



## 2023 Growers Education Schedule

**January 6, 2023 - Growers Roundtable Discussion "Vineyard Management and Resource Round Table"** 9-11 am. Speakers to include all interested Vineyard Managers and Grape Growers from Calaveras County. Coffee and breakfast bites will be served. Location: Above the Rush Tasting Room, Vallecito.

**February 3, 2023 - "Sierra Foothills Soil Survey Results and How to Best Leverage Key Findings"** 9-10:30 am. Speaker: Andrew Brown, USDA-NRCS Soil Scientist. Location: Murphys Historic Hotel.

**March 3, 2023 - "Field Trip to 6 Mile Vineyard"** 9-10:30 am to study/discuss "Irrigation Technologies and Water Conservation Outcomes". Speaker: Sheldon Potter.

**April 7, 2023 - Varietal Spotlight "Zinfandel"** 9-10:30 am. Speakers: Scott Klann, Sydney Klann and two invited Grower Partners. Location: Newsome Harlow Winery Barrel Room.

**May 5, 2023 - "Field Research Update/Discussion"** 9-10:30 am. Speaker: UCCE Farm Bureau specialist (TBD). Location: Murphys Historic Hotel.

**June 2, 2023 - "Field Trip - Annual Vineyard Tour"** 9:00-4:00. Speaker: Hardeep Singh, Food Systems Advisor & UCCE Irrigation Specialist; Location #1 Indian Rock Vineyard, Location #2 Stevenot Winery and Location #3 (TBD)

**July 14, 2023 - "Yeasts & Wine Spoilage Organisms in Vineyards"** 9-10:30 am. Speaker: Lucy Joseph, CTO Ferminkasi Inc. Location: Murphys Historic Hotel.

**August 4, 2023 - "Current Status of Testing Solutions for Smoke Impact"** 9-10:30 am. Speaker: Dr. Eric Herve with ETS Labs. Location: Murphys Historic Hotel.

**September 7, 2023 - "Field Trip-Night Harvest Focus"** 6:30-8:30 pm. Location: Klause Family Vineyards (previously Villa Vallecito). Thursday evening with informal wine social after.

**October 13, 2023 - Varietal Spotlight "Barbera"** 9-10:30 am. Speakers: Nate & Dre Vader and two invited Grower Partners. Location: Vina Moda Garden, Murphys.

**November 3, 2023 - "Harvest Wrap Up Roundtable Discussion"** 10:00 am-12:00 pm. Location: Hatcher Winery Barrel Room, Vallecito. All Calaveras County Growers and Winemakers invited to speak/participate. Brown bag lunch w/bottle share.

**December 1, 2023 - "Results of the County Winegrape Survey"** 9-10:30 am. Speaker: Jesse Fowler, Calaveras County Agriculture Commissioner. Winegrape Survey & Calaveras Co. Ag Department updates for the year ahead. Location: Murphys Historic Hotel.

For questions or to RSVP, contact Mark Silverstone, CWA Education & Events Manager at [mark@calaveraswines.org](mailto:mark@calaveraswines.org).