

12 August 2024

Memorandum

To: Sponsoring Agencies

From: Dr. Angela Post, Small Grains Extension Specialist and Ryan Heiniger, NC OVT Director

Subject: 2025 North Carolina Malting Barley OVT

Enclosed are instructions and application form for 2024-25 Malting Barley trials. Malting Barley will be tested at 3 locations (Mills River, Salisbury, and Kinston). Entries may be submitted with treatment as long as it is a labeled, commercially available seed treatment and the treatment is identified on the seed tag. Entries are submitted for all locations.

The above locations represent the areas of North Carolina where malting production and needs are the greatest, and where a large proportion of the barley in North Carolina is grown. In addition to standard yield and agronomic data from these plots, samples will be submitted for complete malting quality data on the harvested seed. All data, along with a sample of harvested seed from each location, will subsequently be provided to the major malt houses in North Carolina for inclusion in their testing.

Please adhere to the established deadlines so we may plant the tests on time.

Thank you for your cooperation and participation.

**NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY
OFFICIAL VARIETY TESTING**

INSTRUCTIONS

CROP: Small Grains – Malting Barley

APPLICATION LINK:

<https://form.jotform.com/arpost/2025-malting-barley-entry-form>

APPLICATION DEADLINE: September 10th

SEED DEADLINE: September 23rd

SEED REQUIREMENTS:

We request seed in the following quantities:

- 20 pounds per entry

Please do not send seed in paper bags, as they tend to tear during shipment.

SHIPPING: Send seed to:

Ryan Heiniger
3709 Hillsborough Street
Raleigh, NC 7607
CELL (919) 389-8860

Or email rwheinig@ncsu.edu

LOCATIONS:

Entries are submitted for all locations, encompassing the major malting and barley production areas in North Carolina.

- Mills River, NC
- Salisbury, NC
- Kinston, NC

SEED TREATMENT:

Any commercially available treatment is allowed, so long as the treatment is clearly labeled on the entry bag.

FEES: \$330/entry

LATE FEES: \$100/entry for seed received after September 23rd.

APPLICATION:

- Please state entry names on application form the way you wish it to appear in print