

# SWFREC Citrus Canker and Greening Field Day

April 2, 2009

## UF/IFAS—SWFREC, Immokalee

The objective of this field day is to inform growers about the work with citrus canker and greening underway at the Southwest Florida Research & Education Center in Immokalee.

### Seminars – Moderator: Mongi Zekri

- 9:30 Citrus canker management (Pam Roberts, Bob Ebel, Bob Rouse, Fritz Roka)  
Canker suppression  
Potential of SARs in canker management  
Windbreaks  
Costs of canker management
- 10:00 Citrus greening management (Pam Roberts, Phil Stansly, Kelly Morgan, Bob Rouse, Fritz Roka)  
HLB lab & sampling procedure  
Psyllid tap-sampling method, bio-control, pesticides, area-wide sprays, grove management program  
Advanced production systems (young tree establishment, and leaf nutrients in greening trees)  
Evolution of symptoms & nutrient/SAR sprays  
Costs associated with managing greening (surveying, psyllid sprays, tree removal & replacement, increased tree density, nutrient/SAR sprays)
- 11:15 Adjourn to SWFREC grove

### SWFREC Grove visit

Tap sampling for psyllids  
Nutrient/SAR trial  
Advance production systems, close spacing in concept grove for new plantings

12:30 Lunch provided at SWFREC by AgraQuest, Inc.