



**2019 Cherokee County Cotton Production Meeting**  
**Thursday, January 31 from 10 am– noon**  
**Cherokee County Chamber of Commerce Room**  
**Centre Campus Gadsden State Community College**  
**801 Cedar Bluff Road, Centre**

**Program:**

10:00 Eddie McGriff, Alabama Extension Regional Agent– Welcome and Cotton Update

10:15 Tyler Sandlin, Alabama Extension Crop Specialist– On-Farm Cotton Variety Trials

10:30 Dr. Tim Reed, Alabama Extension Entomologist– Thrips, Plant Bugs and Bollworm Resistance in *Bt* Cotton

11:00 Dr. Ron Smith, Alabama Extension Entomologist– Cotton Insect Management for 2019

11:30 Dr. Steve Li, Alabama Extension Weed Scientist– Weed Control Update for Cotton

**Lunch**

**Auxin Herbicide Training following lunch (1:00-3:00 pm)**

Dr. Li will present the Auxin Training. The Cotton Production Meeting and lunch are free; however there is a \$15 fee per person for the Auxin Training. Only certified applicators may apply dicamba over the top (those working under the supervision of a certified applicator may no longer make dicamba applications). Any employee spraying dicamba must attend an Auxin Training and be certified.

There will be a sponsored meal so please e-mail Eddie McGriff at [dem0029@auburn.edu](mailto:dem0029@auburn.edu) or call him at 256-557-2375 if you plan on attending so we can get a head count for the meal.

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