

80TH MAINE AGRICULTURAL TRADES SHOW



Board of Pesticides Control Pesticide Applicator Training Programs

January 19-21, 2021

TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 2021

UMaine Cooperative Extension/Maine Board of Pesticides Control Pesticide Applicator Recertification

(1 credit each hour)

- 8:00–9:00 BPC Annual Update—John Pietroski, Manager of Pesticide Programs, BPC
- 9:30–10:30 Can Crop Rotation be a Sustainable Pest & Disease Management Method?—Bee Chim, Asst. Professor of Sustainable Agriculture
- 11:00–12:00 Potato Diseases: Understanding Them and Their Control —Steve Johnson, UMCE Crop Specialist
- 1:00–2:00 2020 The Year of the Disinfectant: Risks Associated with Disinfecting for COVID-19—Pam Bryer, Toxicologist, BPC
- 2:30–3:30 Bt Corn Update—John Jemison, UMaine Extension Professor
- 4:00-5:00 Ag Container Rinsing & Recycling—Mark Hudson, Executive Director, Ag Container Recycling Council

THURSDAY, JANUARY 21, 2021

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- 8:00–9:00 Wild Blueberry Insects & Weeds—Philip Fanning & Lily Calderwood, UMCE
- 9:30–10:30 Wild Blueberry Diseases & Pollinators—Philip Fanning & Seanna Annis, UMCE
- 11:00–12:00 Maine Wasps—Jen Lund, Maine State Apiarist, DACF
- 1:00–2:00 Tree Threats: The New, the Bad, and the Ugly —Karen Coluzzi, DACF & Colleen Teerling, MFS

2 credits for attending entire program

- 2:30-5:00 Integrated Pest Management & Pesticide Options for Hemp—Mary Yurlina, Hemp Program Manager, DACF; Kathy Murray, IPM Entomologist, DACF; Mary Tomlinson, BPC Pesticide Registrar

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20, 2021

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(1 credit for each hour EXCEPT 1 credit for attending the entire BPC meeting and forum)

- 8:00–9:00 Pest Management Update for Berry Crops—David Handley, Vegetable & Small Fruit Specialist, UMCE
- 9:30–10:30 Respiratory Protection Requirements for WPS-Labeled Pesticides—Pat Hastings, Extension PSEP Coordinator for New Jersey
- 11:00–12:00 Weather & It's Effects on Pesticide Applications & Results—Ron Lemin, Jr. Vegetation Management Sales Consultant, Nutrien Solutions
- 1:00–2:00* Board of Pesticides Control Meeting
- 2:00–2:30* Open Forum for Growers, Applicators & the Public—BPC
- 2:30–4:00* BPC Meeting, continued

**One credit for attending entire meeting and forum*

Pre-registration is required to attend all courses.

The courses and links to register are listed on the [UMaine Extension webpage](#). Enter your email address and other info to register and you will be emailed a meeting link.

There is no fee for these courses. Seating is limited. Register now!

Note: To receive credit attendees must be present for the entire meeting. Anyone joining more than 10 minutes after a meeting has begun will not be able to receive credit.

Questions?

Contact us anytime at pesticides@maine.gov or call 287-2731 during normal business hours.