

**2000 New Holland Vegetable Day
January 17, 2000**

Yoder's Restaurant
Sponsored by ELANCO School District and Penn State
Cooperative Extension

9:00-9:30 A.M. Registration, Coffee and Donuts courtesy of Keystone Farm Credit
9:30-9:45 Welcome, Introductions and Orientation to the program
9:45-10:30 Concurrent sessions

*Vegetable Transplant Production
Growers Only Farmer's Market
*Disease and Insect Management in
Field Grown Cut Flowers

Dave Miller, Grower
Grower's Panel
Alan Michael, Rob Berghage PSU

10:30-11:15 Concurrent Sessions

*Admire and other new insecticides
*Double Cropping Strawberries and Pumpkins
*Greenhouse Disease Control

Dr. Shelby Fleischer PSU
Dr. Bob Rouse WREC U of MD
Alan Michael Dr. Rob Berghage PSU

11:15-12:00 General Session
*Vegetable Disease Control

Dr. Alan MacNab PSU Extension

12:00-1:00 Lunch

1:00-1:45 General Session
Food Safety Starts on the Farm
1:45-2:00 General Session
Vegetable Research Program Update

Dr. Anusuya Rangarajan Cornell
Bill Troxel PA Veg Growers

2:00-2:45 Concurrent Sessions

What's New in High Tunnels
*Using Compost for Disease Suppression
Merchandising and Marketing

Dr. Bill Lamont Dr. Mike Orzolek PSU
Dr. Anusuya Rangarajan Cornell
Dr. Bob Rouse WREC U of MD

2:45-3:30 Concurrent Sessions

Vegetable Varieties for 2000
Irrigation in Vegetables
*Strawberry Insect Control

Dr. Mike Orzolek PSU Extension
Dr. Bill Lamont, PSU Extension
Kathy Demichak PSU Extension

3:30 P.M. Visit exhibits on your way home
* Category pesticide credits will be available for these sessions

New Holland Vegetable Day, Jan. 17

NEW HOLLAND (Lancaster Co.) — Food safety, high tunnels, use of compost on vegetables, insect and disease management, trickle irrigation and plasticulture, and new vegetable varieties are just a few of the 14 different topics at the 2000 New Holland Vegetable Day Jan. 17. The meeting is sponsored by the Eastern Lancaster County School District and Lancaster County Cooperative Extension.

There will be something for everyone. If you are interested in marketing you won't want to miss the grower's panel discussing their experiences at "grower's only" markets or Bob Rouse's talk on "Marketing and

Merchandising." Greenhouse growers will want to attend the session on "Greenhouse Disease Control" or sit in on the "Transplant Production Tips" session by grower Dave Miller. Dr. Shelby Fleischer from Penn State will discuss "New insecticides and their use."

Recent outbreaks of e. coli. bacteria in vegetables and fruit and how they can be prevented will be the focus of a general session by Anu Rangarajan from Cornell University. Alan MacNab from Penn State will lead the other general session with a discussion of diseases in vegetables. "Field Grown Cut Flowers" and "Strawberry Insect

Control" round out the program. Pesticide credits will be available at some sessions.

The meeting will be Monday, Jan. 17 at Yoder's Restaurant in New Holland. Yoder's is located along Rt. 23 at the eastern edge of new Holland. Registration begins at 9 a.m.

Cost for the day is \$7 per person if you preregister by Jan. 12, or \$12 per person at the door. Lunch is provided.

For more information contact Jeff Stoltzfus at (717) 354-1522. To register send the enclosed form along with a check for the appropriate amount to: Adult Farmer Program, 126 Eastern School Road, New Holland, PA 17557.

Name _____ # Attending _____ @ \$7/person = _____ Total
Address _____ Make checks payable to "Adult Farmer Program"

Yates County Youth Awarded Top N.Y. Farm Bureau Scholarship

GLENMONT, N.Y. — Yates County's Suzie Vaughn was awarded first place in the New York Farm Agricultural Youth Scholarship contest and the top prize of \$500. The contest took place during the farm organization's annual meeting at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Albany.

The \$250 second-place prize went to Erie County's Emily Habermehl. In third place is Kimberly Thompson, who received the \$100 scholarship.

The agricultural youth scholarship of New York Farm Bureau is available to high school juniors who live or work on a farm or are involved in agri-

culture in some way. The winner is selected solely upon the effectiveness of their submitted application, personal interview,

and brief presentation portraying how agriculture affected their lives.


Judging this year's competi-


tion was Dr. Janet Hawkes, director of ag in the classroom; Jennifer Rowe, 4-H youth educator for Herkimer County

Cooperative Extension; and Mary Ellen Kusnierz, a science teacher at Ballston Spa High School.

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