

2023 Drainage Research Forum

July 20-21, 2023
UMN NW Research & Outreach Center
Crookston, MN

Thursday, July 20 Agenda – Field Visits

Time	Site Description & Location	Presenter
12:30pm	***Registration/Check-in, Box Lunch & Load up*** ***LOCATION: NWROC Parking Lot***	Extension Team
1:00	Field site #1: Drainage spacing & Disease Trial study *Corner of Hwy 2 and Hwy 75* *Google Maps Link* *https://goo.gl/maps/DjFhscYHNhtJc7si6*	**Lindsay Pease** *University of Minnesota*
2:00	Field site #2: Field-Scale Drainage Research *Fisher Ave* *Google Maps Link* *https://goo.gl/maps/7fkLYeXU6LKdvLkUA*	**Lindsay Pease** *University of Minnesota*
3:00	Field site #3: On-Farm Drainage Gentilly, MN	**Tim Dufault** *Farmer*
4:00	Field site #4: On-Farm Drainage and Irrigation Mentor, MN	**John Swanson** *Farmer*
5:00 pm	***Adjourn***	

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Friday, July 21 Agenda – Research Presentations

Time	Topic	Presenter
9:00am	***Check-in & Refreshments***	
9:20	***Welcome***	*Extension Team*
9:30	Alternative practice delivery methods to accelerate adoption	**Keegan Kult** *ADMC*
10:00	Controlled Drainage and Saturated Buffer Performance in NW Minnesota	**Jeppe Kjaersgaard** *MN Dept of Ag*
10:30	***Discussion and Refreshments***	
11:00	Designing drainage systems with storage and wetlands: meeting both social and economic demands	**Chuck Brandel** *ISG*
11:30	Drainage Research Update from Manitoba, Canada	**David Lobb** *University of Minnesota*
12:00pm	***Lunch & Water Management in Cultivated Wild Rice Systems***	**Peter Imle** MN Wild Rice Council
1:00	Woody shreds: How bad are they for bioreactors?	**Laura Christianson** *University of Illinois*
1:30	Crop Response to Drain Spacing in Northwest Minnesota	**Jeff Strock** *University of Minnesota*
2:00	***Discussion and Refreshments***	
2:30	Water Quality Implications of Drainage in the Edge of the Cornbelt	**Maryam Sahraei** *South Dakota State University*
3:00	Subsurface drainage performance – from the soil physics perspective	**Xinhua Jia** *USDA-ARS*
3:30	***Discussion & Wrap-up***	
3:45	***Adjourn – safe travels home!***	

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