



# Market Bulletin

Mike Strain DVM, Commissioner



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## Year In Review

### 2017 Highlights



As always, it was a very busy year at the Department of Agriculture and Forestry. This is a snapshot of accomplishments in 2017:

#### NASDA

In September 2017, Commissioner Mike Strain ended his term as leader of the National Association of State Departments of Agriculture (NASDA). As NASDA president, Strain was and remains a major voice at the national level regarding agriculture policy.

During that time, Strain was invited five times to meet with White House officials, including President Donald J. Trump, and

represented the Nation's agricultural producers at several meetings which included discussing infrastructure challenges and ways to improve reducing permitting time to move projects along more quickly; increasing infrastructure spending while restoring accountability in how infrastructure funds are spent; and allowing state and local governments more flexibility to develop infrastructure free from federal impediment.

Strain also led the discussion on the need to invest in mechanisms to bring products to market such as waterways, railroads and highways. Inland waterways and

ports are an essential lifeline which move eighty-five percent of grains destined for the global marketplace. Strain explained the need to work cooperatively to improve the dilapidated waterways system which is failing food producers. Congress must prioritize funding for these critical infrastructure projects.

Strain and White House officials also discussed the need for inter-connectivity in rural America so everyone has better access to technology.

#### Equine Herpes

2017 also began with a major threat to the billion dollar horse racing industry when there was an outbreak of the Equine Herpes Myeloencephalopathy (EHM) virus at the New Orleans Fair Grounds Racetrack. The Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry worked with Fair Grounds officials and the USDA to put biosecurity measures in place to protect the horses and the deadly disease was contained.

The horse industry provides some money toward research conducted by the LSU AgCenter.

#### LDAF and U.S. Secret Service Collaboration on Skimmers

Credit card skimmers installed inside gasoline pumps throughout Louisiana have continued to be a risk to citizens. This is a growing problem nationwide. The Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry has made a strong effort through the Weights and Measures Division (LDAF-WM) to locate and remove credit card skimming devices from retail motor fuel

dispensers. In this effort, routine inspections include checking specifically for such devices. This year, inspectors checked approximately 2,828 stations statewide and found 85 skimmers.

Commissioner Mike Strain has collaborated with the U.S. Secret Service to protect consumers from credit card theft. The U.S. Secret Service protects the integrity of our currency and investigates crimes against our national financial system committed by criminals within the United States and around the world. Criminals are utilizing advances in technology to prey upon financial institutions and consumers throughout Louisiana and the country. These illegal devices lead to millions of dollars lost annually due to compromised bank card numbers being fraudulently used for goods and services.

So far, 85 skimmers inventoried two-thirds have been forensically analyzed according to Lou Velez with the U.S. Secret Service. More than 9,000 bank card numbers have been found which represent more than \$4.5 million dollars in potential fraud loss to financial institutions and consumers throughout Louisiana. In addition, several criminal groups residing in other states have been identified and are expected to be federally prosecuted in the near future. The successful partnership has proven not only to be a proactive tool in combating financial crime, specifically gas pump skimming fraud, but also providing protection to Louisiana consumers.

#### Hurricane Harvey

Louisiana is certainly no stranger to emergencies, particularly hurricanes. When our neighbors in Texas were inundated with rainfall during Hurricane Harvey in September, and evacuees arrived in Louisiana, the LDAF and its non-governmental organization partners assisted by sheltering 490 pets in Alexandria and Haughton. The LDAF Incident Management Team worked in Baton Rouge to coordinate these efforts.

Meanwhile, the LDAF has acquired an \$80 thousand donation from the Banfield Foundation to build a second mobile pet shelter for emergency situations.

#### Office of Soil & Water Conservation Bayou Mallet Water Quality Project

Bayou Mallet, a small rural waterway flowing through St. Landry and Acadia Parishes, is located in the headwaters of the Mermentau River Basin and flows through some of southwest Louisiana's most fertile rice, crawfish and grazing land. In 2014, the LDEQ's ambient water quality monitoring data indicated that Bayou Mallet was cloudy and full of bacteria, with agriculture the suspected cause.

Through the Agricultural Nonpoint Source pollution management program, the LDAF Office of Soil and Water Conservation immediately began monitoring the water quality along the bayou, and by encouraging active participation from area landowners, soon began concurrent monitoring and implementation

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# Louisiana Agriculture & Forestry Today



MIKE STRAIN  
COMMISSIONER

## Strain: Lift these burdensome restrictions; Louisiana is ready to do business in Cuba

On December 17, 2014, the U.S. announced its decision to normalize relations with Cuba after half a century of isolation.

The restoration of diplomatic relations between our two countries –and a new policy of engagement– has opened opportunities for U.S. businesses, stimulated growth in Cuba’s private sector and strengthened human rights on the island.

As a result of these policy changes, most of which President Trump kept intact, American businesses have benefited and the lives of the Cuban people have improved. For the most part, Louisiana farmers have been left out of these developments.

While there is some confusion surrounding current Cuba regulations, there are numerous avenues to legally export to the island. American companies including Marriott, Google and FedEx are taking advantage of the recent relaxation of trade restrictions by quickly moving into the Cuban market.

Due to U.S. law that was passed long before the restoration of diplomatic relations, American agricultural producers face significant obstacles to selling food to Cuba that other U.S. industries do not.

In 2000, Congress allowed for export of agricultural goods to Cuba – but with significant restrictions – prohibiting private financing. Cuba is required to pay cash in advance for purchases U.S. agricultural commodities.

Anyone who has ever exported commodities knows that this is not how business is done. As a result of these restrictions, U.S. agricultural exports to Cuba have dropped every year since 2009. As long as U.S. agricultural producers are prohibited from offering private financing, it will remain virtually impossible for Louisiana farmers to compete for Cuban market share.

Cuba relies on agricultural imports to feed its population of more than 11 million people and a growing number of international tourists. With an average of \$2 billion annual agricultural imports, Cuba is a significant potential export market for Louisiana farmers.

We produce many of Cuba’s top farm imports such as soybeans, rice, poultry, and feed grain; but in 2016, Louisiana farmers sold less than half their projected export potential to Cuba.

Cuba is the western hemisphere’s largest per capita rice consumer. The island imports more than \$170 million annually in rice from halfway around the world and virtually none of it comes from Louisiana farms.

Commodity prices are dropping and farmers are bringing home 46% less income each year to support their families than they were three years ago. This strain on the farm economy is felt across all sectors of the industry and the small communities across Louisiana.

At the same time, there is a market only 90 miles off our shores that could give Louisiana farmers a much-needed boost. Louisiana’s strategic position as a Gulf port state would allow it to reap additional benefits from the shipping industry.

Cuba Trade Magazine estimates that if this prohibition on offering financing for the sale of agricultural commodities was repealed, allowing unfettered agricultural trade with Cuba, Louisiana could sell up to \$302 million to Cuba each year, grow the economy and create jobs across the state. This would be a much-needed source of new revenue for a state experiencing a \$1 billion budget shortfall.

A bill in Congress, the Cuba Agricultural Exports Act, would repeal the restriction on financing and allow Louisiana farmers to sell its agricultural products to the island without one hand tied behind their backs.

Our businesses, our farmers, and our families deserve the freedom to buy, sell, and travel wherever they wish. To our representatives in Washington: lift these burdensome restrictions; Louisiana is ready to do business in Cuba.

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<p><b>ACADIA PARISH</b> <u>Iota</u> Iota Farmers Market Gazebo on Main St. 2nd &amp; 4th Sat., 8 a.m.-noon Closed in Jan.</p> <p><u>Crowley</u> Crowley Farmers Market Located at Tractor Supply 1st Sat., 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Closed in Jan.</p> <p><u>Rayne</u> Rayne Farmers Market Frog Fest Pavilion, 210 Frog Festival Dr. 2nd Sat., 8 a.m. - 2p.m.</p> <p><b>ALLEN PARISH</b> <u>Oakdale</u> Oakdale Farmers Market Hwy 165 S, next to Burger King Wed. 3-6 p.m., Fri. 7:30 a.m.-noon Year round</p> <p><u>Oberlin</u> Oberlin Farmers Market 228 West 6th Ave. Wed. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m., year round</p> <p><b>AVOYELLES PARISH</b> <u>Marksville</u> Marksville Farmers Market 122 E. Mark St. Sat. 8-11 a.m., June</p> <p><b>BEAUREGARD PARISH</b> <u>DeRidder</u> DeRidder Farmers Market 206 N. Washington Ave. 7 days, 7 a.m.-5 p.m., Year round</p> <p><u>Ragley</u> Ragley Farmers Market Ragley Historical Square, Hwy. 12 Sat. 8 a.m.- 1 p.m., During peak growing season</p> <p><b>BOSSIER PARISH</b> <u>Benton</u> Benton Farmers Market 495 Simpson Sun. noon-4 p.m., May 21-July 23</p> <p><u>Bossier City</u> Bossier City Farmers Market Pierre Bossier Mall Parking Lot Sat. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m., April 1- Nov. 25</p> <p><b>CADDO PARISH</b> <u>Greenwood</u> Greenwood Farmers Market William Peters Town Park Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, June-Aug.</p> <p><u>Shreveport</u> Shreveport Farmers Market River front at Festival Plaza May 30-Aug. 29, Sat. 7 a.m.-noon</p> <p><b>CALCASIEU PARISH</b> <u>Lake Charles</u> Charlestown Farmers Market Bilbo St. behind old City Hall Sat. 8 a.m.-noon, year round</p> <p><u>Lake Charles</u> Cash &amp; Carry Farmers Market 801 Enterprise Blvd. Corner of Broad &amp; Enterprise Tues., 4-6 p.m., year round</p> <p><b>CONCORDIA PARISH</b> <u>Vidalia</u> Delta Farmers Market 405 Carter St. - Old Courthouse Wed. 9 a.m.-1 p.m., June-1st freeze</p> <p><u>Moss Bluff</u> MB Farmers &amp; Crafters Market Sam Houston Jones Pkwy.</p>	<p>Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, April-Oct.</p> <p><b>DESOTO PARISH</b> <u>Mansfield</u> DeSoto Farmers Market DeSoto Parish Ext. Office Sat. 8 -11 a.m., May -June</p> <p><b>EAST BATON ROUGE PARISH</b> <u>Baton Rouge</u> Red Stick Farmers Market #1 Fifth St. &amp; Main St. Sat. 8 a.m.- noon, year round</p> <p><u>Baton Rouge</u> Red Stick Farmers Market #2 EBRP Main Library 7711 Goodwood Blvd. Tues. 8 a.m.-noon, Oct.- Dec., Apr-July</p> <p><u>Baton Rouge</u> Red Stick Farmers Market #3 6400 Perkins Road Thurs. 8 a.m. - noon, year round</p> <p><u>Zachary</u> Zachary Famers Market City Hall side parking lot Sat. 8 a.m.- 12 p.m., year round</p> <p><b>EVANGELINE PARISH</b> <u>Ville Platte</u> Ville Platte Farmers Market 704 N. Soileau June to Aug., Fri. 5 p.m.-7 p.m.</p> <p><b>GRANT PARISH</b> <u>Colfax</u> Colfax Farmers Market 8th St. near Pecan Festival Building Sat. 8 a.m.-noon, Tues 3-5:30 p.m. June-July</p> <p><b>IBERIA PARISH</b> <u>New Iberia</u> Teche Area Farmers Market Main St. Bouligny Plaza Tues. 2:30-6 p.m., Sat. 7-11 a.m. Year round</p> <p><u>Delcambre</u> Delcambre Farmers Market Bayou Carlin Cove 605 S Railroad St. 9 a.m.-1 p.m., First Sat.</p> <p><b>JEFFERSON PARISH</b> <u>Gretna</u> Gretna Farmers Market Huey P. Long Ave. Sat. 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.,year round</p> <p><u>Jefferson</u> Pop's Neighborhood Farmers Market 805 Central Ave. Sat. 9 a.m.-5 p.m., year round</p> <p><u>Kenner</u> Rivertown Farmers Market 410 Williams Blvd. Sat. 8 a.m. - 1 p.m., year round</p> <p><u>Westwego</u> Westwego Farmers &amp; Fisheries 484 Sala Ave. at 4th St. Sat. 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.,year round</p> <p><b>JEFFERSON DAVIS PARISH</b> <u>Elton</u> Coushatta Farmers Market Hwy. 190 &amp; Pine Street 1st Sat. 7:30 a.m.-noon., Oct.-June</p> <p><u>Jennings</u> Main Street Farmers Market Founder’s Park on Main St. Sat. 7 a.m.-10 a.m., May - Nov.</p> <p><u>Welsh</u> Welsh Farmers Market 201 South Elms St. Tues. 4:30-6:30 p.m., May- Oct.</p>	<p><b>LAFAYETTE PARISH</b> <u>Lafayette</u> Acadiana Farmers Market 801 Foreman Dr. &amp; Dulles St. Tues., Thurs., Sat., 5-10 a.m., Year round</p> <p><u>Lafayette</u> City Garden Market Heymann Blvd., Oil Center Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, year round</p> <p><u>Lafayette</u> Freetown Mid-Week Market 421 E. Convent St Wed. 2-6 p.m., 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Sat</p> <p><u>Lafayette</u> Lafayette Jockey Lot Flea Market 3011 N.W. Evangeline Trwy. Sat.-Sun. 8-5 p.m., year round</p> <p><u>Lafayette</u> Farmers &amp; Artisans Market Horse Farm, 2913 Johnston St. Sat. 8 a.m. - noon</p> <p><b>LAFOURCHE PARISH</b> <u>Raceland</u> Lafourche Central Market 4484 Hwy. 1 at U.S. 90 Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, year round</p> <p><u>Thibodaux</u> Thibodaux Main Street Market Jean Lafitte National Historic Park Sat. 7-11 a.m. April-July, Sept-Dec.</p> <p><b>LINCOLN PARISH</b> <u>Ruston</u> Ruston Farmer’s Market Railroad Ave at Monroe Street Sat. 8 am-noon, Apr-Aug./Sept.-Dec.</p> <p><b>LIVINGSTON PARISH</b> <u>Denham Springs</u> Livingston Farmers Market 215 Florida St. Sat. 7 a.m. - noon, year round</p> <p><b>MADISON PARISH</b> <u>Tallulah</u> Tallulah Farmers Market 404 N. Cedar St., Hwy. 65 Tues., Thurs. &amp; Sat., 8 a.m. - noon, May-Aug., Oct.-Dec.</p> <p><b>MOREHOUSE PARISH</b> <u>Bastrop</u> Morehouse Parish Farmers Market 305 E. Madison Mon.-Sat. 7 a.m.-5p.m., year round</p> <p><b>NATCHITOCHES PARISH</b> <u>Natchitoches</u> Cane River Green Market Downtown riverbank Sat. 8 a.m.-noon April-July, Oct-Nov</p> <p><b>ORLEANS PARISH</b> <u>New Orleans</u> Crescent City Farmers Market #1 700 Magazine St. Sat. 8 a.m.-noon, year round</p> <p><u>New Orleans</u> Crescent City Farmers Market #2 Uptown Square, 200 Broadway Tues. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m, year round</p> <p><u>New Orleans</u> Crescent City Farmers Market #3 3700 Orleans Ave. Thurs., 3 - 7 p.m., year round</p> <p><u>New Orleans</u> Marketplace at Armstrong Park 700-900 block of N. Rampart St. Thurs. 3-7 p.m., year round</p>	<p><u>New Orleans</u> Sankofa Farmers Market 3819 St. Claude Ave. Sat. 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., year round</p> <p><b>OUACHITA PARISH</b> <u>Monroe</u> Monroe Farmers Market 1013 Washington St. Mon.-Sat. 6 a.m.-1 p.m. June-Aug.</p> <p><u>West Monroe</u> West Monroe Farmers Market 1700 North 7th St. Mon.-Sat. 8 a.m.-6 p.m, year round</p> <p><b>RAPIDES PARISH</b> <u>Alexandria</u> Inglewood Harvest Barn Market 6233 Old Baton Rouge Hwy. Sat. 9 a.m.-1 p.m., year round</p> <p><u>Alexandria</u> Alexandria Mid-Week Market 2727 Jackson St. Tues. 3-6 p.m., year round</p> <p><b>ST. CHARLES PARISH</b> <u>Destrehan</u> German Coast Farmers Market 1 Parking lot of Ormond Plantation Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, year round</p> <p><u>Luling</u> German Coast Farmers Market 2 12715 Hwy. 90 (St. Charles Plaza) Wed. 3 - 6 p.m., year round</p> <p><b>ST. LANDRY PARISH</b> <u>Opelousas</u> St. Landry Farmers Market 952 East Landry St., Hwy. 190 Tues., Thurs. &amp; Sat. 6:30-11 a.m. April-Nov.</p> <p><u>Eunice</u> Eunice Farmers Market Second St. &amp; Park Ave. Wed. 3:30-6 p.m., Sat 10 a.m.</p> <p><u>Washington</u> Washington Farmers Market Town Pavilion Sat. 8:30 a.m.-11 a.m., year round</p> <p><b>ST. MARY PARISH</b> <u>Franklin</u> Franklin Farmers’ Market 306 Willow St. Sat. 8 a.m.-noon, Tues. 2 p.m.-6 p.m., year round</p> <p><b>ST. TAMMANY PARISH</b> <u>Abita Springs</u> Abita Springs Farmers Market 22049 Main Street Sun. 12-4 p.m.</p> <p><u>Covington</u> Covington Farmers Market #1 609 North Columbia (City Hall) Sat. 8 a.m.-noon, year round</p> <p><u>Covington</u> Covington Farmers Market #2 419 North New Hampshire Wed. 10 a.m.- 2 p.m., year round</p> <p><u>Folsom</u> Folsom Community Farmers Market Railroad Avenue 3rd Sat., 9 a.m - 1 p.m. March-Nov.</p> <p><u>Mandeville</u> Mandeville Trailhead Market 675 Lafitte St. Sat. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m., year round</p>	<p><u>Pearl River</u> Pearl River Farmers Market 67518 Lou Rd. 1st &amp; 3rd Sat., 8 a.m.-til, year round</p> <p><u>Slidell</u> Camellia City Farmers Market 333 Erlanger, Old Towne Slidell Sat. 8 a.m.-12 p.m., year round</p> <p><b>TANGIPAHOA PARISH</b> <u>Hammond</u> Hammond Farmers Market 2 West Thomas St., Sat., 8 a.m. - noon, year round</p> <p><b>TENSAS PARISH</b> <u>St. Joseph</u> St. Joseph Tailgate Market Gazebo on Plank Road Sat. 8-11 a.m., Memorial-Labor Day</p> <p><b>TERREBONNE PARISH</b> <u>Houma</u> Cajun Farmers Market of Houma Naquin St. &amp; Martin L. King Blvd. Mon.-Sat. 6 a.m.-6 p.m., year round</p> <p><b>UNION PARISH</b> <u>Farmerville</u> Farmerville Farmers Market 407 South Main St. Mon.-Sat. 8 a.m.-4 p.m., year round</p> <p><b>VERMILION PARISH</b> <u>Abbeville Farmers Market</u> Magdalen Sq., downtown Abbeville Dates TBA, 8 a.m. -1 p.m.</p> <p><u>Erath</u> Erath Farmers Market City Park Dates TBA , 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.</p> <p><u>Kaplan</u> Kaplan Farmers Market Turnley Park, 119 N. Irvin Ave. 2nd Sat, 8 a.m.-noon, year round</p> <p><u>Gueydan</u> Gueydan Farmers Market 600 Main St. 1st &amp; 3rd Sat. 8 a.m.-noon Jun-Thanksgiving</p> <p><b>VERNON PARISH</b> <u>Leesville</u> Main Street Market Sat. 7 a.m. until, year round</p> <p><b>WASHINGTON PARISH</b> <u>Franklinton</u> Franklinton Farmers Market 1500 block of Washington St. Daily, year round</p> <p><b>WEBSTER PARISH</b> <u>Minden</u> Market on Turner's Pond 301 Lakeshore 1st &amp; 3rd Sat., 8 a.m. -1 p.m., July-Oct.</p> <p><b>WEST FELICIANA PARISH</b> <u>St. Francisville</u> St. Francisville Farmers Market agricultural pavilion (4-H Barn) Thurs. 9 a.m.-1 p.m., May-1st freeze</p> <p><b>WINN PARISH</b> Winnfield Winn Farmers Market 301 West Main Tues. &amp; Fri., 7:30-11 a.m. May-Aug.</p>
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## American Blue

