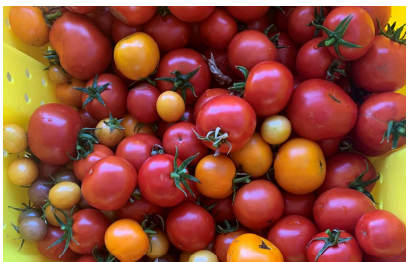




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# 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Organic Agriculture Workshop and Tour: Soil Fauna

**Thursday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> - 10:00 am to 1:30 pm MST - FREE**

**UI Caldwell Research & Extension Center - 1904 E Chicago St. in Caldwell**

*\*\*Zoom option for remote attendance also available\*\**

## **Workshop details:**

- Hear important updates from ISDA and learn about the exciting new national Transition to Organics Partnership Program (TOPP)
- Learn more about the cryptic and amazing world of soil biology
- Learn more about how your management practices influence earthworms and nematodes
- Share experiences and knowledge to better understand challenges and opportunities with soil fauna assessments
- Tour of Peaceful Belly organic farm in Caldwell to follow workshop (in person only)

## **Who should attend:**

- Current organic growers (certified or not; large or small acreage; fruit, vegetable, grain or livestock)
- Growers interested in organic transition
- Growers interested in how to measure and monitor soil health
- Anyone interested in learning more about organic production and soil health

## **Workshop format:**

- Presentations focused on the relationship between soil organisms and soil health in Northern and Southern Idaho organic systems
- Facilitated discussions among farmers, researchers and educators

**Please pre-register for this free event:**  
**<https://bit.ly/soilfauna2023>**



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