

This course is for current and prospective pecan growers.



To reserve your seat and register for the course, make check payable to and mail to:

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**Registration Due:
February 15, 2009**

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CONCEPT
To provide an in-depth experience, classroom and orchard for current and prospective pecan growers.

Content: Prioritization and practical application of major management practices by month.

Fee: \$250 per individual

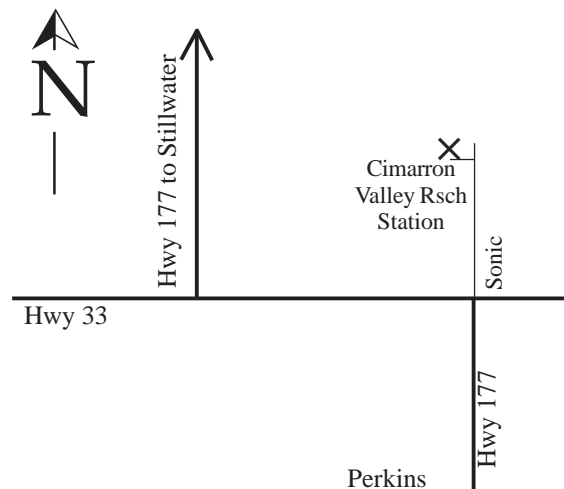
Format: Discussion and practical exercise with optional web based study component.

Time Frame: March — October 2009

Students receive: Knowledge, notebook of all reference materials, pecan variety board, five rootstock trees, access to online pecan course, and a certificate of completion.

Presenters: OSU Cooperative Extension Specialists and Pecan Growers.

Location:
Cimarron Valley Research Station, Perkins, OK
(½ mile north of Hwy 33 and 177 intersection)



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COURSE OUTLINE

*Monthly topics and dates are subject to change.

Tuesday, March 3, 1—5 P.M.

- Management Overview
- Fertilization, Tree Thinning
- Startup Rootstock Trees
- Internet Applications
- Planting Bareroot Trees
- Pruning & Training
- Insect Management: Phylloxera
- Disease Management: Scab

Tuesday, April 7, 1 — 5 P.M.

- Propagation/Grafting
- Aerate/Pregerm/Plant Rootstock Nuts
- Sprayer Calibration/Maintenance
- Pesticide Applicator Licensing
- Insect Management
- PNC and Leaf Feeders

Tuesday, May 12, 1 — 5 P.M.

- Budgets, Economics
- Zinc Application
- Maintain Rootstock Trees
- Disease/Insect Decisions
- Weed Control
- Pecan Cultivars
- Improving Native Groves

June 1 - 3, 2009*

OPGA meeting at Oklahoma City, OK
*Fee not included in Fundamentals of Pecan Management course.

Tuesday, July 14, 1—5 P.M.

- Leaf Sample
- Disease Management
- Crop Load Estimates
- Insect Management: Weevil, Webworm, and Datana
- Irrigation

Tuesday, August 4, 1—5 P.M.

- Nut Thinning
- Insect Management: Weevil *et al.*
- Caring for Rootstock Trees
- Prep for Harvest
- Equipment Needs

Tuesday, September 15, 1—5 P.M.

- Orchard Floor Management
- Weevil, Prep for Harvest
- Sanitation
- Marketing
- Nut Identification
- Pecan Boards

Tuesday, October 20, 1—5 P.M.

- Harvest
- Plant Rootstock Trees
- Quality Evaluation
- Tree Evaluation/Marketing
- Graftwood Collection

NEED ADDITIONAL INFORMATION?

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Register Online thru OSU Marketplace:

- <http://orangehub.okstate.edu/ustores/web/index.jsp>
- Click on the "Horticulture/Landscape" Store
 - Select "Short Courses & Schools"
 - Select "Fundamentals of Pecan Management"

*More information on the
Oklahoma Pecan Growers Association?
Visit their website
<http://www.hortla.okstate.edu/pecan/opga>*

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REGISTRATION — For more information, call Stephanie at 405-744-5404 or email: stephanie.larimer@okstate.edu.

Make checks payable to:

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*Course is limited.
Please send
registration early.*

Name(s) _____

of persons _____ × \$250 = _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Day Phone Number _____

Email _____

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