# ANGUS

**Reg. Angus** bred heifers, 16 mos., Double Vision, Tour of Duty, Thunderbird bloodlines, \$2500/1. Joseph Gendron, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-931-5751.

# BEEFMASTER

# BRAFORD

**Pb Braford** bull calf, born 6/14/17, dehorned, wormed & vacc., \$750. Murrell Hoffpauir, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-258-1383.

# BRAHMAN

**Pb red Brahman bull**, born 3/24/2016, wormed and vaccinated, \$1500. Calvin LeBouef, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-8273.

**(30) bred Brangus** heifers, 22 mos., bred to LBW Angus bulls, big & gentle, \$1850/1. Lane Leonards, Batchelor, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-2057.

## CHAROLAIS

**(10) Char.** crossbred heifers, gentle, due in December, very good quality, bred to proven lbw pb Brangus bull, \$1550/1 nego. Adel Murphy, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish: 337-912-7306.

**HEREFORD**

**Hereford bull**, MJLAs Rush 11D bull, born 9/4/16, polled, \$2000; MJLA's Kodiak bull, 23D born 11/22/16, \$2000. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish: 337-353-0818.

**Hereford bull**, 4 yrs., F1 cert., MJ Grandview Key 16F, \$2500 BF Rambo, {VLF,HYF,IEF} reg. #43105601, not cert., (100) semen straws, \$5/1. M. Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-353-0818.

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**Reg. blk. Simm.** bull 24 mos., gentle, proven genetics, digital photos avail., \$2150. Ed, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-298-5785 or ead9743@louisiana.edu.

**Reg. blk. Simm.** bulls, 12-24 mos., gentle, lbw, good EPDs, all shots, \$1400-\$2200/1. Harold Landreneau, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-457-0505 or 337-351-8190.

**Reg. homozygous Simm.** bulls, 18-21 mos., lbw, good EPDs, vacc. & wormed, \$2500. Donnie Harper, Winnsboro, Franklin Parish; 318-498-0809.

## TEXAS LONGHORN

**Reg. Texas** Longhorn steer pr., color matched, gentle, horns span 6' tip to tip, \$2500/1 or \$4000/pr. Gene Berry, Wakefield, West Feliciana Parish; 225-772-5618.

## WATUSI

**Watusi cow**, huge horns, 7 yrs., very gentle, great color, \$2800. Wilbert Nelson, Natchitoches, Natchitoches Parish; 318-481-6330.

## ZEBU

**Reg. mini Zebu** bulls, cows & calves, assorted colors, show quality, \$400/1-up. Jerome Hammons, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-508-0800.

**Reg. mini Zebu** heifers, show quality, paints & reds, \$1000/1-up. Wilfred Broussard, St. Martinville, St. Martin Parish; 337-394-7265.

## DAIRY

**Dairy steers**, Holstein & Holstein cross, \$250. Keith Branch, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-515-2572.

**Holstein cross** bull, 2 mos., on feed & rye grass, \$75. Randy Lea, Denham Spring, Livingston Parish; 225-664-5708.

## OTHER

**Reg. 3/8, 5/8 Braford** bulls & heifers, 12 mos. & up, vacc. & wormed, home raised, \$1500/1-up. Lloyd Savell, Florian, Sabine Parish; 318-586-7378 or 318-508-0293.

**Heifer bull**, 4 yrs., MJ Grandview Key 16F polled, \$3000. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-353-0818.

(10) **Braford** & red Brangus crossbred heifers, (9) red baldies, (1) solid red, avg. weight 520 lbs., current on all vacc., can get health papers, \$1250/1 Jonathan Hebert, Lacassine, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-249-1119

(1) **3/4 Hereford** x 1/4 Brahman heifer, born 2/14/17, dehorned, wormed & vacc., good commercial show calf, \$900; (1) 1/2 Hereford, 1/4 Angus, 1/4 Brahman bull calf, born 5/3/17, wormed & vacc., \$750. Murrell Hoffpauir, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-258-1383.

(2) **Brangus/Angus** type bulls, coming 2 yrs., raised in backyard, on feed, very gentle, \$1600. Arthur Smith, Gonzales, Ascension Parish; 225-202-7599.

**Piedmontese x Limousin** cross bull, 5/8 Piedmontese, 2 yrs. on 04/14/2017, very gentle disp., \$1200. Shirley or Terry Fox, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-367-8303 or 337-884-9920.

**Wanted:** Dexter bull or miniature Jersey bull. Dennis Laverne, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-1596.

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**Reg. QH geld.**, 11 yrs., blue roan, \$1200. P. Bordelon, Acme, Concordia Parish; 318-386-0101.

**Paint geld.**, 14 yrs., 38", gentle, great riding pony, \$700; lead line pony, 38", 15 yr. old geld., gentle, can be let or ponied, \$200. Rebecca McLindon, Bush, St. Tammany Parish; 985-237-3950.

**AQHA wean-aged** horses, Mr. San Peppy, Peppy San Badger, Doc O' Lena bloodlines, high percentage, \$500-\$1000/1. David Yount, Coushatta, Natchitoches Parish; 318-471-3681 or 318-332-3565.

**9 yr. old. App.** mare, 14.2 hands, good disp., gentle, \$750. Charles Altmann, Broussard, Lafayette Parish; 337-658-7690.

**15 yr. old** bay reg. finished head horse, 16 hands, nice handle, big motor, rates, suits #4 on up, \$12,000. Glenn Schexnaydre, Darrow, Ascension Parish; 225-806-0214 or 225-806-2231.

**Reg. AQHA** flea-bit gray mare, from cutting stock, good bloodline, 11 yrs., 14.2 hands, 1000 lbs., loads, stands for farrier, \$1800. Robert, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-263-0037.

**Reg. miniature** donkeys, (1) pr., red, momma & baby, spotted jennies, all very gentle, loves attention, \$1500/pr. Robert Dankin, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish; 985-992-0957.

**Arabian mares** in foal, straight Egyptian & Egyptian related, \$1500/1-up. Don Stoute, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-351-3815 or donstoute7@gmail.com.

**2009 AQHA** reg. Appendix bay mar, granddaughter of Shining Spark & Aguila Baron, nice conform. good feed, only halter broke, will make exc., broodmare, never bred, pics. avail. upon request, \$2500. Sarina Lirette, Bourg, Terrebonne Parish; 985-665-9103.

**Working QH & TW** weans. & yrlgs., 2-ys. old, under saddle & broodmares, Doc O' Lena, Gay Bar King, Poco Bueno, Cody, Hancock & Peppy San, freeze branded, \$1500-\$8500/1. Fred Rodosta, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-948-6511 or 337-331-3151.

**Playguns Hickory** '08 bay mare, AQHA reg # 5154315, granddaughter of SR Innovator on top and Playgun on bottom, \$1000. Ted Briley, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-3040.

**Especial War** Freckle '00 pal. mare, AQHA reg# 3947529, Especial & War Leo breeding, \$2000. Ted Briley, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-3040.

**Parkman's Playgun** '03 gray mare, AQHA reg#4387444, own daughter of Playgun, \$3500. Ted Briley, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-3040.

**Molly mule**, 5 yrs., 13.2 hands., blk. & wh. overo, good trail riding, traffic safe, \$2500. Ken Francios, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-523-6680.

**Bay john** mule, 12 yrs., 16.2 hands, pulls & rides easy, w/farrier, gentle, \$1800. Ken Francios, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-523-6680.

**Team of wagon** horses, 14 yrs., gray mare & sorrel geld., \$1500. Jeff Istre, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-322-9446.

**American saddle** horse mare, about 13 yrs., 950 lbs., blk. & wh. \$1000 nego. Ronnie Prather, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-264-5453.

**Standard donkeys**, jack & jenny, 13-14 mos., gentle, good pasture guardians, \$100/both. Clinton Twilley, Greensburg, St. Helena Parish; 225-910-0549.

**2013 reg. AQHA** blue roan mare, sire Lil Spoon out of Smart Little Skeeexix bred dam, pro started, 12 mos., sound & stout, lots of cow. Sherwood Poret, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-447-7828.

**Buckskin filly**, 6 mos., halter broke & gentle, \$600. John O'Neal, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-433-1856.

**APHA TW** geld., 10 yrs., gentle, no buck, loads, easy keeper, 15 hands. David Burlison, Hornbeck, Vernon Parish; 318-430-0072.

**TW mare**, 6 yrs., gentle, no buck, easy keeper, handmade saddle, must see, horse only, \$1000. David Burlison, Hornbeck, Vernon Parish; 318-430-0072.

**Mini horses**, solid colors & paints, \$500/1; bred, \$750/1. Shelia Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-824-5197 or 337-789-0699.

**Blk. Paso Fino** TW mix geld., will be 2 yrs. in April, leads, loads, sweet, gentle, \$500. Cynthia Cloud, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 504-858-0096.

**Spunky, ride-able** 26 yr. old draft mix geld., \$300; 7 yr. old Paso Fino TW mix geld., sorrel, beautifully gaited, experienced rider needed, \$750. Cynthia Cloud, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 504-858-0096.

**Wanted:** mini donkey jenny or jack. Roland Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-5120.

STALLION  
SERVICE

**APHC blk.** homozygous App. stallion, 16 hands, guaranteed color, 5 panel negative w/leopard gene, modern breeding, 77% FPD, \$300/\$5 mare care. Ben Bruce, Pollock, Grant Parish; 318-664-2871.

**Reg. TW** studs, blue roan, buckskin & homozygous, gray, \$300/\$5 mare care. Shonnie Dove, Winnsboro, Franklin Parish; 318-235-7304.

