts
Janet Caprile, UC Cooperative Extension, Contra Costa County
- 10:15** Break
- 10:35** Understanding the biology of *Botryosphaeria/Phomopsis* canker of walnut and ways to manage the disease
Dr. Themis Michailides, Plant Pathologist, UC Kearney Ag Center, Parlier, CA
- 11:05** Optimum walnut canopies: Spacing and managing orchards for both early and mature production
Dr. Bruce Lampinen, Walnut and Almond Extension Specialist, UC Davis
- 11:35** Update of unheaded v/s headed pruning trial after three years.
David Doll, UC Cooperative Extension, Merced County
- 12:00 pm** California walnuts: An industry working together
Dennis Balint, CEO/Executive Director, Calif. Walnut Board & Calif. Walnut Commission
Carl Eidsath, Technical Support Director
Jennifer Olmstead, Marketing Director, Domestic
- 12:30** Adjourn

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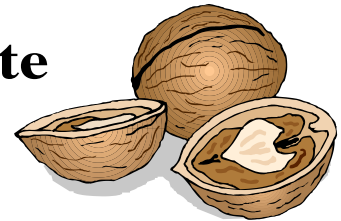


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