

# 35TH ANNUAL MICHIGAN VITICULTURE FIELD DAY & INAUGURAL MICHIGAN ENOLOGY EXPERIENCE

JULY 31 -  
AUGUST 1

2024



Register here!

## VITICULTURE FIELD DAY JULY 31

8-9AM -- REGISTRATION

9AM-12PM -- MORNING EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS

**Tim Miles (MSU):** Rain or shine: grape disease management in all conditions

**Mike Reinke (MSUE):** Spray drone season-long grape pest management program update

**Jason Deveau (OMAFRA):** Understanding sprayer failures and how to fix them

12-1PM -- LUNCH

1-2PM EXHIBITOR DEMONSTRATIONS AND TRADESHOW

2-5PM -- AFTERNOON EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS

**Mike de Schaaf (MGS):** Pruning methods to adjust for winter damage

**Cheyenne Sloan (MSUE):** Soiled it! The importance of soil health

**Rufus Isaacs (MSU):** Insect pest management options in a short crop year

5-6PM -- STEAK DINNER

6-8PM -- WINE SHOWCASE

## ENOLOGY EXPERIENCE AUGUST 1

8-9AM -- REGISTRATION

9AM-12PM -- MORNING EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS

**Brian Lillie (Michigan Wine Collaborative):** State of the Michigan wine industry

**Tim Godfrey (Lake Michigan College):** Five steps to making quality wine

**Karl Lehmann (AEB):** Maximizing phenolics, color and protein stability in red winemaking

**Michigan Winemakers:** Tasting panel of lesser-grown varieties in Michigan

12-1PM -- LUNCH

1-5PM -- EDUCATIONAL WINERY TOURS

**Amy Birk (Domaine Berrien Cellars):** Processing tools and tactics for quality

**Jerardo Bocanegra (Lemon Creek Winery):** Machine harvesting vs hand harvesting

**Maxx Eichberg (Stranger Wine Co.):** Non-saccharomyces yeast and ambient yeast populations

5-5:30PM -- LAKE MICHIGAN VINTNERS TOUR

5:30-7PM -- SMALL BITES AND LAKE MICHIGAN

VINTNERS PARTNER WINES