



It's time to hone your

Summit-Stark-Portage MGV Diagnostic Update—Spring 2015

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...as we prepare for the 2015 gardening season. Please join Summit, Stark, and Portage MGVs as we learn about the insect and disease challenges we will face in 2015. Take advantage of this opportunity to prepare yourself for questions on the hotline, at farmers markets, community gardens, and other MGV venues.

This is the third annual diagnostic update serving our three counties. It gives us an opportunity to draw top speakers and to network with each other. Polish those hand lenses, and be prepared for an educational and enjoyable day.

Please remember to wear your nametag and bring your coffee cup.

Tuesday, March 17, 2015

8:30 am Registration

9:00 am Opening-3:00 pm Conclusion

Suffield United Church of Christ

1115 State Route 43, Suffield 44260

\$15 Registration fee (includes materials and lunch)

Presenters

Dr. Francesca Peduto-Hand, OSU Dept. of Pathology, Columbus. *Emerging & Existing Plant Pathogens.*

Kathy Smith, OSU Dept. of Forestry, Columbus. *Tree Pests & Issues in NE Ohio Landscapes.*

Dr. Curtis Young, OSU Dept. of Entomology & Biology, Lima. *The Top 10 Potential Pests for 2015.*

Luncheon Choices

***Italian** Panini. Ham, salami, roasted red peppers, basil pesto, provolone & spinach.

***Portobello** Melt Panini. Sauteed portobello mushrooms, basil pesto, provolone & spinach.

***Ham** on a croissant with Swiss cheese, lettuce & tomato.

***Southwest** Wrap. Crispy chicken breast strips, romaine, tomato, cheddar, sweet corn & pepper mix with spicy ranch in a tomato tortilla.

For further information contact: Pamm McDowell 330.245.9669, mcdowellpamela1@gmail.com.

REGISTRATION FORM

Space is limited. Your Check and Registration form will reserve your spot. After March 1st remaining space will be offered to other NE Ohio MGVs.

YOUR NAME: _____ COUNTY: _____

ADDRESS: _____ YEAR OF CERTIFICATION: _____

CITY: _____ ZIP: _____

E-MAIL: _____ PHONE: _____

Luncheon Choice: ☐ Italian ☐ Portobello ☐ Ham ☐ Southwest

Please make your \$15 check payable to **Portage County Master Gardeners** and mail it with your registration form to:
Dee Burdette, Registrar, 102 Spray Drive, Munroe Falls, OH 44262-1325.