



10th Annual BERRY PRODUCTION & MARKETING CONFERENCE



MARCH 8, 2018

8:00 am - 4:00 pm

(Lunch is included.)

Gateway Dining Hall

Virginia State University

Petersburg, VA

Registration fee is to be paid on the day of the event by cash or check made payable to "Virginia State University"

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(804) 524-5960.**

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FEATURING

**Commercial Blackberry and
Blueberry Production**, presented by
*Ardair Peterson, Chambers Brothers
Blueberry Farm, Homerville, Georgia*

OTHER TOPICS INCLUDE:

- Blueberry Production
- Steps to Starting Blackberry Production on a One-Acre Area
- Potted Raspberry Production
- Pruning Primrose and Floricane Blackberry Varieties
- Berry Health
- Latest Research on Spotted Wing Drosophila (SWD)
- Post-Harvest Practices for Berry Crops



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