

# Crawfish Tales takes a trip to Chauvin

CRAWFISH TALES WITH **COMMISSIONER** MIKE STRAIN, we visit Certified Louisiana company Tillman's Seafood in Chauvin. The Tillmans specialize in crab, softshell crab, and shrimp. They are the perfect example of how choosing Louisiana Seafood ensures that your purchase benefits a Louisiana family, community, and way of life.

The Tillmans are part of an important aspect of Louisiana's economy - aquaculture. Aquaculture is the practice of farming aquatic organisms. Aquaculture businesses breed and harvest plants and animals in water - freshwater or seawater - and prepare them for human consumption. The aquaculture industry in Louisiana includes a va-



The LDAF Commissioner Mike Strain DVM visits with Tillman's Seafood in Chauvin for the latest episode of the Crawfish Tales.

riety of aquatic organisms, a \$70 billion worldwide inincluding crawfish, catfish, alligators, oysters, tilapia, baitfish, crabs, shrimp, and a number of freshwater gamefish.

According to the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, the aquaculture industry is "probably the fastest growing food-producing sector and now accounts for 50 percent of the world's fish that is used for food." Also of note, the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration's Aquaculture Program reports that mariculture (aquaculture of saltwater species) is in its infancy in the U.S., amounting to just over \$1 billion of dustry. This is an excellent opportunity for Louisiana.

Our fluid coastline of bay-

ous, wetlands, rivers, and marshes fed by the Mississippi River basin creates the perfect ecosystem for hundreds of fish and shellfish species. These abundant fresh, brackish, and marine water resources, mixed with Louisiana's heavy soils, flatlands, temperate water, and semi-tropical climate, allow Louisiana to be a leader in aquaculture in the United States.

While aquaculture has a unique culture and heritage that has provided for Louisiana families for generations, it is relatively new to global trade. In 1976, Congress passed a bill declaring the potential for aquaculture in the United States. Congressman (later U.S. Senator) John Breaux of Crowley was a co-author of the bill. Of importance in the legislations was a call to develop a National Aquaculture Plan, and the

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Tillman's Seafood is a Certified Louisiana company that catches, buys, and sells live blue crabs.

### LOUISIANA AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY TODAY

### May is Mental Health Awareness Month

May is Mental Health Awareness Month, and the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry (LDAF) is promoting resources for mental health. Farmers and ranchers in the U.S. have demanding jobs often compounded by economic uncertainty, vulnerability to weather events, and isolation. Addressing mental health challenges is critical so that farmers and ranchers can successfully navigate

other stressors that are common in their day-today lives.

"We need to work on the stigma around mental health. It is normal to have anxiety or feel depressed from time to time. It is how you handle these feelings that is important," said LDAF Commissioner Mike Strain, DVM. "Seeking treatment for anxiety or depression should be no different than seeking medical help for physical pain or illness. It should be as normalized as regular dental visits."

The LDAF has launched Stay Rooted Louisiana as its newest initiative to help reduce farm stress among our farmers and ranchers in Louisiana. In the fall of last year, the LDAF received a grant from the USDA-National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA) to address farmer stress and promote outreach in the

state. Stay Rooted Louisiana is part of the Farmer and Ranch Stress Assistance Network - State Departments of Agriculture (FRSAN-SDA) project and focuses on addressing stress and mental health challenges in the farming community. The program's goals are to raise awareness, provide training, and build resources. Stav Rooted Louisiana will focus on sharing tools and information to better



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equip Louisiana's farming community to deal with See HEALTH, page 23

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### VISIT YOUR LOCAL FARMERS MARKET

#### ACADIA PARISH

Iota Iota Farmers Market Gazebo on Main St. 2nd, 4th Sat., 8 a.m.-noon, Jan, closed

<u>Crowley</u> Crowley Farmers Market Located at Tractor Supply 1st Sat., 9 a.m. - 3 p.m., closed in Jan.

Rayne Rayne Farmers Market Frog Fest Pavilion. 210 Frog Festival Dr. 2nd Sat., 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

#### ALLEN PARISH

Oberlin Gramers Market 228 West 6th Ave. Wed. 9 a.m. - 12 p.m., year round

#### ASSUMPTION PARISH

Napoleonville Barcelo Gardens 211 Franklin Ave. Friday, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. January 14th &

### AVOYELLES PARISH

<u>Marksville</u> Marksville Farmers Market 122 E. Mark St. Sat. 8-11 a.m., June

### BEAUREGARD PARISH

<u>DeRidder</u> DeRidder Farmers Market 206 N. Washington Ave. 7 days, 7 a.m.-6 p.m., year round

#### **BOSSIER PARISH**

Benton Benton Farmers Market 495 Simpson Sun. noon-4 p.m.

Bossier City Bossier City Farmers Market 2950 E Texas St. Sat. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m., April-Nov.

### CADDO PARISH

Greenwood Greenwood Farmers Market William Peters Town Park Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, June-Aug.

**Shreveport** Shreveport Farmers Market River front at Festival Plaza Sat. 8 a.m.- 1 p.m., May-Aug.

### CALCASIEU PARISH

Lake Charles Cash & Carry Farmers Market 801 Enterprise Blvd. Corner of Broad & Enterprise Tues., 4-6 p.m., year round

Lake Charles Charlestown Farmers Market Bilbo St. behind old City Hall Sat. 8 a.m.-noon, year round

Moss Bluff MB Farmers & Crafters Market Sam Houston Jones Pkwy. Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, April-Oct.

CALDWELL PARISH Columbia Farmers Market Courthouse Square 8 a.m.-noon, every Sat., Jun-Aug.

### CONCORDIA PARISH

Delta Farmers Market 405 Carter St. - Old Courthouse Wed. 9 a.m.-1 p.m., June-1st freeze

### EAST BATON ROUGE PARISH

Baton Rouge Red Stick Farmers Market #1 Fifth St. & Main St. Sat. 8 a.m.- noon, year round Baton Rouge Red Stick Farmers Market #2 Pennington Biomedical (Perkins Rd.) Thurs. 8 a.m. - noon, year round

Baton Rouge Red Stick Farmers Market #3 EBRP Main Library 7711 Goodwood Blvd. Tues. 8 a.m.-noon, Apr-July, Oct.- Dec.

Baton Rouge Red Stick Farmers Market Mobile Market 7717 Howell Blvd., ExxonMobil YMCA, Thurs. 9 a.m.-12 p.m. May-July, Oct.-Nov.

Zachary Zachary Famers Market City Hall side parking lot Sat. 8 a.m.- 12 p.m., year round

### **EVANGELINE PARISH**

Ville Platte Ville Platte Farmers Market East Main St. May-Aug., Fri. 4 p.m.-6 p.m.

### GRANT PARISH

<u>Colfax</u> Colfax Farmers Market 8th St. near Pecan Festival Building Sat. 9 a.m.-noon, May-Nov.

#### IBERIA PARISH

<u>Delcambre</u> Delcambre Farmers Market Bayou Carlin Cove 605 S Railroad St. 1st Sat. 9 a.m.-1 p.m., March-Dec.

<u>New Iberia</u> Da Berry Fresh Market Farmers Market 520 S. Hopkins St. Wed. 10 a.m. - 6 p.m., year round

<u>New Iberia</u> Teche Area Farmers Market Main St. Bouligny Plaza Tues. 2-6 p.m., Sat. 7-11 a.m. Year round

#### IBERVILLE PARISH

St. Gabriel St. Gabriel Farmers Market Corner of 3495 Hwy 75 and 5755 Hwy 74 2nd Sat., 8 a.m. - 1 p.m. www.stgabrielfarmersmarket.com

### JEFFERSON PARISH

Grand Isle Rotary Grand Isle Farmers Market Oak Lane 2nd Sat., 8 a.m.-1 p.m., year round

Gretna Gretna Farmers Market Huey P. Long Ave. Sat. 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., year round

Jefferson Crescent City Farmers Market #1 2614 Jefferson Hwy. at Maine St. (Ochsner) Wed. 3-7 p.m. Oct.-July

Crescent City Farmers Market #2 325 Metairie-Hammond Hwy. at the Lake (Bucktown) Fri. 3-7 p.m., year-round

### JEFFERSON DAVIS PARISH

Elton Coushatta Farmers Market Hwy. 190 & Pine Street 1st Sat. 7:30 a.m.-noon., Oct.-June

China Country Farms Roadside Produce Stand 26105 Liberty Cemetery Rd Seasonal Please call Sarah 337-368-7404

Main Street Farmers Market 1333 Elton Road Sat. 9 a.m.-12 p.m., March - Dec.

