

## GUEST SPEAKERS

Dr. T. Jude Boucher is the Vegetable Crops Educator for the University of Connecticut Cooperative Extension. He conducts sustainable agriculture and integrated pest management research and educational programs for commercial vegetable growers throughout New England.

Dr. Jonathan Frantz is a Research Horticulturist for the USDA-ARS New England Plant, Soil, and Water Laboratory in Orono, Maine. He conducts research on factors that limit potato productivity, and on season extension in organic vegetable production systems.

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# Maine Vegetable & Fruit School

## 2011

8:30 AM - 4:00 PM

Two Dates - Two Locations

March 15 in Portland

March 16 in Bangor

Sponsored by:  
University of Maine Cooperative Extension  
Maine Crop Insurance Education Program  
Maine Vegetable & Small Fruit Growers Association



**Tuesday, March 15**  
KEELEY'S BANQUET CENTER  
178 Warren Avenue, Portland, Maine  
207-797-3550 or 1-800-439-3550  
Directions: www.keeleythekaterer.com

**Wednesday, March 16**  
BANGOR MOTOR INN  
701 Hogan Road, Bangor, Maine  
207-947-0355 or 1-800-244-0355  
Directions : www.bangormotorinn.com

**SPEAKERS:**

**Dr. T. Jude Boucher** - Vegetable Crops Educator,  
University of Connecticut Cooperative Extension

**Caragh Fitzgerald** - Extension Educator, UMaine  
Cooperative Extension

**Dr. Jonathan Frantz** - Research Horticulturalist,  
USDA-Agricultural Research Service

**Dr. David Handley** - Vegetable and Small Fruit  
Specialist, UMaine Cooperative Extension

**Mark Hutchinson** - Extension Educator, UMaine  
Cooperative Extension

**Dr. Mark Hutton** - Vegetable Specialist, UMaine  
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**Tori Lee Jackson** - Extension Educator, UMaine  
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**Richard Kersbergen** - Extension Educator, UMaine  
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**Corie Washow** - AgrAbility Coordinator, UMaine  
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**TOPICS**

**High Tunnel Tomato Grafting Research**

**New Berry Pests**

**AgrAbility:  
Overcoming Barriers to Farming**

**Recognizing Nutrient Deficiencies: Lettuce**

**30 Reasons to Switch to Deep Zone Tillage**

**Crop Insurance Update**

**Using Compost to Meet the Nutrient  
Needs of Sweet Corn**

**Managing Phytophthora:  
What Works and What Doesn't**

**The High Tunnel Program:  
Where Are They Now?**

**Vegetable Pest Management Review:  
What Do We Really Know?**

*Participants may receive 3.0 Pesticide  
Applicator re-certification credits.  
Certified Crop Advisors may earn 5.0  
re-certification credits.*

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE:**

**Tuesday, March 1, 2011**

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I would like to attend on:

\_\_\_\_\_ March 15th in Portland or

\_\_\_\_\_ March 16th in Bangor

**Pre-registration is required** to attend the Vegetable  
and Fruit School. The cost is \$30.00 per person  
and includes lunch.

Please make check payable to **KLCEA** and mail to:

Highmoor Farm  
Attn: Pam St. Peter  
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Monmouth, Maine 04259

