

CRI Postharvest Workshops 2023

Day 1: Starts 12:00

Session 1 Economics, Logistics and Market Access

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| 1. Welcome | Chairman |
| Main sponsor: Citrashine & ICA | |
| 2. Area overview | Area representative |
| 3. Economic considerations for exporting citrus | Hoppie Nel /
Hannes Bester |
| 4. Update on logistics for 2023 | Mitchell Brooke |
| 5. Controllable costs and losses in the logistical chain | BFAP (Kandas Cloete) |
| 6. Market access: pests of concern and marking requirements | Elma Carstens |
| 7. <u>Panel discussion & questions</u> | |
| <i>Tea</i> | <i>14:30 – 15:00</i> |

Session 2 Cooling, Packaging and Shelf-life

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| 1. Pre-cooling – what can go wrong? | Tarl Berry |
| 2. Implications of poor packaging and palletisation | Dawid Groenewald |
| 3. Changes to FMS and feedback on cooling research | Tarl Berry |
| 4. Chilling injury, rind disorders and shelf-life | Paul Cronje |
| 5. Pre-harvest considerations and harvesting | Natasha Jackson |
| 6. <u>Panel discussion & questions</u> | |

*Happy Hour sponsored by MafRoda & HB Fuller
Braai/Dinner (R220)*

Day 2: Starts 8:15

Session 3 Pre-packing Preparations and Planning

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| 1. Phytosanitary pests to look for at the packhouse | Sean Moore /
Wayne Mommsen |
| 2. Food safety | Wilma du Plooy |
| 3. Packhouse maintenance | Jan Landman |
| 4. Water properties and how it affects water quality | Wilma du Plooy |
| 5. Sanitation | Meagan van Dyk |
| 6. <u>Panel discussion & questions</u> | |
| <i>Tea</i> | <i>10.00 – 10.30</i> |

Session 4 Decay and Shelf-life Management

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| 1. Common mistakes at critical control points | Catherine Savage |
| 2. Fine-tuning decay management | Wilma du Plooy |
| 3. Managing imazalil in the fungicide bath/flooder | Catherine Savage /
Natasha Jackson |
| 4. Sour rot re-cap | Meagan van Dyk |
| 5. Wax application fundamental principles | Jan Landman |
| 6. <u>Panel discussion & questions</u> | |
| 7. General | |
| ➤ Research needs | |
| ➤ Suggestions for 2024 | |
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| 8. Closure | |

DATUMS EN PLEKKE VIR CRI NA-OES WERKSWINKELS 2023 DATES AND VENUES FOR CRI POSTHARVEST WORKSHOPS 2023

Datum Date	Pakhuiswerkswinkel Packhouse Workshop	Plek Venue
Tues 24 - Wed 25 Jan	Limpopo 1 (English)	Die Eiland, Letsitele Tel: 015 386 8000
Don 26 - Vry 27 Jan	Limpopo 2 (Afrikaans)	Loskopdam, Groblersdal Tel: 013 262 3075
Maan 30 - Din 31 Jan	Mpumalanga (Afrikaans)	The Capital Pearls, Nelspruit Tel: 013 813 9000
Thu 2 - Fri 3 Feb	KZN & Swaziland (English)	The Capital, Umhlanga Tel: 031 945 0000
Tues 14 - Wed 15 Feb	Eastern Cape (English)	Mentorskraal, Jeffreysbaai Tel: 042 293 3278
Don 16 - Vry 17 Feb	Wes-Kaap (Afrikaans)	Ashanti Estate, Paarl Tel: 021 001 3198