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**Reg. TW studs**, homozygous, gray, buckskin & blue roan, \$300/\$5 mare care. Shonnie Dove, Winnsboro, Franklin Parish; 318-235-7304.

**Arabians, Straight** Egyptian stallions standing at stud, \$1000/\$7.5 mare care. Jeff Dupre, Washington, St. Landry Parish; jeffdupre4@gmail.com or 337-585-3891.

**Wyo Blue Buddy**, born 7/3/12, blue roan stallion, reg. #5505700, roping, barrel, foal & cow horse, \$200/\$8 mare care, health cert required. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-353-0818.

**Peponita Figure Four** 4/20/11, reg.#5403078, bay roan, barrel pole & team roping horse, \$200/\$8 mare care. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-353-0818.



**Fletcher's Farrier Service**, trimming or shoe needs, serving central La. James Fletcher, Pollock, Grant Parish; 318-541-9016 or 318-541-9087.

**Rachel Bertrand** breaking & training performance horses, gentle handler, every horse deserves a great start, safe facility, fresh calves, pro cutter & speed event training. Rachel Bertrand, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-384-6997.

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**5B Breaking & Training**, specializing in 2-yr. olds & problem horses, developing good broke ranch cow horses, 35 yrs. experience w/references, covered & outside arena. John Brown, Franklinton, Washington Parish, 225-931-9210.

**Hawthorne cow horses**, colt starting, reined cow horse, ranch horse training, NRCHA Judges card holder. Jonathan Hawthorne, Slaughter, East Feliciana Parish; 830-317-6104.

**Horse transporting** in La. & surrounding states. CDL certi-

fied, new trailer, mats & shavings, loaded mile, \$2 nego. Patricia Markow, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-335-8512.



**Buggy Harness**, very good cond., \$200/1. Littell Mouiller, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-468-3140 or 337-277-5635.

**(2) steel saddles**, \$350 & \$450; (1) English saddle, \$300, good cond. J. B. Caldwell, Glenmora, Rapides Parish; 318-277-4092.

**15" Tres Rios** roping saddle, never used trophy saddle, \$500. Todd Hernandez, Slaughter, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-270-2298.

**16" Roping saddle**, in good cond., \$125. Randy Lea, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-664-5708.

**(2) 16" saddles**, good cond., \$300/1; (2) complete sets of pulling harnesses & gear, excel. cond., \$400/set, will sell sets separately. Roy Firmin, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-722-2640.

**Bull whips** braided from nylon or leather, \$50/1-up; cattle sorting whips, \$80/1-up; kid whips avail. & repair whips. Billy Anderson, Baker, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-274-7360.



**Pb Kikos**, NKR reg. buck, \$300; (3) reg. does, \$550/1; (1) non-reg., pb doe, \$300; (1) non-reg. doeling, registerable, \$150; (1) non-reg. doe, not registerable, \$150. David Yount, Coushatta, Natchitoches Parish; 318-471-3681 or 318-332-3565.

**Reg. Myotonic** (fainting) goats, \$300/1-up. Ricky Deshotel, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-4032.

**Dorper sheep**, 5 mos., (1) male, (2) female, \$125/1. C. Duplantis, Bourge, Terrebonne Parish; 985-860-2886 or 985-856-3391.

**Lamancha female**, 3 yrs., w/(2) female kids, 9 mos., \$145/1. Claude Brady, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish; 504-723-4445.

**St. Croix sheep**, un-reg., \$200-\$250/1. Simone Little, Morse, Acadia Parish; 337-783-5747 or 337-962-4767.

**ADGA reg.** Nubian, Lamancha & crosses, '17 kids, doelings & young bucks, \$175/1-up. Wanda Barras, St. Martinville, St. Martin Parish; 337-519-0231.

**(2) reg. fb** Dorper ram lamb, excel. bloodlines, show quality, weaned & ready to go, without papers, \$400/1-up; w/papers, \$500/1, can send pics. Leroy Arabie, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 985-665-9773.

**Boer goat kids**, born in 2017, traditional color wh. / red head, beautiful & healthy, \$250/1. Wayne or Pam Webster, Welsh, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-734-3626.

**Reg. Texel** proven ram, Texel breed is fast growing, terminal sire in the U.K. they add muscling to your lamb crop, he is 200 lbs., \$550. Matthew Givs, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-257-1229.

**Nigerian dwarf** male goats, 3 mos., \$100/1 Sandra Darbonne, Washington, St. Landry Parish; 337-692-0316.

**Katahdin comm.** ewes, 11 mos., from reg. ram, healthy, wh., ready to breed, \$175/1 or \$480/3. Tom Barry, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-457-9544.

**(2) Boer bucks**, 6 mos., 88%, \$300-\$400/1. Paul or Sue Campbell Breaux Bridge, St Martin Parish; 337-845-9981 or Eveningshadeboergoats.com.

**Fb Boer** paint doe, disbudded, no horns, born March 2017, pet, show or future breeding, \$450. R. Richard, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-896-6264.

**(2) pb male** Dorper sheep, blk heads. Irby Sonnier, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-942-5081.

**Dorper blk.-head** ram, 10 mos., \$250. Blake Bertrand, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-7416.

**Wanted:** Gulf Coast ram around 1 yr. old. Dot Fisher, Sikes, Winn Parish; 318-628-2081.

**Wanted:** Nigerian dwarf goats. Harry Latiolais, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-247-3262.



#### AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD

**Australian shepherd** pups, AKC & NSDR reg., all colors, merles & solids, wormed, up to date shots, vet checked, parents on site, health guaranteed, beautiful & intelligent, \$400/1-up. Patrick Boudreaux, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-257-6582.

**Australian shepherd** pups, ready for Christmas and after, great color & markings, wormed, very healthy, tails docked, parents on site, working dogs, \$275-\$300/1. Nicole Snoddy, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-459-4814.

#### BEAGLE

**(3) beagle pups**, born Oct. 19, (2) chocolate, (1) chocolate & wh., AKC bred, up to date with shots, \$300/1. David Authorlee, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-826-3667.

**AKC beagles**, dogs running rabbits, \$250/1-up; dogs not running rabbits, pet quality, \$50/1-up; will start beagle pups in our enclosure, \$65. Tom Wylie, Rayville, Richland Parish; 318-334-0415 or 318-303-3755.

**Beagles, males & females**, some AKC reg., deer proof & collar broke, \$300-\$800/1. Dean Gentile, Port Allen, West Baton Rouge Parish; 225-328-2198.

**Reg. AKC** beagle pups, born 9/9/17, males & females, out of field champ sire, size 13"-15" shots & wormed \$250/1. D. Gentile, Port Allen, West Baton Rouge Parish; 225-328-2198.

#### BICHON FRISE

**Bichon Frise**, CKC reg white balls of fur, non-shed shots, dewormed, \$450/1up. Lester Markham, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-474-0384.

#### BLOODHOUND

**Lee's Bayou** AKC/CKC bloodhounds, all colors, \$500/1. Donald Lee, Jamestown, Bienville Parish; 318-564-3383.

#### BORDER COLLIE

**(2) ABC reg.** border collies, born 4/2/16, females, wormed & shots, (1) blk./wh., (1) tri-colored, \$250/1 P. Bordelon, Acme, Concordia Parish; 318-386-0101.

#### CATAHOULA

**Fb Catahoula pups**, (1) litter is 4.5 mos., (1) litter is 2.5 mos., \$250/1-up. Brenda, Oakdale, Allen Parish; 318-335-1414.

**Litter of reg.** NALC pups, Catahoulas, red leopards, males & females, (1) red & tan pup, sire comes out of the Aden Ranch, sire has double blue eyes, mom has one blue & one cracked, \$250 & \$300/1. Kenneth Racca, Sulphur, Calcasieu Parish; 337-476-0284 or 337-936-7115.

#### CUR

**Blk. mouth** cur male, not reg. 1 1/2 yrs. old, good w/children & other dogs, would make good hunting dog, free to good home. Brandon Jones, Pollock, Grant Parish; 318-312-3088.

**Reg. Original** Mountain Cur pups, champ. bloodlines, \$150 to reserve, \$150 due at pickup. Jeff Lewis, Deridder, Beauregard Parish; 337-396-2341.

#### DOBERMAN

**Fb Doberman** Pincher pups, avail. 1/2/18, 4 wks. old, tails cut & dew claws removed, up-to-date on shots, both mother, father are blk. & tan, father's father was blue Doberman, blue female pup in litter but not for sale, \$600. Charles Courville, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-433-1530 or 337-884-5005.

#### ENGLISH MASTIFF

**AKC reg. English Mastiff** pups, (5) males, (1) female, \$1750-\$1500. Bonnie Marquette, Wakefield, West Feliciana Parish; www.meauxmastiffs.com or 225-721-1571.

#### GERMAN SHEPHERD

**Reg. German** shepherd pups, blk., white & rare colors, beautiful family companions & protectors, \$400. Jerome Hammons, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-508-0800.

#### GREAT PYRENEES

**Great Pyrenees** 4 yr. old male, wormed, 10/N/1 shot, \$150; (1) great Pyrenees female, born 10/25/17, had 10/N/1 shots & wormed, \$175. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-353-0818.

#### HEELER

**Red & blue** heeler pups, tails docked, dewormed, shots, working parents on site, (2) litters born 10/14/17 & 10/21/17, \$200/1. Al Reames, St. Francisville, East Feliciana Parish; 225-721-1673.

#### JACK RUSSELL

**Jack Russell** pups, ready late Feb., will have shots & wormed, dad is a squirrel dog, \$80/1. M. Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-353-0818.

**CKC reg.** Jack Russell terriers, 8 wks., short, medium & long legged, hunting & working stock, blk./wh., \$350/1; blue merle, \$800/1; brown/wh., \$300/1. Kent Benton, Livingston, Livingston Parish; 225-686-0248.



**JRTCA reg.** Jack Russell terrier for Christmas, tri color, smooth coat, born Oct. 23, (1) male, \$600. Wilson LaGraize, Franklinton, Washington Parish; www.catca-woods.com or 504-812-8018.

### LABRADOR

**Reg. Labrador** retriever pups, born 11/28/2017, excel. temperament, these are solid family companions & tireless workhorses in the field, \$600/1. David Dart, Clinton, East Feliciana Parish; 225-719-2901.

**AKC reg.** yellow lab, 2 yrs., very affectionate, not gun shy, hasn't been trained for duck hunting, female, can text pics., \$300. Jerry Inman, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-375-5328.

### RAT TERRIER

**Rat terrier** pups, NRTA reg., long legged, parents on site, 15-20 lb., dewormed & vacc., \$150-\$300/1. George Snyder, St. Amant, Ascension Parish; 225-588-5757.

**Pb rat terrier** pups, long legged, 15-20 lbs., dewormed & vacc., \$150-\$300/1. Clyde Savage, Plaquemine, Avoyelles Parish; 318-939-2170.

**Rat terrier** pups & adults, rodent trained, all colors, toy & minis, \$60/1-up. P. Comeaux, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-322-1905.

### OTHER

**Australian shepherd / border collie** pups, born Aug. 17, vet. checked, 1st shot, wormed & started on HeartGuard, very smart, mom & dad are working dogs, (2) red, (2) dark red, \$300/1. C. Hatwig, Elmer, Rapides Parish; 318-623-5343 or 318-659-4228.

### SWINE

**(3) female hogs**, may be bred, (1) male Yorkshire hog, \$150-\$200/1 or \$600/all. Cynthia Cloud, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 504-858-0096.

**ASH Hog Farm**, Happy, healthy, tasty, hogs, pastured Hereford Heritage hogs, quality hogs, breeders, feeders, gilts, burrows & boars, \$200/1. Cody Angelette, Lockport, 985-696-9056.

**Feeder pigs**, roasting pigs, freezer hogs, blue butt, Duroc, New Hampshire, live or dressed, your choice, \$1/lb. Todd Lawrence, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-366-5505.

**Grain-fed** roasting pigs and/or feeder pigs, 50-125 lbs., Berkshire / Wattle cross & Hampshire / Wattle cross, \$1/lb. Earl Mitchell, Hornbeck, Vernon Parish; 318-308-8090 or 318-201-6103.

## DOMESTIC BIRDS & EQUIPMENT

**Doves, ringneck**, pied & tangerine, \$8/1; white & tangerine pearl, \$10/1, other colors avail, lots of young birds to choose from. Jim Bearb, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-298-7800 or 337-896-3475.

**India blue** peacocks, '17 hatch, \$50/1; breeding prs., \$250; peacocks, \$100; peahens, \$175, worming & care instructions included. B. Matheson, Bell City, Calcasieu Parish; 337-274-1342.

**Lovebirds**, peach-face mutations, opalines, \$20-\$30/1. Donald, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-466-3749.

**2017 baby peacocks**, all colors, \$45/1; grown peacocks, \$150/1. Lynn Mercer, Mangham, Richland Parish; 318-417-1376.

**Peafowl, India blue** adult male, '15, \$150; juvenile males & females, '17, \$50/1. Robert Church, Scott, Acadia Parish; 337-780-8888.

**Peafowl, India blue** or wh./blk.-shoulder chicks & adults, \$50/1-up. Simone Little, Morse, Acadia Parish; 337-783-5747.

**Bourke parakeets**, lutino, rubino, fallow, blue, violet, opaline & normal, some young, some proven prs., \$60-\$150/1. Ralph Bourque, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-534-7334.

**TurnX incubator** w.turner 125, large acrylic cage 100, small acrylic cage 45, double carry cages, 20-30 house shape cage 45. D. Gardner, Greenwell Springs, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-202-6753.

## POULTRY & FOWL

**Many kinds** of chickens, available all year, no cages, run free, hens always hatching, pb & mixed, big & small breeds, \$2-\$14; eggs, green brown and white, eat or hatch, \$2/doz.; \$3/18 pack. Lisa Lyon, Welsh, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-370-3479.

**Baby chicks**, \$1/1. Mack Mulkey, Iota, Acadia Parish; 337-552-5004.

**Mature Butler** bobwhite quails,

male & female, full-grown, 20-22 oz., \$5/1. Charles Rachal, Moreauville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-1019.

**Laying hens**, barred rock, Rhode Island red & red sex link, 7 mos., \$20/1. Greg Lafleur, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-0889.

**Svart Hona**, rare Swedish chickens for Christmas, all blk. juveniles, 2-4 wks. straight, \$40/1. Wilson LaGraize, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 504-812-8018.

**Ayam Cemani** – rare Indonesian chickens for Christmas, all blk. juveniles, 2-4 wks. straight, \$40/1. Wilson Lagraize, Franklinton, Washing Parish; Wilson@klcpa.com or 504-812-8018.

**(3) young female** gray silkies, just began laying, \$12/1; (1) female mallard duck, \$15/1 or \$45/4. Buford Landreneau, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-461-5282.

**(20) Muscovy** ducks, 9 mos., \$15/1. A.J., Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-306-0545 or 337-717-9022.

