

COVER CROP FIELD DAY

October 24th, 2018 1:30 – 4pm

Across the road from Ehrhart Propane

@ 9787 Route 96 Trumansburg, NY (look for signs)

Much to learn for producers and ag professionals

2.5 CEU's available for Certified Crop Advisors

Agenda:

- **35 plots planted on 3 dates with different species and mixtures**
Learn how different species grow and how they impact soil health concerns
- **Cover Crop Mixtures with specific goals for soil health and productivity of the future cash crop**
Experts from the German company, DSV, discuss how cover cropping is done in Europe
- **Interseeder drill on display**
Discussion of how to establish cover crops in growing crops
- **NY Soil Health Trailer**
Fay Benson of Cornell Cooperative Extension will demonstrate the rainfall simulator
- **Soil Pit**
See soil layers, soil fauna and how roots grow through the soil horizon

**Field Day is co-sponsored by Cayuga Ag, Kings AgriSeeds,
Tompkins County SWCD and American Farmland Trust**

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