



# Hay and Forage News



## Kearney Alfalfa & Forage Field Day

Wednesday, September 2, 2009

8 AM - Noon

1.2 hours of PCA and  
3 hours of CCA  
Continuing Education  
Credit Requested

7:30-8:00 AM **Registration and Refreshments**

8:00 **Variety Trial Tour** (*Tram available to visit field trial*) – Shannon Mueller, UCCE, Fresno County

9:15 **Welcome and UC Davis Update** – Neal Van Alfen, Dean, College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences, UC Davis

9:30 **Alfalfa Weed Control Update** – Kurt Hembree, UCCE, Fresno County

9:50 **Strategies for Producing Alfalfa under Deficit Irrigation** – Blaine Hanson, LAWR, UC Davis

10:10 **BREAK**

10:30 **Alfalfa and Switchgrass as Biofuels – What are the Possibilities?** - Dan Putnam, Alfalfa and Forage Specialist, UC Davis

10:50 **Reclamation and Nutrient Management using Biosolids Compost** – Blake Sanden, UCCE, Kern County

11:10 **Corn Stunt Update** – Charlie Summers and Carol Frate, Kearney Ag Center, Parlier

11:30 **Small Grain Variety Selection for Stripe Rust Management** - Steve Wright, UCCE, Tulare and Kings Counties

11:50 **Meeting Evaluation**

### Refreshments and other meeting expenses graciously supported by Valent

If seed, chemical, equipment, or other industry representatives want to provide literature for participants to pick up, there will be tables available at the back of the meeting room. For planning purposes, we've had 60-80 attendees in the past. *Availability of information about a company or product does not constitute a guarantee by the University of California or an endorsement over products from other companies not represented.*

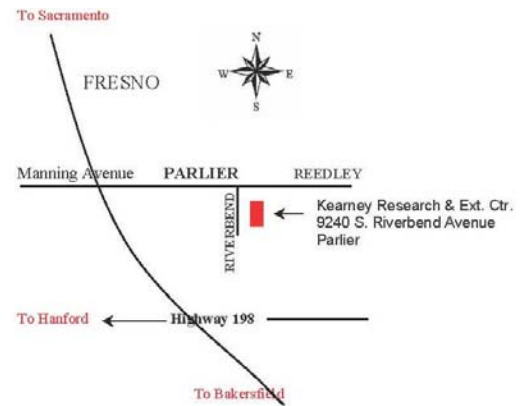
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### Driving instructions to Kearney Research & Extension Center

*From the North:* Take State Route 99 southbound. Exit State Route 99 at the Manning Avenue exit, and go east eight miles to Riverbend Avenue. Turn right on Riverbend, and continue one-quarter mile.

*From the South:* Take State Route 99 northbound. Exit State Route 99 at the Manning Avenue exit, and go east eight miles to Riverbend Avenue. Turn right on Riverbend, and continue one-quarter mile.



*Our programs are open to all potential participants. Please contact the Fresno County UCCE office two weeks prior to the Field Day, at (559) 456-7285, if you have any barriers requiring special accommodations.*