**Gambel quail**, full grown, \$45/trio. Lennis Hebert, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-258-0286.

**Mandarin ducks**, 20 avail, \$30 each. David Brown, Ragley, Allen Parish; 214-244-0350.

**(20) red sex-link** laying hens, \$20/1. Richard Satterley, Melville, St. Landry; 337-566-3708.

**(25) Chukar** partridges, '17 hatch, full grown, \$8/1; \$25/pr. or \$200/all. Garrie Landry, Franklin, St. Mary Parish; 337-578-2311.

**Young, large**, mature Toulouse geese, \$40/1. Wayne or Pam Webster, Welsh, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-734-3626.

**(100) Bobwhite & TN** red quails, male & female prs., \$10/1. Lynn Mercer, Mangham, Richland Parish; 318-248-3275 or 318-417-1376.

**2016 Western & Bourbon** red turkeys, males & females, older, \$45/1; baby, \$20/1. L. Mercer, Mangham, Richland Parish; 318-248-3276 or 318-417-1376.

**(10) Guineas**, 4 mos., all pearls, \$15/1. Dana Unger, Bush, St. Tammany Parish; 985-705-4295.

**Mallard ducks**, \$20/1 or \$40/pr. Beth Lister, Arnaudville, St. Martin Parish; 337-298-4386.

**Chickens**, \$10/1; (2) roosters, \$15/1. Beth Lister, Arnaudville, St. Martin Parish; 337-298-4386.

**Good quality** Muscovy ducks, (4) drakes, \$10/1; (7) hens, \$15; ducklings, \$5/1-up; (2) wild-type breeder drakes, \$25/1. Penny Baker, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-396-5051.

**Wanted:** Australian light Sussex,

(1) trio or (2) prs. of young birds, Old English bantam pr. or trio. Ray Vidrine, Washington, St. Landry Parish; 337-331-4220.

**Wanted:** silver or B red Phoenix standard chickens. Penny Baker, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-396-5051.

## PIGEONS

**ARPU banded** racing homers, many colors, \$12.5/1; mated prs., \$25/1. Eddie LeBlanc, Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-258-5687.

**Racing homers**, rare colors, blk. eagles, yellow & red trentons, muelman, saddlebacks, rollers, tumblers, fantails & other breeds, \$7/1-up; Norwich croppers, \$15/1. D.L. Johnson, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-223-7209.

**Wh. racing** homer pigeons, banded birds, \$10/1; parakeet next boxes, \$10/1. James Soileau, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-5590.

**Wh. & silver** kings, young birds, \$5/1; young prs., \$15/1; Texas Pioneers, young birds, \$15/pr. Ray Vidrine, Washington Parish; 337-331-4220.

**Kings**, utility & show, whites & colors, \$5-\$15/1. D. Miller, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-250-3215.

**American giant** homers, prs., \$30; German beauty homers, \$35/pr. Mike Danos, Cut Off, Lafourche Parish; 985-691-7554.

**Large Hubble** pigeons, \$10/1. Irby Sonnier, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-942-5081.

**Red Corneau**, huddles, barbs, arc angels, starlings, mookes, \$10/1; English Carriers, \$20/1. Floyd Lebouef, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-684-2251.

**Birmingham roller** pigeons, young birds, not paired up yet, \$10/1, no calls after 7 p.m. Ricky Deshotel, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-4032.

**Racing homing** pigeons, diff. breeds, Janssens, blk. Eagles, yellow & red trentons, speed birds, grizzles, red & yellow muelmen, blue bars & blue cheeks, \$15/1; Chinese owl pigeons, blue, blk., red & gray, show & hobby birds, \$25/1-up. Vernon James Champagne, Houma, Terrebonne Parish; 985-873-8440.

**Young** Modenas, \$10/1-up. Harold, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-442-2937.

**Wanted:** 1 or 2 female curly back frizzle pigeons. Lisa Lyon, Welsh, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-370-3479.

## EGGS

**Eggs, green, brown & wh.**, eat or hatch, sm., med. & lg., chickens run free, dark yolks, \$1.5-\$3/doz.; \$2.5-\$3.5/18. Lisa Lyon, Welsh, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-370-3479.

**Farm fresh** brown eggs, \$2/doz. Greg Lafleur, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-0889.

**Fresh from** the farm, brown eggs, \$2/doz.; duck eggs, \$2.25/doz.; bantam eggs, \$1.25/doz., all are free range & grain fed. K. Baldassaro, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-795-1441 leave message.

**Pickled quail & chicken** eggs, multiple flavors from plain to spicy, 1/2 pint, \$6; pint, \$12; fresh yard eggs, \$3/doz. Mike Tanner, Livingston, Livingston Parish; 225-290-6318.

## RABBITS & EQUIPMENT

**Texas red-back rabbits**, excel. runners for training, avail. year round, \$15/1. Larry Loyd, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish; 985-796-5502.

**Bergeron & Borel's** Rabbit Ranch, Netherland dwarf, Holland lops, Calif. & Flemish giant, New Zealands, American blue, wh. & mini rex, lion heads, \$25/1-up; rabbit cages, new & used, call for appt. only, \$25/1-up. Liz Bergeron or Douglas Borel, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-886-8075.

**Checkered giant**, Flemish giant, light gray, giant chinchillas, depending on breed, \$15-\$40/1. Jeremy Fontenot, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-376-6156.

**New Zealand & California** cross checkered giants & chocolate New Zealand, 8 wks., \$10/1-up. Dennis Laverne, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-1596.

**Californias**, New Zealand, red New Zealand, Flemish, lionheads, Netherlands, Holland mix, Dutch/mix, meat/breed stock, \$15/1-up. Rickey Pender, Colfax, Grant Parish; 318-627-3086 or 318-451-8771.

**B-Island Farm**, Holland lops, \$30/1-up; New Zealand, high quality pedigree, \$15/1-up. Dot Brewster, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-795-8810.

**Megan's Mini Farm**, mini rex rabbits, Holland lops, lion heads, Netherland dwarfs & New Zealand, all ages & colors, show quality, \$20/1-up. Megan Bergeron,



Livonia, Point Coupee Parish; 225-223-2008.

**50% Tennessee** red-back, 50% Florida wild cottontail; 50% Texas red-back, 50% Florida wild cottontail, 6-8 wks. old, \$15/1. Godfred Schexneyder, Labadieville, Assumption Parish; 985-859-8230.

**(2) lg. dbl. breeding** rabbit hutches, 26" high off the ground, made w/3/4" plywood & planks, separate entrance holes & separate wooden walls between each rabbit nest, holds lg. male & female rabbits & a doz. baby rabbits in each hutch, \$35/1. F.J. Chatelain, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-748-3424.

**Rabbit cages**, 9"x3"x2" w/3 holes, \$140/1; 1-hole, \$60/1. Jeremy Fontenot, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-376-6156.

## AQUACULTURE & EQUIPMENT

**Pond stocking**, blue catfish, 45¢/1; channel catfish, 30¢/1; coppernose bluegill & La. bluegill, 25¢/1; hybrid bluegill, 30¢/1; red-ear bream, 30¢/1; blk. crappie, 45¢/1; bass, 70¢/1; fathead minnows, \$12/lb., del. avail. David Lowe, Minden, Webster Parish; 318-377-1525.

**Never used**, raft type aquaponics systems, complete w/styrofoam rafts, air stones, pumps, fish tank, etc. sold as systems or as parts, \$50/per item & up. Tom Wylie, Rayville, Richland Parish; 318-334-0415.

## DEER & EXOTICS

**NOTICE: Effective November 19, 2012 LDAF has suspended the importation of the following captive cervidae: rocky mountain elk, red deer, mule deer, black-tailed deer, white-tailed deer and Sika deer into Louisiana.**

Any person who keeps, breeds, raises, contains, harvests, kills, slaughters, buys, sells, trades, or transfers ownership of any type of farm-raised alternative livestock (deer and/or exotics) for commercial purposes shall obtain a farm-raising license, from the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry (LDAF) prior to engaging in such activity. For more information, contact the LDAF office of Animal Health at 225-925-3980.

**Each time an ad is submitted for farm-raise alternative livestock (deer and/or exotics), it must be accompanied by a LDAF-issued permit number.**

**Fallow red deer** & axis deer for sale, will del., \$300/1-up. Vincent Brocato, Montgomery, Grant Parish; 318-646-1040.

## FARM SERVICES

**Dale's mobile** welding services. Clarence Dale Carnegie, Covington, St. Tammany Parish; 985-273-9454.

**Duck & goose** field/pond preparation, rolling, smashing or cleaning vegetation or rice stubble for hunting, will travel, Leighton Rabalais, Abbeville, Vermilion Parish; 337-517-5224.

**Fence building**, barb, net, boards, pipe & hotwire, references avail., \$1/ft. & up, fence cleaning & repairs, catch pens & arenas, free estimates. Ben Baggett, Mittie, Allen Parish; 337-370-8254.

**Cattle penning**, working & hauling from pasture to pasture or stockyard, portable equip., large or small herd, problem cattle, 50 yrs. experience, will travel. Terry or Jason, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-789-1927 or 337-322-7601.

**Hensgens Fencing** services, all your fencing needs from residential to ranching, build any type for horses, cattle or goats, catch pens & corrals, privacy & custom wood fences & dog kennels. Nick or Joe, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-581-8188 or 985-992-9119.

**Mobile welding** services, handy man & carpentry work. Bart, Welsh, Evangeline Parish; 337-526-8825 or 337-526-8826.

**J&L Cattle services**, halter breaking for weaned calves & cow/calf prs., experience in prepping cattle for sales, 4-H/FFA Jrs. welcomed, can AI or set-up to transfer embryos for cow/calf prs., UTD vacc. required. Joe or Lanna Hensgens, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 985-992-9119 or 337-945-3234.

**Metal buildings**, pole barns, garages, carports, hay barns, agricultural buildings, catch pens, pipe & wire fence & additions & repairs. Mackie McMillan, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 225-921-6749.

**Cattle services**, timed AI or natural, 33 yrs., experience. D.L. Brasseaux, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-802-5218 or 337-463-8889.

**Restore pastures** & fields, mow, cult., reduce compaction, contour, plant, install drainage, ponds, roads, paths, walls & fences, harvest & thin trees & stumps. John Cleary, Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-634-0074.

**Barn & barnyard** services, repair barn/fence, clean-up/clean-out barn area, bush hog/push to burn, 50 mile radius. John Marcantel, Mittie, Allen Parish;

337-207-9706 after 4 p.m.

**Wanted:** small farm work, farm, yard, livestock, gardening, stock & stable too, 5-days a week, min. 4-5 hrs. day, \$15/hr nego. K. Baldassaro, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-795-1441 leave message.

## LIVESTOCK BOARDING

**Horse boarding**, 1.5 miles from I-10, overnight or monthly, 5-acre coastal pasture w/barn, place to work horse & trail ride, \$100/month & up; overnight, \$20/1; two or more nights, \$15/1. Lisa Lyon, Welsh, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-370-3479.

**Horse boarding**, 12'x12' stalls, turnout pens, walker, covered lighted arena, outdoor arena, covered 2-horse wash rack, located in Tickfaw. Richard Acton, Tickfaw, Tangipahoa Parish; 225-567-7977 or 985-507-8667.

**Horse boarding** in Iberia & Vermillion parishes w/individual stalls, pasture & round pen, wash rack, horse walker, deworming, fly control, trailer storage & riding area, according to needs & services. Loles Duhon, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-380-9610.

**Horse boarding** & training, lighted covered arena, walker, rd. pen & outdoor arena, turn out paddocks, cattle events, bare board, \$200/mo.; full board, \$600/mo. Jeffery or Terry, Gonzales, Ascension Parish; 225-268-7998 or 225-715-6158.

**Horse boarding**, pasture, full or partial board, riding arena & trailer storage, also barn & pasture for rent. Dean Gentile, Port Allen, West Baton Rouge Parish; 225-328-2198 or 225-627-9562.

**Horse boarding**, stalls & pasture, nice barn fans, auto bug system, 25 acres of good pasture, large loafing sheds, hurricane & vinyl fencing, \$300/mo. Linda Helo, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-581-4155.

**Planer shavings** for horse stalls, trailer load, \$25/1. James McCaleb, Plaquemine, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-7265.

## EQUIPMENT SERVICE FOR HIRE

**Bush hogging** & trac. work, front-end loader, by hour or by job, \$45/hr. Dennis Laverne, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-1596.

**Dozer & excavator** work services, land clearing, limestone, dirt, ponds, crawfish ponds, roads, house pads, culvert settings & level work. Chad Helminger, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-5767 or 318-964-2380.

**Bush hogging** & trac. work, garden tilling w/5.5' tiller & front-end loader \$40/hr. Dustin, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-788-0240 or 337-250-5524 call from 8 a.m.-7 p.m.

**Dozer & trackhoe** work, \$1000/min. Lattie Martin, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-405-5229.

**Trac. work**, bush hogging, driveways, dirk-work, tilling & planting/ seeding, tree cutting/trimming & removal, whatever you need done, \$40-\$45/hr. depending on job. David Yount, Coushatta, Natchitoches Parish; 318-471-3681 or 318-332-3565.

**Dirt work** & hauling services, backhoe, dozer, dump truck, excavator, skid steer, construct private roads, bldg. sites, house pads, driveways, haul, land clearing, food plots, also welding & diesel mechanic services, free estimates. Joey Dawson, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-505-7315.

**Bush hogging**, free estimates, Acadian area. Larry Bearb, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-501-4349.

**Bush hogging**, lots, acreage w/subdivisions, insured, serving Acadiana area since '89. J. Rabalais, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-856-7255.

**Dozer & trackhoe** work, land clearing, ponds, roads, house pads, shear stumps for pasture or replant trees. Robby McGrew, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-398-9895.

**Land prepared**, cleared, contoured, fields mowed, mulched, cultivated, trees removed & recycled on site for mulch, reconditioned arenas & gravel roads 8" deep, install ponds, roads & fences, sub-surface drainage. John Clery, Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-634-0074.

## NUISANCE ANIMAL REMOVAL

**Whole sounder** eradication only, no live removal, all or none, neighbor participation sential for small properties, insured. Harold

Joseph, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-337-6858.

**Professional hog** removal, free services w/\$2 million insurance provided to landowners, La. state licensed, state-wide services. David Braun, Greenwell Springs, East Baton Rouge Parish; www.hogbiz.com or 225-806-8246 or 800-693-9853.

**Beaver Removal** Done Right, SWLA, references avail., price varies by job. Jeff Aguilard, Elton, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-842-7466.

**Hog traps**, 59"x54" w/3 18" push in gates, \$200. Pierre Broussard, Maurice, Vermilion Parish; 337-277-8297.

## RURAL PROPERTIES FOR SALE

Must offer ten (10) or more adjoining acres of land located in Louisiana. Farmland ads MUST include accompaniments (house, barn, hay field, garden, and what the land is best suited for). Proof of ownership may be required. All ads MUST be accompanied by the following owner-signed statement: "This property is personally owned by me and is not offered for sale by a licensed real estate dealer, broker or salesman."

