



January, 2011

*Vegetable Seed Winter Meetings*

**2011 CBVSA Annual Meeting – January 13<sup>th</sup>**

Mark your calendars... The 2011 Columbia Basin Vegetable Seed Growers Association Annual Meeting will take place on Thursday, January 13, 2011 at the Moses Lake Event Center (at 1475 Nelson Road NE). See the back of this page for more information.

**2011 Winter Vegetable Seed Field Representatives Meeting – January 13<sup>th</sup>**

All seed company field representatives are encouraged to attend the CBVSFRA Winter Meeting. This meeting will take place immediately after the CBVSA Annual Meeting (at 2:00 pm) on January 13, 2011 at the Moses Lake Event Center. *There will be an important discussion about changes to the seed pinning services provided by the WSU Grant-Adams Extension office.*

**Special Local Needs Labels for Washington Vegetable Seed Crops**

If you are looking for special local needs (Section 24c) information for vegetable seed crops, you can go to the website at <https://sharepoint.cahnrs.wsu.edu/WSPRS/24c18s/default.aspx>. When you visit this website, the side bar on the left allows you to select lists of SNLs in Washington and/or Oregon. If you click on the "Washington SLN List" you can find all of the SNLs currently available. I like to narrow the search for labels by 1) clicking on the "View: SNL Number" arrow on the right side of the page, and selecting "All Items" on the drop down menu; 2) then I scroll across the page to "CROP", click the arrow, and select the crop I am interested in. The information on this website is provided through a cooperative effort between WSU and the WSDA. The pages are updated regularly as new information becomes available. The Section 24c labels posted on the website have been approved by WSDA but are NOT valid substitutions for labels issued at the point of purchase. The web labels are for informational purposes only. It is important to remember that valid Section 24c labels must be in the possession of the user at the time of application and are only valid for the time period specified on the label.

Best Wishes for the New Year!



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# Columbia Basin Vegetable Seed Association

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## **Columbia Basin Vegetable Seed Association Annual Meeting** **Thursday, January 13, 2011** **at the Moses Lake Event Center (1475 Nelson Road NE)**

Driving Directions: From Hwy 17 in Moses Lake, turn (east) onto Nelson Rd, go past the feed store entrance, the second right is the entrance to the Event Center complex.

- 8:30 am      **Registration and Refreshments**
- 8:50          **President's Welcome**  
Scott Schwab, CBVSA President
- 9:00          **Hybrid Onion Seed Yield: Relationships with Honey Bee Visits and Insecticide Applications in the Sacramento Valley**  
Rachael Long, University of California Cooperative Extension
- 9:30          **Impact of Planting Date and First Irrigation Timing on Onion Seed Production**  
Collyn Larson, University of Idaho, Parma Research & Extension Center
- 10:00        **BREAK**
- 10:15        **Management of Fusarium Wilt in Radish Seed Crops**  
Mike Derie, Washington State University, Mount Vernon Research & Extension Center
- 10:30        **Establishment and Winter Survival of Carrot Grown for Seed in Central Oregon**  
Rich Affeldt, Oregon State University, Central Oregon Agricultural Research Center
- 11:00        **Washington Friends of Farms & Forests Update**  
Kammeron Todd, WFFF, Olympia, WA
- 11:30        **CBVSA Business Meeting, Election of Officers, and Announcements**
- NOON        **LUNCH... Hosted by the CBVSA**
- 1:00 pm     **Honey Bee Update**  
Eric and Sue Olson, Olson's Honey, Yakima, WA
- 1:15        **WSU Honey Bee Research: from Colony Health to Genetic Improvement**  
Steve Sheppard, Washington State University, Pullman, WA
- 1:45        **Pesticide Label Review and Liability Waiver Signup**  
John Shipley, Seminis Vegetable Seed, Warden, WA
- 2:00        **CBVSA Annual Meeting Adjourns**

*WSDA recertification credits (2.5) and CEUs for CCAs (PM=1, CM=2.5) have been applied for.*