

GENETIC DIVERSITY IN CARROT

**Open afternoon on Monday, 3rd October 2011 at 13.00 h
Warwick Crop Centre, Wellesbourne, Warwick CV35 9EF**

We invite you to an open afternoon at Warwick Crop Centre where you can view a diverse range of carrot material being grown in the field as part of the Defra-funded Vegetable Genetic Improvement Network (see www.warwick.ac.uk/go/vegin/carrot). A total of 96 diverse genotypes are being trialled, including a wide range of open pollinated varieties, traditional landraces and wild species, together with some modern elite varieties for comparison.

The afternoon will start at 13.00 h with a sandwich lunch and, in addition to a visit to the field trial, there will be an opportunity to find out more about crop research at Warwick.

Please let us know if you plan to join us (for catering purposes) and please bring weather-proof clothing as we plan to walk to the field trial. Please forward the information to colleagues who may be interested.

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Directions to Warwick Crop Centre

<http://www2.warwick.ac.uk/fac/sci/lifesci/wcc/contact/directions/>