

2019 NYS DRY BEAN MEETING AND VARIETY EVALUATION

March 15, 2019 | 8:30 AM to 12:30 PM

Cornell AgriTech at the New York State Agricultural Experiment Station

Food Research Lab Conference Room

665 W. North St.

Geneva, NY 14456

Agenda

Welcome – *Julie Kikkert, CCE Cornell Vegetable Program*

Overview of the 2018 growing season and market update – *Jerry Jones, NY Bean, Caledonia, NY and Matt Stawowy, Steele & Co., Sterling, MI*

Determine the magnitude and distribution of Western Bean Cutworm, and the risk to dry beans, in the major production area in New York - *Marion Zuefle, NYS IPM Program*

Towards a durable management strategy for white mold in dry beans in NY Part II – *Sarah Pethybridge, Cornell*

Breeding, evaluation and development of dry bean varieties that are highly adapted to NYS growing environments and markets – *Phillip Griffiths, Cornell*

Comparison of new and standard dry bean varieties at NYSAES Research Farm – *Jim Ballerstein, Cornell*

Cool school food: encouraging the use of dry beans in school lunches, and promoting the health aspects of dry bean consumption – *Amie Hamlin, NY Coalition for Healthy School Food.*

Report on the NYS Dry Bean Endowment for dry bean research – *Jennifer Scaglia and Shelly Vaccaro, Cornell* and the **NYS Dry Bean Industry Advisory Committee Meeting** – *Jerry Jones, NY Bean, Chair*

Variety Trial Evaluation and Lunch at the Raw Products Building – *Jim Ballerstein, Cornell.*

At 10:30 am, we will walk across the street to the Raw Products Building to view the trial and have lunch. The trial features 56 dry bean cultivars (9 dark red kidney, 11 light red kidney, 3 white kidneys, 10 cranberries, 14 blacks, 4 pintos, 2 navy and 3 small reds) that were canned by Furmano Foods and will be on display for taste and visual appearance. Evaluation forms will be available.

Space is limited and pre-registration is required by March 12th. Cost is \$10 per person and includes lunch. For more information and to register on-line by credit card, Go to Events at:

<http://cvp.cce.cornell.edu>. Or, call Julie Kikkert at 585-394-3977 x404 to reserve a spot and pay with cash or check at the door.

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