Suncoast Tropical Fruit and Vegetable Club Meeting Notice

Next Meeting: Wednesday, August 9, 2017

Where: Main Room Nokomis Community Center

234 Nippino Trail East, Nokomis, FL 34275

Agenda: 6:30 pm Chat and Tasting Table

7:00 pm Introduction and Presentation

8:30 pm Plant Raffle

Speaker: Dr. Qingren Wang, University of Florida/IFAS

Miami-Dade Extension

Topic: Growing Asian Vegetables

Dr. Qingren Wang is a specialist in vegetable crops at the University of Florida/Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences Miami-Dade Extension.

The term "Asian Vegetable" is a broad one which encompasses both the vegetables grown in the countries that comprise Asia and those eaten by people of Asian extraction or who like Asian cuisine. This can include edible leaves, edible roots, edible stems, legumes, eggplants, etc.

Qingren's presentation will be divided into three (3) parts. Asian vegetables, Asian herbs and how to grow them (including their management and pest control).

Dr. Wang has published more than 130 papers in national and international journals.