

Southwest Alabama Stored Grain Workshop

Tuesday July 18, 2017

- 8:45 AM Meet at Shelly Farms Grain Bins, Bell Creek Road, Atmore*
- 9:00 AM Observe grain handling and monitoring systems; hands-on demonstrations of applying empty bin and grain protectant treatments, using insect sampling equipment, sealing grain bins; discuss the value of sanitation
- 10:00 AM Travel to Perdido Farms office building
- 10:30 AM Stored grain insect biology – Edmond Bonjour, Oklahoma State University
- 11:00 AM Making stored grain insects unhappy (Principles of Stored Grain IPM) – Kathy Flanders, Auburn University
- 11:30 AM Effect of grain drying and temperature on insect populations and on efficacy of grain protectants and fumigation – Michael Toews, University of Georgia
- 12:00 PM Lunch
- 12:45 PM Ins and outs of aeration, temperature and moisture cables and automated monitoring – Edmond Bonjour
- 1:45 PM Efficacy of grain protectants and empty bin treatments – Michael Toews
- 2:30 PM Tips for a safe, effective, and legal fumigation, concerns about resistance to phosphine – Slade Baker, Douglas Products
- 3:00 PM Adjourn



* Meet at Shelly Farms Grain Bins. Take the Atmore Exit 57 off I-65 (for AL-21 and Windcreek Casino Exit). Head toward the casino then turn right on to Poarch Road. Travel 2.8 miles on Poarch Road. Turn left on Bell Creek Road. You will see the grain bins on the left after you turn.

Registration is free. Pre-register by Friday, July 14 by contacting Kim Wilkins, Regional Extension Agent, Alabama Cooperative Extension System, tel. 251-937-7176 or 334-869-0582, email: wilkikj@aces.edu.

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