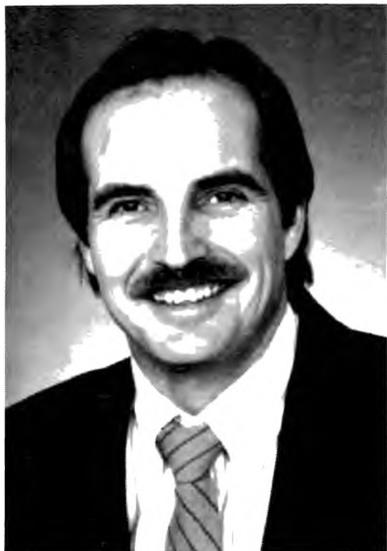


WEEK of APRIL 25, 1993

STATION NOTES

Tim Dennehy Receives 1993 Research Award from New York Wine and Grape Foundation



Dr. Timothy J. Dennehy, associate professor of entomology, recently received the 1993 Research Award from the New York Wine and Grape Foundation.

This award was presented to Tim for his major contributions in developing a management program for controlling insects that attack grapes, reducing the use of insecticides by as much as 70 per cent. He also was recognized for his understanding of insect problems in New York's grape industry, for attacking these problems through his research program, and for getting the results of this research into the hands of grape growers for rapid application in the field.

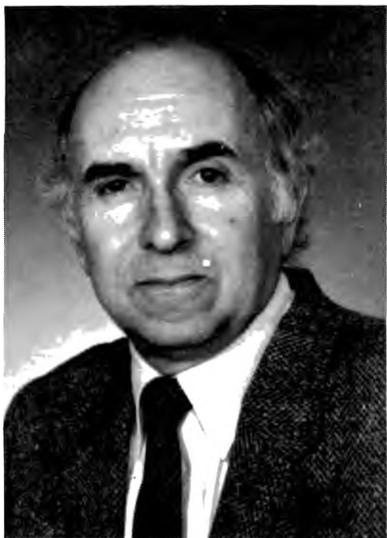
New York and promotes the use of the resulting products by consumers.

Tim has an 80 per cent research and 20 per cent extension assignment at the Geneva Station. Besides his research and extension on studying insects that attack vineyards in New York, he works with other scientists at the Station on managing pesticide resistance. This research cuts across commodity lines, and is not confined only to grapes. The scientists involved in this program are studying insects and mites that develop resistance to insecticides.

His extension responsibilities include training schools, working closely with fruit agents, conducting surveys of insects attacking grape, and serving as liaison between (*continued on page 2*)

The Wine and Grape Foundation is a combination charitable, scientific, and educational arm of New York's major grape and wine industry. It plays a significant role in funding research on grapes and wine grown and produced in

Jim Tette Receives Extension Award from Eastern Branch of Entomological Society



Dr. James P. Tette, Director of Cornell University's New York Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Program, recently received the "Distinguished Achievement Award in Extension" from the Eastern Branch Section of the Entomological Society of America.

Jim's extension career has spanned two decades. He began his work at Cornell University's New York State Agricultural Experiment Station, Geneva, in 1969 as a research associate in the department of entomology. He studied insect sex attractants (pheromones) and became interested in the application of these materials to insect pest management problems. He left Cornell in

1971 and joined a commercial company as manager of pheromone research. He returned to Cornell in 1973 and became the first Extension IPM Coordinator. During the next 10 years, he directed the extension effort in the development of IPM programs in fruit, vegetables, turfgrass, floriculture, field crops, and dairy

animals. Currently, there are IPM programs for 20 commodities grown in New York state.

Jim has provided the leadership for planning and coordinating interdisciplinary extension and research efforts in IPM. He was instrumental in developing a plan for a Statewide IPM Program that currently provides nearly one million dollars in state support to Cornell for IPM. He has led efforts to educate and train professional crop protection consultants and has supported the development of a consultants' organization.

Jim has given more than 200 presentations to a wide range of audiences concerning IPM (*continued on page 2*)

(Dennehy cont.) grape growers and researchers as well as providing leadership to implement integrated pest management practices with grapes.

Tim obtained his bachelors and doctorate degrees in entomology from the University of California, Davis in 1980 and 1983. He came to the Station as an assistant professor of entomology in 1984 and was promoted to associate professor in 1990.

He is a member of the Entomological Society of America, the American Registry of Professional Entomologists, and Sigma Xi. He is or has been a member of numerous Geneva Station and industry committees.

(Tette cont.) and environmental issues. He has also provided leadership in the area of electronic technology by developing a computerized information delivery system for Cornell Cooperative Extension. He formerly directed the Extension Electronic Technology Group of Cornell Cooperative Extension.

Jim is a Senior Extension Associate with an appointment in the Geneva Station's department of entomology. He is an Assistant Director for both Extension and Research in Integrated Pest Management at Cornell.

He obtained his bachelor's degree from St. John Fisher College, Rochester, NY; his master's degree in chemistry from Holy Cross College, Worcester, MA; and his doctorate degree in chemistry from the State University of New York at Buffalo.

Visitors at the Work Site

Policy: The routine or extended presence of friends or family of University employees when and where employees are working at the University is not permitted. Such an occurrence at the worksite creates the potential for injury to the visitor and significant liability to the University as well as adversely affecting work efficiency of employees.

