2020 Pest Management Tour

The 2020 MSU Pest Management Tour is a last chance opportunity for private applicators in PAT District 3 (Northcentral Montana) to obtain recertification credits before the December 31, 2020 private applicator expiration date. Three credits will be offered for each session (Session 1 or 2). Attendees may attend both sessions to accumulate six recertification credits. Onsite programming will be offered at county locations on October 6th and 8th, while a webinar will be offered to individuals at home on October 9th. Commercial and government applicator credits will also be offered.

Tuesday October 6th

Cascade County: Great Falls, MT, MT Expo Park, Family Living Center
Lunch not provided. No fee.
Contact and RSVP: Rose Malisani, Cascade county MSU Extension Agent
Pre-register by October 4th by phone/email: (406)454-6980; rose.malisani@montana.edu

Chouteau County: Fort Benton, MT, Ag Center, 1205 20th Street
Lunch not provided. No fee.
Contact and RSVP: Tyler Lane, Chouteau County MSU Extension Agent
Pre-register by October 4th by phone/email: (406) 622-3751; tyler.lane@montana.edu

Liberty County: Chester, MT, Savior’s Lutheran Church, 10 E. Madison Ave.
Lunch not provided. No fee.
Contact and RSVP: Jesse Fulbright, Liberty County MSU Extension Agent
Pre-register by October 4th by phone/email: (406) 759-5625; jlf@montana.edu

Blaine County: Harlem, MT, Harlem VFW, 530 Central Ave. W.
Lunch provided. $10 fee.
Contact and RSVP: Juli Snedigar, Blaine County MSU Extension Agent
Pre-register by October 4th by phone/email: (406) 357-3200; julianne.snedigar@montana.edu

Hill County: Havre, MT, Fairgrounds, 4-H Chuckwagon Building
Lunch not provided. No fee.
Contact and RSVP: Tom Allen, Hill County MSU Extension Agent
Pre-register by October 4th by phone/email: (406) 265-5481; allen@montana.edu

Pondera County: Conrad, MT, Conrad Moose Lodge, 617 S. Main St.
Lunch provided. No fee.
Contact and RSVP: Adriane Good, Pondera County MSU Extension Agent
Pre-register by October 4th by phone/email: (406) 271-4053, adriane.good@montana.edu

Teton County: Choteau, MT, Stage Stop Inn, 1005 Main Ave. N.
Lunch not provided. No fee.
Contact and RSVP: Teton County Extension Office
Pre-register by October 4th by phone/email: (406) 466-2492, teton@montana.edu
Session 1: AM

8:55   Introduction  
       Dr. Cecil Tharp, MSU Extension Pesticide Education Specialist

9:00   Managing Weeds with Pulses in your Rotation  
       Dr. Timothy Seipel, MSU Extension Crop Weed Specialist

9:55   Managing Leafy Spurge  
       Dr. Jane Mangold, MSU Extension Invasive Plant Specialist

10:50  Break

11:05  Plant Disease Update  
       Dr. Mary Burrows, MSU Extension Plant Pathologist

12:00 PM  Session adjourned. Survey Instructions. Lunch break. Local Coordinators

Session 2: PM

1:00   Alfalfa Weevil Management  
       Dr. Cecil Tharp, MSU Extension Pesticide Education Specialist

1:55   Managing Richardson’s Ground Squirrels, Voles and Pocket Gophers  
       Stephen Vantassel, MDA Vertebrate Pest Specialist

2:50   Break

3:05   Identifying Drift and Mitigation Strategies  
       Amy Bowser, MSU Extension Pesticide Education Technician

4:00   Closing Remarks & Survey Instructions  
       Local Coordinators

4:05   Session Adjourned
Agenda: Thursday, October 8th

**Pondera County: Conrad, MT, Conrad Moose Lodge, 617 S. Main St.**
Lunch provided. No fee.
Contact and RSVP: Adriane Good, Pondera County MSU Extension Agent
Pre-register by October 4th by phone/email: (406) 271-4053, adriane.good@montana.edu

**Glacier County: Cut Bank, MT, Glacier County Extension, 1210 E. Main**
Lunch provided. No fee.
Contact and RSVP: Kari Lewis, Glacier County MSU Extension Agent
Pre-register by October 4th by phone/email: (406) 873-2239; kari.lewis2@montana.edu

**Session 1: PM**

2:30 Introduction
   Dr. Cecil Tharp, MSU Extension Pesticide Education Specialist

2:35 Diagnosing Non-Target Herbicide Injury
   Dr. Timothy Seipel, MSU Extension Crop Weed Specialist

3:30 Managing Leafy Spurge
   Dr. Jane Mangold, MSU Extension Invasive Plant Specialist

4:25 Break

4:40 Plant Disease Update
   Dr. Mary Burrows, MSU Extension Plant Pathologist

5:35 PM Session adjourned. Survey Instructions.
   Local Coordinators

**Session 2: Evening**

6:05 Alfalfa Weevil Management
   Dr. Cecil Tharp, MSU Extension Pesticide Education Specialist

7:00 Managing Richardson’s Ground Squirrels, Voles and Pocket Gophers
   Stephen Vantassel, MDA Vertebrate Pest Specialist

7:55 Break

8:10 Identifying Drift and Mitigation Strategies
   Amy Bowser, MSU Extension Pesticide Education Technician

9:05 Closing Remarks & Survey
   Local Coordinators

9:15 Evening Session Adjourned
Delivered to Individuals Online
No Fee
Contact and RSVP: Amy Bowser, MSU Extension Pesticide Education Technician
Pre-register by October 6th by phone/email: (406) 994-5178, amy.bowser@montana.edu or register online at http://www.pesticides.montana.edu/events/2020PMT.html. Must post attendance randomly when asked (at least twice per hour). Instructions for accessing the training will be emailed one week in advance of the training and will be posted online. Drivers can be downloaded at WebEx.

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