



January 31, 2018

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540-564-3080

Driving Directions

Rockingham County Fairgrounds

4808 S. Valley Pike

Harrisonburg, VA 22801

From I-81, take exit 243. Turn left on Rt. 11 South

The fairgrounds will be 1.5 miles ahead on right

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The **Virginia No Till Alliance** exists to maximize farm productivity and profitability by promoting successful implementation of continuous no-till systems through shared ideas, technology, conservation and education.

The VANTAGE Board of Directors is made up of farmers and agri-business representatives in the Shenandoah Valley region of Virginia.



Harrisonburg Winter Conference

January 31, 2018

10th Anniversary

Featured Speakers

- **Jay Hundley**—Champlain, Virginia farmer
- **Kevin Matthews**—Yadkin Valley, North Carolina farmer
- **Dr. Sally Taylor**—Entomologist, Va Tech
- **Dr. David Mayonado**—Monsanto Technical Development Representative



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James "Jay" Hundley, III is a third generation farmer working with his father and brother since the 1980's. His operation, Cloverfield Enterprises, raises corn, soybean, wheat, and barley on approximately 7,500 acres in Essex, Caroline and King George

counties. Most of the soybean, wheat and barley are grown under contract for Hundley Seed Company. Jay serves on the board of the Virginia Grain Producers Association. He has lived in Champlain, Virginia all of his life. His wife and two sons are active in the farming operation.

David Mayonado has served as a Technology Development Representative for Monsanto for the past 25 years. David graduated from Bridgewater College in 1982. He has a

strong background in chemistry, plant physiology and weed science. David is active in the Weed Science Society of America and the Northeastern Weed Science Society. He is a native of Maryland and currently resides in Hebron, Maryland.



Dr. Sally Taylor is an entomologist with Virginia Tech. She is based out of the Tidewater Research and Extension Center in Suffolk. Dr. Taylor has received a grant to investigate an integrated pest management approach to mitigate crop damage from slugs.



Kevin Matthews and his wife own and operate Matthews Family Farms of North Carolina, Precision Nutrient Management, Inc. and Deep Creek Grain, Inc. in East Bend and Yadkinville, NC. Their farming operations include over 6,500 acres plus nearly 800 acres of custom work. Corn, wheat and soybeans are produced in the Piedmont region of North Carolina. Kevin investigates new technologies and utilizes test plots with a focus in no-till conservation and irrigation management. He has adopted subsurface drip irrigation on many acres. Kevin has made presentations all over the country about his farming operation and success with subsurface drip irrigation.

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Want to exhibit at these events?

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Profitable No-Till Production

8:00 a.m. Registration and Trade Show

9:00 a.m. Start Right Finish Strong

- Kevin Matthews—Farmer from Yadkin Valley North Carolina

10:15 a.m. Trade Show Break

10:45 a.m. New Project to Tackle Slugs

- Dr. Sally Taylor—Va Tech

11:30 a.m. 10th Anniversary Recognition

11:45 a.m. Lunch and Trade Show Break

1:00 p.m. No-Till Farming—Past to Present

- Jay Hundley—Farmer from Champlain, Virginia

2:00 p.m. Dicamba Tolerant Soybean Stewardship

- Dr. David Mayonado—Monsanto Technical Representative

3:00 p.m. Sessions Adjourn

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