

Tukey Orchard

Pullman, WA

Zach Moss

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Overview

- 10 Acre Orchard
- Apples, Pears, Sweet Cherries, Cane Berries, various Stone Fruits
- Previously Funded by WSU
- Currently Funded by Fruit Sales
- Established in 1974
- Named after Ronald B. Tukey
- Weekly Fruit sales

Summary

During my time working at Tukey Orchard, I learned how to enjoy working and do a good job at the same time. I gained professional communication skills that will assist me greatly in my future career. Doing physical labor reminded me why I am attending a university and gave me perspective on the processes and practices I have learned about in class. In my future career I hope to be involved with the management of an orchard so I will use what I have learned at this internship to successfully orchestrate operations around another orchard.



Tree rows



Golden Delicious



Rome Beauty

Responsibilities

- Pruning
- Sharpening tools
- Oiling tools
- Helping customers during fruit sales
- Learning
- Safety!



Fruit sales



Ranier Cherries