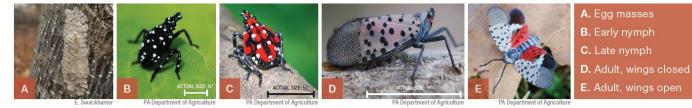
Spotted Lanternfly Working Group – Register now! First Annual Meeting

July 16th-17th Albright College, Reading, PA

Spotted Lanternfly (SLF) is a new invasive pest located in southeastern Pennsylvania which feeds voraciously on many hosts, including grapes, hops, tree fruit, trees, and ornamentals. As this pest continues to expand in population and distribution, reported damage from these industries as well as nuisance problems from business and homeowners are becoming more common. Little is known on how to effectively and sustainably manage this pest, especially across such a broad host range. We are holding a 2-day working group meeting for all researchers, extension personnel, and policy makers who are concerned with SLF. Day 1 will include formal presentations to share field observations, recent research, and to review current management strategies. This will allow for planning with the most up-to-date understanding of the current and emerging issues surrounding SLF. It will be followed by a session on identification of SLF with an optional field visit to see SLF populations in-person. Day 2 will then be devoted to establishing research, extension, and regulatory priorities based on input from all participants. These priorities are expected to reflect SLF goals from all possible perspectives and industries and should serve as a guideline for future SLF work. This working group will serve as the primary platform for all continued collaboration, research, and outreach to advance the development and adoption of SLF IPM.



To attend this meeting, please register here: <u>https://goo.gl/forms/bGQF2VozSAtMSHgr1</u> Attendance is limited at 200, so please register as soon as possible!

For questions about this meeting, please contact Heather Leach (Penn State Spotted Lanternfly Extension Coordinator) at <u>hll50@psu.edu</u>. To learn more about spotted lanternfly, visit our website: <u>https://extension.psu.edu/spotted-lanternfly</u>





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Day 1. Monday, July 16, 8:30am-5pm

8:30am Registration, coffee and light breakfast *Viewing of posters in lobby*9am Welcome and research presentations
10am Industry panel
10:45am *Break*11am Group discussion for research priorities, funding
12pm *Lunch*1pm Regulatory presentations and group discussion
2pm Extension presentations and group discussion
3pm Field tour, Berks Campus
5pm Return to Albright College/hotels

Day 2. July 17th, 8am-12pm.

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