Welsh Farmers Market 103 W. Grove St. Tues. 3:30-6 p.m., May- Sept.

### LAFAYETTE PARISH

<u>Lafayette</u> Acadiana Farmers Market 801 Foreman Dr. & Dulles St. Tues., Sat., 5-10 a.m., year round

Lafayette Lafayette Jockey Lot Flea Market 3011 N.W. Evangeline Thrwy. Sat. 9-5 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. year round

Lafavette Farmers & Artisans Market Horse Farm, 2913 Johnston St. Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, year round

### LAFOURCHE PARISH

Raceland Lafourche Central Market 4484 Hwy. 1 at U.S. 90 Sat. 9 a.m. - noon, year round

### LASALLE PARISH

OLLA Olla Town Square Market 2990 Front St. Tues. 1-5 p.m. May-Aug. 11

Town of Tullos Farmers' Market Corner of S. Main & Park Streets Fri., 12 - 4 p.m. May 1-Aug. 28

### LINCOLN PARISH

Ruston Farmer's Market 220 East Mississippi Sat. 9 am-1pm Year Round

### LIVINGSTON PARISH

Denham Springs Livingston Farmers Market 215 Florida St. Sat. 7 a.m. - noon, year round

#### MADISON PARISH

<u>Tallulah</u> Tallulah Farmers Market #1 404 N. Cedar St., Hwy. 65 Tues., Thurs. & Sat., 6 a.m. -5 p.m. Sat. 8 a.m.-12 p.m., June-Dec.

<u>Tallulah</u> Tallulah Farmers Market #2 Court House Square Tues, Thurs, 6 a.m.-5 p.m. Sat. 8 a.m.-12 p.m., June-Dec.

### MOREHOUSE PARISH

Bastrop Morehouse Parish Farmers Market 305 E. Madison Mon.-Sat. 7 a.m.-5p.m., year round

### NATCHITOCHES PARISH

Natchitoches River Front Downtown Sat. 8 a.m.-noon, April-Aug., Oct-Nov

<u>Natchitoches</u> Natchitoches Farmers Market-Mobile Market #1 City Park Tues.-Fri. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. April-Aug., Oct.-Nov.

Natchitoches Natchitoches Mobile Farmers Market-Mobile Market #2 Riverbank Mon.-Wed. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. April-Aug., Oct.-Nov.

Barcelo Gardens 2301 Gallier Street Saturday, 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. January 22nd

New Orleans Crescent City Farmers Market #1 750 Carondelet St. at Julia St. (Downtown) Sat. 8 a.m.-noon, year round

New Orleans Crescent City Farmers Market #2 Uptown Square, 200 Broadway Tues. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m, year round

New Orleans Crescent City Farmers Market #3 3700 Orleans Ave. Thurs., 3 - 7 p.m., year round

New Orleans Crescent City Farmers Market-Location #4 Intersection of Chartres & Piety at Crescent Park (Bywater) Wed. 3 p.m.-7 p.m., year-round

New Orleans Main gates of Armstrong Park Thurs. 3-7 p.m. March-Nov.

#### **OUACHITA PARISH**

Monroe Farmers Market 1212 Washington St. Mon.-Sat. 6 a.m.-1 p.m. May-Nov.

West Monroe West Monroe Farmers Market 1700 North 7th St. Mon.-Sat. 8 a.m.-5 p.m, May-Oct.

#### RAPIDES PARISH

Alexandria Alexandria Farmers Market #1 2727 Jackson St. Tues. 3-6 p.m., year round

Boyce Farmers' Market 627 Pacific Ave. Wed. 3:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. year round

### RICHLAND PARISH

<u>Delhi</u> Delhi Farmers Market 1104 Broadway St. Mon.-Sat. 8 a.m.-6 p.m. April-Nov.

### ST. CHARLES PARISH

Destrehan German Coast Farmers Market 1 Parking lot of Ormond Plantation Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, year round

German Coast Farmers Market 2 1313 Paul Maillard Road Wed. 1 - 5 p.m., year round

### ST. HELENA PARISH

Greensburg St. Helena Parish Farmers Market 6032 LA-10, Greensburg, LA 70441 Friday, 8 a.m. - 1 p.m.

### ST. LANDRY PARISH

Opelousas St. Landry Farmers Market 952 East Landry St., Hwy. 190 Tues., Thurs. & Sat. 6:30-11 a.m. April-Nov.

Eunice Farmers Market Second St. & Park Ave. Sat 9 a.m. - noon, May-Nov.

### ST. TAMMANY PARISH

Abita Springs
Abita Springs Farmers Market
22049 Main Street Sun. 11-3 p.m., year round

Covington Farmers Market #1 609 North Columbia (City Hall) Sat. 8 a.m.-noon, year round

### Covington

Covington Farmers Market #2 419 North New Hampshire Wed. 10 a.m.- 2 p.m., year round

<u>Madisonville</u> Madisonville Market 1007 Pine St. Sun. July 1, 10 a.m. - 3pm Sun., July 11 - Sept. 26, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

<u>Mandeville</u> Mandeville Trailhead Market 675 Lafitte St. Sat. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m., year round

Camellia City Farmers Market

### 333 Erlanger, Old Towne Slidell Sat. 8 a.m.-12 p.m., year round TANGIPAHOA PARISH

Hammond Hammond Farmers Market 2 West Thomas St., Sat., 8 a.m. - noon, year round

### TENSAS PARISH

St. Joseph
St. Joseph Tailgate Market
Gazebo on Plank Road Sat. 8-11 a.m., Memorial-Labor Day

#### TERREBONNE PARISH

<u>Houma</u> Cajun Farmers Market of Houma Naquin St. & Martin L. King Blvd. Mon.-Sat. 6 a.m.-6 p.m., year round

### VERMILION PARISH

Abbeville Farmers Market Magdalen Sq., downtown Abbeville June 20, July 11, Aug. 15, Sept. 19, Oct. 17 & Nov. 21 8 a.m. -1 p.m.

Kaplan Kaplan Farmers Market Turnley Park, 119 N. Irvin Ave. 2nd Sat, 8 a.m.-noon, year round

#### VERNON PARISH

<u>Leesville</u> S. 3rd St. Wed. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Sat. 8 a.m. - 2 p.m. Year round

### WASHINGTON PARISH

Franklinton Franklinton Farmers Market Washington St. & 15th Ave. Mon.-Sat., 6:30 a.m. - 7 p.m. Year round

