

Kearney Alfalfa and Forage Field Day

Friday, September 18, 2015

Kearney Agricultural Research and Extension Center, Parlier, CA

7:30 AM Registration

8:00 AM Tram leaves for Field Tour

- **Alfalfa Varieties** – Dan Putnam, Alfalfa and Forage Specialist, UC Davis
- **Forage and Grain Sorghum Evaluations** – Jeff Dahlberg, Director, Kearney Agricultural Research and Extension Center, Parlier, CA
- **Irrigation Management Research** – Bob Hutmacher, CE Specialist, Westside Research and Extension Center, Five Points, CA

9:15-9:45 Trams return to building for Break followed by classroom presentations

9:45 AM **Characterizing the Nitrogen Benefit of Alfalfa-Wheat Rotations** – Eric Lin, Graduate Student, Department of Plant Sciences, UC Davis

10:00 AM **Alfalfa Weed Control Research Update**– Kurt Hembree, Farm Advisor, UCCE, Fresno County

10:20 AM **How Much Water Does Alfalfa Really Need? What is ET?** – Daniele Zaccaria, LAWR, UC Davis

10:40 AM **Strategies for Managing Limited Water Supplies** – Blake Sanden, Farm Advisor, UCCE, Kern County

10:55 AM **Chlorpyrifos and IPM Workshop** – Lori Berger and Pete Goodell, Kearney Agricultural Research and Extension Center, Parlier, CA

12:30 PM **Lunch** and Insect ID Display

For additional information, contact Shannon Mueller at 559-241-7527 or scmueller@ucanr.edu



Our programs are open to all potential participants. Please contact the Fresno UCCE office (two weeks prior to the event) at 559-241-7515 if you have any barriers to participation requiring special accommodations.

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4.0 CCA credits (0.5 Soil&Water, 2 IPM, 1.5 Crop Mgt) have been approved.

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