2018 Central Coast Pepper Production Workshop

Wednesday, April 4, 2018
8:00 am – 12:45 pm
Old City Hall, 2nd Floor
7400 Monterey St, Gilroy, CA 95020

7:30-8:00  Registration
8:00-8:15  Welcome & Introductions  Aparna Gazula, Farm Advisor, UCCE Santa Clara County
8:15-8:45  IPM: Weed Management Updates  Richard Smith, Farm Advisor, UCCE Monterey County
8:45-9:00  IPM: Overview of Pepper Weevil Infestation in Santa Clara and San Benito Counties  Aparna Gazula, Farm Advisor, UCCE Santa Clara County
9:00-9:30  IPM: Pepper Weevil Management Research Updates  John Trumble, Distinguished Professor of Entomology, UC Riverside
9:30-10:00  IPM: Pepper Diseases: Updates on Concerns and Management  Steven T. Koike, Director, TriCal Diagnostics Hollister, California
10:00-10:30  IPM: Breeding for Pest Management
10:30-10:45  Break and Refreshments
10:45-11:15  Resource Management: Adapting the CropManage Irrigation and Nitrogen Management Decision Support Tool for Peppers  Michael Cahn, Farm Advisor, UCCE Monterey County
11:15-11:45  Resource Management: Management of Soil Amendments in Peppers  Cole Smith, Research Associate, UCCE Santa Clara County
11:45-12:45  Regulatory Update: Pesticide Handler Training, Record Keeping, Cal Ag Permits School Notification  Kristian Barbeau, Agricultural Biologist, Santa Clara County Agricultural Department
12:45  CEUs, CCAs, Adjourn

Applied for 4 CCAs and 3 Continuing Education Units

Online registration link: http://ucanr.edu/pepperworkshop
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