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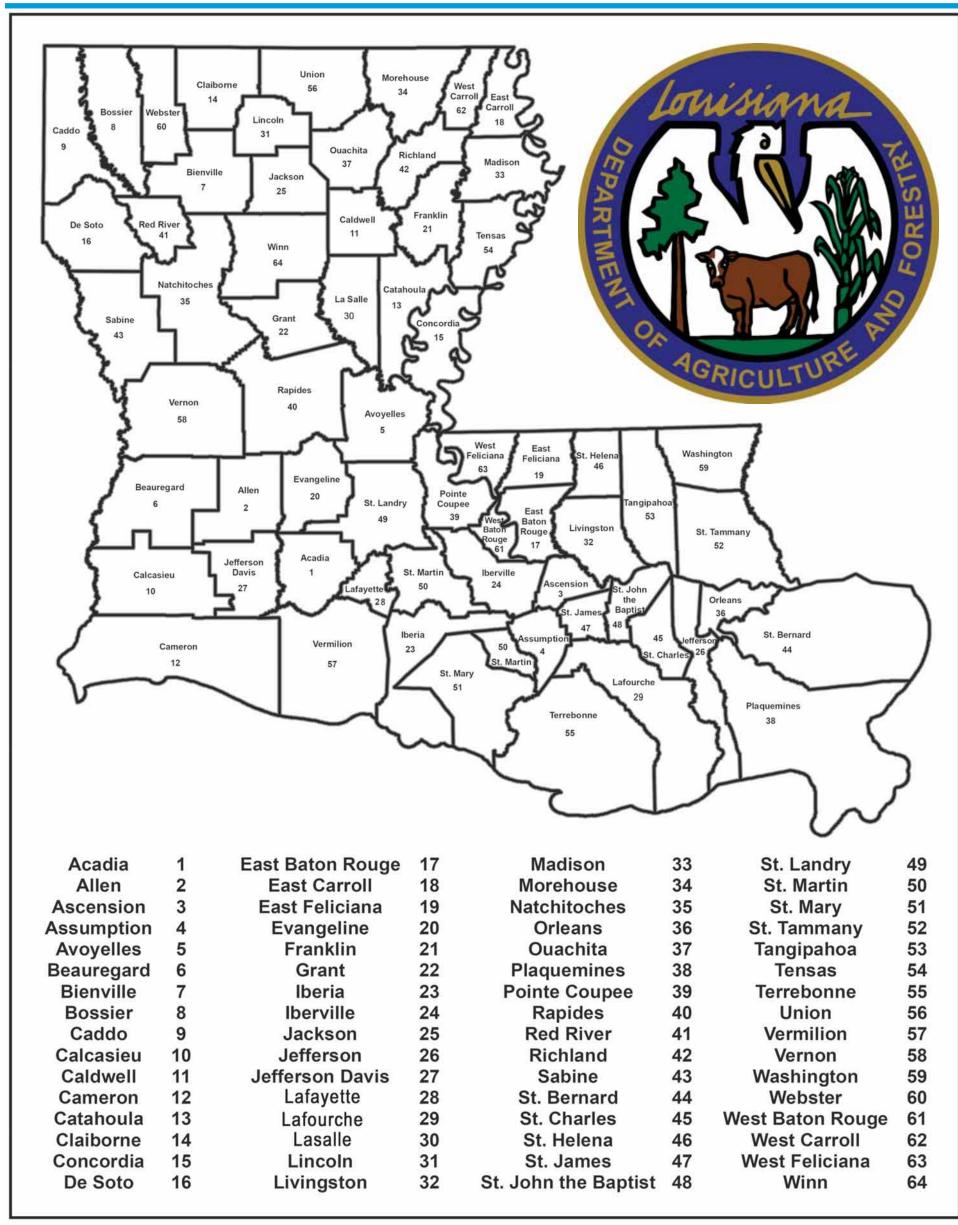
Market on Turner's Pond 301 Lakeshore 1st & 3rd Sat., 8 a.m. -1 p.m., July-Oct.

### WEST FELICIANA PARISH

St. Francisville
St. Francisville Farmers Market 9992 Wilcox St. (Fair Barn) Thurs. 9 a.m.-1 p.m., May-Nov.

#### WINN PARISH

Winnfield Winn Farmers Market 301 West Main Tues. - Fri., 7:00-until sold out Year round



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REMINDER: Have all of your heifer calves between four and 12 months of age vaccinated against brucellosis? For information contact your local veterinarian, LDAF animal health personnel, your parish Cattlemen's Association or parish Farm Bureau.

### **ANGUS**

(2)-reg. Angus bull, (3)-yrs. Old, \$2500/each. Dean Lewing, Florien, Sabine Parish; 318-315-2010.

**PB Angus** (2)-bulls N-8 mos. old, \$650/each. Clinton Breland, Angie, Washington Parish; 985-515-8883.

**Reg black** Angus yearlings, born 9/22/21, good bloodlines, vaccinated/ wormed, (1)-heifer, \$750; (1)-bull, \$800.Jerry Salisbury, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish: 318-325-6736.

**Reg. Angus** herd dispersal, (3)-bred cows with Sept/Oct reg. heifer calves, \$1600, (1) cow with Feb heifer calf, \$1300, (2) bred cows for April/May calving, \$1100, and (4) breeding age heifers, \$1200, all on hay, rye grass, & liquid feed, \$1200 for all. Clinton Twilley, Greensburg, St. Helena Parish; 225-910-0549.

### BEEFMASTER

(3)-quality PB Beefmaster virgin bulls left, (2)-yr. old semen tested, Heavy L-bar bloodlines, \$2000/ your pick. Hilery Gobert, Iowa, Jefferson Davis Parish; 770-480-9887.

Yearling PB Beefmaster heifers, red and would make great replacement heifers, great bloodlines, L-bar 6209, top quality, \$800-\$1000/each. Hilery Gobert, Iowa, Jefferson Davis Parish; 770-480-9887.

Nice Beefmaster bulls for sale, good, EPD's, excellent dispositions, and a little more frame than the average Beefmasters, your choice at \$2500. Mel Jackson, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-308-0921.

**Reg. Beefmaster** heifer, 3-yrs. Old, exposed to bull. \$1300, Ray Reynolds, Roseland, St. Helena Parish; 985-747-2090.

#### **BRAFORD**

**Braford heifers** 1+ years old, avg. weight about 650-700 lbs., choice \$1450/discount for 10 or more, ready for bull. Donnell Nickens, Prairieville, Ascension Parish; 225-313-0763.

(13) Tiger stripe F-1 Braford heifers, (7)- black & black baldy heifers, all vaccinated, wormed & branded, 11/15/21, \$1500/ each, exposed to reg. Angus bulls since 4/15/2022. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

### **BRAHMAN**

**Reg. Brahman** naturally polled grey herd dispersal, all less than 6 yrs. old, bred cows, (3)-pair with heifer calves, yearling bulls and heifers, LMC and Suva genetics. Clinton Twilley, Greensburg, St. Helena Parish; 225-910-0549.

**(2)-Reg.** 1st calf grey Brahman heifers, coming 3-y/o, they are 3 & 5mths bred to reg. polled Brahman bull, \$2750/1 or \$5000 for both. Travis Vincent, Jennings, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-316-0877.

**Reg. Brahman** bull, 3.5-yrs. Old, a grandson of V8-380/6, \$3200. Cres Broussard, Abbeville, Vermillion Parish: 337-652-1203.

#### **BRANGUS**

Golden Certified F1 Brangus bulls, out of registered Angus cattle & JD Hudgins Brahman bulls, 15-mos. to 2-yrs. old, \$1800-\$2800/each. Philip Chiasson, Lafourche, Lafourche Parish; 985-637-7538.

(8)-black F1 heiffers & (5)-Brangus cross heiffers, 12-14 mth old, \$1200. Jesse, Lockport, Lafourche Parish; 985-991-3259.

(2)-Reg. Angus bull calves, 12-mos old, Al sired by SAV Rainfall and Mainstreet, very nice bull calves, weaned at 678 and 775 lbs. at 7-mos old, impressive set of papers, \$3000/ each. Connor Ledet, Delhi, Franklin Parish; 318-341-2368.

(17) animals \$17500/all, (9) Brangus females, 2+-year old's, (5) heifer Brangus calves, (3) bull Brangus calves gentle & on feed, (17) animals, \$17500/all. Kevin Simpson, Prairieville, Ascension Parish; 225-572-2870.

Herd Liquidation, (8)-older cows w/ March/April calves; (2)-baldy heifers w/ March calves; (3)-2020 baldy heifers; (1)-young Brangus bull, \$18500 firm. Randy Lafleur, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 318-451-2941.

### **CHAROLAIS**

Charolais bulls, \$3500-\$4000; Charolais heifers bred to Angus, \$2500; Charolais heifers, open, \$2000; Charolangus heifers, open, \$1500, vacc., branded. Dr. Fred Rodosta, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-331-3151 or 337-948-6511.

### **DEXTER**

**Several horned** Dexter cattle for sale in Sabine Parish, Reg. and Unreg. Available, call for more information. Jonathan Freeman, Zwolle, Sabine Parish; 318-521-0777.