**11.5 acres** cleared along Airline Hwy. (U.S. 190) just west of Opelousas, formerly used as hay field, \$210,000. Houston Penn, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-355-4891.

**70 acres** North East Tangipahoa Parish, ideal hunting, farming or residential, 3 br home, storage shed & 30'x50' metal building, \$7,000/acre. Jerry Sharp, Covington, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-892-3967.

**31+ acres** w/elec. & water, Thibodaux area, 50% mineral rights, \$10,000/acre. Robert Gravois Sr., Thibodaux, Lafourche Parish; 985-633-5245 or 985-227-1298.

**13.59 acres**, Hwy. 444 in Livingston Parish, all wood land, high & dry, culvert installed, \$110,000. Mike Tanner, Prairieville, Ascension Parish; 225-362-8365.

**40 acres**, fenced, adjacent to Naional forestry & timberland company, hard surface road frontage, pond & fenced lot, good drainage, \$140,000. Henry Wilson, Rosepine, Vernon Parish; 337-208-1604.

**25.622 acres** on Hwy. 114, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish, mostly open, hill, mature woods, utilities avail., homesite, pasture or comm., will divide, \$185,000. A.R. Wright, Woodworth, Rapides Parish; 318-290-9979.



**14.95 acres** on Ellis Road near Hwy. 13, north of Crowley, all woodland, \$2400/acre, will consider all serious offers. Billy Haristy, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-581-0305 or 337-783-5868.

**19.81 acres** in Ranchette in Carencro area, 800' on Vermilion Bayou, frame house, barn, pond, pecan orchard, check out Ed Dugas facebook for photos, \$235,000. Ed Dugas, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; ead9743@louisiana.edu or 337-298-5785.

**Wanted:** father & 2 sons farmers are looking for 20-40 acres to raise vegetables & crawfish, need well, pond & house, we can do the repairs to home, need owner financing for 12 mos., we can pay balance in 12 mos., or lease farm w/option to buy or lease farm & crawfish pond or we can buy today w/small down payment, thanks, anywhere in La. Joe, Larry, Clark Gable, Las Vegas, NV; 702-877-0011 or farmhome55@gmail.com.

## RURAL PROPERTIES FOR RENT OR LEASE

Must offer ten (10) or more adjoining acres of land located in Louisiana. Farmland ads MUST include accompaniments (house, barn, hay field, garden, and what the land is best suited for). Proof of ownership may be required. All ads MUST be accompanied by the following owner-signed statement: "This property is personally owned by me and is not offered for sale by a licensed real estate dealer, broker or salesman."

**Wanted:** fenced pastures in St. Martin Parish for cattle operation, 30 acres or more. Keith Dupuis, St. Martinville, St. Martin Parish; 337-288-1156.

**Wanted:** Raceland resident looking for lease for cows, bad fence or no fence we can work something out. Justin Keller, Raceland, Lafourche Parish; 979-595-3889.

**Wanted:** Land to lease for organic grain production, long term. Van. Mol, Lecompte, Rapides Parish; 318-308-4829.

**Wanted:** father & 2 sons farmers are looking for 20-40 acres to raise vegetables & crawfish, need well, pond & house, we can do the repairs to home, need owner financing for 12 mos., we can pay balance in 12 mos., or lease farm w/option to buy or lease farm & crawfish pond or we can buy today w/small down payment, thanks, anywhere in La. Joe, Larry, Clark Gable, Las Vegas, NV; 702-877-0011 or farmhome55@gmail.com

## FERTILIZER

**Chicken fert.,** prices vary. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-353-0818.

**Ag lime,** \$25/ton within 100 mile radius. Brent Duncan, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-515-6655.

**Fert., dry,** cured, powder, like dirt, horse & chicken mixed, \$50/50 lb feed bag; trac. scoop, \$15/1; pure chicken fert., \$5/5-gal. bucket, you supply the bucket, avail. yr. round. Lisa Lyon, Welsh, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-370-3479.

## BEES & HONEY

**Remove honey bee swarms** or infestations, free. Carl Richè, Lecompte, Rapides Parish; 318-446-5916.

**Flow Hive** \$350, bottom boards, \$14/1; telescoping cover w/inner cover, \$30. Harry Vermaelen, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-201-5632.

**New crop honey,** \$14/qt.; bees wax, (1) lb. block, \$10/1. Robert Taylor, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-969-4647.

**Fresh local pure honey,** pt., \$7/1; qt., \$14/1; comb honey pt., \$8/1. Keith Juneau, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-240-4764.

**Fresh local honey,** 12 oz. honey bear, \$3/1; 24 oz. honey bear, \$5/1; qt. jar, \$12/1; gal. jar, \$40/1. Gary Bonnette, Boyce, Rapides Parish; 318-793-9063.

## SEEDS, FLOWERS & ORNAMENTALS

Any person who sells, distributes, or offers or handles for sale agriculture, vegetable, or flower seeds or other propagating stock of one pound or more shall obtain a Seed Dealer's License from the LDAF Seed Programs Division. For licensing information, contact the LDAF Seed Programs Division at 225-925-4733 or by email at seed@ldaf.state.la.us.

**Bleeding heart vines,** \$10/1; iris', \$1.5/1; day lilies, \$1.5/1. Morris Collura, 3237 Louisiana Ave., Lake Charles, 70601, Calcasieu Parish; 337-478-7075.

**Sweet basil,** true Peter peppers, large sweet banana peppers, edible cucuzza gourd, candlestick, red & pink hibiscus, red & white cypress vine, Roma tomatoes, plums, rd. long green eggplants & cantaloupe, \$2.5/pkg. w/SASE. Morris Collura, 3237 Louisiana Ave., Lake Charles, 70601, Calcasieu Parish; 337-478-7075.

**Palms, sago,** \$5-\$20/1; pindo, \$25/1; Chinese fan, 3-gal., \$10/1; white ginger, 3-gal., \$5/1; Mamou, \$5/1; cast iron plants, 3-gal., \$10; liriopoe, standard or variegated, \$3/1; Aztec, \$5/1; monkey grass, 3 qt., .75; spigelia, \$3/1. James Stelly, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-457-4528.

**Green stripe cushaw seeds,** \$5/pkg. Tommy Rankin, P.O. Box 51, Mer Rouge, La. 71261, Morehouse Parish; 318-647-5735 or 318-235-6918.

**Black planting pots,** several diff. sizes, some weathered but in decent cond., make good offer; original elephant ear, \$4/1; cast iron plants, \$5/1; variegated yucca or original, \$4/1-up. J. Baldassaro, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-795-1441 leave message.

**Wanted:** rapunzel cherry tomato seed or plants. A.J. Baham, Franklin, St. Mary Parish; 337-828-7038.

## TREES & FRUITING VINES

Any person who intends to grow, buy or sell trees, shrubs, ornamental plants, grass sod, or foliage plants shall obtain a license or permit, from the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry (LDAF), prior to engaging in such activity. For more information, contact the LDAF Horticulture and Quarantine Programs Division at 225-952-8100 or email at horticulture@ldaf.state.la.us.

**Japanese plum trees,** \$4/1. Joe Giaccone, Hammond, Tanipahoa Parish; 985-345-5049.

**Mayhaw, fig,** pecan, Leland Cypress & blackberry vines, \$15-\$25/1. William Auttonberry, Eros, Jackson Parish; 318-249-4512.

**Blueberry bushes,** high bush & rabbit eye, \$2.5/1-\$5/1; depending on quantity purchased. Mike Talley, Sun, St. Tammany; 225-936-0182.

**Sago palms,** \$10-25/1; red bird of paradise, \$25/1; red plums, \$5-\$20/1; Japanese plums, \$5-\$20/1; pomegranate, \$10-\$18/1; figs, purple, La. LSU, \$15/1; honey dew, \$15/1; sweet lemon, Myers

lemon, \$18/1; Celeste fig, \$15/1; sweet kumquat, \$15/1. Morris Collura, 3237 Louisiana Ave., Lake Charles, 70601, Calcasieu Parish; 337-478-7075.

**Wanted:** chironja orangelito citrus tree, citrallus lanatus, grapefruit - orange cross. A.J. Baham, Franklin, St. Mary Parish; 337-828-7038.

**Wanted:** bald cypress seedlings. Leatte Painter, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-839-3394.

## FRUITS & VEGETABLES

**Sweet potatoes,** Beauregard, 45 lb. box, \$15/1. Becky Dugas, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-6840.

## JAMS, JELLIES & PRESERVES

**Fig preserves,** \$7/pt.; \$13/qt. Gary Marcantel, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-580-3742.

**Mayhaw, huckleberry,** purple hull pea, local honey, fig preserves, peach preserves & much more, jellies, \$5; preserves pint, \$6/1; quart, \$12/1. Dana Guillory, Iowa, Calcasieu Parish; 337-582-3330.

## HAY & GRAIN

**(80) mixed grass** 4x5 bales, fert. & sprayed; (100) bales of Bahia. Brenda Webb, St. Landry, Evangeline Parish; 318-613-3477.

**2016 & 2017 mixed Bahia** 5x6 rolls, \$15/1-up. David Yount, Coushatta, Natchitoches Parish; 318-471-3681 or 318-332-3565.

**Sq. bales,** \$5/1; 4x4 rolls, \$35/1; 4x5 rolls, \$45/1; 4x5.5 rolls, \$55/1, fert. & put up w/no rain. Danny Schleismann, Husser, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-517-8341.

**Horse hay,** sq. bales, Argentina Bahia, well fert., well cured, \$6/1. Nelson Doolittle, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-507-3186.

**2017 Bermuda mixed,** 4x5 rd. bales, \$10/1; '17 Bahia, in barn, 4x5 bales, \$35/1. Ralph Racca, Broussard, Lafayette Parish; 337-789-1024.

**Argentina Bahia** 4x5 rd. bales, fert., limed, stored in barn, \$40/1. Jerry Duhon, Sulphur, Calcasieu Parish; 337-853-4360.

**2017 Mixed Bahia hay,** large rd. bales, in barn, volume discount & del. avail., \$40/1 & sq. bales avail. Bond Stevens, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-505-0706.

**2017 Mixed grass,** string tied rd. hay bales, 4x5, \$30/1 or \$50/2. Allen Prados, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-967-0006.

**(132) rolls** of mixed grass hay, primarily Bahia grass, 5'x4' rolls, cut & rolled, mid Oct., \$30/1 or \$25/1 if all are taken. Mike Smith, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-58-1409.

**2017 mixed grass hay,** 5x6 rolls, wrapped, \$30/1. Loura Frye, Natchitoches, Natchitoches Parish; 318-332-8672 or 318-332-7841.

**Mixed grass hay,** 5x5 fert., no rain, in barn, \$42/1 or \$40/20 or more. J.L. Williams, Spearsville, Union Parish; 318-778-3248 or 870-510-4606.

**2017 Bahia hay** stored under barn, 4x5 rolls, \$30; 5x5 rolls, \$40; sq. bales, \$5. Anthony Santangelo, Tickfaw, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-351-3928 or anthony.santangelo@icloud.com.

**2017 Bahia Bermuda** 4x5 rolls, net wrapped, well fert., \$35/1. Richard Noles, Heflin, Webster Parish; 318-377-8582 or 318-294-6597.

**Bahia grass hay,** 4x5 cover edge net wrapped, \$30/1, discounted price for (10) or more bales. Ricky Guilbeaux, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-280-0569.

**2017 Jiggs** 4x6 rd. bales, \$45/1. Ricky Deville, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-789-4095.

**4x5 Mixed grass,** string tied rd. bales, baled this month, \$20/1, will del. for additional cost. Edwin Simar, Jennings, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-912-2374.

**Bahia / Bermuda** 4x5 rolls, twine wrapped, \$25/1; net wrapped, \$30/1; mixed grasses, \$20/1, quantity discounts on over 50 rolls. Christine Carter, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-448-7026 or 318-419-8513.

**2017 individually wrapped** 5'x4' rolls of Bermuda haylage, fert. & wee controlled Bermuda grass, baled in '16, \$50/1, loaded. Dempsey Parden, Bogalusa, Washington Parish; 225-937-7448.

**Argentine Bahia grass,** premium grade, fert., stored in barn, \$39/1-up. Richard Reed, Independence, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-878-2330.

**2017 Bermuda** 4x5 rd. bales, fert., \$28/1; mixed grass, 4x5 rd. bales, del. avail., \$20/1. Kendall



Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-459-1634.

**2017 good** quality hay, fert., 4x5½ rd. bales, outside, \$25/1; under barn net-wrapped \$35/1. Bernard Leger, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-948-9366 or 337-945-2435.

**5x6 Rd. bales** under barn, \$55/1; outside, \$45/1. Delos Thompson, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish; 985-796-9872.

**(60) rolls of** un-fert. Bahia 4x5 net wrapped good hay baled 10/19/17, \$25/1. Morris Hebert, Oakdale, Allen Parish; 337-570-6361.

**2016 Bahia** 4x5 round bales, fert., \$25/1 or \$20/1 if 10 or more purchased; '15 Bahia hay, \$15/1 or \$10/1 if 10 or more taken. C.M. Duplechian, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-824-2989 or 337-224-0447.

**Alicia Bermuda** 4x5 net wrapped rd. bales, in barn, \$45/1; 4x5 Bahia rd. bales, \$25/1. Jeremy Landry, Arnaudville, St. Landry Parish; 337-519-3155.

**(400) 2017 Argentina/Bahia** rd. bales, 4x5, fert. & limed, horse quality, in barn \$40/1. John Briscoe, Elton, Allen Parish; 337-526-1560.

**2017 Bermuda** sq. bales, excel. horse quality, \$6/1. Dwight Brignac, Washington, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-3758.

**2017 Argentine** & Bahia hay, limed & fert. to soil test, sq. bales, \$6/1; 4x5 rd. bales, \$47/1, '16 hay also avail. Vernon Russell, Chesbrough, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-748-6488.

**2017 Bahia** & mixed grass, 4x5 rd. bales, in field \$20/1; sq. bales, in barn, \$3.5/1, in field, \$3/1. Pigeon Fontenot, Jr., Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-230-1027.

**2017 mixed** grass, del. avail., \$20/1; Bahia hay, del. avail., \$30/1. Wendell Middlebrooks, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-658-3106.

**2017 Bahia** & mixed grass, 4x5 rd. bales, \$20/1. Keith Guillory, Calcasieu Parish; 337-884-5072.

2017 4x5 rd. bales, good quality, \$25/1. Greg LaFleur, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-0889 or 337-543-8158.

**2017 Bahia** 4x5 rolls, no rain, \$20/1. Carlos Guillot, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-253-5770 or 318-359-6764.

**2017 Bahia cow** or horse hay, rd. bales, good quality, cured w/o rain, del. avail., \$35/1. Homer Dutsch, Bush, St. Tammany Parish; 985-807-4046.

