72nd Annual Lake Chelan Horticultural Meeting
January 15, 2018
Chelan High School
Co-sponsored by: WSU Extension & Chelan High School FFA
8:30 am Registration
9:00 am Opening

Fire Blight: Preventing Infection, Managing Fire Blight in Season in Young Trees Tianna DuPont, WSU Extension, TFREC

Cosmic Crisp™ Updates Kevin Brandt, Kathryn Grandy, Proprietary Variety Management

Woolly Apple Aphid Robert Orpet, WSU Entomology, TFREC

Native Stink Bug Management Adrian Marshall, Elizabeth Beers, WSU Entomology, TFREC

Identifying Common Weeds in WA Lynn Sosnoskie, WSU Weed Science, TFREC

Reducing Spray Drift and Improving Spray Efficacy Gwen Hoheisel, WSU Extension

Spotted Wing Drosophila Management Recommendations Elizabeth Beers, WSU Entomology, TFREC

And more.

Okanogan Horticultural Assc. Annual Meeting
February 6, 2018
Okanogan County Agriplex
Co-sponsored by: WSU Extension & Okanogan County Horticultural Association
8:30 am Registration
9:00 am Start

Grower Panel: Cropping Systems for High Quality Fruit

Cosmic Crisp™ Marketing and Frequently Asked Questions Tyler Brandt, Kathryn Grandy, Proprietary Variety Management

Managing WA 38 for High Quality Fruit Ines Hanrahan, Washington Tree Fruit Research Commission

Pear Psylla: Everything You Wanted to Know but were Afraid to Ask Louis Nottingham, WSU Entomology, TFREC

Fire Blight Questions and Answers Tianna DuPont, WSU Extension, TFREC

Apple Maggot Michael Klaus, Katie Buckley, WSDA

Apple Leaf Curl Midge Lindsay Hainstock, BC Tree Fruits Cooperative

And more.

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North Central Washington
Stone Fruit Day
January 16, 2018
Wenatchee Convention Center

North Central Washington
Pear Day
January 17, 2018
Wenatchee Convention Center

North Central Washington
Apple Day
January 18, 2018
Wenatchee Convention Center

And more.
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Stone Fruit Day
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Co-sponsored by NW Cherry Growers

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8:45 am  Opening

Record Crop, Record Challenges, Looking Back and Moving Forward
BJ Thurlby, James Michael, NW Cherries

Managing for Bigger High Quality Fruit
Matt Whiting, WSU Horticulture, Prosser

Grower Input on Research Priorities
Mike Willet, Washington Tree Fruit Research Commission

Managing for Bigger, High Quality Fruit: Grower Perspectives
TBA

Grower Experiences with Cherry Training Systems
Mark Hanrahan, Hanrahan Orchard Management. Tim Welsh, Columbia Fruit

Spotted Wing Drosophila & Cherry Fruit Fly
Elizabeth Beers, WSU Entomology, TFREC

Cherry Virus Update
Scott Harper, WSU Prosser; Hannah Walters, Stemilt Growers

Cherry Powdery Mildew Management Questions and Answers
Gary Grove, WSU Prosser

North Central Washington
Pear Day
January 17, 2018
Wenatchee Convention Center
Co-Sponsored by: Pear Bureau Northwest

8:15 am  Registration
8:45 am  Opening

Optimizing Pear Tree Physiology. Stefano Musacchi, WSU TFREC, Horticulture, TFREC

Handling Trees at Planting for Medium Density Demonstration. Stefano Musacchi, WSU Horticulture, TFREC

Novel Avenues for Increasing Pear Consumption. Amit Dhingra, WSU Horticulture

Farm Bill Update Jon Devaney, WSTFA

Tree Survey, Marketing, and Consumer Statistics. Kevin Moffitt, President Pear Bureau NW

Conserving Natural Enemies in Pear Orchards: A Basis for Pear IPM Chris Strohm, WSU Extension, TFREC

Choosing the Right Tools for Successful Pear IPM Louis Nottingham, WSU Entomology, TFREC

Perennial Weed Control Lynn Sosnoskie, WSU Weed Science, TFREC

Fire Blight Trends, Future Predictions, Common Questions, New Products Ken Johnson, OSU

North Central Washington
Apple Day
January 18, 2018
Wenatchee Convention Center
Co-Sponsored by: North Central Fieldmen’s Association.

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8:45 am  Opening

Session I: Managing Tree Stress in a Decade of Hot Summers and Wide Extremes

Using Mulches and Soil Quality to Buffer Environmental Stress: A Review David Granatstein, WSU CSANR

Can Deficit Irrigation Be Used as a Tool to Improve Fruit Quality in Honeycrisp? Lee Kalcits, Michelle Reid, WSU Horticulture, TFREC

Adoption of Protective Netting in WA Apple Production
Giverson Mupambi, Lee Kalcits, WSU Horticulture, TFREC

Session II: Pest and Disease Management

Woolly Apple Aphid Robert Orpet, WSU Entomology, TFREC

Codling Moth Vince Jones, WSU Entomology, TFREC

Managing Fire Blight in Young Trees Ken Johnson, OSU

Update on Powdery Mildew Control Achour Amiri, WSU Plant Pathology, TFREC

Factors Affecting Glyphosate Efficacy Lynn Sosnoskie, WSU Weed Science, TFREC

Perennial Weed Control
Lynn Sosnoskie, WSU Weed Science, TFREC

Grower Panel- Experiences in Managing Bitter Pit