**Wanted:** Young Dexter cattle; Dennis Lavergne, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-1596.

### **HEREFORD**

**Polled Hereford** bull calves, great EPD's, low birth weights, super thick & very gentle, all shots & wormed, 7-20- mos. old, \$1400/1 and up, 2-1/2 yr. old reg. bull, \$5000, delivery available for additional charge. Laura Hughes, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-933-2997.

**Reg. Horned** Hereford bull turned (4)-yrs. old in Dec., good conformation, gentle, easy to work through shoot with cattle, pics available, \$2500. M Cummings, Columbia, Caldwell Parish; 318-331-1643.

For sale, Reg. miniature Hereford bull, he has horns, produced calves, all come out with white faces, produced (2) black baldy calves, reg. w/American Hereford Assoc., asking price \$1800. Rebecca White, Lecompte, Rapides Parish; 318-613-8890.

(3)-yearling reg. polled Hereford bulls, outstanding genetics, dams high quality females, sire is homozygous polled w/ above breed average EPD's, will make excellent herd sires, \$3000/each. Brent Deshautelle, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-253-2194.

### LIMOUSIN

**Limousin bull**, 2000 lbs., \$2400 nego. John Trahan, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-654-5815.

**Reg. Texas** Longhorn steers, naturally, healthy, locally raised, grass/pasture fed, (1) 11 mos. old \$400, (1) 14 mos. old, \$600. Terry or Sonja Monceaux, Egan, Acadia Parish; 337-660-8594.

### SANTA GERTRUDIS

**(4) Reg. Santa** Gertrudis bulls, 12-15 mos., halter-broke, data collected, tested, out of Elite Genetics, \$3000/1-up. Shannon McDowell, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-266-9677.

**Reg. Santa** Gertrudis bull calf, 6 mos., show calf, halter broken, vet checked, great genetics. Crystal Bourgeois, Paulina, St. James Parish; 225-806-8122.

### WAGYU

(30) Wagyu, 1 yr. old, 5 mos. old, \$1000, \$650. W.V. Jackson, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-515-0520.

### **ZEBU**

**Reg. mini-**Zebu bulls, cows & calves, assorted colors, show quality, \$300/1-up. Jerome Hammons, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-508-0800.

**Zebu mini** heifers, steer, \$400/1. Kirk or Melinda Stelly, Leonville, St. Landry Parish; 337-879-2497.

### DAIRY

**Dairy cross** steer, 6-mos old, very tame, 350-400 lbs., \$350. Connor Ledet, Delhi, Franklin Parish; 318-341-2368.

(3)-Reg. Jersey bulls, ready to breed, \$100-\$1200/each. Delos Thompson, Folsom, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-373-4067.

(1)-Holstein cow for sale in Kaplan Louisiana, \$1000. Ross, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-7046.

**Wanted:** Jersey nurse cow w/calf. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

### **OTHER**

**Butcher calves** near Saint Francisville, no hormones, antibiotics, or vaccines, \$3.75/lb. hanging weight, \$6.20/lb. wrapped, 25% deposit, average calf produces 360lbs of beef. Joseph Robillard, Saint Francisville, West Feliciana Parish; 337-224-5688.

**For Sale**, freezer calves, taking orders, Broussard area. Bryan Payne, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-349-4173

Blk. Bull, ½ Brahman, ¼ Angus, ¼ Hereford, 2-yrs. old, big & gentle, \$1800; full brother, 1-yr. old, \$1000; tiger striped F-1 Braford bull, 1-yr. old, \$1500, big & very correct. Ben Baggett, Mittie, Allen Parish; 337-370-8254.

(3)-Blue Belgian bulls for sale in Kaplan Louisiana, \$3000/each. Ross, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-7046.

**(2)- mos.** old Dexter Angus heifer, \$600, text for pictures. Donovan Elliott, Iowa, Calcasieu Parish; 337-764-1198.

**Scottish Highland**/Hereford cross bull, 1 yr., red, lots of hair, \$800. Cecilia Langley, Husser, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-747-8786.

**Wanted:** halter broke heifers, retired 4-H preferably, for small cow/calf pet haven. Bryan Bossier, Woodworth, Rapides Parish; 318-729-3366.

### HORSES, MULES & JACKS

All horses, mules, and jacks must be from bona fide livestock farmers. We cannot accept notices from horse dealers, order buyers or persons selling on commission basis.

Every time you submit an advertisement one of the following must be provided. 1. All listings of horses, mules or jacks must be accompanied by a COPY of the original official negative Coggins test for Equine Infectious Anemia (E.I.A.) that was performed within the past 6 months prior to sale on all horses, mules, and jacks, except nursing foals. (OR) 2. A signed statement from the seller stating that he will furnish the buyer with a negative Coggins at the time of sale.

**Foundation** & Running bred Quarter Horses, imprint as foals, freeze branded, vaccinated, \$2000-up. Fred Rodosta, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-331-3151 or 337-948-6511.

**Quarter horses** and (1)-paint horse for sale, (1)-mos to (13)-years old, call for more information. Shane Gautreaux, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-466-2915.

**Reg. Quarter** horse mare, 2003, foal at side, \$300, foal not for sale, guaranteed coggins neg. Mac. Boquet, Bourg, Terrabonne Parish; 985-217-6347.

**Reg. Missouri** Fox Trotting black mare, 17-yrs. Old, foal at side, \$600, foal not for sale, neg. coggins. Mac Boquet, Bourg, Terrebonne Parish; 985-217-6347.

# STALLION SERVICE

(4) foundation bred stallions, \$800/\$10 mare care, before coming mares are required to have a negative Coggins test and vet checked ultrasound. Fred Rodosta, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-331-3151 or 337-948-6511.

**Reg. AQHA** buckskin, no white markings, super gentle, \$300/\$5/day mare care. Joe Kimble, Ethel, East Feliciana Parish; 225-326-9112.

**Haflinger reg.** stallion for service, \$300/\$5 mare care. Juan Diliberto, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-305-2807.

# EQUINE SERVICES

**Twisted T** Equine Dentistry, full performance float, \$100/horse. Taylor Lewing, Deville, Rapides Parish; 318-880-4890.

Russ Mixon training stables,

lessons for ages 5 and up, boarding, leasing, horse training & sales, 50+ yrs., exp., located in Pride. Russ Mixon, Pride, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-654-9254.

Reining & ranch riding training in Iota, colt starting, finishing, tuning, showing, lessons & sales prep, trained under NRHA pros Dean Brown & Terry Gatte & AQHA judge Chele Mcgauly, \$750/30 hay & feed included. Taryn Mcspadden, Iota, Acadia Parish; 337-532-3966.

**Ron's Horseshoeing,** shoeing & trimming, all breeds of horses over 20 yrs. exp., pro, reliable service. Ron Judice, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-519-1203.

Honey Do Farms, breaking & training, from groundwork to saddle, everything included, references available, \$650/30 days. Kori Schexnayder, Church Point, St. Landry Parish; 337-668-4777.

Mare care, foaling services near Carencro & Evangeline Training Center, 12x24 foaling stalls, foal watch w/camera system, shaded pastures, pro care. Bill Langford, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-280-1535.

**Fletcher's Farrier** Service, trimming/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.

### TACK

Courts Ranch roper saddle, 15 ½ in seat, rawhide wrapped, quarter horse bars, 6 ½ in. gullet width, post horn wrapped in mule hide, used very little, text for pics, \$1175. Jeff Leblanc, Welsh, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-368-

16" older model stamped Hereford brand team roper, thoroughly cleaned and oiled, new rigging, SS dees, etc., \$600. Ronney Francois, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-945-3628.

**Full synthetic** saddle, 15" seat, brand new, \$250 obo. Jerry Baker, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-277-2820.

# SHEEP & GOATS

**Nigerian dwarf**/ Spanish, brush cross buck kids, 6-7mos old,

\$200/1. Errol Savage, Plaucheville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-4610.

**Katahdin ram**, 1-yr old, \$200. Errol Savage, Plaucheville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-4610.

**Several males** and females, 4-5 mos old, American Blackbelly and Katahdin cross, \$150/each. Joseph Courville, 318-715-0416.