**2017 Pensacola/Bahia** rd. bales, 4x5 net wrapped, fert. & limed to soil test at LSU soil lab, cured w/o

rain, stored in barn, \$50/1. Melvin Husser, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-748-7958 or 985-517-1792.

**Non-GMO** corn, \$35/drum. William Auttonberry, Eros, Jackson Parish; 318-249-4512.

**2000 lb. super bags** of pasture wheat, \$350/bag. Brett Clark, Melville, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-2228.



**2004 Ag-co** GT-75, American made, 75 hp diesel, 2 wd, canopy top, front-end loader, 7' bush hog, less than 300 hrs., excel. cond., \$17,000. Bubba Burch, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-344-5389.

**5' Bush hog**, great shape, \$400. Joseph Marcantel, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-599-2314.

**Red Farmall** Cub trac. w/belly mower, \$2000. Joseph Thibodeaux, Livingston, Livingston Parish; 225-698-9718 or 225-287-2338.

**Farmall 100** garden trac., \$3800, fertilizer & seed hopper w/planter included & a couple of plows. Daryl Burnthorn, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-335-6649.

**1953 Ford** golden jubilee, restore, \$4000 obo, Lurry Laborde, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-9893.

**Ford 3600** loader, 7900 Kubota loader, 28 hp, \$6900. Joe Major, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-945-6960.

**Int. Farmall** 140 trac., red, includes disc, rigger, middle buster, bush hog, 16' dbl. axle, trailer w/3' sides, red, completely refurbished, excel. cond., \$7550. Joey, Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-542-7601.

**JD 950-1010** harrow w/6' Land Pride finishing mower, \$6300. Jean Trahan, Delcambre, Iberia Parish; 337-685-2220.

**JD 4300** 4 wd, shuttle shift w/5' shredder, very good cond., \$7500. Errol Aymond, Effie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-447-1206.

**JD 7410**, \$26,000. Brett Clark, Melville, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-2228.

**1980 JD 4840** trac., cab, air, duals, new power shift trans., \$12,000; '69 JD 5020 trac. w/duals, motor runs well, clean, \$7000. Claudia Morgan, Delhi, Richland Parish; 318-341-4807.

**4020 JD trac.**, power shift, \$6500; 310 A JD rubber tire backhoe, \$3500. Nolan Ortego, Bunkie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-481-2900.

**JD 4640** trac., LED lights, rear tires inside 95%, duals 10%, front tires 95%, new paint, rockshaft, hyd. pump, damper, quick hitch, clutch, front power shift pack, field ready, \$14,500. Preston Hutson, Bossier, Bossier Parish; 318-318-347-2008.

**2004 JD 6215** trac., 72 hp, w/cab, a/c, radio, power reverse trans. w/7' bush hog, 540 PTO w/6642 hrs., \$20,500 obo.; '05 6420 JD trac., 90 hp w/deluxe cab, a/c, air seat & radio, PowerQuad Plus trans., 540/1000 PTO w/4848 hrs., \$28,500 obo. John Barbara, St. Rose, St. Charles Parish; 504-464-9396 or 504-460-5967.

**JD wide** front-end, for 320-330 Southern Special, wide front end for 40-320, 330-420-430, \$400/1-up; hoods & grills, \$200/1-up; fenders, \$150/1-up. Paul Miller, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-664-3777 or 225-610-9400.

**2017 Kubota** MX5800, 58 hp, 281 hrs., 4 wd, front-end loader, hydrostatic trans., shed kept, \$25,500. Ted Daigle, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-550-9270.

**2017 Kubota** 2650 trac. w/534 front-end loader, 5' Land Pride box blade, 5' County Line bush hog and 3 pt. hitch lifting pole, 15 hrs. on equipment, \$18,500/all. Michael Allemand, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 504-214-7340.

**2017 JD 7260R** w/duals, like new cond., 2320 hrs., \$128,000. Lee Weeks, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-442-6398 or lweeks@inglewoodfarm.com.

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**Kubota M9000** 2wd w/front-end loader, 3545 hrs., new front & rear tires, 90 hp, LED lights, new clutch, flywheel & trans. seal, good solid trac., hay fork & bucket, \$25,000. Preston Hutson, Bossier, Bossier Parish; 318-318-347-2008.

**Kubota trac.**, 29 hp, L2800, 4 wd, front loader, plus 5' bush hog, ROPS, manual trans., 580 hrs., \$12,250. Rod Meade, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-781-1858.

**Trac. pkg.**, L3200 Kubota, 2 wd, like new 85 hrs., 20' trailer, box blade, hipper, cult., post-hole digger, sprayer, boom, hitch, chisel, middle buster, \$12,500. Tommy Rasberry, Jennings, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-526-4468.

**5' Mahindra-Kodiak** rotary clipper w/stump jumper, standard duty, 60 hrs., \$825. Joe Donachricha, Slaughter, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-654-6347.

**2003 Mahindra** 3505 DI, 35 hp, App., 235 hrs., 5' bush hog, 5' box blade, 6' Landplane, 1/3 yard 3 pt. hitch dirt scoop, all in great shape,

\$7500. Dale Hebert, Morgan City, Assumption Parish; 985-631-2344.

**NH 256 side** del. hay rake, \$2000; Land Pride spike tooth harrow, \$800; Land Pride disc, \$1600; (2) used cotton trailers, \$500/1; Kubota 4030, \$9000. W.J. Mims, Calhoun, Ouachita; 318-644-2236.

**Yanmar 1510**, trac., 18 hp, Cat 0, 3 pt. lift, 3 spd. powershift, 3 spd. PTO, low hrs., good tires, everything works, new battery, fan belt, radiator hoses, fuel lines, etc., w/4' King Cutter, finishing mower, new belt & pulleys, \$3500. Linster Guillot, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-1705.

**White trac.** 2155 w/ cab & air 160 HP w/ new allied loader, hay spear, 1800 hrs, \$15500. Bobby Gene Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

**(1) 169R28 trac.** tire, good condition, \$375. Bobby Gene Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

**Yellow & Wh. Cub trac.** w/front cult. arms, \$1500; complete set of Cub cult., \$700; Super A front mounting arms, \$350. Skeet Cooper, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-419-2294.

**Yellow & wh.** Cub trac. w/belly mower, runs well, \$3000. Clifford Lafleur, Oberlin, Allen Parish; 337-639-2343.

**Used tire** rim for 574 Int. 18.4/30. Charles Abrams, Independence, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-878-4253.

**Satoh Bisen** 650G trac., 25 hp, w/galv. bush hog, blade & trailer moving attachment, trac. recently maintained & brakes refurbished, \$2500. Larry Thibodaux, Raceland, Lafourche; 985-637-4014.

**Parts to fit** 8N Ford trac., radiator, clutch & presser plate, \$100/1. Larry McNeal, Effie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-3727.

**JD 6' finishing** mower, rear discharge, like new, \$1100 obo. Dan Sherman, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-788-0240 or 337-250-5524 call 8 a.m. - 7 p.m.

**Wanted:** 5000 or 6600 Ford trac. for parts. Russell Sibley, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-517-4208.

## PLANTING & TILLAGE

**JD 7300** Max Emerge 8-row planter, \$5000. Henry Vanderlick, Jr., Cheneyville, Rapides Parish; 318-279-2463.

**JD 630 disc**, 32', \$5900 obo; JD 235 disc, 19', fair cond., \$1500. Bryce Taylor, Plaquemine, Avoyelles Parish; 305-4625.

**JD 1560 grain** drill, 30' w/row marker, field ready, shed kept, \$30,000; JD 12-row 30" vertical fold planter toolbar, \$2000; (2) JD 842 8-row corn header, \$5000/1. Randy Woodruff, Monterey, Concordia Parish; 318-386-7509.

**16' Do-All**, \$1500. Charles LaHaye, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-523-3717 or 337-363-2643.

**20' wide** spring-tooth harrow, 30 teeth, all there, 3 rows, 10 on each row, heavy duty, \$1200. James Cain, Dry Creek, Beauregard Parish; 337-328-7266.

**2014 Bigham** hipper chopper, 12-row, 30", like new, \$28,000; '02 JD 637 disc, 28', good cond., \$14,500. Lee Weeks, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-442-6398 or lweeks@inglewoodfarm.com.

**Heavy duty** JD field cult., 21', pull type, \$1500. Ray, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-305-0705.

**8-row JD hipper** w/Orthman row markers, 36", \$2000. Ray, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-305-0705.

**Crust Buster** grain drill, 14', 3 pt. hitch, 7 ½" spacing, dbl. disc openers, good food plot drill, needs little work, \$1000; JD 6-row disc, hyd. fold, good blades, needs (1) bearing, ready to go, \$2000; 6-row Glennco cult., plant shields & spray tips, 3 pt. hitch, ready to roll, \$500. Percell Green, Rayville, Parish; 318-728-6966.

**Rayne Plane** 300 bu. grain cart, new tarp, hyd. fold, new paint, \$3000; Case 1010 header w/header trailer, \$2500. Preston Hutson, Bossier, Bossier Parish; 318-318-347-2008.

**W&A 8-row** hipers w/ Orthman row markers, \$2000. Bobby Gene Denton, Jena, La Salle Parish; 318-992-4504.

**Taylorway 8-row** cultivator 5 plow gangs w/ shields, \$800; Ditch Witch w/4-way blade, land boring unit, drill pipe & bits, trailer, excel. cond., \$12,500; Great Plains drill 2020 7 1/2" spacing, \$13,000; JD 1730 15-row planter, \$14,000. Brett Clark, Melville, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-2228.

**12' Rhino disc**, \$3500; JD chopper, \$8500; (2) 11 shank chisel plows, \$800/1. Brent Duncan, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-515-6655.

**9421 Sunflower** 30' drill, 7 ½" spacing, row markers, good bearings, extra parts & field ready, only planted 6525 acres, \$33,000. Steve Rabalais, Cottonport, Avoyelles Parish; 318-308-4492.

**JD 7100 6-row** planter, 30" 15' plate less w/extras, \$2500. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.



## CUTTERS & MOWERS

**JD 6' finishing** mower, rear discharge, like new, \$1100 obo. Dan Sherman, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-788-0240 or 337-250-5524 call 8 a.m. - 7 p.m.

**2008 JD 946** mower cond., good cond., \$14,000; 20' 2015 Bush Hog brand bush hog model 12820RR1, good cond., \$18,500. Lee Weeks, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-442-6398 or lweeks@inglewoodfarm.com.

**5' grooming** mower, 3 pt hitch, good cond., \$380. Shirles Champagne, Sr., St. Martinville, St. Martin parish; 337-444-6085.

**JD 25B bean & corn** planter, \$150, cash only. Shirles Champagne, Sr., St. Martinville, St. Martin parish; 337-444-6085.

**Wanted:** sickle bar mower for Yellow Int. Cub trac., rear trac. tire & tube for Yellow Int. Cub. trac. Arthur Ebey, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-571-1295.

**Wanted:** tailwheel assembly for Bush Hog 3414. Preston Hutson, Bossier, Bossier Parish; 318-318-347-2008.

## PICKERS & HARVESTERS

**545 Oliver combine on tracks**, \$1500. Ray, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-305-0705.

**Case 2388** combine, \$15,000; Case 1084 corn header, \$13,000; Case 1020 25' header, \$5500; Case 1020 30 header, \$8000. Brett Clark, Melville, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-2228.

**JD 1750** corn planter, good cond., \$19,000; '02 JD 630F grain head, good cond., \$15,000; grain-head trailer, 30', good cond., \$1500. Lee Weeks, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; lweeks@inglewoodfarm.com or 318-442-6398.

## OTHER AG IMPLEMENTS

**12' JD 630 breaking** plow, \$4500; 14' drag harrow, \$950; 10' Buhler angle blade, 3 cyl. w/tail wheel, \$4500; 40' "I" beam, cotton wagon, \$1500; 20' cotton wagon, \$650; Hardee ditch bank mower, \$1700. Jack Kibodeaux, Sunset, St.

Landry Parish; 337-207-1510.

**NH 185 manure** spreader w/hyd. tailgate, live floor & paddles, always washed, serviced & shed stored, good tires, ready to work, \$9500. Jim Rambin, Robeline, Natchitoches Parish; 318-471-0926.

**Weights for JD M-40** 320-420 front & rear weights, \$600 obo. Dallas Richard, Morse, Acadia Parish; 337-517-3750.

**Ford 8N** complete trans., \$400; new radiator for 8N - 9N, \$230; new gas tank for Ford 1953-1964, \$235; used gas block for 1953-1964, 134 cu./in., \$200. James Degeyter, Arnaudville, St. Landry Parish; 337-754-7682.

**Goodyear trac.** tire, super traction, tubeless, 11.2 R24, good cond., \$200 obo. Cedric Rabalais, Cottonport, Avoyelles Parish; 318-542-0096.

**JD backhoe** model 48, \$1900; JD grooming mowers, 6', \$875; 8' harrow, \$500. Ed Blanchard, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-560-9165.

**Weights for JD M-40** 320-420 front & rear weights, \$600 obo. Dallas Richard, Morse, Acadia Parish; 337-517-3750.

**(1) set JD offset** choppers, model WH76, in good shape, \$1500. Donald Leblanc, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-365-1046 or 337-519-3367.

**500-gal.** skid tank w/110 elec. pump, \$500; 4-row Burch hipper, \$400; Strickland Bros. sweet potato seeder, \$2500; sweet potato cover, \$2500; sweet potato plant cutter, \$2000. Walter Tuma, Libuse, Rapides Parish; 318-448-0928.

**Heavy-duty**, custom built 500-gal. Rozell sprayer, kept under shed, excel. cond., sprays 18'-20' wide, \$1900. James Cain, Dry Creek, Beauregard Parish; 337-328-7266.

**8-row Forest** City bedleveler, \$1000; 6-row rotary hoe, \$400; KBH fert. dist., 8-row, \$3000. Roger Brown, Bunkie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-481-0413.

**6' heavy sub soiler**, 3 or 5 shank, \$650; hay wagon, 8' x 16', all metal, \$300. Vince Larussa, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-878-4571.

**3 pt. hookup** toolbar w/middle buster attached, w/4-pan hipper & 3 pan hipper, \$350. Skeet Cooper, Jena, Lasalle Parish; 318-419-2294.

**BBI 18' litter** spreader, good cond., \$14,000; '16 Hurricane ditcher, like new, \$4500. Lee Weeks, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-442-6398 or lweeks@inglewoodfarm.com.

**20' Hawkins** harrow, 3 pt. hookup, used very little, \$8550. Arthur Smith, Gonzales, Ascension Parish; 225-202-7599.

**Hooded sprayer**, 8-row spacing, \$3500; 8-row 38" spacing, \$3500; 8-row WTA hipper w/Orthman markers, fold bar 38" rows, \$2000; EZ trail 510 grain cart, \$8000; 2013 KBH hopper bottom trailer, \$18,000. Gabe Vead, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-264-8448.

