



Vermont State University, Randolph Campus
Saturday, December 14, 2024

Time	Judd Hall	Conant 101 (classroom)	Conant 102 (auditorium)	Conant 103 (classroom)	Conant 104 (computer lab)	Green 128 (classroom)	Green 228 (classroom)
8:30am - 4:45pm	Tradeshow (Judd Hall)						
9:00 - 9:15am	Welcome (Judd Hall): Mark Isselhardt, UVM Extension & Allison Hope, VMSMA, with a few words from our Gold Sponsor, Lapierre						
9:15 - 9:45am	Guest Speaker (Judd Hall): Dr. Tim Rademacher, Scientific Director, Proctor Maple Research Center, UVM						
10:00 - 11:00am			Industry Panel Mark Isselhardt, Moderator Dr. Tim Rademacher Keith Thompson Peter Christopher	<i>Individual Tasting with Henry Marckres (sign up at registration table)</i>		An Historical Analysis of Maple Crop Failure Dr. Tim Perkins	Maintaining Roads & Managing Water in Your Sugarbush Dave Wilcox
11:15am - 12:15pm		Exploring Opportunities for Buying & Selling Sap Mark Cannella	Best Management Practices for Forest Biodiversity Charlie Hancock, Mark Raishart & Dr. Tony D'Amato	<i>Individual Tasting with Henry Marckres (sign up at registration table)</i>		Yields from One vs Two Taps on High Vacuum Dr. Tim Perkins	Food Safety Basics in the Sugarhouse Ellie Palmer
12:30 - 1:30pm	LUNCH in Morey Dining Hall						
1:45 - 2:15pm	Annual Maple Awards (Judd Hall), presented by Jacob Powsner, VMSMA Board Member						
2:30 - 3:30pm			Optimized Sap Yield Collection Dr. Tim Rademacher	<i>Individual Tasting with Henry Marckres (sign up at registration table)</i>	Sugarhouse Certification & Food Safety: Get Your Documents Ready Jason Gagne, Arnie Piper, Ellie Palmer & Allen Freund	Perspectives on the US Maple Markets, Economics & Policy Mark Cannella	Vermont Maple Through the Agency Lens Tucker Diego
3:45 - 4:45pm	Group Flavor Tasting & Discussion (Judd Hall) with Mark Isselhardt & Ellie Palmer						

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