



UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA COOPERATIVE EXTENSION
KINGS COUNTY
DAIRY NOTES



Kearney Alfalfa & Forage Field Day

9240 South Riverbend Avenue, Parlier CA

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 14, 2006

8:00 A.M. Registration

8:30 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. Meeting

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS REQUESTED

- 8:00 AM **Registration & Refreshments**
- 8:30 **Variety Tour Including Roundup-Ready Varieties & Crop ID Test Kits (Field),**
Dan Putnam, Forage Specialist, UC Davis
- 9:15 **Roundup-Ready Weed Control Results,**
Shannon Mueller and Carol Frate, UCCE Farm Advisors, Fresno and Tulare Counties
- 9:35 **Sclerotinia Update,**
Carol Frate, UCCE Farm Advisor, Tulare County
- 9:55 **Things That Go ‘Bump’ in the Corn Field: Pests and Non-Pests to Worry About,**
Charlie Summers, Entomologist, Kearney Agricultural Center
- 10:15 **BREAK**
- 10:30 **Tissue Sampling for Phosphorus Fertilization of Alfalfa,**
Jerry Schmierer, UCCE Farm Advisor, Colusa County
- 10:50 **Deficit Irrigation Studies with Alfalfa,**
Blake Sanden, UCCE Farm Advisor, Kern County
- 11:10 **What Grain Hays to Choose for Maximum Yield and to Manage Disease,**
Steve Wright, UCCE Farm Advisor, Tulare County
- 11:30 **Year Around IPM Calendar,**
Pete Goodell, UC IPM Advisor, Kearney Agricultural Center
- 11:50 **Questions and Announcements**
- 12:00 PM **Adjourn**

Field Meeting for Silage Corn Variety Trial
Tuesday, September 12, 2006
9:00 to 11:00 A.M.

The annual Silage Corn Field Trial in Tulare County will be on display from 9:00 to 11:00 am, on September 12, 2006. Come and see 15 varieties, one each from 15 different companies. An update on corn production issues will also be presented.

The trial is located north of Visalia. To get to the trial, turn west on Avenue 328 from Road 80. Turn north by the large white stand pipe just before the second dairy. There will be a sign. Continue north past the storage ponds on your left and past the first corn field north of the dairy. Turn west on the field road between the first and second fields.

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