COMMERCIAL PESTICIDE APPLICATOR MEETING
for Field and Forages

Updates on agricultural crops, pest management, and pesticide safety

MARCH 25, 2021

VIRTUAL VIA ZOOM

9AM-1:30PM

Meeting is FREE but you must Pre-Register at:
http://go.uvm.edu/compestmtg

⇒ DEADLINE MARCH 23rd

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

*Those seeking NY pesticide credit must submit a copy of their applicator ID to sarah.kingsley@uvm.edu by March 23, 2021 and 8:50 check-in for roll call.

This program will provide four (4) Vermont & three point seven five (3.75) New York* pesticide recertification credits

In order to receive credits, you must log in individually, with your pesticide applicator’s license number (entered at registration). You will also have to log in by 8:50am, stay logged in for the duration of the meeting, and answer the poll questions that come up during and at the end of the meeting. If you are watching with someone else and both want credit, you will need to each have a device logged in and answer the poll questions separately.

To request a disability related accommodation to participate in this program, please contact Sarah Kingsley-Richards at sarah.kingsley@uvm.edu (802) 656-0475 by February 25, 2021 so we may assist you.
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8:50am Check-in (required for pesticide credits)

9:00 Introduction
Sarah Kingsley-Richards, University of Vermont PSEP

9:05 Update of Federal Regulations affecting Commercial Applicators
Doug Johnstone, Vermont Agency of Agriculture

9:35 Legislative Update (including Vermont Pesticide Advisory Committee)
Cary Giguere and Kanika Gandhi, Vermont Agency of Agriculture

10:05 Adjuvants, and effect of pH value/water quality on pesticide effectiveness
Kerry Richards, University of Delaware Pesticide Safety Education Program

11:15 Dicamba soybeans: regulatory status update on auxin herbicides and overview of the Xtendimax training programs
Jeff Phillips and Kimberly O’Brien, Bayer Crop Science

12:30 Field diagnosis of diseases and pests
Ann L. Hazelrigg, University of Vermont Plant Diagnostic Clinic

1:30pm Adjourn

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