**Eversman land** leveler, 32'x12', \$400. A.M. Gray, Patterson, St. Mary Parish; 985-395-5193 or 985-518-8420.

**6' heavy-duty** 3 pt. hitch disc, like new, \$1200. Ross Maggio, Slaughter, East Feliciana Parish; 225-658-8744.

**Angle blade**, 8' diamond H, 3 pt. quick hitch, blade swivels vertical or horizontal, excel. shape, \$500. Edwin Broussard, Forest Hill, Rapides Parish; 512-673-3362.

## HAY EQUIPMENT

**Front hay** spears, fits 55 hp Kubota trac., used 1 season, \$500. George Snyder, St. Amant, Ascension Parish; 225-588-5757.

**Case IH** MD92 hay cutter, 9'3", shed kept, excel. cond., \$7500. Kevin Guillory, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-308-1918.

**NH 283** sq. baler, works but needs some TLC, used last season to make 250 bales, kept in shed, parts manual included, \$750. Allen Blanchard, Arnaudville, St. Martin Parish; 337-316-8538.

**(3) horse-drawn** hay rakes, \$450-\$500/1. Frank Nicosia, Independence, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-878-4933.

**Hay bale** mover, \$400. James Gipson, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-936-1987 or 225-978-3708.

**(3) horse-drawn** hay rakes, \$450-\$500/1. Frank Nicosia, Independence, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-878-4933.

**Hay bale** mover, \$400. James Gipson, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-936-1987 or 225-978-3708.

**846 NH** hay baler, \$800. Ray, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-264-5453.

**NH 575 sq.** baler, excel. cond., used very little, hyd. tensioner, will trade for cattle or equipment, \$12,500. Jeremy Landry, Arnaudville, St. Landry Parish; 337-519-3155.

## CONTRACTOR EQUIPMENT

**Miller AC/DC** welder, gas tungsten or shielded metal arc (tig-stick) torches, foot throttle, ground lead, misc part for TIG, \$1700; 225 amp Lincoln welder w/50' leads, \$100. Thomas Landry, Abbeville, Vermilion Parish; 337-422-6247.

**Tapco siding** brake, 10' 6", pro 2000, excel. cond., 19" throat, \$1100. Tom Wylie, Rayville, Richland Parish; 318-303-3755.

**1994 backhoe**, 555D clam bucket, forklift rams, rebuilt, shift lever, new, in good shape, \$8000. Ronald Cope, Schriever, Terrebonne Parish; 985-859-76380.

**Kelly backhoe**, \$500. Charles LaHaye, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-523-3717 or 337-363-2643.

**Sullivan air compressor**, good cond., \$6625. Jack McCain, Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-345-4272.

**Cat 312 hyd.** excavator, 3600 hrs., cleanout bucket, thumb, good undercarriage, \$25,000;

**JD120C** excavator, 5500 hrs., excel. cond., \$52,500; Volvo EC55B excavator, 4390 hrs., cab, a/c, blade, 70% undercarriage, 54 hp, 12,000 lbs., \$23,500; JD 750CLGP dozer, hydrostatic trans., canopy, sweeps, \$33,500. Elward Arcement, Labadieville, Assumption Parish; 985-209-2228.

**Loftness mulcher**, 2 yrs. old, skid steer mount high flow necessary model 73AXHS, \$8000. Rick Hardy, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-433-6899.

**Cat 15-ton** Crosby Crane hook, \$100. Linster Guillot, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-1705.

**2006 D3LGP** dozer, 3700 hrs., 500 hrs. on new undercarriage, \$38,500; 4840 JD, 6800 hrs., big tires, north La. trac., 2nd owner, never a rice trac., \$23,500; Reynolds 8 yard bucket, \$11,500. Jack Kibodeaux, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-207-1510.

**2009 Vantage** 300 welding machine, 4 cyl. Kubota, engine, solid copper spooling, steady arch, no aluminum trans., Profax alum. gun & setup w/leads, used flux core box w/4 guns, 3", 6" & 6" - 12" bevellers w/swappable parts, \$9000 obo. Sarina Lirette, Bourg, Terrebonne Parish; 985-665-0680.

**Wanted:** used dirt equip., Cat, Komatsu, Kobelco, Hitachi, JD dozers, excavators, wheel loaders, machines can be running or not, even for parts. Paul Triche, Luling, St. Charles Parish; 985-722-4947.

## FARM TRUCKS & RELATED PARTS

**1999 F-350** Ford truck, 7.3, cab and a half, 180,000 miles, w/24' Gooseneck brand cattle trailer, \$11,000/both. Aaron Miley, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-507-6053.

**1989 Chevy truck** 350 motor & posi rear, \$2000. Ronald, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-422-8312.

**Jin pole** metal truck bed w/winch, \$750 nego. Pierrie Broussard, Maurice, Vermilion Parish; 337-277-8297.

**1967 F100**, long-wheel base, rebuilt, original parts, 352 engine, heavy-duty springs, great work truck for farm or ranch, \$8500. Judy Davidson, Dry Prong, Grant Parish; 318-899-5082.

**2003 Dodge** dually truck bed & new tailgate, 4 wd, \$550, cash. Allen Foret, Raceland, Lafourche Parish; 985-537-6181.

**1967 Ford F600** grain truck, 13' steel bed, \$1000. Ray, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-264-5453.

**2009 Ford** F650, Cummins diesel, Allison auto, 11' CM flatbed w/gooseneck & receiver hitch, 33K miles, good tires, strong, solid truck, very clean, ready to work, \$30,000. Raymond Fontenot, Abbeville, Vermilion Parish; farm1@cox.net or 713-446-4385.

**1992 379** Peterbilt, \$13,000; 1990 Wilson hopper bottom grain trailer, \$14,000. Brett Clark, Melville, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-2228.

**1993 Blazer** Cheyenne, 180K miles, 350 cu. in throttle bod, 4 wd, auto, never wrecked, no rust, runs well, trans. beginning to slip in high gear, \$2250. Rod Meade, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-781-1858.

**1993 Ford** LA8 dump truck, \$7000. Alain Flexer Sr., Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-789-2584.

**2002 Freightliner** 18-wheeler w/28' alum. dump trailer, highway ready or farm use, \$28,000. Algy Irvin, Thibodaux, Lafourche Parish; 985-448-1101.

**1978 Ford** F600 A frame winch truck on flatbed, PTO driven air comp. parts or \$700. Joey Zito, Holden, St. Helena Parish; 225-272-5054.



## TRAILERS, WAGONS & EQUIPMENT

**Pintle hitch** flatbed trailer, dovetail w/flip-up ramps, 24', (2) 10,000 lb. axles, \$3500. Paul Lee, Bogalusa, Washington Parish; 985-516-7705.

**Gooseneck**, shop built, 8'x24' heavy duty flatbed w/dovetail, (2) fold down ramps, (3) 7000 lb. axles, (4) new elec. brake kits, (6) 10-ply tires w/90% tread, (1) spare tires, good flooring, new paint, DOT inspection sticker, \$4250 obo. Roland Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-599-2021.

**(2) wagon wheels**, 39" diameter, good cond., \$100/1. A.J. Bradly, Transylvania, East Carroll Parish; 318-552-6265.

**36' Pace American** closed car trailer w/lights inside, 3 doors, insulated w/panel, excel. shape, elec. jack, 2 5/16" ball, 3 axles, \$14,000; mule JD wagon & bed, \$700. A.J. Bradly, Transylvania, East Carroll Parish; 318-552-6265.

**2002 WW** 2-horse slant load alum. trailer w/weekend pkg. living quarters, new tires, elec. jack, awning, shower, microwave, ac, water heater & sink, great cond., \$9000 obo. Kathy Matthews, Ethel, East Feliciana Parish; 225-634-1111 or 225-405-7415.

**2009 WW bumper** pull 3-horse slant trailer, w/tack and dressing room, excel. cond., new tires, kept in barn, \$6500. Dean Gentile, Port Allen, West Baton Rouge Parish; 225-328-2198.

**Roadrunner high-speed** header transport trailer, can haul up to 35' header, \$4750 nego. Ronnie, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-264-5453.

**(2) 150 bu.** grain cart, \$200/ 1; 300-bushel grain trailer w/hyd. dump & rollup tarp, \$4000. Sidney Thibodeaux, Thibodeaux, Thibodeaux, Marrow, St. Landry Parish; 318-359-0060.

**Rubber tire** covered wagon w/barbecue pit, bathroom & bucket seats, \$3000; Biothane harnesses & collars can go w/wagon, \$1000. Jeff Istre, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-322-9446.

**21' Donahue** trailer, great cond., bridge timber floor, good tires, \$1600. Percell Green, Rayville, Richland Parish; 318-728-6966.

**Hopper bottom** trailer, \$14,000. Brent Duncan, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-515-6655.

**20' Big Tex** gooseneck trailer w/5' dovetail, (2) 10,000 lb. axles,

trade for cattle or \$8500; 32' hyd. tilt trailer, used little, excel. cond., \$10,800. Jackie Turner, Bossier City, Bossier Parish; 318-349-8851.

## SEWING & FABRICS

**Double wedding** ring & patchwork quilts, hand quilted, queen, \$150/1-up; king, \$175/1-up. Mary Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-7428.

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**Hay barns & trac.** sheds, 50'x100'x16, all steel structure & 26 gauge metal roofing, \$14,000, can install at extra cost, will del. B. Dauzat, Effie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-5187 or 318-253-9242.

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Address \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Seller's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Buyer's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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Total Number of Cattle Sold: \_\_\_\_\_ X \$1.00 per Head = \_\_\_\_\_

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# This-n-That

## Venison Jerky

3 tps. plus 1 tsp. salt  
5 tps. granulated garlic  
2 tps. white pepper  
2 tps. black pepper  
2 tps. cayenne pepper  
1 tsp. onion powder

For Jerky:

1 cup soy sauce  
1 cup red-wine vinegar  
1/4 packed brown sugar  
1 tbsp. ground ginger  
1 tbsp. granulated garlic  
1 tbsp. dry mustard  
1 tbsp. cayenne pepper  
1 tbsp. chili powder  
1 lb. Venison round

Combine all the seasoning ingredients in a small bowl. In a large bowl combine all the jerky ingredients except venison. Whisk in two tablespoons seasoning and add the venison. Marinate the venison in the refrigerator for 24 hours. Drain the venison and pat dry. Prepare the jerky in a dehydrating machine according to manufacturer's directions.

## Mirliton, Shrimp and Tasso Casserole

6 small mirlitons  
3 tbsps. butter  
8 oz. tasso, diced  
2 med. onions, diced  
Kosher salt and freshly ground pepper to taste  
1 lb. small headless shrimp, peeled  
15 cloves garlic, peeled and diced  
5 med. eggs  
1 cup of milk  
2 cups fresh bread crumbs  
1 bunch green onions, tops only, thinly sliced

Place mirlitons in a large pot and cover with cold salted water. Bring to a boil, cook for 1 hour, until fork tender. Drain and let cool. Peel the skin from the mirliton and cut in half top to bottom, remove the seed and mash lightly. Drain off excess liquid. Melt 1 tablespoon of butter in a large pot over medium heat and sauté tasso for 4 to 5 minutes. Stir in shrimp and garlic, sauté for 30 seconds. Add mashed mirlitons and sauté for 3 minutes, stirring constantly. Remove from heat, season to taste and let cool. Next, whisk the eggs with the milk and additional salt and pepper. Combine with the cooled mirlitons. Use 1 tablespoon of the butter to coat a 3-inch deep casserole dish and pour the mirlitons mixture into the dish. Preheat oven to 350 degrees. For the topping, melt the remaining butter in a medium saucepan, add breadcrumbs, green onions, and salt and pepper and top casserole with mixture. Cover dish with foil and bake for 1 hour. Remove foil and bake for 30 to 40 minutes or until golden brown.

## Creole-Seasoned lamb w/sweet potato hash and brown sugar sauce

4 racks of lamb, Frenched  
1/4 cup Creole seasoning  
2 tps. olive oil  
2 tbsps. unsalted butter  
2 med. sweet potatoes, peeled, diced

Kosher salt and freshly ground black pepper to taste  
1/4 andouille sausage, diced  
2 cups chicken stock  
1/4 cup red wine  
1 cup lamb or beef stock  
2 tbsps. packed light brown sugar

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Season lamb with Creole seasoning. Heat in a large skillet on medium heat. Add one teaspoon oil to skillet. Add 2 racks and sear on all sides for about 10 minutes. Transfer racks to baking sheet. Wipe out skillet and sear remaining racks in same manner. Bake all lamb racks (2 on a baking sheet) 12 minutes or until medium rare. Transfer lamb to platter and let rest.

Meanwhile place a medium saucepan over high heat. Add butter and melt. Add sweet potatoes and salt and pepper and cook until browned – about 5 minutes. Add sausage and chicken stock and cook until tender and most of the liquid is evaporated – about 8 minutes. Mash potatoes with the back of a spoon. Drain excess fat from skillet and over high heat deglaze with wine. Reduce wine almost completely. Add lamb stock and brown sugar and reduce for 2 minutes. Season to taste. Slice racks and serve with hash and sauce.

## Crawfish Macque Choux

10 tbsps. unsalted butter  
2 garlic cloves, minced  
1 onion, diced  
1/2 red bell pepper, diced  
1/2 yellow bell pepper, diced  
1/2 green bell pepper, diced

1 celery stalk, diced  
Kosher salt and ground black pepper to taste  
2 cups corn, (4 large ears)  
2 small tomatoes, chopped  
1 lb. crawfish tails  
Cooked rice

In a large skillet, melt 2 tablespoons butter on medium heat. Add garlic and cook 30 seconds. Add onion, bell peppers, and celery and cook until wilted, about 4 minutes. Season with salt and pepper. Add corn and tomatoes and cook 4 minutes. Add crawfish and cook 2 minutes or until heated through. Add remaining butter, turn off heat and let butter melt. Season with salt and pepper. Serve over rice, serves six.



# Clover can improve Louisiana pastures

Bruce Schultz

An LSU AgCenter forage specialist said cattle producers should consider planting clover in pastures because of its advantages as a food source.

AgCenter forage specialist Wink Alison, speaking at the annual conference of the Louisiana Forage and Grassland Council on Dec. 8, said clover can improve pastures because of nitrogen fixation. "It will fix atmospheric nitrogen into a form the plant can use," he said.

Clover is highly digestible and is higher in total digestible nutrients than most grasses, Alison said. Total season forage production from pastures overseeded with clover can be as high as grass fertilized with 100 pounds per acre of nitrogen.

Clover often lacks the persistence, but some recently released clover varieties had persistence as a selection criteria, he said.

Also at the meeting, Ted Miller, who raises dairy cattle near Baskin, talked about his use of the leader-follower system for controlled grazing.

Pasture planted in clover is first grazed in spring by lactating cows because they have higher nutrient needs. Then, the pasture is grazed by bred heifers in mid-gestation, Miller said.

Open breeding-age heifers are given first priority in the fall, followed by bred cows and heifers.

To avoid using a drill planter, seed is broadcast in late summer where cattle are grazing. "We're finding that trampling impact is giving us some impressive germination," Miller said. "We're learning that cows' hooves do a good

job of planting grass."

