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ORCHARD NOTES

JANUARY 1998

**SUTTER/YUBA/COLUSA WALNUT
MEETING**

Wednesday, February 11, 1998

8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Veterans Building, Yuba City

Look for program in next Orchard Notes

BIG CALIFORNIA APPLE DAY

January 14, 1998

8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Holiday Inn Center Plaza, Fresno

The program includes an apple research update, US apple demographics, world produce market trends, the California Secretary of Agriculture and an inspirational speaker, Dr. Mancusi. Tickets are \$10.00 which include lunch. Call 209/268-1000 for reservations.

1998 PISTACHO DAY

January 20, 1998

8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Visalia Convention Center, Visalia

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**SOIL AND WATER WORKSHOP (A two-
day series)**

Soil and Water Testing in Crop Management

February 10, 1998

**Interpreting and Applying Soil, Water and Plant
Analyses: A Small-Group Workshop**

February 11, 1998

Both UC Davis University Extension courses will

be held at UC Davis. Contact Anna Trunnell at 530/757-8899.

TRI-COUNTY CLING PEACH MEETING
THURSDAY, JANUARY 22, 1998
142A GARDEN HIGHWAY, YUBA CITY
MEETING PROGRAM

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WEED SCIENCE SCHOOL
February 18-20 or February 23-25, 1998

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To register, contact University Extension,
530/757-8899, Fax 530/757-8634

CHILLING HOURS UPDATE

As of January 1, 1998, there were 841 chilling hours at UC Davis. Compare this to 468 chilling hours in 1996-97, and only 295 for 1995-96 for the same time. Last season I started recording local chilling hours. This season unfortunately, there may be a problem with the recording device so we'll have to rely on those from Davis as we have usually done.

PLANTING NEW ORCHARDS

Tree planting time is approaching for those growers planting new orchards. This is a costly investment in time and money and you want to do it properly. You can pick up a handout on Tree Planting Tips from our office.

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