

Newsletter Date
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Good Saturday A.M. Friends Only 7 Months til Christmas

There was some very Appreciated SunShine at Gooding St
....Early this morning...

....But really cloudy here at Kent City right now.

About Forecasts.... In General, pretty much, they're usually quite close...??? Almost...???

But the "*Long-Range*"...??? When we carefully note what the 10-Day-Forecast calls for, and then come back to that same Forecaster 24 hours Later, we frequently see some very wide variances to 24 Hr. Earlier. Like right now, WunderGround changed theirs to show a 25%-Chance-Rain at 3pm today.... Just like your Live-Radar shows Ya !!! ☹️

Anyway...Later today is supposed to be Sunny and 77°F....???? Kinda like a Holiday Weekend is supposed to look like...???

And Tomorrow a much better chance of Sunny-75°F !!

****** Calciums in the Tank with Kudos (Apogee) - (Prohexadione-Calcium)is a "No-No"**

ButResearchers claim there are some certain Calcium Products that do not seem to interfere with the Performance of the Prohexadione Kudos. We know that on some very HiDollar-Fave Varieties, we want to start a serious Calcium Regimen at Pink, and stay very energized with that Regimen til Harvest.

We know it's *very critical* to start Early....at Pink. We also do not like to make more Xtra-Special-Trips thru the very soft & muddy Orchard-Floor.

So.... We are seriously checking into this further.

In our 10-Ac-Block-Apple-Trials we are doing 4 Applns - 3 oz-Kudos and Tank-Mixing substantial Rates of Fave Calciums....

**Pink	-- FoliCal [Brandt]	2 Qts-Ac
**Bloom	-- MainStay-Ca-SI	1 Qt. -Ac
**PetalFall	--FoliCal	2 Qts-Ac
**P.F.+10 Da.	--RidgCAL.BPC.PhitePlus	3 Pt.-Ac

....and we will of course be documenting any variations in Shoot-Growth in these Blocks compared to the "Grower-Standard" Kudos-Apps in adjacent Blocks.

Kinda Nice.... Both of these 10-Ac-Trial-Blocks have lots of Apple Orchard Acres right next Door to use as the "Grower-Standard"...

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******Herbicides..... Should Wait** til complete Petal-Fall.
And even then we don't go on a hot-humid-muggy-"thick" Day.
Some of the Chemistries in our Fave Tank-Mixes have some "Fume-Factor" so we just choose the right-Weather-Day.
We can use some seriously Low-Cost-Hi-Performance Products in our Weed-Spray.
Give us a hint of what Targets you have that are giving you the most problems.... Let's see what Cost-Effective Products you should be getting into your Tank.
Also there are some great Nutrition Opportunities with this Trip.

Lots of our Grower Pal Customers are Veterans of the U.S.Armed Forces

We Sincerely Thank You for Your Service.... Your CourageYour Bravery and Your Sacrifice

.....and We Thank Your Families for Their Sacrifice While you were Long Absent from Your Home

And We Remember All that Made the Ultimate Sacrifice. May our Awesome God Bless Their Families and Their Legacy.

Warmest Regards Gods Coolest Blessings to All of You !!!!
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