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Fruit Ridge Notes

Fruit Ridge Notes from Ron Reister C.C.A.

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Hey ...A Very Nice Saturday AM... But Really Warm...

.....**WunderGround-10-Day** calling for Hot...6 Days--Avg 89*F....Then 4 Cooler Days with Avg-79*F... Early-AM-Lows-Avg=62*F....

Next ThursdayPM and Friday AM...46% Chance of T-Storm... But Sunshine all 10 of 10 Days....

Yesterday I was at Fruit Ridge Ave ... Minding the Storewhile my Honey took the entire DeeTeam on a Team-Building-Fun-Outing.... on a Boat ... on the Water someplace West of here.... They had a Splendid Time!!

.... Soooo Thankful for my Bride of 51 Years for coming up with these Very Cool Ideas!!!!

**** The "DA-Meter" Readings On Gala and Premier H.Crisp...in the last few days ...

...These indicate that we are now in the range for doing our 1st Blush 2X Appln.... with a 2nd Appln in 10 Days....

If you already have your 1st App on, then do your 2nd App apprx 10 Dabefore-Harvest.

If you are using a DA Meter... Keep in mind.... Some of you tell me the use of ReTain will tamper with the accuracy of the DA Meter Reading...??? And... ReTain of course will likely bring with it a "'Color-Drag" affect. But ReTain is a tool that helps a huge Group of Growers manage Harvest very efficiently. I watch almost All Ya'll doin ReTain pretty doggone effectively...

**** Yup...So...This is the 22nd-August---and Some of our Later Varieties are still 6 weeks or more out there before we Harvest...??? Ya gotta know that the Cool-Nights we pray for...??? ...always leave a Heavy-Dew that doesn't Dry-Off til like 10.30 am....?? And you know those multiple spots in your Orchards that always get the SootyBlotch and the FlySpeck first.... Gotta stay covered. Sooo Happy for those Guys that can still use Captan with no 'down-side'... add a little Rally or Indar. Or...If you have some of the new Cevya....do 5 oz-Ac...[o Da.PHI]. Some Guys still like Ziram....Works good....3-4 lbs.Ac---14 Da.PHI

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Huge Blessings on Your Weekend....



Thinkn Maybe we'll do some Target-practice at the Range...at Dads Barn...

Locked & Loaded....

