



UNIVERSITY of NEW HAMPSHIRE
COOPERATIVE EXTENSION

Twilight Meeting: Bird Netting for Blueberries

July 9, 2010

6:30 - 8:00pm

Butternut Farm, Rumney NH

Join us at Butternut Farm, for a discussion of using bird netting systems to control feeding damage in blueberries.

Maggie Brox, the owner of Butternut Farm, will demonstrate the yearly set up process, discuss winter storage issues, and describe the performance of her system over the past season.

Bill Lord, Extension Professor, Emeritus, will discuss construction and maintenance issues as well as the implications of these systems on the management of other pests.

Donna Doel, Soil Conservationist with Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), will provide information on the cost-share program NRCS offers for these systems.

One pesticide recertification credit is available.

Please contact Heather Bryant at the Grafton County UNH Cooperative Extension office if you have any questions (603-787-6944).

Directions:

From the West: Take Rt 25 E to Rumney. At the blinking light turn left onto Main St. Take the second right onto Quincy Road. After approximately 2 miles, you will see the farm on your left.

From the North or South: Take 93 to Exit 26. This will put you on Rt 25, take your first right onto Rt 3 and then your first left onto Quincy Rd. After about 5 miles the farm will be on your left.

For any special arrangements including physical access, or other accommodation requests, please contact Heather Bryant. Ten working days are needed to facilitate special needs requests.

