

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
- 12:45** Irrigation 101: How to Design and Plan for a New Installation - Matt Wells, CCE-LOFT
and Liz Madison, Belle Terre Irrigation
- 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**