

CENTRAL VALLEY CWA MEETING

Monday, January 26, 2015

Center for Irrigation Technology Conference Room

(SE corner of Chestnut Barstow Avenues – south end of the Old Farm Market)

5370 N. Chestnut Ave.

Fresno, CA 93740

5:30 pm

1. Approval of Agenda
2. Approval of December 12, 2014 Minutes
3. Welcome and introduction
4. Approval of Treasurer's Report
5. Congratulations Karen Morais – 2015 Common Threads Recipient
6. Old Business
* Statewide Convention and Meeting (San Luis Obispo)
* Holiday Luncheon
1. Guest Speakers:
* Melissa Cregan, Deputy Agricultural Commissioner/Sealer, Pest Detection & Exclusion Division
* Lizette Carranza, Junior League Edible Garden Project @ Discovery Center
1. New Business:
* Review Budget for 2015
* CVCWA Scholarships – High School/College, must be received by March 27, 2015
* Word Ag Expo – February 10-12, 2015, Tulare
* Ag Proclamation Day – first week in March
* March SWM – March 13-15, Coalinga
* Farm and Nutrition Day Sponsorship – March 20, 2015, 9:00-12:30, Fresno Fairgrounds
* Common Threads Luncheon – March 26, University Courtyard Dining Hall
* Chapter Meeting Dates - see handout
1. Community Service Opportunity –
* March 14 - 4-H Color Me Green 5K – Monique Bienvenue
1. Tour – Saturday, April 25, 8:30 am, Arrid Land Repository, 9240 S. Riverbend Avenue, Parlier, CA 93648 by Jerry Serimian
2. Membership/Donor Recruitment – Renewal and New
3. Items for future discussion

Next Meeting: February 24, 5:30 pm, Marie Callendar’s, Shaw/Cedar, 1781 E. Shaw Ave.

PROPOSED MEETING DATES FOR CVCWA – 2015 (subject to change)

 Please check website [www.centralvalleycwa.org](http://www.centralvalleycwa.org) for latest changes

February 10-12 World Ag Expo – Tulare

February 24 5:30 pm Marie Callendar’s, Shaw/Cedar, 1781 E. Shaw Ave.

March 14 4-H Color Me Green 5K, details forthcoming

March 13-15 SWM, Coalinga, details forthcoming

March 20 9-12:30, Fresno County Farm and Nutrition Day, Fresno Fairgrounds

March 23 5:30 pm Chapter Meeting, CIT Conference Room, 5370 N. Chestnut Ave. (SE corner of Chestnut/Barstow Avenues – south end of the Old Farm Market)

March 26 12-1:30 Common Threads Awards Luncheon, University Courtyard Dining Hall

April 25 8:30-11, Arrid Land Repository Tour, 9240 S. Riverbend Avenue, Parlier, CA by Jerry Serimian, RSVP to marlenem@csufresno.edu by April 8

April 27 5:30 pm Chapter Meeting, CIT Conference Room

May 4 SWM, 1-7:00 pm, Sacramento

May 5 Legislative Visits, 8-5:00 pm, Legislative Reception, 5:00-7:30 pm

May 26 5:30 pm Chapter Meeting, CIT Conference Room

June 29 5:30 pm Chapter Meeting, CIT Conference Room

July 27 5:30 pm Chapter Meeting, CIT Conference Room

August 31 5:30 pm Chapter Meeting, CIT Conference Room

September 11-13 SWM, Fresno, details forthcoming

September 13 Ag Boosters’ BBQ, Borba Ranch, details forthcoming

September 28 5:30 pm Chapter Meeting, CIT Conference Room

October 26 5:30 pm Chapter Meeting, CIT Conference Room

November 30 5:30 pm Chapter Meeting, CIT Conference Room

December 11 Holiday Luncheon, location, 11:30-1:30, TBA