



**Okanagan Kootenay Cherry Growers Association  
2008 Research Review Meeting  
February 10, 2009 - PARC Conference Room, Summerland**

**8:00am Registration:** Membership \$50, Meeting Fee \$25 (includes Wed. lunch)  
**PLEASE NOTE: Research Reports have been emailed to all members with email addresses and will be available on the website. PLEASE print these out and bring them for your own reference. Extra reports WILL NOT be available at the meeting.**

**AGENDA:**

- 8:45** Meeting Introductions: Greg Norton
- 8:55** 2008 Research Review: Brian Mennell  
Each researcher will have 20 min. for presentation and 10 min. for questions
- 9:00** 06A – Increasing the efficacy of generic GA: G. Hogue
- 9:30** 06B – Cherry response to Management Treatments: G. Neilson
- 10:00** 06G – Tree Effects from Spray Applications: G. Neilson
- 10:15** Coffee Break
- 10:30** 06E – Evaluation of Pest Management Practices: D. Holder
- 11:00** 08A – Paper Wasp Study: D. Holder
- 11:30** 08B – Assessing Industry Readiness for Extending Storage and Shipping Sweetheart Cherries: P. Toivonen
- 12:00** **Lunch** on own at PARC Cafeteria (please note at registration if you want lunch)
- 1:00** Starling Control Research: Connie Bielert
- 1:30** 2009 Research funding proposals:  
- 08-B Assessing Industry Readiness for Extending Storage and Shipping Sweetheart Cherries, P. Toivonen – 2nd year for this study.  
- Other Proposals
- 2:30** Directors meeting (closed) Agenda previously circulated

Dave Stirling is reserving a limited number of seats at a Penticton restaurant for dinner. Please email him if you would like to be included [stirlingorchards@shaw.ca](mailto:stirlingorchards@shaw.ca) PRIOR to February 10th.