

2022 North San Joaquin Valley Almond Day

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Tuesday, February 8, 2022. 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon

Modesto Centre Plaza

1150 9th Street, Modesto

1.5 Hours of Continuing Education Credit pending

3.5 Hours of CCA hours pending

- 7:30 **Registration opens**
- 8:25 **Welcome**
Roger Duncan, UC Cooperative Extension, Stanislaus County
- 8:30 – 8:55 **Nitrogen recommendations in almond following whole orchard recycling**
Brent Holtz, UC Cooperative Extension, San Joaquin County
- 8:55-9:25 **Management of Band Canker**
Themis Michailides, Plant Pathology Specialist, UC Kearney Ag Center
- 9:25-9:50 **Water Management Strategies in a Drought Year**
Mae Culumber, UC Cooperative Extension Farm Advisor, Fresno County
- 9:50-10:10 **Brown Spots on Almonds; Major Causes and Mitigation Measures**
Jhalendra Rijal, UC Cooperative Extension, Stanislaus, San Joaquin & Merced Counties
- 10:10-10:30 Break
- Moderator second session**
Brent Holtz
- 10:30–11:00 **An Overview of Almond Research Projects at the Nickels Estate in Arbuckle**
Franz Niederholzer, UCCE Farm Advisor, Sutter, Yuba & Colusa Counties
- 11:00 – 11:30 **Phytophthora Management in Almond Orchards**
Greg Browne, USDA Agricultural Research Service
- 11:30-12:00 **Update on Local Almond Field Trials**
 - **Regional Almond Variety Trials**
 - **Final Results of Mechanical Topping Trial – thru 6th leaf**
Roger Duncan, Farm Advisor, UC Cooperative Extension, Stanislaus County