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Online Training Available:

https://eces.ifas.ufl.edu/

Pest Management in and Around Structures:

http://www.eXtension.org/

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PMU Focus

UPCOMING DEADLINES

A quick reminder to sign up for the WDO Inspections class and Bed Bug Management class by the deadline below. We only offer these classes once a year, so they won't be back until 2013! Check the website for the most recent course offerings and dates.

PCT Article of Interest IPM in Schools: Better Defining the PMPs Role

By Michael Page, Bureau Chief, Entomology and Pest Control, Florida Dept. of Agriculture and Consumer Services

This article details the involvement of the Association of Structural Pest Control Regulatory Officials (ASPCRO) in school IPM, the pest problems in school, dealing with an anti-pesticide influence and the impact of PMPs as change agents.

http://pct.texterity.com/pct/201202?sub_id=DpsQl0m3dehw D#pq74



Manatee County School District IPM Coordinator Dan Lisenko demonstrating monitor placement for Bureau Chief Mike Page.

WDO Inspections and Form 13645

Date: March 8-9, 2012; Thursday-Friday

Place: UF/IFAS Apopka MREC

Time: 8 AM-5 PM (TH), 8 AM-Noon (F)

Cost: \$195

Registration will close on March 2, 2012; Friday. (Note:

Registration deadlines are earlier than most CEU classes because each class is tailored for the folks enrolled, so we require time to print the material that will be distributed for each class and gather supplies for the hands-on training.)

Registration Form

If you are doing WDOs, this is a "must have" course! Review termite and WDO biology and behavior, and learn to fill the form out by doing the inspection on our house with guidance from DACS and attorney Mark Ruff.

THIS IS OUR ONLY WDO CLASS SCHEDULED THIS YEAR. DON'T MISS IT!

Bed Bug Management

Date: March 16, 2012; Friday Place: UF/IFAS Apopka MREC

Time: 8 AM-5 PM

\$150

Registration will close on March 12, 2012; Monday. (Note: Registration deadlines are earlier than most CEU classes because each class is tailored for the folks enrolled, so we require time to print the material that will be distributed for each class and gather supplies for the

hands-on training.)

Registration Form

This one day training includes biology, identification, legal issues and inspection techniques, including visual and canine inspection, and effective treatments strategies.

THIS IS OUR ONLY BED BUG CLASS SCHEDULED THIS YEAR. DON'T MISS IT!

PMU Reminders

WANTED ALIVE: WE NEED YOUR TICKS!

If you have accounts with live brown dog ticks, and are willing to part with them, can you please mail them to Faith at:

Faith M. Oi University of Florida Entomology and Nematology Dept. Box 110620 Gainesville, FL 32611-0620



Brown dog tick, *Rhipicephalus* sanguineus Latreille Left, male. Right, female

PH: 352-273-3971 FAX: 352-392-0190 E-mail: foi@ufl.edu

We are in dire need of replenishing our colonies for insecticide resistance

testing. Thank you for your help, in advance!

Learn more from IFAS



- UF/IFAS has Extension Offices in each of Florida's sixty-seven counties. We also have twelve Research and Education Centers (RECs) and Research and Demonstration Sites (RDSs).
- If you need help a great place to start is your local County Extension Office. With an office located in every county it has never been easier to partner with the University of Florida and your local County Government. To find an office near you please visit:

http://solutionsforyourlife.ufl.edu/map/