2017 Lake Ontario Winter Fruit Schools

Monday Feb. 6, 2017 – Niagara County CCE Training Center, 4487 Lake Ave., Lockport, NY  14094
Tuesday Feb. 7, 2017  Newark Garden Hotel, 125 North Main St., Newark, NY  14513

**DEC credits, 3.5 hrs**  Bring your DEC Applicator ID. If you need DEC credits, please arrive on time to sign the roster and **plan to stay all day**. DEC will not allow partial credit.

8:00  Registration, DEC recertification credit sign-in. Please bring your DEC ID card!
8:30  Welcome and Introductions
8:40  Crop Insurance Options & Tools – Matt Wells, CCE-LOFT
9:05  Regional Pest Update – Tess Grasswitz, CCE-LOFT
9:35  Sponsor Spots
9:50  Coffee Break
10:20 Apple Tree Structure: Bush to Wall – Mario Miranda Sazo, CCE-LOFT
10:50 PGR’s for Harvest Management: Options, Pros, and Cons – Craig Kahlke, CCE-LOFT
11:20 Season-long Fire Blight Management in Apples – Kerik Cox, CU
11:50 Lunch
1:15  Changes to the Worker Protection Standards, Part 1 – NYSDEC
1:45  Sponsor Spots
2:00 Changes to the Worker Protection Standards, Part 2 –  NYSDEC
2:30  Viruses in Apple: What can we do? – Marc Fuchs, CU
3:00 Bee Abundance Assessment Tool - Maria Van Dyke, CU
3:20 Adjourn