Ever wonder what soilborne pathogen do to your crops and profitability or how you can manage them on an as-needed basis?

Identification, Assessment and Management of Soilborne Plant Pathogens in Vegetable Production Systems

March 20, 2013 8:30 am to 4:30 pm NYS Agricultural Experiment Station, Cornell University Jordan Hall 630 W. North Street Geneva, NY 14456 http://nysaes.cornell.edu

Workshop description:

Through funding from the NE-SARE, this workshop has been designed to train participants throughout the Northeast in the identification, assessment and management of soilborne pathogens and to provide resources that can be used on-farm and in various outreach activities.

Who should participate?

Growers, county extension educators, regional specialists, crop consultants, IPM practitioners and other agricultural service providers

Workshop facilitators:

Beth Gugino – Penn State http:/ George Abawi – Cornell University Jim LaMondia – The Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station

Fopics to be covered:

• Understanding pathogen biology & ecology

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- How to identify soilborne diseases on major vegetable crops in the Northeast
- Methods for assessing soil pathogens and crop loss
- Disease management options

Participants will receive:

- Lunch and breaks
- 3-ring binder of resources
- Trowels

Register early space is limited!

Cost is \$20 and pre-registration by <u>March 15, 2013</u> is required!

To pre-register contact Angela Parr Cornell Cooperative Extension: (585) 394 - 3977 ext. 426

> Make checks to: "Cornell Vegetable Program"

Or register and pay on-line at: http://cvp.cce.cornell.edu

For more information visit:

http://extension.psu.edu/vegetable-fruit (click on upcoming events)