Workshop Speakers

- Don McMoran
  WSU Skagit County Extension, Burlington

- Matthew Blua
  Northwest Potato Research Consortium, Eagle

- Jean Gauthier
  WSU Skagit County Entomology

- Dr. Debbie Inglis,
  WSU NWREC, Mount Vernon

- Dr. Tim Miller
  WSU NWREC, Mount Vernon

- Jim Jensen
  WSU, Olympia

- Tony Simon
  WSU, Olympia

- Alen Schreiber
  Agriculture Development Group Inc., Eltopia, WA

- Mark Pavek
  WSU, Pullman

- Kelly McLean
  WSDA, Olympia

- Nic Loyd
  WSU Ag Weather Net, Prosser

Workshop Location

The Potato Workshop will be held at WSU NWREC in west Mount Vernon

Driving Directions: From I-5: Take the Kincaid Street Exit (Exit 226). From the exit ramp, turn west towards downtown. Turn right at the first light (Third Street) on to SR536, wrapping around the edge of downtown Mount Vernon. Cross the Skagit River Bridge and travel through west Mount Vernon approximately 3 miles. WSU - Mount Vernon NWREC will be on your left.

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### 34th Annual Western Washington Potato Workshop Agenda

**8:00 am**  
Pancakes and sausage with juice or coffee  
Thanks to our Breakfast Host  
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**8:20**  
Opening Remarks  
*Don McMoran*

**8:35**  
Updates from the Consortium  
*Matthew Blua*

**8:50**  
Weed Issues  
*Dr. Tim Miller*

**9:20**  
Skagit Potato Pest Monitoring  
*Jean Gauthier*

**9:55**  
Break

**10:15**  
Aphids and Pesticides  
*Alan Schreiber*

**10:45**  
Potato Pathology Research in 2015  
*Debbie Inglis*

**11:25**  
Tri-State Potato Trials  
*Mark Pavek*

**11:40**  
Potato Skin Set Nutrition Trial  
Parssnip Trial  
Scotland and Ireland Potato tour  
*Don McMoran*

**12:00**  
Prime Rib Lunch

**12:00**  
Thanks to our Luncheon Host  
*Your Company Name Here*

**1:00**  
Reducing Farm Energy Usage  
*Jim Jensen*

**1:30**  
Irrigation  
*Troy Peters*

**2:00**  
Break

**2:15**  
Skagit Pesticide Monitoring  
*Kelly McLain*

**2:45**  
Weather Outlook/Prediction 2016  
*Nic Loyd*

**3:15**  
Evaluation

**3:30**  
Adjourn

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Following the workshop a Social Hour will be held at  
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