Liza Garcia from the University of Florida gave an overview of her research on pollinators in pastureland.

Bee populations are declining, but the insects can coexist with cattle and pastures. Native bees use the roots of forage plants for nesting, she said.

AgCenter forage agronomist Ed Twidwell told council members about his tour of forage seed production operations in Oregon in May.

The seed operation is highly controlled, Twidwell said, with a certification process to ensure variety integrity and proper germination.

Kevin Norton, state conservationist with the Natural Resources Conservation Service, said the NRCS partnered with the AgCenter for a \$900,000 cover crop study on cropland and pastures.

He said the AgCenter and the Louisiana Master Farmer Program are also working with the NRCS on a series of workshops on soil health. The first two will be held Jan. 23 in West Monroe at the Hampton Inn, and at the DeWitt Livestock Facility at the Dean Lee Research Station on Jan. 24.

Participants will receive credit for Phase 2 of the Louisiana Master Farmer Program. Certified Master Farmers and certified crop advisers who attend will receive continuing education credit.

Norton said Congress is expected to take up the next farm bill after Jan. 1, and NRCS funding for conservation projects are included in the legislation. The current farm bill expires on Sept. 30, 2018.

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**Louisiana Angus Assoc.** Annual bull sale will be held at noon on Jan. 27, 2018 at the DeWitt Livestock Facility, 100 Greg Marshall Dr., LeCompte. Selling 75 tremendous Angus bulls, herd sire prospects, big, stout, 50 K, fertility, Trich tested. For more information, contact Kevin Windham at 318-992-3401, Jarvene Shackelford at 662-837-1776 or visit [www.albauction.com](http://www.albauction.com).

**2018 Acadiana Cattle Producers** Spring Field Day is set for March 3, 2018 at the Iberia Research Station in Jeanerette. For more information, contact Stan at [sdutile@agcenter.lsu.edu](mailto:sdutile@agcenter.lsu.edu).

## Education & Workshops

**Spring Garden Day** will be held from 1-7 p.m. on April 5, 2018 at the Florida Parishes Arena in Amite, La. For more information, contact Patricia Pitzer at 985-634-1515.

**Tangi Master Gardener Spring Plant Sale** will be held from 1-7 p.m. on April 5, 2018 at the Florida Parish Arena, 1301 NW Central Ave., Amite City. Admission is \$5 per vehicle. The event will feature kids' activities, plant sales, gardening seminars, gardening and agriculture exhibits and more. For more information, contact Annie Coco at 985-748-5462, 985-748-9381 or [tangipahoa@agcenter.lsu.edu](mailto:tangipahoa@agcenter.lsu.edu).

**Two conferences featuring soil health, cover crops, and other row crop and forage issues** will be held in

January. The first conference will be on Jan. 23 at the Hampton Inn in West Monroe, and the second on Jan. 24 at the DeWitt Livestock Show Facility near the LSU Alexandria campus. Both will run from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Registration is free and the public is invited. Participants will receive credit for Phase 2 of the Louisiana Master Farmer Program. Certified Master Farmers and certified crop advisers who attend will receive continuing education credit. Pre-registration is required and may be completed at <http://bit.ly/2AWdHdV> for the West Monroe conference and at <http://bit.ly/2zQ2s2W> for the Alexandria conference. For more information, contact James Hendrix at 318-235-7198 or Donna Morgan at 318-613-9278.

## Poultry Sales & Shows

**Reddell Chicken Auction** will be held every Saturday located at 3029 Old Hwy 13 in Mamou. General merchandise starts at 8:30 a.m. and the chick sale begins at noon. For more info, contact Wayne Couthron at 337-526-3144.

**Poultry Swap and Farmers Market** every 1st and 3rd Sat. from 7 a.m. until at the Moss Bluff Tractor Supply. For more information, call Joyce Conner at 337-391-1790.

**Abbeville Poultry Sales and Swap** will be held every 4th Sunday from 8 a.m. until noon at the Tractor Supply, 3410 Veterans Memorial Drive. No sick animals and no dogs or cats. For more information, call Kenneth Richard at 337-319-5669.

**Denham Springs Poultry Swap** will be held every 2nd Sat. from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. at the Tractor Supply on Florida Blvd., only healthy animals, no dogs or cats. For more information, call Daniel at 225-665-9042.

**Gray TSC Farm Animal Swap, Craft Fair and Farmers Market** will be held every 1st and 3rd Sat. from 8 a.m. until 1 p.m. at the Tractor Supply, 3827 West Park Ave, Gray, La. For more information, join the Facebook group "Gray TSC Swap Meet" and message Shari Zeringue.

**Opelousas Poultry Swap and Sales** every 1st Sunday from 8 a.m. until noon at the Tractor Supply, Hwy. 190. No sick animals and no dogs or cats. For more information, call Larry at 337-945-2804.

**Acadia Parish Rice Arena Auctions** are held on Thursdays at the Acadia Parish Rice Arena in Crowley, 159 Cherokee Dr. at 6:30 p.m. Dealers and consignments welcome; small farm animals & barnyard fowl, bagatelle, new and used merchandise. For more info, call 337-783-1442 or 337-384-4500.

**Reeves Auction and Livestock** every 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month at 5:30 p.m. Located at 100 Sale Barn Rd. (old barn in DeQuincy) Includes general merchandise and poultry. For more information, call Danny Reeves at 337-309-9679.

## Tractor Events

**Boeuf River Antique Tractor Puller's Club Pull** will be held Feb. 10, 2018 at the Morehouse Activity Center, 9555 Marlatt St., Bastrop. Registration begins at 8 a.m. and pulls begin at 9 a.m. New open class any year tractor, 1900-2017. Sled hook fee is \$10. For more information, contact Thomas Sitton at 318-237-1426, Richard Wilkerson at 318-282-5527 or visit [www.bratp.net](http://www.bratp.net).

## Advertising events in the Market Bulletin is easy and free!

**Just email, fax or mail us your event, date, time, location and any other details. To ensure timely publication, submit your event at least 6 weeks prior to the event.**

**Mail: 5825 Florida Blvd., Suite 2001,  
Baton Rouge, LA 70806  
Email: [marketbulletinads@ldaf.state.la.us](mailto:marketbulletinads@ldaf.state.la.us)  
Fax: 225-923-4828.**

## Fresh produce farmers, packers, distribution centers

The Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry is able to provide fresh produce farmers, packing facilities and distribution centers in Louisiana with basic Good Agriculture Practice/Good Handling Practices (GAP/

GHP) audits, as well as, GAPs Harmonized audits (with or without the Global addendum).

GAP audits are a voluntary for hire service that 29certifies a producer's efforts to provide safe, quality product free from contamination to

the consumer.

For more information or to schedule an audit, contact Audrey Carrier at our Hammond office at 985-543-4024 or email [acarrier@ldaf.state.la.us](mailto:acarrier@ldaf.state.la.us).



# Coming Your Way

## Horse Events

### Show Arenas, Barns, etc.

**Bogalusa Cow Sorting** Events are held at the Crain Arena, 12159 Hwy. 1075, Bogalusa unless otherwise noted. For more information, call Troy Crain at 985-516-7507 or Blake Chiasson at 985-285-0892 or email [sorting@3DOTS.us](mailto:sorting@3DOTS.us).

**Cotton Country Open Horse Show Assoc.** All shows are held at the Northeast Louisiana Exhibition Center in Ruston. For more information, visit the website at [www.ccohsa.com](http://www.ccohsa.com).

**Christian Youth Bull Riders & Rodeo.** All events are held at the Cross Branded Cowboy Church Arene, 6906 Hwy. 28 East, Pineville. Books open at 6 p.m., rodeo begins ar 7 p.m. For more information, call Perry or Cathy Moses at 318-466-9188, 318-792-8600.

**Churchill Saddle Club's Sunday**

**Fundays.** All shows are held at the Churchill Arena, Avondale, La. Shows begin at 10 a.m. For more information, visit [www.churchillsaddleclub.club](http://www.churchillsaddleclub.club) or call 504-402-9033.

**Deep South Stock Horse Show Assoc.** Shows are held at the Clinton Arena, 14730 Hwy. 10 in Clinton unless otherwise noted. For more info, visit [www.dsshsa.org](http://www.dsshsa.org).

**Jeff Davis Riders Club** Shows begin at 9 a.m. and are held at the Crowley Rice Arena. Books close at 11 a.m. for all classes except exhibition. For more information, call Cathy Meche at 337-526-2281 or visit [www.jeffdavisridersclub.org](http://www.jeffdavisridersclub.org).

**Louisiana Little Britches** Tuesday Night 4D Barrel Racing. Events are held

at the West Cal Arena unless otherwise noted. For more information, [www.louisianalittlebritches.com](http://www.louisianalittlebritches.com).

**Louisiana Stock Horse Association** 2018 shows will be Jan. 20 at the Beauregard Parish Covered Arena in DeRidder; Feb. 24 at Rice Arena in Crowley; March 17 a the Point Coupee Multi Use arena in New Roads. Shows begin at 9 a.m. For more information, visit [www.louisianastockhorse.com](http://www.louisianastockhorse.com) or by calling 337-208-2336.

**Livingston Horse Show Assoc.** Shows are held at South Park Arena in Denham Springs unless otherwise noted. Show dates are subject to change. For more information, visit [www.lhsa.webs.com](http://www.lhsa.webs.com) or call 225-664-3150.

- Acadia Parish Rice Arena**  
159 Cherokee Drive  
Crowley  
337-783-1442 or 337-384-4500 [rice-arena@appj.org](mailto:rice-arena@appj.org).

**Assumption Parish Ag Complex & Arena**  
119 Robin St.  
Napoleonville  
[www.assumptionla.com/AgComplex](http://www.assumptionla.com/AgComplex)

**Bogalusa Community Arena**  
20239 Airport Road  
Bogalusa  
[www.bogalusaarena.com](http://www.bogalusaarena.com)

**Clinton Covered Arena**  
14730 Hwy. 10  
Clinton  
225-572-9229  
[www.clintonarena.com](http://www.clintonarena.com)

**D'Arbonne Range Riders Arena**  
202 Rodeo Rd.  
Farmerville  
[darbonnerangeriders.com](http://darbonnerangeriders.com)

**Morehouse Activity Center,**  
9525 Marlatt St.  
Bastrop  
318-281-3164  
[www.morehouseactivitycenter.com](http://www.morehouseactivitycenter.com)

**SugArena at Acadiana Fairgrounds**  
713 Northwest Bypass  
(Hwy. 3212) New Iberia  
337-365-7539  
[www.sugarena.com](http://www.sugarena.com)

**Sweetwater Campground & Riding Stables Arena,**  
57056 N. Cooper Road  
Loranger  
985-878-6868  
[www.sweetwatercampground.com](http://www.sweetwatercampground.com)

**Terrebonne Livestock Agricultural Fair Assoc. Arena**  
221 Moffet Rd.  
Houma  
985-665-1005  
[www.terrebonne-livestock.org](http://www.terrebonne-livestock.org)

**Texas Longhorn Rodeo Arena,** 3274 Hwy. 109 S.  
Vinton  
337-589-5647

**Want your arena listed?**  
Fax or email your  
info to 225-923-4828  
[marketbulletin@ldaf.la.gov](mailto:marketbulletin@ldaf.la.gov).

## USDA Agriculture Marketing Service Hay Prices

Values are in tons unless otherwise noted

### Alabama SE Hay Report, Dec. 14, 2017

BermudaSmallSquare.....	Premium.....	\$180-\$300
BermudaLargeRound.....	Premium.....	\$100-\$133.33
Bermuda Mid Round.....	Premium.....	\$100-\$130
	Good.....	\$75-\$90
BahiaSmallSquare.....	Premium.....	\$200-\$200
	Fair.....	\$160-\$160
Bahia Mid Round.....	Premium.....	\$100-\$100

### East Texas Weekly Hay Report, Dec. 15, 2017

Coastal Bermuda Large Rounds.....	Good/Premium.....	\$50-\$60
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of conservation practices on agricultural land within the Bayou Mallet watershed to improve the water quality.

The practices included in the Bayou Mallet project are irrigation land leveling, grade stabilization structures, conservation crop rotation, residue and tillage management, irrigation water management, nutrient management, pest management, and shallow water for wildlife. These conservation practices are reducing bacteria and sediment laden water leaving rice fields, crawfish ponds and pastures, which in turn reduce turbidity. As a direct result of these efforts, Bayou Mallet water quality impairments are becoming significantly reduced. Voluntary

participation by local farmers is very important to the continued success of this project.

**Ag and Forestry Tour**  
In November, Commissioner Strain was joined by Governor John Bel Edwards on an agriculture and forestry tour across the state. The goal was to gather information from farmers about their concerns and share with the governor how the agricultural and forestry industries contribute to the state.

Strain will also use this information at the state and federal levels as he works to protect these industries from government overreach.

**Horticulture App**  
LDAF has launched a mobile app to allow

Apple and Android users to easily verify a horticulture license, permit of a business or to file a complaint. The app, called LDAF Business Search, can be downloaded for free at the iTunes and Google Play stores. The app allows users to search by business name, business type, and license number. To file a complaint, users can simply fill out the form and tap submit. LDAF has also included the option of adding a picture to the complaint. The mobile app benefits businesses, permit offices, the general public and homeowners who need to verify licenses and permits. Through the app, the goal of the LDAF is to reduce unlicensed activity and increase awareness.



# LDAF Horticulture director honored by La. Irrigation Assoc.

The Louisiana Irrigation Association (LIA) presented Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry’s Horticulture and Quarantine Director Ansel Rankins with an award during its annual meeting on October 26, 2017. The meeting was held at Dukes’ Seafood & Steakhouse on Hwy. 16 in Denham Springs. There were about 82 attendees on hand.

LIA President Chris Friedman presented the Professional of the Year Award plaque to Rankins. The award was presented to Rankins

for his many years of professionalism and outstanding contributions to the industry and the LIA.

LIA Executive Secretary Severn Doughty said this was the first time this award has been given since the inception of LIA in 2004.

Since rising through the ranks, first as an inspector and currently as director of the Horticulture and Quarantine Programs, Rankins has supported the LIA throughout his LDAF career.

A few of Rankins contributions include:

proctoring an Irrigation Association class at the LSU AgCenter; penning articles for the ‘Louisiana Irrigator’ the official LIA newsletter and facilitating the first gubernatorial proclamation declaring July 2014 Smart Irrigation Month in Louisiana and each year since.

“The Louisiana Irrigation Association is very proud of Ansel and all he does for us and the state of Louisiana,” said Doughty. “There is no harder working man than Ansel and Louisiana is very lucky to have him.”



President, Chris Friedman (left) Ansel Rankins, Director of the LDAF Horticulture Commission.

# 2017 south Louisiana Sneaux Day



Indian Creek Recreation Area, located in Woodworth, Rapides Parish, was covered in a blanket of powdery, white, snow on Dec. 8, 2017. Indian Creek entrance (left), boat launch (top), snow covered trees.



Photos around Baton Rouge.