



SPOTTED KNAPWEED 2011 BIO CONTROL WORKSHOP & FIELD DAY



AGENDA

SPONSORS: -Nez Perce Bio-control Center
-ADC Garden Club
-USDA-APHIS
-Idaho State Department of Agriculture
-Idaho Forest Owners Association

TIME AND LOCATION: July 18, 2011 starting at 9:00 am
Athol Community Center, 30355 3rd Street, Athol, ID

Presenter: Paul Brusven, NPBC Coordinator

9:00 - 10:30 a.m. Classroom, biological control of weeds principles
Spotted Knapweed biology
Biological control agents for Spotted Knapweed

10:30 - 10:45 a.m. BREAK

10:45 - 12:00 p.m. Classroom, Biological Control release techniques
Biological Control monitoring techniques
Biological Control: When Is It Right For You?
Decision making process, when to use bio-control
Integrated Weed Management Strategies

12:00 - 1:00 p.m. Lunch (please bring a sack lunch, drinks provided)

1:00 - 3:00 p.m. Instruction at Spotted Knapweed infestation/field site
Monitoring for biological control agents
Monitoring for insect damage to plants
BC Collections & Trend Monitoring (SIMP)

3:00 p.m. Distribution of Bio-control releases



THIS WORKSHOP IS VERY INFORMAL AND INCLUDES POWERPOINT PRESENTATIONS AND FIELD SITE DEMONSTRATIONS.

Herbicide Re-certification Credits are available

TO REGISTER CONTACT:

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