

**2014 NYS Dry Bean Field Meeting**

**Thursday, September 18, 2014**

**5:15 – 7:45 pm**

**Tom Corcoran Farm, 1302 McEwen Rd, Caledonia, NY 14423\***

*DEC/CCA credits are requested – Attend entire meeting for credit*

**\$5** – Receiving Veg Edge/Cornell Vegetable Program Enrollees

**\$10** - All others

Preregister or sponsor: Angela Parr - [aep63@cornell.edu](mailto:aep63@cornell.edu) or 585-394-3977 x426

- 5:15 pm**      **Registration, DEC/CCA sign-up, refreshments** – Carol MacNeil,  
*Cornell Cooperative Extension Vegetable Program, Allegany, Cattaraugus, Erie,  
Genesee, Monroe, Niagara, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Yates & Wayne Counties*
- 5:30**            **Welcome to Tom Corcoran’s Farm, Caledonia**
- 5:35**            **Management of bacterial diseases in dry beans: Identification, crop rotation,  
certified seed, copper sprays** – Sarah Pethybridge, *plant pathology, Cornell*
- 5:55**            **Western bean cutworm: Hot spots for moth catches, identifying damage,  
threshold for treatment, etc. -**  
*Carol MacNeil, CCE, CVP, and Keith Waldron, NYS IPM Field Crops Coordinator*
- 6:15**            **Changing bean plant architecture to improve yields** – *Phil Griffiths, Cornell*
- 6:35**            **Cornell dry bean variety & breeding line trial (including white mold and virus  
disease resistance)** – *Eric Sandsted and Don Halseth, Cornell*
- 7:05**            **Light supper and discussion** – *Thank you sponsors!*  
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- 7:10**            **What’s new with industry?**
- 7:45**            **Adjourn, Pick up DEC certificates, and safe trip home!**

**\*Directions to Tom Corcoran Farm, 1302 McEwen Rd, Caledonia, NY 14423**

From Caledonia, drive south on Rt. 36 about 3 miles. Turn right/west onto Black Street Rd. and continue just under 3 miles to McEwen Rd. Turn left/south on McEwen Rd. and continue half a mile to Tom Corcoran’s farm on the right. Drive in the lane south of his house and park near the barn. Walk up the lane to the Cornell variety/breeding line trial.

**Rain Date/Special Needs** - Contact Carol MacNeil: 585-394-3977 x406

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