



## **LITTLE CHERRY DISEASE FIELD DAY - MATTAWA**

**When: June 7, 2023 @ 10:00 am – 12:00 pm**

**Where: Mattawa WA**

**10:00 am Introduction** (Corina Serban – WSU Extension)

**10:05 am Pre-planting BMPs to Reduce the Risk of LCD Pathogens in New Plantings**  
(Scott Harper – WSU Plant Pathology)

**10:15 am BMPs for Little Cherry Prevention in Nurseries** (Tianna DuPont – WSU Extension)

**10:25 am Importance of Certified Material - A Grower/Nursery Perspective**  
(Dale Goldy – G2 Orchards LLC/Gold Crown Nursery)

**Q&A**

**10:45 am Vector and Broadleaf Management for X-disease**  
(Tobin Northfield, Laura Flandermeyer – WSU Entomology)

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**11:00 am Learning Stations (split into two main groups, 30 min each, then rotate)**

**1. Scouting and Sampling**

*Learn about timely scouting and sampling to reduce the spread of the disease as well as the latest research updates on epidemiology of these pathogens. Also learn about a new approach for LCD detection and volatile biomarkers identification using different volatile headspace sampling techniques.*

Corina Serban (WSU Extension)

Scott Harper, Cody Molnar (WSU Plant Pathology)

Garrett Bishop (G.S. Long)

Lav Khot, Gajanan Kothawade (WSU CPASS)

**2. Leafhopper Vector and Weed ID (*NEW! Vector and Weed ID Guidance in English/Spanish*)**  
*Become more confident in how to identify key leafhopper vectors and alternative hosts. Learn the latest scouting and management.*

Abby Clark, Caesar Reyes, Laura Flandermeyer, Tawnee Melton, Katlyn Catron (Northfield Lab, WSU Entomology)

Rui Liu (WSU Weed Science)

Adrian Marshall (USDA)

**12:00 pm** Closing, Survey and Thank you!