

Class Program

JULY WORKSHOP AND TRAINING SEMINAR

CWEA TRI - COUNTIES SECTION

Wednesday, July 15, 2026 8:00 AM - 2:30 PM

Ojai Valley Sanitary District



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**TRI-COUNTIES
SECTION**

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	SESSION 1	SESSION 2	SESSION 3
	Maintenance & Safety	Laboratory/Pretreatment	Collection System/Operations
Room	1	2	3
Location	Outdoor/Warehouse	Admin Bldg	Admin Bldg
Moderators			
8:00 - 8:50	REGISTRATION — VENDOR EXHIBITS		
9:00 - 9:50	The Hidden Risks in Bypass Pumping: Why Systems Fail and Projects Get Expensive Kent Dalton West Coast safety	Small Team, Big Compliance: Transitioning to Digital Pretreatment & CROMERR Mary Thompson City of Santa barbara	Optimizing and Troubleshooting Nitrification and Denitrification. Nicolas Canelo Bioalchemy
10:00 - 10:50	How to identify and eliminate sources of I&I before the next rain storms start Dave Badgely Badgely and Associates	Sampling Best Practices Eydie Schwartz Weck Labs	Microscopy Training to Optimize Wastewater Plants. Nicolas Canelo Bioalchemy
11:00 - 11:50	Ins & Outs of Open Channel flow Jim McCrory Gold Coast Environmental	Treatment/WW Ops CERT compliance & enforcement treatment Jim Fischer Fischer Compliance, LLC	How to manage Corrosion Control in MCC's and Odor Control for Lift Stations and other areas Chuck Arent Purafil
12:00 - 1:30	LUNCH - DOOR PRIZES - VENDOR EXHIBITS		
1:40 - 2:30	PLANT TOUR PLANT STAFF		
2:30 - 3:00	► TCP Contact Hour Certificate Distribution ◀ To receive your certificate, you must register, have this workshop schedule stamped by the moderator in the appropriate Class or Plant Tour and return this completed form before leaving the training workshop. Thank you for your participation!		

Announcements / 2025 Awards

CWEA TriCounties Award Winners:

Small Collection System of the Year –
Carpinteria Sanitary District

Medium Collection system of the Year -
City of Simi Valley

Collection System Person of the Year -
Alex Valenzuela

Supervisor of the Year & Golden Gavel Recipient – Jacob Broad

Maintenance Person of the Year –
Frederick Parr

Administrative Persons of the Year –
Emily Minter & Hannah Schiff

Name:

Email:

Organization or Agency:

Address:

Signature:

2026 July Workshop

OJAI VALLEY SANITARY DISTRICT PLANT OVERVIEW

