



Blueberry 1.0
Tuesday April 2nd, 2018
Falcon's Blueberries, Simcoe, ON

Agenda

8:30	refreshments, welcome, introduction- BGO	
9:00	Blueberry Physiology 1.0	<i>Erica Pate, OMAFRA (tentative)</i> (growth cycle/ flower bud initiation, pollination, planting density, plant establishment)
9:30	Blueberry Site Selection	Dr. Gary Pavlis, Rutgers University
10:00	Considerations for choosing a variety	Ontario grower (tentative)
10:15	Break	
10:30	Weed Management	Kristen Obeid, OMAFRA
11:00	Fertilizing tips for blueberries	Dr. Gary Pavlis, Rutgers University
11:30	Marketing your blueberry crop	Kevin Schooley, BGO
12:00	Lunch	
12:45	Key blueberry pests and how to manage them	Erica Pate, OMAFRA
1:30	In-field blueberry pruning and field visit	Dr. Gary Pavlis, Rutgers University
2:30	Sprayer calibration and crop adapted spraying for blueberry growers	Jason Deveau, OMAFRA
3:30	Discussion and Adjourn	

Registration: \$75 for members

Contact the Berry Growers of Ontario for a registration form
info@ontarioberries.com or 905-735-5379
Pre-registration required.