**(4) Kiko** bucklings, 3mos. old, \$150/each. Jay Meadows, Kentwood, St. Helena Parish; 985-614-3373.

**Pygmy doelings**, 4-mos old, \$175. Kristen Burfield, Lettsworth, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-3604

Katahdin's-100% registered ram lambs, 2022, top mid-west champion bloodlines-sires and dams come off some of the top mid-west champion breeders, excellent genetics. Ricky Lobell, Galvez, Ascension Parish; 225-715-9219.

**Buckskin paint**, (2) blue eyes, Nigerian dwarf wethered, disbudded, bottle baby, (8)-mths, old, super tame, super sweet, great pet, text for pics, \$350 OBO. Lora Roberie, Saint Landry, Evangeline Parish; 318-423-5075.

**Nigerian Dwarf** bucklings, (3-4)-mos. old, \$125/each. Diana Reeves, Mittie, Allen Parish; 337-488-5055.

**St. Croix** sheep, registered flock, males and females available, no worming needed, \$100-\$300 each. Willie Johnson, Clinton, East Feliciana Parish; 225-719-0697.

**Nigerian dwarf** male goats, 3-mos. old, would make excellent breeders, also one bottle fed excellent pet for kids. L. Darbonne, Washington, St. Landry Parish; 337-692-0316.

**Mouflon crossed** sheep ½-3/4, \$150/1 and up, pairs available. David Yount, Coushatta, Natchitoches Parish; 318-471-3681.

**3-month** old Katahdin/Dorper ewe lamb with beautiful markings, \$250. call Randy or message via Rockin M Farm facebook page. Randy McCullough, Dry Creek, Allen Parish; 337-353-6898.

**2-month** old full blood black male pygmy goats for sale, ready April 1<sup>st</sup>, \$150/each, call Randy or message via Rockin M Farm facebook page. Randy McCullough, Dry Creek, Allen Parish; 337-353-6898.

**Wanted:** someone to shear sheep and trim feet. Ronny Hart, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-300-7115.

Wanted: Suffolk ram to breed Suffolk sheep. Kermit Richard, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-258-7097

### **DOGS**

**Kemmer Curr** puppies and beagles, all ages, some chocolate color, \$100 and up. Charles Dowden, Anacoco, Vernon Parish; 337-378-2544.

**7/8 Jack Russell** pups, born 4/30/22, (1)-male, (1) gyp., squirrel dogs or house dogs, all shots & wormed (3) times, 6-wks old on 5/11/22, \$150/each. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish 337-423-3507.

**AKC Beagle** pups, off of field champion gun dogs, 13" and 15" class, \$400/each. Dean Gentile, Port Allen, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-328-2198.

**PB Rat** terriers, (2)-females, (1)-male, \$50/each. Greg Perren, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; call cell 337-789-7724 or. after 5:00 p.m. call 337-468-5144.

**Great Pyrenees** puppies, PB, snow white w/dew claws, all shots & worming, protect anything they are raised with, long life spans, \$200/each, \$100 deposit. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

Australian Shepherd puppies, born 03/03/2022, house/cow dogs, loving dogs, shots/wormed, (1)-male, (1)-gyp left, \$300/each. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

AKC European German Shepherd pups, excellent bloodlines, easily trained, get along well w/ others, they love kids, \$2000. Cindi Gascon, Gretna, Jefferson Parish; 601-299-0264.

AKC Belgian Malinois pups, excellent family protection dogs, super well socialized, they get along well with others, \$2000. Cindi Gascon, Gretna, Jefferson Parish; 601-299-0264.

**Kemmer Cur** male, born 8/2021, \$200. Charles Thomas, Plain Dealings, Bossier Parish; 318-780-1992 or 318-326-5990.

**Reg. Toy** Rat terriers, male & female, assorted colors, \$400. Jerome Hammons, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-508-0800.

**Black Labrador**, 10-mos old. male, all shots & wormed, \$300. Brenda, Oakdale, Allen Parish; 318-335-1414.

**Blue & Red** heeler puppies, ready to go, males only, \$200. Bonnie Ponthier, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-1757 or 318-359-4519.

3/4 Jack Russel 1/4 Rat Terrier puppies, great squirrel/ house dogs, family loving kid dogs, shots/ worming at 6-weeks, \$200/each. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon

Parish; 337-423-3507.

**AKC German** shepherd puppies large breed, medium coat w/straight back, tough but smart, beautiful pups, \$800. Norman Baudoin, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-1733.

**Australian Shepherd** male, black & white, buddy, sits, shakes, comes when called, worm/tick/flea medicine, \$200. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

CKC Reg. standard poodle pups, CKC Reg. UTD on shots, good bloodline, intelligent & affectionate, \$800/each. Tommy Melancon, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-344-7634.

Lab puppies, AKC and CKC reg., good hunting stock, w/pedigree, UTD on shots, black, yellow, (5)-females, (2)-males, \$500. Tommy Melancon, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-344-7634.

**Jack Russell** pups, 9-mos. Old, shots & wormed, \$400/each or \$700/pair (male & female). Ronnie Whiddon, Evangeline, Acadia Parish; 337-523-4677.

**Heeler/Collie** cross pups for sale, will be ready 4/9, \$100/1, call or text. Ethan Tyler, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-305-1996.

Australian shepherd puppies, one blue merle male, and black, white, tri male, whelped on 3/15/22, ready on 4/28/22, parents are working stock, make a deposit to reserve, \$400. Nicole Snoddy, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-459-4814.

**7/8 Jack** Russell, 1/8 rat terrier, born 3/9/22, bobtailed, wormed, flea/tick medicine, 10/1 shot on 4/20/22, deposit preferred, \$200. Mitchell Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-4507.

Wanted: Miniature/toy chihuahua puppy, registered/papers not necessary, female preferred but male ok. George (Cindy) Carpenter, Ethel, East Feliciana Parish: 225-603-6742.

### SWINE

**Pure bred** Berkshire hogs for sale, pasture raised and corn fed, \$100 & up. Robert Champagne, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-298-4551.

**Reg. Kunekune** piglets, 5-mths. old and cute as bugs, selling due to family death, \$400/each, parents are also available for \$800/pair. Beverly Leibenguth, Rayville, Richland Parish; 318-334-7956.

**Beautiful sweet** Kunekune male piglets, double wattled, ready April 23, \$200, reserve for \$50 deposit. call Randy or message via Rockin

M Farm facebook page. Randy McCullough, Dry Creek, Allen Parish; 337-353-6898.

Reg. Kunekunes, Gilts \$600, belted tri boar, \$750; barrows \$400. Brandon Taylor, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-436-5961.

### DOMESTIC BIRDS & EQUIPMENT

**English parakeets**, 2022 ABS branded, all colors, very nice, good breeding stock, \$20/each. Frank Arthur, River Ridge, Jefferson Parish; 504-329-8965.

**Brown Chinese** goslings, \$20, Coturnix quail, \$1, Guinea Keets, \$5, please leave message when calling, day old chick prices listed, \$1/week after that. Lee Wise, Goldonna, Winn Parish; 318-576-3601

**Peacock &** peahen, around 1-yr old, \$225 sold as pair. Rebecca Mizell, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-335-5617.

**Peacocks, all** ages & colors, male & female, \$50/1-up. Jerome Hammons, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-508-0800.

**Love birds** and Sun Conures, Quaker parakeets, \$35 and up. Donald Brown, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-466-3749.

Cockatiel breeders, \$150/1, cockatiel babies in nest, \$75/1, American parakeets, albino, violet, rainbow, & mixed colors, \$20/1, fischer lovebirds and black mask lovebirds, \$150/1. Herman Herkins, Larose, Lafourche Parish; 985-413-3891.

**Doves, quail** & chicks, doves=\$10/1 and up depending on colors, quail & chicks price depends on age. Kent Ardoin, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-655-8174 or 337-363-6294.

### POULTRY & FOWL

Wire cage 1'-4' wide, 2'high, 7-9' long, (double), \$25/obo; wire cage 1'-4' wide, 2'high, 10'long, (triple), \$35/obo. Randy Turner, Boyce, Rapides Parish; 318-787-5860.

