UF/IFAS Extension presents

PASSION FRUIT Field Day

Thursday, August 1, 2024
9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
2556 West Highway 318, Citra, FL 32113
Frank Stronach Conference Center
UF Plant Science Research and Education Unit (PSREU)

NO REGISTRATION FEE. REGISTER AT
https://tinyurl.com/4dhkxfcv or visit https://go.ufl.edu/fruitcrop

PLEASE RSVP BY JULY 23, 2024 or call Lesley Reddick (352) 591-2678

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| 9–9:30 a.m.  | Registration & Introduction
Mark Bailey, UF/IFAS Extension Marion County and PSREU Team |
| 9:30–10:30 a.m. | Field Trip to Passion Fruit Plot
Dr. Ali Sarkhosh, UF/IFAS Horticultural Sciences Department and Mark Bailey, UF/IFAS Extension Marion County |
| 10:30–11 a.m. | Introduction to Passion Fruit Production
Mark Bailey, UF/IFAS Extension Marion County |
| 11–11:30 a.m. | Research Update, High Tunnel vs. Open field
Dr. Ali Sarkhosh, UF/IFAS Horticultural Sciences Department |
| 11:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. | Harvest Maturity Effects on Fruit Shelf Life and Pulp Quality
Dr. Uzman Chaudhry and Dr. Steve Sargent, UF/IFAS Horticultural Sciences Department |
| 12–1 p.m.    | LUNCH                                                                                      |
| 1–1:15 p.m.  | Nutrition & Culinary Uses of Passion Fruit
Rebecca Elliott, UF/IFAS Extension Marion County |
| 1:15–1:30 p.m. | Sensory Evaluation Results and Passion Fruit Taste Testing
(fruit will be served and evaluated)
Mark Bailey and Rebecca Elliott, UF/IFAS Extension Marion County |
| 1:35–2 p.m.  | Passion Fruit IPM/Pest Control
Dr. Jonathan Crane, UF/IFAS Tropical Research and Education Center |
| 2–2:30 p.m.  | Student Presentation
UF/IFAS |
| 2:30–3 p.m.  | Post Program Evaluation, Questions and Input
Mark Bailey, UF/IFAS Extension Marion County |
| 3 p.m.       | Adjourn                                                                                     |

Questions?
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