

## 2012 In Orchard Meetings



March 14<sup>th</sup> Grafting Workshop  
**Madison Extension Office**, War Memorial Building, **10 a.m. to 12 noon**



April 4<sup>th</sup> In Orchard Meeting  
**James Jenkins**, Jenkins Orchard, Woodville  
From Rt. 231, turn right on to Rt. 621, go about 2 miles. The orchard is on the left by the packing shed.



April 25<sup>th</sup> In Orchard Meeting  
**Williams Orchard**, Tommy and Eddie Williams, Flint Hill  
Rt. 211 east to Ben Venue. At the crossroads, turn north on to Rt. 729 and go approximately 2½ miles. Orchard is on the left.



May 9<sup>th</sup> In Orchard Meeting  
**Lee's Orchard**, Bryant Lee  
Located near the intersection of Rt. 522 and Rt. 211 at Massies' Corner, packing shed on west bound lane at Rt. 211/522



May 23<sup>th</sup> In Orchard Meeting  
**Sunnyside Organic Orchard**, Emily Cook mgr., Washington  
Sunnyside Farms is located in "Harris Hollow"  
From Washington, VA: west on Rt. 622 for ~ 1.5 miles, then right onto Rt. 624 for about 1 mile.



June 13<sup>th</sup> In Orchard Meeting  
**Stribling Orchard**, Robert Stribling, Markham  
From Flint Hill: Rt. 522 N, turn right on Rt. 635, turn N/left on Rt. 688, located near the intersection of Rt. 688 and Rt. 55 in Markham



July 18<sup>th</sup> Graves Mountain Farm  
**Graves' Mountain Farm**, Jimmy Graves, Syria  
Rt. 231 to Rt. 670, meet at the picnic shelter on left just past Syria.

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TO: Rappahannock-Fauquier-Madison Fruit Growers

The Rappahannock Extension Office invites each of you to attend a series of in-orchard meetings scheduled from April through July. These meetings will be held in orchards located in Rappahannock, Fauquier, and Madison Counties.

We will meet at the host orchard at 11:00 a.m. for a tour of the orchard, followed by a discussion of current insect and disease control recommendations, and other orchard management practices. Virginia Tech fruit specialists from the Alson H. Smith Jr. Agricultural Research and Extension Center will be present to address specific production topics. We encourage you to bring samples of insects, diseased foliage or scaffolds for treatment recommendations. After the orchard tour we will have a bagged lunch (bring your own); drinks will be furnished by the host orchardist. We will adjourn around 2:00 p.m. A schedule of meeting locations and directions to the orchards are listed on the back of this letter.

Please call the Extension Office at 540-675-3619 to register for these programs.

Sincerely,

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*If you are a person with a disability and desire any assistive devices, services or other accommodations to participate in these activities, please contact Kenner Love at 540-675-3619 from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. to discuss accommodations five days prior to the event.*