**Large Rickwood** incubator, Montgomery Wards Model OVLZ, \$500/ OBO. Randy Turner, Boyce, Rapides Parish; 318-787-5860.

**Bourbon Red** turkey poults, \$10/each & up. Lee Wise, Saline, Natchitoches Parish; 318-576-3220

**Red Sex** links, gold sex links, Black Copper Marans, Rhode Island Reds, pullets, \$10; roosters, \$7. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-789-5478.

**Coturnex quail** chicks, .75cents and up. Gerald Davis, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-514-7909.

**Baby Ringneck** pheasants, feathered, 6-7 weeks old, have (7), \$60 for all, Dry Prong, Fairfield Community. Patricia Thornhill, , Grant Parish; 318-413-9202.

**Mute swan** (male), 2-yr. old, \$650; hatching now: Mandarin, Wood ducks, Pintails, Ringed Teal, others. \$30-\$40/1. Mark Lumetta, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 504-451-6655.

**Trio of** PB (1)-yr. old, Black Marans, hens laying fertile eggs regularly, \$75 firm, also offering trio of Bantams, \$25 firm. Sandra Fischer, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 601-278-2999

**Salem Faverolle** standard, Rhode Island Red Bantam, chickens available and chicks have hatched. Randy Turner, Boyce, Rapides Parish. 318-787-5860.

**Wanted:** swans, either mute or Australian. Marie Thomlinson, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-224-7451.

**Wanted:** Guineas, Marans. Andy Anderson, Coushatta, Natchitoches Parish; 318-715-3881.

### **PIGEONS**

**Pure racing** homing, young birds, never let out of pen, \$10/each. Louis Poche, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-452-4197.

**Large King** pigeons, all sizes and colors, \$30/pair. Dennis Lavergne, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish: 337-831-1596.

Racing homers, rare colors, blk. Eagles, yellow & red trentons, muelman, saddle backs, rollers, tumblers, & other breeds, \$7/-up. D. Johnson, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-223-7200

(3) 2 yr. old peacocks, (2) black shoulder, (1) India blue, \$100/1. Karen Lachney, Ethel, East Feliciana Parish; 225-572-8698.

### **EGGS**

**Farm fresh** chicken eggs, free range, cage free, \$3/doz., quality avail. Westley Cloud, Castor, Bienville Parish; 318-423-3506.

**Fresh yard** eggs, \$2.50/doz. Dale Falcon, Prairieville, Ascension Parish; 225-278-5567.

**Fresh yard** eggs, \$2/doz. Richard Moran, Franklin, Washington Parish; 985-516-0889.

Wanted: fertile pb chicken eggs

for hatching, would prefer white leghorn chicken eggs, will consider other pb chicken eggs too. Ray Richard, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 901-262-8395.

# RABBITS & EQUIPMENT

**Netherland dwarf** bunnies, black & white, and bluish gray, \$35/1; 2&3 hole rabbit hutches, \$250 & \$400. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish;.337-789-5478.

Bergeron & Borel's Rabbit Ranch, 100% pure large & small rabbits, rabbit cages, also custom builds upon request, text or call before 9.PM.daily. Douglas Borel/Elizabeth Bergeron, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-886-8075.

**Pedigreed Mini** Rex Rabbits, handled daily, breeding stock, Show and Pet quality, \$25-\$75/1, all colors, great for 4H, can text. Jeffrey & Sherry Kitchens, Greensburg, St. Helena Parish; 225-287-0215.

Pedigree Rabbits, French Lops, New Zealand Reds, Silver Fox, other rabbits, Texas A & M composites, San Juans, New Zealand White/ California meat rabbits, call for prices/ availability. Tammy Loup, Lockport, Lafourche Parish; 985-805-0719.

**New Zealand**/California cross, meat, pet or breeding stock, prices range from \$5 and up. Shana Pizzuto, Pearl River, St. Tammany Parish; 985-960-1148.

Large breed rabbits, New Zealand, California crosses, all sizes, \$15 and up. Dale Falcon, Prairieville, Ascension Parish; 225-278-5567.

**Dutch rabbits**, young/baby show & pet quality available, does & bucks, pics upon request, text, \$60-\$80, deals for multiples. S. Fontenot, Saint Landry, Evangeline Parish; 318-423-5075.

**Wanted:** will take unwanted farm animals, not cats/dogs, 10-acre farm currently home to many animals, text or voicemail. Alyssa McMurray, Oak Ridge, Richland Parish; 318-367-3491.

# AQUACULTURE & EQUIPMENT

**Pond stocking,** blue catfish,  $45 \norm{\rlap/}{\wp}/1$ ; channel catfish,  $35 \norm{\rlap/}{\wp}/1$ ; coppernose, bluegill,  $35 \norm{\rlap/}{\wp}/1$ ; Louisiana bluegill, \$.35/1; hybrid bluegill, \$.40/1; red-ear bream,  $35 \norm{\rlap/}{\wp}/1$ ; blk. crappie,  $45 \norm{\rlap/}{\wp}/1$ ; bass,  $85 \norm{\rlap/}{\wp}/1$ ; fathead minnows, \$12/lb.; del. avail. David Lowe, Minden,

Webster Parish; 318-377-1525.

Stainless Steel 2" pipeline w/ weigh jugs & receiving pump; 1000 gal. Mueller tank & tank washer. Ernest Spears, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-974-2719.

Horizontal 100 hp Worldwide motor, 1800 rpm, 480V, 3-phase, 405 T frame, used little, barn stored, \$2500, starter and panels avail. Chris Higginbotham, Palmetto, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-4263.

**Wanted:** (1)-portable water tank or cistern; (1)-large propane tank. Jim Smith, Stonewall, DeSoto Parish; 318-218-9690.

### **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.

(5) 1.5 yr. old Ostriches, (1) male, (4) females, \$10000/all, must take all. Scott Gurney, Springfield, Livingston Parish; 310-990-1049.

**Exotics,** axis, blackbuck, fallow, silka & elk. Bray Bollinger, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-400-1667.

**Whitetail deer**, breeder bucks, does, stocker bucks. Bray Bollinger, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-400-1667.

Gates for Deer pen, 2x2, 8'x12', (3) w/tin, (3) w/wire, \$250/1. Harry Vermaelon, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-403-1823.

**Wanted:** Looking for female llama. Cynthia Bankston, Liberty, Tangipahoa Parish; 601-300-3063.

### FARM SERVICES

**Barn repairs** additions, & restoration, Hi-Tech Home Services LLC, we specialize in restoring pole barns and Carolina metal buildings or adding to what you already have. JW Gayle, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-202-2397.

Welding services: Dours Welding Services, LLC, mobile welding, repair, fabrication, steel, aluminum, stainless, alloys. Ethan Dours, St. Francisville, West Feliciana Parish; 225-245-0532.

Chain saw sharpening, \$10. Lynn Meades, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-318-2439.

Barn & barnyard services, fence repair, row clearing, clean up or clear out barn, bush hog or push to burn, 50-mile radius. John Marcantel, Mittie, Allen Parish; 318-306-1564.

Will remove fences for materials, wires, posts & gates w/no charge if suitable location, condition & access. George Waltner, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-602-8249

Bush hog and driveway grading. \$40/hr. 4 hr. min. Taylor Raiford, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-916-2525.

Mechanical planting of pine trees, hand planting hardwood & pine trees, lift seedlings & nurseries, plant seedlings, tree pruning, pre-comm. thinning, brush cutting, ripping & line painting. Kenneth Hines. Shreveport, Caddo Parish; 318-573-0321.

Bush hog & tilling for garden 3 hr. min. Dennis Lang, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-839-0247 or 985-839-1564.

Forestry mulching, trails, shooting lanes, right of ways, food plots, under brushing. Kenny Neck, Clinton, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-937-9566.

Welding, elec., concrete work, underground drainage, fence work metal, wire & board, building repair, lighting etc. Lattie Martin, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-405-5229.

