Conference Schedule

* Presentation Repeated

	Theatre	Hall A	Hall B	Hall C
8:30	Registration			
9:00 to 9:50	11* 80 bu Soybeans	4 Residue Mgmt.	17* "Fine-tuning N for Corn	6* S, Ca & Mg Reqs.
10:00 to 10:50	10 Difficult to Ctrl Weeds	8 Cover Crop Realists	15* Tillage: A Necessary Evil?	18* Satellites, Yields and Mgmt.
11:00 to 11:50	16* Compaction	5 Soil Micro- biology for Nitrogen	6* S, Ca & Mg Reqs.	9 Ontario Commodity Outlook
12:00 to 12:50	15* Tillage: A Necessary Evil?	7 Cover Crops Production Systems	20 Precision Pasture	11* 80 bu Soybeans
1:00 to 1:50	Mental Health in Ontario Agriculture FEATURE SPEAKER			
2:00 to 2:50	14 Market Outlook Philip Shaw	17 "Fine-tuning N for Corn"	19 Forage Production	2 Mental Health Workshop
3:00 to 3:50	18* Satellites, Yields and Mgmt.	3 Soil Organic Matter	13* Fighting Diseases!	12* Ear and Pod Pests
4:00 to 4:50	21 Strip-Till	16* Compaction	13* Fighting Diseases!	12* Ear and Pod Pests

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- 1. Mental Health in Ontario Agriculture A look at the state of mental health in Ontario agriculture and strategies to address the epidemic. Briana Hagen, University of Guelph
- **2. Mental Health Strategies for resilience** A workshop to help you develop and enhance your mental health resilience. Briana Hagen, University of Guelph
- **3. Soil Organic Matter** Synthesis of recent research on the maintenance, formation and functions of organic matter. Joel Gruver, Western Illinois U Ext
- **4. Residue Management in Tough Soils** Strategies & equipment modifications for no-till difficult soils. Focus on residue management. Panel: Brent Vanden Bosch, Greg Millard & Henry Denotter
- **5. Managing Soil Microbiology for Nitrogen** Tillage, timing, weather: what are the factors that influence the role of microbes in nitrogen dynamics? Karen Thompson, Trent University
- **6.*S, Ca and Mg Requirements in Ontario** A look at the sulphur, calcium, and magnesium requirements for crop production in Ontario. John Lauzon, University of Guelph
- **7. Cover Crops in Ontario Production Systems** Learn about the long-term Ontario research on cover crop impacts on yields and economics and about cover crop selection and termination. Anne Verhallen, Mike Cowbrough, OMAFRA
- **8. Cover Crop Realists** Local producers are adapting strategies to benefit from cover crops in our region and on their farms. Marc Bercier, Warren Schneckenburger, Mike Schouten & Matt Taylor
- **9. Ontario Commodity Market Situation and Outlook** An update on grains and oilseeds markets and its impact on Ontario farmers. Steve Duff, OMAFRA
- **10. Difficult to Control Weeds and New Products** Management strategies to tackle common yield limiting weeds will be discussed with an overview of new products. Mike Cowbrough, OMAFRA
- 11. *Soybeans: Five Steps to Achieving 80 bu/ac What are the most important factors necessary to achieving high soybean yields? Horst Bohner, OMAFRA
- 12. *Managing Ear and Pod Pests to Maintain Quality More pests are coming in later in the season. Learn how best to scout and manage them. Tracey Baute, OMAFRA
- **13. *Fighting Diseases!** Always a challenge which disease to look out for and how to reduce your risk! Albert Tenuta, OMAFRA
- **14. Market Outlook** A look at the future of the Ontario grain markets including trading relationships, interest rates and the current geopolitical situation. Philip Shaw, Philip Shaw Farms Inc.
- **15. *Tillage: A Necessary Evil?** Tremendous yields, massive residue, wet falls, cold wet springs, the challenges abound! The options, the possibilities, and the pitfalls of different tillage choices. Peter Johnson, Real Agriculture
- **16. *Compaction** What you can do to avoid and allleviate compaction on your farm. Greg Stewart, Maizex and Alex Barrie, OMAFRA
- 17. *"Fine-tuning N for Corn" Recent advances show promise on how in-season rainfall can be used to fine-tune nitrogen management in corn. Dr. Dave Hooker, University of Guelph
- **18. *Satellite, Yields and Management** The behind the scenes of today's satellite imagery technology and what it can do for your farm. Leander Campbell, AAFC Ottawa, Chris Olbach, Corteva Agriscience and Alex Whitley, Taranis
- **19. Forage Production in Adverse Weather** Ontario has experienced some challenging conditions. Make your forage production system more resilient. Christine O'Reilly, OMAFRA
- **20. Precision Pasture Management** Use data to make the most efficient use of your farm's pasture resources. Take precision agriculture inside the perimeter fence. Christine O'Reilly, OMAFRA
- **21. Strip-Till** From fertilizer management to coulters versus shanks, the "how to" from growers making it work! Ben Rosser, OMAFRA Panel: Warren Schneckenburger and Mike Schouten

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