

2021 Apple School Agenda
February 3, 2021
Virtual Via Zoom

Time	Topic	Speaker
9:00-9:40	Late Registration (Requires Credit Card) and Logging In Assistance	
	MEETING ACTUALLY STARTS AT 9:40	
9:40-9:50	Welcome, Ground Rules & Housekeeping Henderson County Extension Director Dr. W. Terry Kelley	
9:50-10:20	Apple Insect Management Update Dr. Jim Walgenbach, NCSU Dept. of Entomology, Mtn. Hort. Crops Res. & Ext. Center, Mills River, NC	
10:20-10:50	Options for Vegetative Growth Management in Mature and Newly Planted Orchards Dr. Tom Kon, NCSU, Dept. of Horticultural Science, Mtn. Hort. Crops Res. & Ext. Center, Mills River, NC; Mr. Greg Nix, Apple Grower, Edneyville, NC.	
10:50-11:20	Food Safety Update for 2021 Ms. Elena Rogers, NCSU Dept. of Horticultural Science, Lenoir, NC	
11:20-11:45	BRAG Business Meeting and Award Ceremony	
11:45-1:15	Lunch Break-Enjoy Lunch on Your Own	
1:15-1:45	Update on the Apple Insurance Program Ms. Pam Bolinger, RMA, Kansas City, KS and Alex Sorreno, RMA, Raleigh, NC	
1:45-2:15	Apple Cultural Management Update Dr. Mike Parker, NCSU, Dept. of Horticultural Science, Raleigh, NC	
2:15-2:45	Apple Disease Management Update Dr. Sara Villani, NCSU Dept. of Plant Pathology, Mtn. Hort. Crops Res. & Ext. Center, Mills River, NC	
2:45-3:00	Review 2019 Integrated Orchard Management Guide Dr. W. Terry Kelley & Panel	