The presence and care of children at a University worksite creates significant safety and liability considerations for the University. Furthermore, child care demands the frequent attention of a parent and thus necessarily diverts attention from job performance. While the care of infants and children at the worksite cannot be permitted, supervisors (without impairing operational needs of their departments) are encouraged to be flexible in arranging work schedules and granting time off to parents who balance work responsibilities as well as child care and other needs. (Refer to Policy 709, Visitors at the Work Site.)

Should you have questions regarding this policy, please contact Personnel at X203.



SAVE THE DATE
Friday, June 18
Annual Station Club Golf Tournament



CALENDAR of EVENTS

Monday, April 26, 12:10 pm
 Sawdust Cafe
Aerobics/Fitness class for all employees

Monday, April 26, 6:30 pm
 Staff Room, Jordan Hall
English as a Second Language

Tuesday, April 27, 3:00 pm
 Lounge, Jordan Hall
Safety Committee Meeting

Wednesday, April 28, 12:10 pm
 Sawdust Cafe
Aerobics/Fitness class for all employees

Wednesday, April 28, 6:30 pm
 Staff Room, Jordan Hall
English as a Second Language

Wednesday, April 28, 7:00 pm
 Sawdust Cafe
Finger Lakes Stamp Club Meeting

Friday, April 30, 12:10 pm
 Sawdust Cafe
Aerobics/Fitness class for all employees

Friday, April 30, 3:30 pm
 Pavilion
Arbor Day Celebration

SEMINARS

HORTICULTURAL SCIENCES

Date: Monday, April 26
Time: 11:00 am
Place: Staff Room, Jordan Hall
Speaker: Ms. Mariola Beresiewicz-Dudala,
 Visiting Fellow, Department
 of Horticultural Sciences
Topic: Seed Coat Studies on Small-
 Seeded Vegetables

POLICIES, PROCEDURES and PEOPLE

• **Dr. Chapman Feeling Fine**
 Dr. Chapman was recently hospitalized and is now home and doing fine. Cards and visits would be appreciated.

Arbor Day CELEBRATION

The Geneva Arboretum Association, based on our campus, invites all Station staff to join us for our Fourth Annual Tree Planting Ceremony as we commemorate Arbor Day 1993. This year's ceremony will take place at the Pavilion in the water tower area by Jordan Hall at 3:30 pm, Friday, April 30 (New York's Arbor Day). Director Jim Hunter has approved our request to allow employees to leave work a half-hour early, with supervisor's approval, to attend the ceremony.



The ceremony will recognize the replanting of the Pavilion's pines with young conifers. The area is a recreational facility heavily used by almost every Station member. The jack pine grove has lent a cool, park-like atmosphere to this area; however, the grove has been decimated in the last two seasons, with only a few specimens remaining. Because no space on campus is more visited and more appreciated than this one, the Arboretum Association has donated funds for the renovation of the grove with Fraser Fir, Douglas Firs, White Pine, and White Spruce. This diversity will hopefully avoid a future mass obliteration of the grove.

As an addition to our Arbor Day activities, Mr. Tom Wilson, a former member of New York Agriculture and Markets here at the Station, will present to our campus a 'Prospector Elm' that he obtained from the National Arboretum. This elm was brought back to the U.S. from China by the late E.H. Wilson, noted plant explorer and father-in-law of George Slate, a deceased member of the Station. Tom will speak briefly of the tree and its connections with our Station. The tree will be planted beforehand on the West Lawn, just west of Raw Products, and will be marked to draw your attention.

Jim Hunter will provide the welcome at the ceremony and Martin Goffinet, Arboretum Association chairman, will serve as Master of Ceremonies. Available at the ceremony will be copies of the Association's "Guide to the Woody Ornamentals of the New York State Agricultural Experiment Station" and tree planting brochures that you may find useful during spring planting season. Rain or shine, come to the Pavilion on Arbor Day!

American Disabilities Act

If you are a physically challenged individual and have questions about your work site, you may call Geneva Personnel, 203, and discuss your concerns with Charie Hibbard. She will see what can be done to accommodate your physical needs in the building where you work.

Asphalt Surfaces to be Swept

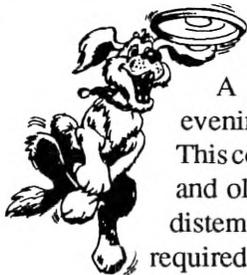
On Saturday and Sunday, May 1 and 2, Buildings & Properties will sweep all asphalt surfaces here at the Station. Please keep this in mind when parking on those days.

CLASSIFIED

SPRING ART SHOW: Local Artists. Sunday, April 25, at the Sawdust Cafe from 1:00-4:00 pm. All are welcome.

FOR SALE: 1984 Buick LeSabre. Two door, little rust, new tires, good condition, 170,000 miles. \$1,000 or best offer. Contact Brian at x332.

FOR SALE: 1992 FWD Toyota Tercel Deluxe with A/C, P/S, AM/FM/Cass; 60/40 Split rear seat; 5 speed OD MT; 12,000 miles; 5-year extended warranty. \$9100. Mint Condition! Call Cherie at x312 or Ken at 789-3422 evenings.



Dog Obedience Training Scheduled

A 10-week beginner's dog obedience training course will be held Monday evenings from 6:30-7:30 pm at the Pavilion behind Jordan Hall beginning May 3. This course is free to Station employees and their family members. Dogs six months and older are welcome and are required to have current certification of rabies and distemper combination vaccinations from your veterinarian. Each dog handler is required to sign a Station waiver. The first meeting is scheduled for May 3 at 6:30 pm. **Do not bring your dog to the first meeting.** For more information, contact Laurie Jensen at x317. Advanced beginners and intermediates are also welcome.

