

CA Sustainable Winegrowing Alliance
&
Napa Sustainable Winegrowing Group
present

“Sustainable Ecosystem Management for Winegrowers”

Tuesday, February 28, 2006

8:00am-12:00pm

River Ranch Farmworker Housing Center, St. Helena

Registration & Continental Breakfast

8:00am-8:20am

Seminar

8:20am-12:00pm

“Welcome,” Astrid Bock-Foster, Program Director, Napa Sustainable Winegrowing Group

“What does ecosystem management mean?” Ann Thrupp, Managing Director, CA Sustainable Winegrowing Alliance

Habitat & Wildlife Management

“Habitat & wildlife management in vineyard ecosystems,”

Kent Reeves, Biologist, The Whole Picture, and East Bay Municipal Utilities District

“Insectary plantings for beneficial insects,”

Ann Baker, Ann Baker Landscape Architecture

Self-assessment working session*

Ecosystem Management Chapter in Sustainable Winegrowing Workbook

Air Quality Issues & Practices

“Air quality challenges & practices to prevent air quality problems in vineyards,”

Joe Browde, Project Manager, CA Sustainable Winegrowing Alliance

“Practices to improve air quality and reduce emissions at Fetzer vineyards,”

Patrick Healy, Environmental Manager, Fetzer Vineyards

Self-assessment working session*

Air Quality Chapter in Sustainable Winegrowing Workbook

Wrap up, Discussion, Closing

Ann Thrupp, Managing Director, CA Sustainable Winegrowing Alliance

Sign-up

Please RSVP by calling Lisa Francioni at 415-356-7545

Space is limited

Free of charge (seminar sponsored by the CA Sustainable Winegrowing Alliance)

* This workshop will give you an opportunity to assess your vineyard practices (or to see how they have changed), using the Code of Sustainable Winegrowing Practices workbook. Those who have not yet completed an assessment will receive a new workbook. If you already have a workbook, please bring it along!

For directions visit: www.nswg.org

For further information call Astrid at the NCRCD at 707-252-4188 x113 (no RSVPs please)