



Scouting & Modeling: Pre-Bloom Decision Making for Your Orchard

A Summer Series on Orchard Monitoring of the Pest Complex for Modeling and Management Decision Making

Friday March 8th 2019
2:00-5:00 pm
3357 Rt. 9W, Highland NY 12528

Join Entomologist Peter Jentsch & Plant Pathologist Dr. Srdan Acimovic in a 3-hour workshop focusing on monitoring the orchard pest complex, through the use of scouting tools and modeling techniques as it relates to pest management decision making of Hudson Valley pome fruit orchards.

This 1st of 3 workshops will emphasize the pre-bloom period of orchard pest management.

Agenda topics will cover:

- Pre-Bloom Pest Scouting
- Understanding RimPro and NEWA
- Using Models for Management

Registration begins at 1:30 PM. Course is free for current 2019 HVRL, Inc. members

Cost for non-members \$100.00

Call Erica Kane at 845-691-7151 to register for the workshop

Peter Jentsch & Dr. Srdan Acimovic, are Cornell University faculty in the Department of Entomology and Integrated Plant Science (Plant Pathology & Plant Microbe Biology) respectively, College of Ag. and Life Science stationed at the Hudson Valley Research Laboratory (HVRL) in Highland, NY.

As Extension Associates with research programming their focus in field efficacy screening studies of newly developed materials to manage the agricultural pest complex provides them a critical perspective on the effectiveness of timing applications of tools used for orchard management programs.

DEC Continuing Education Credits in 1A - Agricultural Plant categories available: 3 hr/day (upon DEC course approval).