Renovation & aerate pastures, hay fields, deer plots, any size. Gene Choplin, Broussard, St. Martin Parish; 337-581-1262.

Wanted: very responsible person to sharecrop a truck patch & work in garden in Stonewall, LA. Jim Smith, Stonewall, DeSoto Parish; 318-218-9690.

Wanted: someone to bushhog about 10 acres in the Vivian, LA area which is in Caddo Parish. Donald Norwood, Mansfield, Desoto Parish; 318-872-2894.

### LIVESTOCK **BOARDING**

.Horse boarding, pastures for lease w/ shelter & water. Dean Gentile, Port Allen, West Baton Rouge Parish; 225-328-2198.

Horse boarding, herd environment, \$100/1 per month, mult. feeding options. Kathern Hollifield, Deridder, Beauregard Parish: 337-462-0964.

Horse boarding, pasture & full board avail., new horse facility on 22 acres, vinyl fencing & rope elec. fencing, mare/foal & trailers welcome. Beau or Taylor Fontenot, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-329-5582 or 337-387-9854.

Horse boarding, near Carencro & Evangeline Training Center, 170 acres, feed & hay 2x day, deworming, fly control, covered lighted arena, a/c tack rooms, hot/cold wash racks, wood round pen, walking wheel, outdoor arena, private paddock w/shelter, \$400/month, stalls avail. at additional cost. Bill Langford, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-

Horse boarding, 1.5 miles from I-10, overnight or monthly, 5-acre coastal pasture w/barn, place to horse & trail ride, work \$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 & 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.

### **EQUIPMENT SERVICE** FOR HIRE

Land clearing, dozer work, and site prep, call for a free estimate, Deridder and all surrounding areas. Ethan Wilson, Dry Creek, Beauregard Parish; 337-396-8489.

Bush hogging, \$60/acre or by job, servicing St. Mary & Iberia Youngsville parishes, and surrounding area, 65 HP JD w/ 6' and 7' bush hog, liability insured. Randy Mestayer, Charenton, St. Mary Parish; 337-579-0154.

Bush hogging, disc, box blade service, \$50/hr., 4 hr. min., within 50 miles. John Marcantel, Mittie, Allen Parish; 318-306-1564.

Bush hog & tilling, 4 hr. min. Dennis Lang, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-839-0247 or 985-515-1564.

Land clearing w/ KG blade. Terrancina, Thibodaux, Led Lafourche Parish; 985-688-4601.

Tree and land services, willing

to tackle any job big or small, best customer service, price depends on job, free estimates available. Even Wiener, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish: 985-400-4428.

Dozer & track hoe work, land clearing, crawfish ponds, shear stumps & root rake, sm. & lg. jobs. Kenneth or Wilmer Hines, Stonewall, Desoto Parish; 318-655-4280 or 318-272-1431.

Clearing, grubbing, driveway construction, house pads, trac. work. Kyle Holden, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa parish; 985-981-0688.

**Bush hogging,** \$35/hr., 6' or 10' bush hog, no min. Mike Peavy, Trout, Lasalle Parish; 318-623-4684.

Trimble satellite equip., land surveys & designs land-leveling. ponds, house pads & yard leveling. Frank Zaunbrecher, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish, 337-207-2822.

Bush hogging & trac. work, 4 hr. min., within 50 miles. Rene, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-515-6877.

Track hoe & trac. work. Bart, Jennings, Acadia Parish; 337-526-

Dump truck, sm. or lg. trac., excavator, dozer work, limestone, sand, bottom ash, crush concrete, fill dirt, topsoil, cal base, culverts, concrete, asphalt, demo or drainage. Alvin Joseph, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-437-1143.

Land clearing, under brushing, dirt work, bush hogging, house pads & trac. work. Rick Hardee, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-249-9500.

Bush hogging, by the hr. or job, free estimates. Charles Longino, Natchitoches, Natchitoches Parish; 318-715-4814.

Wanted: (40)-inch ditch bucket and (12)-inch digging bucket for Cat 305 E2, the pin size on bucket pins are 45mm. Bert Lavergne, Scott, Lafayette Parish; 337-230-4167.

### **NUISANCE ANIMAL** REMOVAL

Hog traps, 8' long x 48" wide x 34" high, (2) push-in gates, \$350. Colston, Provencal, Natchitoches Parish; 318-472-

Professional licensed trapper, central La. trapping & removal of beavers, coyotes, hogs & other nuisance animals, free estimates. Vermaelen, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-201-5632.

14 yrs. nuisance wildlife control, humane, offers seal ups & attic

restoration, Seth Borden, Gretna, Jefferson Parish: 504-610-1696.

### 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.

(70+) acres located NE Tangipahoa parish, (3)-bedroom house, 30'X50' metal building, ponds & creek, hardwood pines, great hunting, farming, and recreation, \$7000/acre. Jerry Sharp, Covington, St. Tammany Parish; 985-502-4796.

For Sale 15 acres on cul-de-sac, Comite River Private, \$325000. Tony Templet, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-356-2094.

267 acres (203)-agriculture, (57)-wooded, (7)-Mississippi river batture, (800)-ft frontage both LA Hwy 3127 and LA Hwy 18 (River Road), Interstate 10 access 10miles. Rowland Bourgeois, Vacherie, St. James Parish: 225-265-4452.

11.32 acres Indian Village LA, off Parishline rd., Allen Parish flood zone, AE fenced, \$90000 OBO. Stewart Harrell, Kinder, Allen Parish: 337-842-7347.

Camp sites for sale, Indian Village in Kinder, \$8500/\$13000, three lots for sale, call for price. Robert, Jennings, Acadia Parish; 337-526-8825.

Wanted: Cane Land to buy approx. 100 acres, whole or parts, offering Usufruct to seller on rental income, please call. David Tilley, Franklin, St. Mary Parish; 337-800-9705

### 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.

(25)-acres for rent or lease, good for hay farming, off Hwy 92. Jeanette Hebert, Milton, Lafavette Parish; 337-856-5885.

Wanted: looking for land to

rent/lease in Cloutierville/Natchitoches. La. area. Christopher Moreau, Ball, Grant Parish; 318-419-2948.

### FERTILIZER

Scales - Any person selling goods by weight or creating packages of commodi-ties to be labeled by net weight must use a legal for trade scale. This scale must be registered annually with LDAF Weights and Measures, call 225-925-3780 or email weightsinfo@ldaf.state.la.us.

Rabbit manure (best organic) fertilizer, \$5/ feed sack. Dale Falcon, Prairieville, Ascension Parish; 225-278-5567.

Ag lime, \$30/ton, within a 100 mile radius. Brent Duncan, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-515-6655.

Compost cow manure, \$40/yard picked up; 18-wheeler loads \$35/yard picked up. Brent Duncan, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-515-6655.

Cow manure in sacks, call for more information. Robert. Oakdale, Allen Parish; 318-335-1414.

Chicken boiler litter, 50-55 yards/load, sell & spread if needed, price varies by location. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish 337-423-3507.

### SEEDS, FLOWERS & **ORNAMENTALS**

Any person who sells, distributes, or 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. licensing information, contact the LDAF Seed Programs Division at 225-925-4733 or by email at seed@ldaf.state.la.us.

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3780 or weightsinfo@ldaf.state.la.us.

Hidden Ginger lily rhizomes, bulbs, ready to plant, free shipping, \$15/1-lb. Sandra Fischer, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 601-278-2999

Sago palms, asphadistra, Asian Jasmin, cherry laurel. Tony Templet, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-356-2094.

White Tuxpan corn seed to plant, non-hybrid, grows up to 12' tall w/ears 1' long w/up to 18-rows of kernels, \$10/gal. Eddie Dekerlegand, Opelousas, Landry Parish; 337-308-7712.

Wanted: cuttings or seeds for Angel Trumpets, all colors, pink, peach, orange, white, tangerine,

any color except yellow. A. J. Baham, Franklin, St. Mary Parish; 337-578-8714.

# 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.

**Thornless blackberries**, blue berries, several varieties of each, \$8-\$10/each, grafted pear, apples, may haws available in fall. Lee, Husser, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-981-7819.

