

# Harvest Update

20/11  
Week 20/2011

## All Go On Green

*Fine weather and an excellent effort by the picking teams is quickly wrapping up the Gold harvest for this season.*

With the last Gold crops being picked, the Gold main pack programme will end this week. This means that by Sunday post harvest will be able to switch all packlines over to Green.

This includes the two modern packlines at Oakside that have been dedicating to handling Gold for the last five weeks,

along with machines at Main Road and Huka Pak that have been switching between the two varieties.

With all packlines on Green, Seeka will deliver the capacity to pack more than 600,000 trays a day.

The Gold CA storage programme has been completed, with 500,000 trays locked down. A further 500,000 trays of Green were locked down by the end of last week, with the remaining Green to be loaded this week.

## Psa Grower Workshop

*For all kiwifruit orchardists*

*Kiwifruit orchardists are invited to a Psa workshop on best orchard management practices.*

*To be run by Seeka's Psa group, the workshop is an opportunity for all orchardists to discuss how they can best manage risk on their orchard.*

Workshop key points include:

- > spray programme – materials and costs
- > orchard management practices – winter pruning, sealants and fertiliser

> process for infected orchards – notification and grower support.

This will be your opportunity to discuss the situation with Seeka's Psa group.

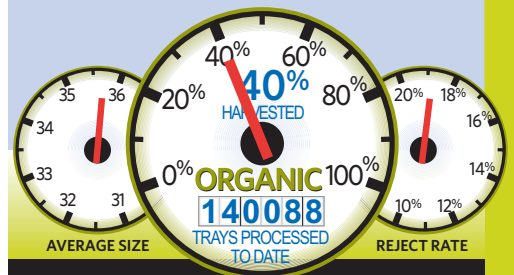
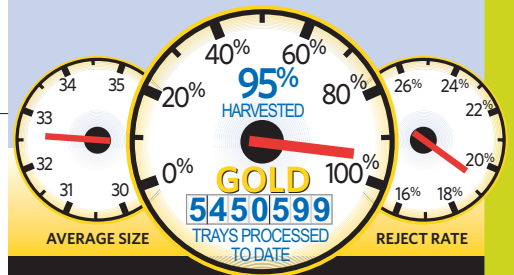
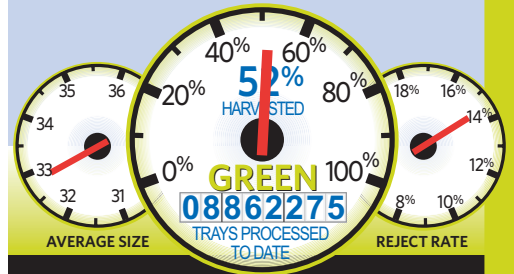
Workshop details are:  
3:30pm, Thursday 2 June  
The Orchard  
20 MacLoughlin Drive, Te Puke

To attend, please register with Diane by Tuesday 31 May.

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## 2011 SEASON PRODUCTION DASHBOARD

To the end of week 20, Sunday 22 May



*Seeka is proud to be the lead sponsor of*

## LOCAL SENIOR RUGBY

*This week's competition on Saturday 28 May is:*

Judea v Mount Maunganui  
Maharaia Winiata Park 2.45 pm

Katikati v Matakana Island  
Moore Park 1.00 pm

Rangioru v Eastern Districts  
Jamieson Oval 2.45 pm

Te Puke Sports v Tauranga Sports  
Murray Salt Stadium 1.00 pm

Arataki v Papamoa  
Arataki Park 2.45 pm

Greerton Marist - a bye

*With 11 clubs competing from our catchment area, this is an excellent opportunity to support local grass roots rugby. So get on and support your team in some great local action this weekend.*



Sun Gold being strapped at Main Road

## REMINDERS

### Zespri New Variety Tasting

From 12pm to 2pm, Friday 3 June  
at Te Puke Sports

### Gold Licences

A limited number of Gold licences are currently available for private sale. Contact your CRM for details.