

Contra Costa & Alameda Counties

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## OLIVE PRUNING DEMONSTRATION

Saturday, April 1, 2006  
9:30 am to 2:30 pm

*Guest Speaker:*

Paul Vossen, Farm Advisor, Sonoma County  
and local expert on oil olives

*Location:* Livermore & Pleasanton

*Sponsored by:*

UC Cooperative Extension  
Livermore Valley Olive Growers

We will visit 3 sites with trees of different ages, varieties, planting densities and training systems that are representative of East Bay plantings. These include:

- 1-5 year old, high density plantings of Frantoio, Leccino, Maurino and Pendelino,
- 12 year old Manzanillos on traditional spacing
- Historic Missions and Manzanillos on wide spacing that need of renewal pruning

Do you have other varieties? Come with your questions!

**For reservations and information** call UC Cooperative Extension in Contra Costa County at 925-646-6540. The demonstration is free but space may be limited.

Hope to see you there,

Janet Caprile  
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