8 July 2016

Upcoming:

**Thursday, July 14** – Winnipeg Blue Bomber Game at Investors’ Group Field. **Parking restrictions will be in effect for W lot starting at 6:00 p.m.**

**Thursday, July 21** – Winnipeg Blue Bomber Game at Investors’ Group Field. **Parking restrictions will be in effect for W lot starting at 6:00 p.m.**

**Friday, July 22, 11:00 a.m., Room 346 Ellis Building** – M.Sc. thesis defence, Monica Boudreault. “Sediment source apportionment under different spatial frameworks in an agricultural watershed in Atlantic Canada”.

Department Staff Away:

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Jennifer Henderson will be working 6 days during the summer to cover office staff vacation time as follows:

- July 20 – Wednesday
- July 22 – Friday
- July 25 – Monday
- July 29 – Friday
- Aug 2 – Tuesday
- Aug 5 - Friday

Jennifer will return Wednesday, September 14.

**Important note**: While Lynda is on holidays this summer, Terri will be doing payroll. **Time sheets will need to be in to her on Thursdays by 2 p.m. for the time period of July 18 to Aug 5.**
News:

_Paper of the week:_


Opportunities:

_Assistant Professor, Agronomy/Applied Soil Microbiology, Montana State University, Moccasin, MT_

The position announcement can be found at [https://jobs.montana.edu/postings/5650](https://jobs.montana.edu/postings/5650). Qualified candidates may direct questions to Dr. Patrick Carr, Search Committee Chair, Superintendent and Associate Professor/Cropping Systems, Montana State University - Central Agricultural Research Center, 52583 US Highway 87, Moccasin, MT 59462-9512, Office: (406) 423-5421 (ext. 113); Cell: (701) 260-8095, Email: patrick.carr@montana.edu.

Events:

_Untiversity of Manitoba 4R Research Field Tour and Exchange, July 12, 2016, 9:00-2:00 (alternate rain day July 14), LaSalle, Domain, Brunkild_

9-11:30 Tour 1 (La Salle): Fall/Spring Enhanced Efficiency N Spring Wheat Trial
11:45- 12:45 Tour 2 (Domain): N Placement Depth Effects on Canola
1:00-2:00 Tour 3 (Brunkild): N Management for Protein in New Higher Yielding Spring Wheat Trial

Tour 1 Presenters: Mario Tenuta, U Manitoba; Ray Dowbenko, Agrium; Don Flaten, U Manitoba; Rigas Karamanos, Koch; Mitch Rezansoff, Enns Brothers; Kevin Baron, U Manitoba; Matthew Wood, U Manitoba

Tour 2 Presenters: Rigas Karamanos, Koch; Kevin Baron, U Manitoba

Tour 3 Presenters: Don Flaten, U Manitoba; Amy Mangin, U Manitoba

Completely Free. Snacks, Coffee and Drinks Provided

Contact: Mario Tenuta, University of Manitoba (mario.tenuta@umanitoba.ca) 204-290-7827

_American Geophysical Union, Fall Meeting, Dec 12-16, 2016, San Francisco, CA_

Session: Linking physical and biological drivers of nitrous oxide emissions from soil freeze-thaw cycles. (Session ID#: 13891)

You are invited to submit an abstract to the session by **August 3**.

([https://agu.confex.com/agu/fm16/preliminaryview.cgi/Session13891](https://agu.confex.com/agu/fm16/preliminaryview.cgi/Session13891))

Primary Convener: Claudia Wagner-Riddle, University of Guelph, Guelph, ON, Canada
Conveners: Shannon E Brown, University of Guelph, Guelph, ON, Canada and Kari Dunfield, University of Guelph, Guelph, ON, Canada