

Pre-Harvest Tour

Wednesday, June 1, 2005



- Stop #1** **Orchard View Farms, 4055 Skyline Rd.**
8:00 a.m. Coffee and Donuts courtesy of G.S. Long
8:15 a.m. Chelan and Gibraltar: Growth habit and fruit quality
 Low Impact Harvest: Bin picking on a large scale
 Natures Choice and EuropeGap certification
- Stop #2** **Dave Meyer Orchard, 3755 Skyline Rd.**
 Central Leader Lapins on Gisela 6 and 12
 Central Leader Lapins on Krymsk 5 and 6
- Stop #3** **John Carter Point Block**
 Straw mulch around trees
 Demo of straw chopper
 Compost Teas (Shepard Smith, Consultant)
- Stop #4** **Mel Omeg Copper Block**
 Combined drip/micro sprinkler irrigation system
 Irrigation monitoring (Jac La Roux, Consultant)
 Irrigation/ground cover trial (Dr. Frank Yin, OSU MCAREC)
 Central leader Regina on Gisela 6
- Stop #5** **Dave Cooper Orchard, 2270 Dry Hollow Road**
 No host lunch catered by Casa El Mirador (\$8.00)
 Update on Exotic Borer Beetles infestation by ODA representative
 OCDC, La Clinica reports
 Wasco County Fruit & Produce League Report
 OSCC Report
 Crop Estimate