

2019 TRI-STATE GREENHOUSE IPM WORKSHOP

Stop Tooling Around With Your Pest Management Strategies

*Longfellow's Greenhouses - Manchester, Maine
January 8, 2019*

- 8:30 - 9:00 **Registration & Coffee** ~ Cheryl Frank Sullivan – *Univ. of Vermont*
- 9:00 - 9:15 **Welcome and Introductions**
~Margaret Skinner – *Univ. of Vermont*
- 9:15 - 10:30 **What Are You Expecting From New Pesticide Chemistries?** Choosing, newer, lower impact chemicals that are compatible with biological control.
~Juang-Horng Chong - *Clemson University*
- 10:30 - 10:45 **Coffee Break**
- 10:45 - 11:15 **Disease Discussions** – Learn about the newest threats and review common pathogens affecting your plants
~ Cheryl Smith - *Univ. of NH* & Alicyn Smart - *UMaine*
- 11:15 - 11:45 **Insect ID Tools to Increase Scouting Success** - Nifty gadgets to identify key pests & determine if your pest management program is working.
~Anna Wallingford – *Univ. of NH*
- 11:45-12:15 **Lunch**
- 12:15 - 1:30 **Grower to Grower Session**
- 1:30 - 1:55 * **Hands on Demos: Which Plant Pathogen are You?** * A "personality quiz" to create awareness about common greenhouse plant pathogens.
~Alicyn Smart - *Univ. of Maine*
~Cheryl Smith - *Univ. of NH*
- 1:55 - 2:20 * **Hands on Demos: Natural Enemies & Pests** * Test out gadgets to view pest & natural enemy specimens.
~Anna Wallingford – *Univ. of NH*
~Margaret Skinner & Cheryl Frank Sullivan – *Univ. of Vermont*
- 2:20 - 2:45 * **Hands on Demos: Nutrient Management Refresher** * Refine your skills on properly using and calibrating different meters used for soil testing.
~ Matthew Wallhead – *Univ. of Maine*
- 2:45 - 3:30 **What's New for Greenhouse IPM in Our Region?** 'Hemp , Emerald Ash Borer in Maine, Board of Pesticides Control Update'
~ Kathy Murray, Gary Fish, Sarah Scally & Carole Neal - *ME Dept. of Ag., Cons. & Forestry*
~ Alicyn Smart & Matt Wallhead - *Univ. of Maine*

* Concurrent group sessions

5 Credits Awarded