

VEGETARIAN

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Gentlemen:

More field days to come - you probably are wondering why we do not announce them all at once as has been done in past years. Well this year we had to wait and see if we were going to have anything to show. So here goes on two more good ones you cannot afford to miss. By the way, we have had three good ones so far with plenty to hear, see, eat and drink.

ANNUAL VEGETABLE GROWERS' FIELD DAY
HORTICULTURE UNIT
AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION
Gainesville, Florida
9:30 A.M. June 3, 1958

- 9:30 A.M. Registration will begin at the Farm Center Building
- 10:00 A.M. Welcome and introductions
- 10:30 A.M. Tours of individual research plots will begin
- 12:15 P.M. Lunch will be served at the Farm Center
- 1:15 P.M. Discussion period
- 1:30 P.M. Tours of plots will resume

THOSE OF YOU THAT DO NOT KNOW THE WAY TO THE HORTICULTURE UNIT MAY COME TO ROOM 301 NEWELL HALL, UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

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NINETEENTH ANNUAL VEGETABLE GROWERS' FIELD DAY
GULF COAST EXPERIMENT STATION
Bradenton, Florida
Thursday, June 5, 1958

- 10:00 A.M. Welcome
Reports by staff on vegetable research on varieties, pesticides, fertilizers and plant breeding will be presented
- 12:00 Noon Box lunches (fried chicken, etc.) will be served
- 1:30 P.M. Tour of Cortez Farm
Variety plots
Fertility plots
Soil fumigation
Herbicides
Irrigation

NEW PUBLICATIONS

Several new or revised publications are available from the Mailing Room of the Florida Agricultural Experiment Station.

Extension Circular 101A Cucumber Production Guide
Extension Circular 117A Cabbage Production Guide
Extension Circular 175 Okra Production Guide
Extension Circular 176 Onion Production Guide
Extension Circular 96B Watermelon Production Guide
Experiment Station Circular S-107, A Trash and Clod Eliminator for Packing-houses Handling Mechanically Harvested Potatoes
Experiment Station Circular 101, Cause & Control of Blossom-End Rot of Tomatoes
Experiment Station Circular S-105, Thirty-Three years of Belle Glade Weather.

Press Bulletin, List of Bulletins available for distribution at the Agricultural Experiment Station, Gainesville, Florida, May 1958.

NEW FACILITIES

Dr. James M. Crall states that the new buildings, greenhouse and research plots are now being used by the workers at the Watermelon and Grape Laboratory at Leesburg, Florida. The new facilities are located about five miles south of Leesburg on U.S. 27 on the west side of the highway. Due to difficulties inherent in moving to new location, no field day will be held this year.

Dr. Paul Everett, located at the new south Florida Field Laboratory in Immokalee, has research work in progress. The new facilities are in use, however, inside cabinet work and laboratory equipment are still being installed. The laboratory and plots are located about four miles north of Immokalee on the west side of state route 29.

We are pleased with these new facilities and I am sure Dr. Crall and Dr. Everett would be happy to have you stop and see their layout.

SHORT COURSE AND FLORIDA SEEDSMEN AND GARDEN SUPPLY DEALERS

Final plans are being made for the Short Course. The dates and times as well as the program has been determined.

Short Course begins 1:00 P.M., Wednesday, July 9, 1958 and runs through 2:00 P.M., Friday, July 11. Meeting will be held at the University of Florida, McCarty Hall Auditorium.

Please publicize this Short Course so that all people working in seed or garden supply stores will attend.

Sincerely,



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