



Limiting Bird Damage in Fruit: State-of-the-Art Pest Management Tactics

A Vertebrate Damage Management Workshop

Location	Date	Time
Cornell Cooperative Extension Saratoga County, 50 W. High St., Ballston Spa, NY 12020	Wednesday, August 19	8:30 AM-4:00 PM Lunch included

In the morning learn which bird species damage fruit, economic losses from birds to fruit, consumer preference for management tactics (e.g. kestrel nesting boxes), NY grower survey, tactics for deer management, regulations & permitting for wildlife control, landscape factors that place fruit at risk, and bird mitigation strategies. *Morning session available via WebEx webinar*.

In the afternoon enjoy on-farm field demonstrations of scare tactics such as falconry, air dancers and exchange insights through discussions of tactics being used on your farms.



Gain comprehensive knowledge about successful bird management strategies in susceptible fruit crops, including sweet and tart cherry, blueberry, 'Honeycrisp' apples and wine grapes.

Advanced registration required!

Register by Wednesday, August 12

Workshop limited to 30 attendees

Registration fee \$10 (credit card, check payable to CCE ENYCHP, or online at http://enych.cce.cornell.edu/event.php?id=420

To register contact:

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DEC credits available: Category 10 -- 2.5 Category 1A -- 2.5 Category 22 -- 2.5

You'll receive folders full of wildlife management resources for your farm!

Deadline to register is August 12, 2015.

Organized by Juliet Carroll, Fruit IPM Coordinator, NYS IPM Program, Cornell Cooperative Extension. Sponsored by Paul Curtis, Associate Professor Wildlife Management, Cornell University and the multistate USDA NIFA SCRI project, *Limiting bird damage in fruit crops.* Hosted by the Eastern NY Commercial Horticulture Program (ENYCHP), Cornell Cooperative Extension