FSCAP Certified Steward

Henry Allenberg Allenberg Orchards







Henry Allenberg manages Allenberg Orchards along with his brother Fred and wife JoEllen. The orchard is 115 acres in Washington County. The Allenbergs decided that growing the prettiest, waxy fruit wasn't for them. They made it their goal to move toward growing the best tasting fruits and vegetables and harvesting them at optimum maturity to bring better, more natural fruit to the public. They grow a variety of produce including apples, peaches, cherries, plums, grapes, squash, and much more. They operate a fruit market to sell directly to the public. The Allenberg's employ best management practices to conserve soil and water to increase production. Some of the practices the use are Integrated Pest Management, contour farming, grassed waterways and rock lined waterways. The Allenbergs have also installed an agrichemical handling facility for safe storage and use of pesticides.

Henry can be reached at the orchard's phone number at: 301-824-6671 and the website can be viewed at <u>www.bestorchard.com</u>.

