

2021 Cotton Tour

Wednesday, Sept 1, 2021

8AM-1PM

WEST TENNESSEE RESEARCH AND EDUCATION CENTER

605 AIRWAYS BLVD JACKSON, TN 38301

Lunch catered by Cajun Express

Pesticide Recertification/CCA Points Available

Tour 1

8:30/9:55 Corner of Field 23

Dr. Tyson Raper

ThryvOn Variety Tests (10 min)

Dr. Heather Kelly

Disease update (20 min)

Dr. Nutifafa Adotey

Nutrient management update (20 min)

9:20/10:45 Subsurface Drip

Tyler Sandlin

Defoliation lessons from 2020; determining products, rates and timings for 2021 (20 min)

Ryan Blair and Tyson Raper

Update on 2021 variety testing; CST and OVT (10 min)

Tour 2

8:30/10:00 Field 7

Dr. Avat Shekoofa and Kurt Wedegaertner

Optimizing irrigation amount for cotton varieties (20 min)

8:50/10:20 Field 5

Dr. Scott Stewart

Plant bugs and thrips (20 min)

Dr. Scott Stewart and Sandy Steckel

Bollworm and general insect management comments (15 min)

9:25/10:55 Weed Tour Parking Lot

Dr. Larry Steckel and Delaney Foster

Auxin and Amaranths- We have a problem (20 min)

Joint, Tour 1 and 2

11:25 Room A, Main Building

Dr. Lori Duncan

Update on US Cotton Trust Protocol (15 min)

Dr. Aaron Smith

Cotton market outlook (15 min)