

Forty-Fourth Annual Citrus Packinghouse Day
September 1, 2005

Concurrent Training Workshops

Citrus Research & Education Center
700 Experiment Station Road
Lake Alfred, FL 33850-2299

This year, in addition to the many important issues to be addressed at Packinghouse Day, we are also providing concurrent training sessions for packinghouse management and workers in the areas of: 1) Forklift Driving Safety, 2) Packinghouse Postharvest Treatment Safety, and 3) Canker Decontamination. If you miss a workshop, it can be taken at the Indian River Postharvest Workshop next Thursday (Sept. 8) at the Indian River Research and Education Center in Ft. Pierce.

Following are listed the training sessions with their instructors, meeting times, and location.

- **Canker Decontamination (Certification from the Division of Plant Industry)**
Instructors: Nick Ergun (Division of Plant Industry, Ft. Pierce)
Meeting time: 10:00 to 11:30 a.m.
Meeting location: Teaching laboratory

- **Forklift Driving Safety Certification.**
Instructors: Jose Pompa (J.P. Safety Training, Inc. Sebastian, FL, Tel: 772-473-0475) and Ward Gunter (UF/IFAS, Ft. Pierce)
Meeting time: 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
Meeting location: Postharvest conference room (second floor above the exhibitors)

- **Packinghouse Postharvest Treatments - Biocides, Waxes, Recordkeeping, Hygiene, and Environmental Safety for Citrus Operations.**
Instructors: Laura Powell (UF/IFAS, Bartow), Jan Narciso (USDA, Winter Haven), Amy Simonne (UF/IFAS, Gainesville), and Jack Hebb (UF/IFAS, Ft. Pierce).
Meeting time: 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.
Meeting location: Main Auditorium