Nutrient Applicator Voucher Training and Renewal

Part of Maryland’s Nutrient Management regulations requires farmers to have a Nutrient Applicators Voucher if they apply nutrients (such as fertilizer, manure or compost) to 10 acres or more. The University of Maryland Extension office is offering both training for people who need a new voucher and training for people who need to renew their voucher. Both sessions will be at the Baltimore County, University of Maryland Extension office; 1114 Shawan Road, Cockeysville (the Ag Center). There is no cost for the training session. The Voucher is good for a 3 year period.

The training for a NEW voucher

When: December 16, 2013 at 12:30 pm to 3:30 pm

The training for Voucher RENEWAL

When: December 16, 2013 at 1:00 pm to 3:30 pm

So that we can make the final arrangements we ask that you register for the training program. To register, get more program information, or to let us know of special needs please contact the Extension office at 410-771-1761.

Upcoming Program Dates to Note

Jan. 20
Farm Management Classes for Women
at the Baltimore County Ag Center from 6–9pm. The cost is $75.

Jan. 29
Starting a Small, Intensive Commercial Farm for Local Markets
Classes will begin on Jan. 29th and run through Mar. 26th every week from 6:30 pm – 9:00 pm at the BC Ag Center, 1114 Shawan Road, Cockeysville, MD.

Jan. 24
Vegetable Growers Meeting
Commercial Vegetable Growers are invited to the 2014 Central Maryland Vegetable Growers Meeting which will be held this year at Friendly Farms Restaurant from 8:15 am - 3:20 pm.
Attention all producers of corn, soybeans, small grains and hay you are invited to attend the 2013 Northern Maryland Field Crops Day Meeting on Thursday, December 5, 2013.

**Presentation topics:**

- Cultural and Chemical Weed Control
- Critical Issues Update- NRCS & SCD
- Risk Management Issues with Crop Insurance
- New Yield Improvement Products
- Nutrient Voucher and Plan Implementation Update
- Palmer Amaranth: a New Weed
- The Old and New of Open Pollinated Corn
- Key USDA Farm Service Agency Update
- Pesticide Regulation Updates

**Location:** Friendly Farm Restaurant

17434 Foreston Rd. Upperco, Md 21155
located about 5 miles west of I-83 via Mt. Carmel Rd. and right onto Foreston Rd.

**Time:**

8:15 a.m. - to visit commercial exhibits and refreshments
9:00 a.m. - 3:20 p.m. — Presentations topics

**Cost:**

$15.00 if you pre-register, or $25.00 at the door, includes an-all-you-can-eat lunch

This meeting serves as Recertification for Maryland private pesticide applicators and offers recertification credits for Pennsylvania recertification. In addition, producers can attend specific presentations to also renew their Maryland nutrient applicator's voucher.

You can register to attend or get more information by calling the Baltimore County Office of the University of Maryland Extension at 410-771-1761.

Or you can sign up on Event Brite at www.eventbrite.com/event/9202582171

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