



University of California Cooperative Extension

Vegetable Notes

Tulare and Kings Counties



Fresh Market Tomato Field Day and Barbecue

University of California Cooperative Extension & California Tomato Commission

DATE: Tuesday, August 7, 2001 **TIME:** 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
LOCATION: Off of Le Grand Road between Athlone and Plainsburg Roads in Merced County (see map). Follow the FIELD DAY signs.

AGENDA

10:00 **Fresh Market Tomato Variety Trial** - *Scott Stoddard, UCCE, Merced County*
11:00 **Le Grand Park - Displays by UC Researchers and Agencies**
12:00 **BBO LUNCH** Sponsored by the California Tomato Commission
1:00 **More Time to Visit Displays and Talk to Researchers**
2:00 **Adjourn**

DISPLAYS

Pest Management Strategic Plan - *John Le Boeuf, California Tomato Commission*
Breeding for Late Blight Resistance in Cultivated Tomato Using Resistant Wild Tomato -
Sylaine Coulibaly, Postdoctoral Researcher with Dina St. Clair, Vegetable Crops Dept., UC Davis
Irrigation Management With Limited Water Supply - *Tim Hartz, Vegetable Crops Specialist, UCD*
Tomato Disease Identification and Management - *Bob Mullen, Farm Advisor, San Joaquin County, & Brenna Aegerter, Postdoctoral Researcher, UC Davis*
Curly Top Virus Identification and Management - *Jim McLaughlin, Ag Pest Control Specialist, CDF, Fresno*
Weed Identification and Management - *Kurt Hembree, Farm Advisor, Fresno County*
Using Pheromone Traps to Monitor Noctuid Pests - *Mike Cahn, Farm Advisor, Sutter-Yuba Counties; Jesús Valencia, Farm Advisor, Stanislaus County; & Scott Stoddard*
Stinkbug Monitoring and Control in Tomatoes - *Rich Coviello, Farm Advisor, Fresno County*
Thrips: Investigating Their Role in Fruit Blemishes - *Michelle Le Strange, Farm Advisor, Tulare & Kings Counties, & Rich Coviello*
Reflective Mulches Affect Aphid and Virus Incidence - *Jim Stapleton & Charlie Summers, UC Kearney Agricultural Center*
Harvest and Postharvest Handling to Reduce Decay and Improve Quality & Postharvest Studies on Fresh Market Tomato Varieties - *Marita Cantwell, Vegetable Crops Postharvest Specialist, UC Davis*
Pesticide Safety and Compliance - *Gale Perez, UC IPM Project*
UC VRIC (Vegetable Research & Information Center) - *Kitty Schlosser, Program Representative*

Hope to see you there.

— Michelle Le Strange

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BBQ & Displays
Le Grand Park

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Continuing education hours requested.

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