











CULTIVATING HEALTHY COMMUNITIES

## **2016** Corn Variety Trial Field Day

Join the UVM Extension's Champlain Valley Crop, Soil & Pasture Team in the field to see our corn variety demonstration, comparing shorter season to longer season corn varieties (78-99 day).

When: Friday, August 26 from 11 am to 2 pm

Where: Vorsteveld Farm, 3925 Panton Rd. A field on Panton Rd. next to the Telecom building (1/2 mile east of intersection with Jersey St. and Panton Rd., <1 mile west on Panton Rd. after crossing Dead Creek)



## **JOIN US FOR A CATERED LUNCH!**

Free Event with Food Provided By Crop Production Services

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Research in northern VT has suggested that variety, as opposed to just day length, is important in determining corn yield. To this end, we have planted an array of corn varieties at multiple sites in the area to demonstrate whether and which short season corn varieties perform as well as longer season varieties. The objective is to test varieties on our soils and find optimum day length so that there is more time in the fall for cover crop seeding and establishment. We will also have the opportunity after lunch to look at other cover crop/no-till fields on the farm.

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