

Seventh Annual

2020 Foothills Specialty Crop Growers' Round Table



*Please join us
for this informational meeting
to discuss
various topics related
to specialty crops
including fruits, herbs,
vegetables,
vineyard and hemp
production,
including food safety,
new innovations
and new technology*

Tuesday, January 28, 2020

12:30– 4:30 pm

**Farm Bureau Training Room
Surry County Government Service
Center
915 E Atkins Street
Dobson, NC**

**For more information,
please Call N.C. Cooperative
Extension, Surry County Center**



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TIME	TOPIC	LOCATION	SPEAKER
12:00- 12:30	Registration	Room A	
12:30- 12:40	Welcome	Room A	Bryan Cave, County Director Surry County Center North Carolina Cooperative Extension
General Session (All Participants)			
12:45-1:45	Improving Soil Moisture Retention	Room A	Dustin Adcock, Extension Agent Field Crops and Horticulture North Carolina Cooperrative Extension Stanly County Center, Albemarle NC
1:45- 1:55	BREAK Sponsored by Carolina Farm Credit		
Session #2 (Pick One Session)			
1:55- 2:55	NC Industrial Hemp Program Update Growing, Agronomy, Regulation	Room A	Joanna Radford, Extension Agent Home and Commercial Horticulture North Carolina Cooperative Extension Surry County Center, Dobson NC
	Putting Season Extension Practices to Work in your farming operation	Room B	Wythe Morris, Ret. Extension Agent Commercial Horticulture Virginia Cooperative Extension
	Pumpkin, Winter Squash Production	Room C	Ashley Edwards, Extension Agent Commercial Horticulture Virginia Cooperative Extension Wythe, Carroll and Grayson Counties
2:55- 3:05	BREAK Sponsored by Southern States		
Breakout Session #3 (Pick One Session)			
3:05- 4:05	Farmscaping: Inviting native pollinators into your fields	Room B	Dustin Adcock, Extension Agent Field Crops and Horticulture North Carolina Cooperative Extension Stanly County Center, Albemarle NC
	Good Handling Practices at the Farmers Market	Room C	Lucy Love, FSMA Inspector North Carolina Department of Agriculture Food and Drug Protection Division Pilot Mountain NC
	Industrial Hemp Processing	Room A	Susan and Christopher Moore Vitality Farms Appalachian Biomass Processing Wytheville VA
4:05-4:30	Closing Remarks/ Session Evaluations	Room A	Joanna Radford, Commercial Horticulture Agent NC Cooperative Extension Surry County Center, Dobson NC