

Cranberry Station Celebrates 100th Anniversary with a 100 Year Endowment

The Cranberry Station is celebrating it's 100th anniversary this year. In honor of the occasion, an endowment fund has been established with contributions from growers, friends, ag companies, and cranberry handlers. The funds will be used to purchase and outfit a vehicle to be used as a 'mobile response unit' in support of Station extension and research functions. Faculty will be able to use the on-board equipment, including cameras, microscope, test supplies, and meters, along with a field computer, to aid in diagnosis of pest and nutritional problems and to support field research and testing. Money raised above the cost of the vehicle and equipment will establish an endowment in the UMass Foundation. The income from the endowment will come to the Station to support the vehicle and associated functions.

A group of CCCGA members have put forward a dollar for dollar match for those who contribute to the endowment now. See this link for the match flyer and pledge sheet. Send contributions to the Station or to the address below and write 'match' in the check memo.

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Read about the history of the Station [here](#).