

Sacramento Valley Prune News

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**New
Location!**

Annual UCCE South Sacramento Valley Prune Meeting

February 27, 2024

8:00 AM – 12:00 PM followed by hosted lunch



Thanks to CA Prune Board--

Please **RSVP** for lunch count

Sutter Co Ag Department Meeting Room, 142 Garden Hwy, Yuba City

2.0 hours PCA CE requested (0.5 L&R; 1.5 Other)

3.5 hours CCA CE requested (1.5 PM, 0.5 S&WM, 0.5 CM, 0.5 NM, 0.5 PD)

- 7:30 AM **Registration & Coffee and Refreshments.**
- 8:00 AM **Prune IPM Review: Past and Future**
Franz Niederholzer, UCCE Advisor, Colusa/Sutter/Yuba Counties
- 8:30 AM **New approaches to prune thinning.**
Jaime Ott, UCCE Orchard Sys Advisor, Tehama/Glenn/Butte Counties
Becky Wheeler-Dykes, UCCE Orchard Systems Advisor, Glenn/Tehama/Colusa Counties
Franz Niederholzer, UCCE Orchard Systems Advisor, Colusa/Sutter/Yuba Counties
- 9:00 AM **Prune grower regulatory update.**
Matt Bozzo, Yuba Co Ag Comm Office
Sean Nelson, Sutter Co Ag Comm Office
- 9:30 AM **Break**
- 9:45 AM **California Prune Board update**
Donn Zea and Kiaran Locy, California Prune Board California Prune Board Activities
- 10:15 AM **Managing fleabane and other problem weeds in prune orchards.**
Brad Hanson, UC Extension Specialist, UC Davis
- 11:00 AM **How to utilize the weekly ET report for better irrigation of prune.**
Luke Milliron, UCCE Orchard Systems Advisor, Butte/Glenn/Tehama Counties
- 11:30 AM **Potassium and prune nutrition/fertility**
Franz Niederholzer, UCCE Orchard Systems Advisor, Colusa/Sutter/Yuba Counties
- 12:00 PM **Hosted Lunch (Thank you, CPB!)**

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