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### **Hello from Kent City's Cool Dreary West-Side.....**

I don't see any Rain on the Radar, but It sure looks like it wants to.  
+++**Now**...Its almost 5pm...Been workn on this FRNs all day in  
between Calls-Etc....Anyways...Now the Sun is shining !!! +++

That nice warm day Yesterday really pushed ..... there's a bunch of H.I.G.  
& Squirrels Ears all over the place earlier today.

\*\*\*\* **No...I'm Guessing You** are not in very serious trouble if you  
you're just gettn around to your 1st Appln of Scab-I-Cide.... Assuming  
that last Thursday you had so little "Exposed Green Tissue" that the Scab-  
Spores couldn't find it...???

There was a ScabSpore Discharge. That means Millions of Spores. If you  
had kinda bad Scab in the Orchard last Season, it means Billions of  
Spores. The key is if there was enuf 'Green' to catch  
them. Now...?? Just stay ahead of All of it with your "'005'" & Captan  
& EBDCs and you'll likely be good.

\*\*\*\* **"N"** ....If you are planning ahead and you see a couple slots where  
you're thinkn You want to do a poke of "N"... Consider the  
Liquid **GreenFeed-27** that has impressed us in Trials. It's not really  
new, but it's new that we are handling it.

It is made by CalTec-AG.... It is the best & cleanest "N" Product I think  
I've seen... and has some very special "Inerts". This GreenFeed-27 comes  
in Totes.

...and this doesn't mean I don't still like CalciumNitrate-15.5-0-0-  
19Ca .... Still seriously Love that too.... but when & where needed.  
Most crops get over-dosed with "N" ....to a chronic detrimental level. The  
key is measured Timing & Delivery.

\*\*\*\* **Don't Really Know** for sure.... ???

**Question** is ....

Why is Chlopyrifos/Lorsban 4E Labeled for Michigan on Cherries at 2  
Qt[4 Pts]-Ac....but the MSU-E-154 says **3** Pints...???

....and Diazinon on Sweets is Labeled 2 Lbs-Ac. only 2 Apps-per-  
Season... but E-154 says **1** lb-Ac--2 Apps.

Always go to [www.agrian.com](http://www.agrian.com)..... Get the Label Facts in just a few  
seconds.

I'll ask some MSU Folks sometime.... I'm sure there's a good reason. But  
remember.... the **Label** is still "the **Law**"...

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\*\*\*\***Q & A** ... Just check the **Agrian** Site for the Variables on LambdaCy[warrrior]...as to Totals-per-Season on Your specific Crop...??? The Crops vary...Like on Apples and mostly all the TreeFruits, you're allowed 5 Apprs of 5.12 oz-Ac.[\$2.25] But on some Veggies, you can do 8 Applns of 3.84 oz-Ac. Take a Minute... Check out the AgrianSite.... or call me or Deanna or Alicia. SideNote..... There are 48 Products listed in Agrian that have the LambdaCy A.I..... but there's only a few of them that pertain to You/Us.

And also like on Diazinon.... You really need to carefully study your Labeled Options. It talks mostly about how much Diazinon you are to *use per 100 Gal.* Water..... which tells me we can do a full-blown 400 gal-acre-Dilute-Base but then 10X to 40 GWA-Concentrate, and maybe use 2 Lbs-Acre...??? Look at it closely. Bottom Line. Its R.U.P...Look Close. And then use the Max. Its cheap.

+++++ There is a huge long List of very Low-Cost-Xtreme-Cheap Pesticides for us All to choose from .... We just have to look in the right spot.

Better yet...??? Just call us. 616.887.9933 616.678.7708

\*\*\*\***Yup...So... Some of You Noticed that**

..... Yes...**Alicandro** is Telling his Guys to get goin *right now* - HalfInchGreen - with Calcium Applns for Bitter-Pit-Suppression in the High-Dollar-Honeys. The WayneCounty N.Y.Boys are about 2-3 DegreeDays ahead of us.

Went to the Funeral Home last Eve to see **Denise and Billy**...and GrandPa **Ken**.... and the whole Hubert Family.

The Line of Folks waiting to see the Huberts was aprx 150 feet out the Back-Door of the Funeral Home into the Parking Lot....plus the 150 ft inside the Funeral Home ...!!!

What a wonderful and loving Tribute to this Cool Family. May our Great God bless Them All with Comfort & Peace & Understanding & Healing & Grace ...and may Kyle Rest in Peace.

Warmest Regards .....r

