



# **Columbia Basin Vegetable Seed Association**

Columbia Basin Vegetable Seed Association Annual Meeting

Tuesday, January 17, 2023

WSU Honey Bee and Pollinator Research, Extension, & Education Center

(1485 W. Cunningham Rd., Othello, WA 99344)

- 9:00 am      Registration and Refreshments
- 9:25          **President's Welcome**  
John LeFave, CBVSA President
- 9:30          **Seedcorn Maggots – What Can We Do?**  
Tim Waters, WSU Extension, Pasco
- 10:00        **Beet Leafhopper Transmitted Pathogens in the Columbia Basin**  
Kylie Swisher Grimm, USDA-ARS Prosser
- 10:30        BREAK**
- 10:45        **What Can Vegetable and Seed Growers Learn from WSU Potato Alerts & the Potato DAS?**  
Carrie Wohleb, WSU Extension, Moses Lake
- 11:00        **WSU Honey Bee Program Update**  
Brandon Hopkins and Riley Reed, WSU Apiary Program
- 11:50        **CBVSA Business Meeting, Election of Officers, and Announcements**
- 12:10        LUNCH... Hosted by CBVSA**
- 1:00          **Yellow Nutsedge 101**  
Gary Melchior, Gowan Company, Walla Walla
- 1:30          **What is Dodder and How is it Managed?**  
Rui Liu, WSU Irrigated Agriculture R & E Center, Prosser
- 2:00          **High Plains Wheat Mosaic Virus: An Emerging Phytosanitary Issue for Corn and Sweet Corn Seed**  
Jennifer Wilson and Erik Ohlson, USDA-ARS, Wooster, OH  
Lindsey du Toit, WSU Mount Vernon Northwestern WA Research & Extension Center
- 2:50          **CBVSA Annual Meeting Adjourns**
- 2:55 pm      **2023 Columbia Basin Seed Field Representatives Meeting**  
All seed company field representatives are encouraged to attend this meeting immediately following the CBVSA Annual Meeting.