



Canola Research Update

April 5, 2017- Lacombe, Alberta

- 9:00-9:15** **Welcome & introductions**
John Guelly, Research Committee Chair, Alberta Canola
Murray Hartman, Provincial Oilseed Specialist, Alberta Agriculture & Forestry
- 9:15-9:45** **Economic thresholds for lygus bugs and cabbage seedpod weevils in canola**
Hector Carcamo, Research Scientist, Agriculture & Agri-Food Canada - Lethbridge
- 9:45-10:15** **Superior Crop Rotations Study**
Kabal Gill, Research Coordinator, Smoky Applied Research & Demonstration Association
- 10:15-10:30** **Break**
- 10:30-11:00** **Bio-solutions for canola green problem**
Markus Samuel, Associate Professor, University of Calgary
- 11:00-12:00** **Blackleg race dynamics, fungicide response, resistance gene labels & rotational strategies**
Gary Peng, Research Scientist, Agriculture & Agri-Food Canada - Saskatoon
- 12:00-1:00** **Lunch**
- 1:00-1:30** **Field scouting for weeds and diseases using imagery from a drone**
Chris Neeser, Research Scientist, Alberta Agriculture & Forestry - Edmonton
- 1:30-2:00** **Sclerotinia survey and improving sclerotinia disease control**
Mike Harding, Research Scientist, Alberta Agriculture & Forestry - Brooks
- 2:00-2:30** **Bertha armyworm monitoring system, swede midge survey and new midge species**
Scott Meers, Insect Management Specialist, Alberta Agriculture & Forestry - Brooks
- 2:30-2:45** **Break**
- 2:45-3:45** **Results from several seed size trials and rotation studies**
Neil Harker, Research Scientist, Agriculture & Agri-Food Canada – Lacombe
Breanne Tidemann, Research Scientist, Agriculture & Agri-Food Canada - Lacombe
- 3:45 -4:00** **Wrap up**
Murray Hartman, Provincial Oilseed Specialist, Alberta Agriculture & Forestry

