



What's Happening at NCIS

July 8, 2013

Topics this week:

- CH & MPC I Dry Peas, Lentils, Forage, Canola, Flax, Mustard and Small Grains School/Field Day
- NCIS Board of Directors Meets



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Another active week at NCIS. With many new and important developments taking place in our industry, we bring you a "round-up" of NCIS activities, meetings, projects and progress. A list of future events will also be included in each edition.

We welcome your comments and look forward to sharing this update with you

Crop-Hail and MPC I Dry Peas, Lentils, Forage, Canola, Flax, Mustard and Small Grains School/Field Day

Kurt Laubach, NCIS Montana Regional/State Crop Insurance Committee Chairperson, and NCIS employee, Dean Strasser, led the 2013 NCIS Crop-Hail and MPC I Dry Peas, Lentils, Forage, Canola, Flax, Mustard and Small Grains school and field day held in Moccasin, Montana, June 25 and 26. Over 100 participants were in attendance at the MSU Central Agricultural Research Center for this two-day school. Activities included disease and insect education and field sessions involving Crop-Hail and MPC I policy and procedures.



NCIS Board of Directors Meets

The NCIS Board of Directors held its June meeting in Avon, Colorado, June 24-25. Agenda items included follow up from the spring meetings of most NCIS Standing Committees and the Program Development Committee. In addition, the Board reviewed the status of the Farm Bill along with Industry public relations efforts.

Future Meetings and Events Calendar (Schools in Orange)

<i>Event</i>	<i>Date(s)</i>	<i>Location</i>
2013 Meetings		
Crop-Hail Corn School	July 15-16	Lincoln, NE
Crop-Hail Canola, Dry Peas, Soybeans School	July 16-17	Spokane, WA
NCIS Train-The-Trainer Fall Conference	July 16-17	Overland Park, KS
Crop-Hail Corn, Soybean, Wheat and MPCF Forage School	July 18	Beresford, SD
MPCF Quality Adjustment and Crop-Hail School (Corn & Soybeans)	July 23-24	Salina, KS
Crop-Hail Specialty and MPCF Forage	July 24-25	Arlington, WI
2013 New Adjuster School	July 24	Lamberton, MN
Crop-Hail Soybean and Corn School	July 25	Lamberton, MN
Crop-Hail New Adjuster Crop-Hail Wheat, Soybeans, and Corn School	July 29	Fargo, ND
Crop-Hail Wheat, Sunflowers, Dry Beans, Soybeans, Barley & Corn School	July 30-31	Fargo, ND
MPCF Wheat, Corn & Soybeans School	July 31	Fargo, ND
Crop-Hail Corn & Soybean School/Field Days-Wheat in Classroom School	July 31-August 1	Champaign, IL
Crop-Hail and MPCF Sugar Beet Advanced Cropping School	August 15-16	Scottsbluff, NE
NAIC Summer Meeting	August 24-27	Indianapolis, IN
NCIS Board of Directors Meeting	September 17-18	Overland Park, KS
AIAG (International Association of Agricultural Production Insurers)	Sept 29-Oct 2	Vienna, Austria
NCIS Spring Update Conference	November 6-7	Overland Park, KS
NAIC Fall Meeting	December 15-18	Washington, DC
2014 Meetings		
2014 Claims Managers Conference	January 22-23	Overland Park, KS
Crop Insurance Industry Convention	February 9-12	Scottsdale, AZ
NAIC Spring Meeting	March 29-April 1	Orlando, FL
NCIS Fall Update Conference	July 22-23	Overland Park, KS
NAIC Summer Meeting	August 16-19	Louisville, KY
NCIS Spring Update Conference	November 5-6	Overland Park, KS
NAIC Fall Meeting	November 17-20	Washington, DC