

2019 Summer Field Day

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

9:30am - 11:00am	Public invited to view Yamhill & Jefferson varieties of orchards and ask the growers any questions
	LOCATION #1: Helmut Hooge 5398 Sumas Prairie Road, Greendale, BC
	LOCATION #2: Walter Esau 46978 Prairie Central Road, Chilliwack, BC
11:00am - 4:00pm	LOCATION #3: Fraser Valley Hazelnuts 6678 Sumas Prairie Road, Chilliwack, BC
11:00am	Meet and greet
11:15am	Welcome by Neal TeBrinke President of BC Hazelnut Growers Association Welcome by Steve Hope Fraser Valley Hazelnuts
11:30am - 12:30pm	BBQ chicken lunch - by donation
12:30 - 1:30pm	Nik Wiman, Oregon State University
1:30 - 1:45pm	Karina Sakalauskas, BC Ministry of Agriculture - Update on the Hazelnut Renewal Program
1:45 - 2:15pm	Thom O'Dell - Characteristics of Hazelnut varieties resistant to Eastern Filbert Blight
2:15 - 2:45pm	Rick deJong Agro-K Corporation - The importance of SAP testing
2:45 - 3:00pm	Fraser Valley Hazelnuts - Market assessment, and market demand for Hazelnuts
3:00 - 4:00pm	Steps on starting a hazelnut orchard. Panel discussion with Rick deJong and board of directors. Facilitator Neal teBrinke
4:00pm	Prize draw

