



The University of Vermont
The UVM Apple Program



Vermont Tree Fruit Listserv

The purpose of the listserv is to help growers help one another with practical farming issues:

- To buy and sell items from each another, or to buy in bulk
- To share knowledge about farming practices
- to share experience with products, equipment and supplies/suppliers
- to discuss management issues such as insurance, labor, financing
- to share farm employment opportunities or farm property for sale

Please refrain from sending any:

- political messages
- surveys
- meeting announcements (send to tbradsha@uvm.edu for the UVM Apple Program newsletter)
- spam of any kind

Sending non-practical messages will dilute the purpose of the listserv and reduce participation.

Members that do not honor the purpose of the listserv may be removed.

The listserv is only available to [VTFGA](#) members in good standing.

To join the listserv, send e-mail to: listserv@list.uvm.edu and type the subscribe command as the first line of your message along with the list name and your first and last name.

Some examples:

- sub vttreefruit Henry Somebody
 - sub vttreefruit Joan A. R. Person
 - sub vttreefruit Tom Lee III
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To send a message to everyone on the list, email it to: vttreefruit@list.uvm.edu

***Important: include a meaningful topic in the subject line of your email.

Replies to a message only go to the sender; unless you also reply to the listserv address:

vttreefruit@list.uvm.edu. When a question of general interest is asked to the list, such as "how do growers plant trees?" the sender should compile all the answers and send out a message to the list with a descriptive subject matter line, "responses to tree planting question."

This method limits the total number of emails coming from the listserv, and it allows one to more easily look for information in the listserv archives, which only shows the subject line. All past messages are archived, by month at <http://list.uvm.edu/cgi-bin/wa?A0=vttreefruit>. You will be required to set up a login and password to access the archives.

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