**Upcoming Dates**

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**Congratulations**

**Our new Botany Grad Student Organization Officers are:**

- President—Stephanie DeSimini
- Vice-President—Fanni Lakatos
- Treasurer—Hailey Holcomb

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**You are invited!**

**Botany Picnic**
Saturday, September 30, 2017
at 11:30am
Happy Hollow Park
1301 Happy Hollow Rd.
West Lafayette

Meat and drinks will be provided, please bring a side and/or a dessert to share. RSVP with the number of people in your family attending to Stacie Kitchen by September 13.
September Birthdays

9/2 Chris Oakley
9/4 Teeratas Kijpornyongpan
9/5 Sue Loesch-Fries
9/8 Jessica Cavaletto
9/10 Habte Chikssa
9/10 Kenzhi Tang
9/12 Daipeng Chen
9/13 Pratibha Choudhary
9/13 Stacie Kitchen
9/16 Jesse Haarmann
9/16 Chaohui Li
9/17 Wei Guo
9/17 Hari Karki
9/20 Tyson McFall
9/20 Anber Hamdani
9/22 JoAnne Fisher
9/25 John Klimek
9/26 Damon Lisch

Assistant/Associate Professor
(Biotic-Abiotic Crop Stress Pathologist/Physiologist)
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Research Extension
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Research Assistant
NC State University—Beltsville, MD
Entomology and Plant Pathology
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Undergrad Research Assistant positions in Kranthi Varala’s Lab
On Regulation of Plant Stress Response
Questions about these positions, or applications including a CV
can be sent to Kranthi Varala (kvarala@purdue.edu)

Graduate Faculty Mentoring Workshop Fall 2017

Monday, October 02, 2017
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Stewart Center, Room 202
Or
Thursday, October 12, 2017
9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Stewart Center, Room 278

To register, please go to 2017FallFacultyMentoringWorkshop or
https://purdue.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_0SoNcttzZh5SH9WZ
and complete the Qualtrics Registration Survey by Monday, September 25, 2017.
Or contact Casey Hollingsworth E-mail: chollingsworth@purdue.edu Phone: 494-2604