



Ohio Certified Crop Adviser Pre-Exam Training Seminar

January 10 & 11, 2018 in Sidney, Ohio

The Certified Crop Adviser (CCA) Exam Training program, sponsored and delivered by the OSU Agronomic Crops Team, will be offered at the Shelby County Extension Office, 810 Fair Rd, Sidney, Ohio 45365 on January 10 & 11, 2018 beginning at 9:00 a.m. on the 10th and adjourn by 5:00 p.m. on the 11th. This is an intensive two-day program somewhat directed toward the local exam – to be used as a reminder on what best to study in preparation for the CCA exams. Exams will be given in 2018 on February 2nd and August 3rd. Register for the exams at <https://www.certifiedcropadviser.org/exams>, at least six weeks before the exam date. *The exams are not given during the preparation class.*

The price for the exam preparation class is \$250. Secure on line registration via credit card, debit card or check is available at: <http://www.cvent.com/d/jtqpf2>.

Course contact:

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We will provide at the program the following publications in addition to the lectures:

- New Ohio Agronomy Guide,
- Ohio, Indiana & Illinois Weed Control Guide,
- Corn & Soybean Field Guide or equivalent
- Tri-State Fertility Guide and
- Modern Corn & Soybean Production.
- And many handouts

Meals, snacks, coffee will also be provided at the site. Please inform Harold Watters, 937 604-2415 or watters.35@osu.edu, if you have meal restrictions.

International study guide:

There is a good resource “Preparing for the International CCA Exam” soon to be available for purchase. FYI, the 2018 edition will be available in late October 2017. To order: <https://store.ipni.net/collections/manuals>. This guide is divided into four main categories; Nutrient Management, Crop Management, Pest Management, Soil/Water Management with subject matter and questions/answers at end of each chapter. This manual is an excellent study guide for the International Exam.

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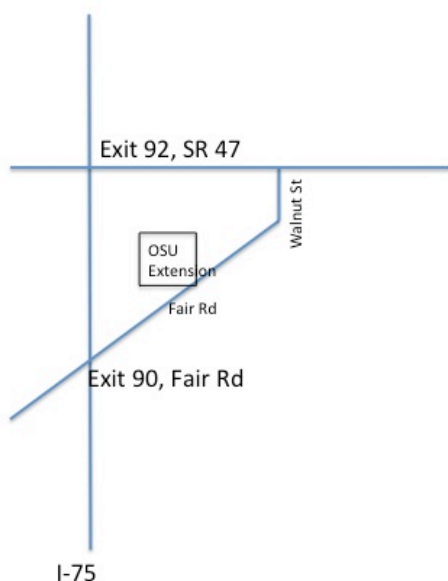
Tentative agenda:

Wednesday		Thursday	
9 a.m.	Introductions	8 a.m.	Basics of the CCA program
Greg LaBarge, CCA	Pest Management - Weeds - Insects - Diseases Fertilizer & Pesticide Math	Harold Watters, CPAg, CCA	Crop Management - Crop Production - Photosynthesis - Crop Physiology - Variety Selection
Robert Mullen, CPAg, CCA	Nutrient Management Concepts - Soil pH and Liming - Primary Nutrients - Secondary Nutrients - Micronutrients - CEC - Nutrient deficiencies	Bruce Clevenger, CCA	Soil and Water Management - Soil Properties - Soil Water - Surface and Ground Water - Soil & Wind Erosion
5 p.m.		5 p.m.	

Directions:

Shelby County Extension Office • 810 Fair Road • Sidney • Ohio • 45365 • (937) 498-7239

Map of Sidney



The **OSU Extension office** is approximately 1 mile east of the I-75 and Fair Road intersection. It is on the north side of the road, along the edge of the Shelby County fairgrounds. The Fair Road exit is the southern most of the four Sidney exits (Exit 90).

If you wish to stay over there are several hotels in the area: names may have changed since last I checked.

Comfort Inn, I-75 & Rt. 47, 937 492-3001

EconoLodge, I-75 & Rt 47, 937 492-9164

Days Inn, I-75 & Rt 47, 937 492-1104

Hampton Inn, I-75 & Fair Rd, 937 498-8888

Holiday Inn, I-75 & Rt 47, 937 492-1131