Pakistan mulberry trees, \$40/1, about 2' tall, established rooted clones, well known cultivar, biggest, sweetest mulberries. Chance Janice, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-351-0260.

**Bald Cypress** trees in 1 gal. pots, 12" tall, \$7.5/1. Nick Bergeron, Slaughter, East Feliciana Parish; 225-933-2166.

**Fig trees,** good selection, Celeste Smith, LSU Purple, LSU Tiger, O'Rourke and others, \$20 & up. Fred Carter, Jennings, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-368-5851.

**Wanted:** 1 jujube tree & wild pawpaw seeds or trees to purchase or trade. Blaise, Violet, St. Bernard Parish; 504-264-8125.

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Mann Lake sideliner uncapper, like new, (device used to uncap honey supers in prep for extraction), \$1300. Jerry Burg, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 504-810-9171.

**Bee Hives** for sale, various sizes, \$250 and up, leave text or message. Halli Stacks, Ethel East Feliciana Parish; 225-244-3642.

**Filtered beeswax**, 100 lbs. or less \$5/lb. 900 lbs. avail. at \$4.50/lb, pick-up only, cash only. Donald Gagnard, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 337-288-3517.

**Fresh, raw**, unfiltered honey, \$15/32 oz. Kendall Broussard,

Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-258-9158 leave message.

(10) frame hives w/ bees, \$250/1. Stanley Stewart, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-241-2269.

Fresh, raw, unfiltered honey, Captain P's Honey Bees, \$5/12 oz. Paul Harvey, Morgan City, St. Mary Parish; 985-519-2993 or 985-519-2993.

## FRUITS & VEGETABLES

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**Sweet potatoes** Beauregard variety, green tag. Becky Dugas, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-6840 or 318-253-6843.

**Fresh sweet** potatoes, green tagged. Lori Dugas, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-308-8860.

**Muscadines**, black & bronze, \$8/gal. W. Lee Wise, Saline, Natchitoches Parish; 318-576-3220.

**Wanted:** Loquat (Japanese plum) fruit wanted, local and EBR Parish area, can swap quart jars for fruit. Marilyn Woolfolk, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-301-2368

Wanted: mirliton fruit or sprouts, locally-grown, traditional mirlitons, for info visit www.mirliton.org. Lance Hill, New Orleans, Orleans Parish; 504-865-0193.

# JAMS, JELLIES & PRESERVES

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Mayhaw juice, frozen, ready for use, Fieldspan Farms, \$10/pack, email <u>rlstutes@cox.net</u>. Rick Stutes, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-298-1931.

**Jelly blackberry**, blueberry, muscadine, pomegranate, elderberry, ½ pint \$6. Shirley Lacaze, Natchitoches,

Natchitoches Parish; 318-540-7167

Muscadine, May haw, Blueberry & Blackberry jelly, \$8/16 oz. net wt. glass jar; pure Sugarcane syrup, \$8/12 fl. oz. glass jar. William Auttonberry, Eros, Ouachita Parish; 318-267-4310.

### HAY & GRAIN

**2022 taking** orders, Bermuda square bales \$6/bale in the field or \$7/bale in the barn, call email or text, I will get back with you. Bob Murphy, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-230-5634 or big country1967@yahoo.com.

**4X5**, net wrap bales of mixed grass hay, very clean for cows, cutting begins May 1,2022, \$25/bale (out of field), no delivery, can load you in the field. Kevin Gaspard, Alexandria, Natchitoches Parish; 318-446-1735.

**2022-25** 4X4 round bales, Bahia/ Lespedeza, \$20/1. Jessie Fabre, Maurice, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-0551.

**4x5 Bahia** hay, net wrapped, \$30. Jimmie Hayes, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-447-2427.

**5x5 bales** of grass hay, under barn, \$45/bale. Mack Brown, Mt. Hermon, Washington Parish; 985-515-3505.

**4X5 round** bales, 30/1 or 50/2, in barn, New Iberia LA. Allen Prodos, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-967-0006.

(40) square bales, Bahia hay, \$5/each, at barn. Louis Blanchard, St. Amant, Ascension Parish; 225-715-3041 or 225-644-2745.

1033 Stockliner new Holland, holds 105 bales, in excellent shape, came from Roder Implement refurbished, picked around 6000 bales with it, machine is ready to go and comes w/accessories, \$6000. Craig Soileau, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-4234.

### **TRACTORS**

Massey Ferguson 283, front end loader, (4)-spools, 6-ft box blade, post hole digger, (3)-pt. spray tank, (2)-new rear tires, new seat, 4079 hrs., \$10000/all. Donald Scaife, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-256-5447.

**45HP case** 1190 tractor, has front end loader, good shape, \$6000 obo. Hubert Wilkerson, Natchitoches, Natchitoches Parish; 318-453-1615.

**Ford 4000** diesel tractor. Olen Bankston, Tickfaw, Livingston Parish; 985-320-4535.

**4030 Kubota** tractor, good shape, \$8000; 256 N.H. rake, good shape, \$2000; (3)-pt. blade, \$1600. W. J. Mims, Calhoun, Ouachita Parish; 318-644-2236.

JD 14' disk, needs repair, solid iron, parts included for disks, needs tires and hydraulic hose, \$875. Vernal Comeaux, Scott, Lafayette Parish; 337-896-9296 or 337-288-6526 or 337-257-6463.

(3)-pt seed and fertilizer spreader, ready to go, \$325. Vernal Comeaux, Scott, Lafayette Parish; 337-896-9296 or 337-288-6526 or 337-257-6463

JD 2440 like new, (tires, transmission, hydraulics, etc.), ready to work, 60HP, \$10000. William Simmons, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-507-0655.

**(4)-wheel** drive, 33HP, front end loader, backhoe, 188-hrs, \$21500 obo. Kenneth Short, Breaux Bridge, St. Martin; 337-230-4821.

JD 2440, 60HP, rebuilt transmission, hydraulic system, new water pump, batteries, tires (front & back), new paint job, \$10000. Bill Simmons, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-507-0653.

**1939 JD** Model D, (2)-cyl., stell wheels, not ran in years, does roll, serial# 168841, \$1500. Phil Miller, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-3773.

1955 Minneapolis moline, 50HP, model 238B-4, serial# 06105695, last used to drive 6" pump on bayou, propane engine free, tires fair, \$1200. Phil Miller, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-3773.

Ford 601 tractor, good tires, runs good, \$2250 cash; Ford 8N tractor, good tires, \$1250 cash; Ford 8N tractor, runs good, (4)-new tires, \$2250 cash; Ford 9N tractor, needs work, \$550 cash; Ford 8N tractor, needs work, \$550 cash. Jackie Tucker, Bossier City, Bossier Parish; 318-349-8851.

**JD 2355** tractor with loader, 64 HP, 3300 hrs., (1)-owner, original paint, good rubber, runs great, \$15750. Jackie Tucker, Bossier City, Bossier Parish; 318-349-8851.

Case VA tractor, gas, not running, \$750; 8-ft. heavy duty blade, \$450; hay fork for back hook up, \$450; wheel weight spacers, 17-inch (4)-hole 10-inch apart, \$100. Shelia Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-789-0699.

(1) 169R28 tractor tire, good condition, \$375. Bob Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

White tractor 2155 w/ cab & air 160 hp w/ new Allied loader, hay spear, 1800 hrs., \$12,500; (1) 169R28 tractor tire, good condition, \$375. Bobby Gene Denton, Jena, Lasalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

**Wanted:** buddy seat for JD 6000/7000 or similar series tractor. Patrick Richmond, Glenmora, Rapides Parish; 337-344-3732.

### CUTTERS & MOWERS

RM 500 woods 4' finishing track mower & 4' house bushhog, both excellent condition, can text pictures, \$500/each. Tyrone Dubroc, Jackson, East Feliciana Parish; 225-721-2730.

**Krone active** disc mow 8-ft shaft drive, like new condition, cut less than 50 acres, selling because health reasons, paid over \$12K

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asking \$9000. Steven Rochon, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-380-2805.

**Bush Hog,** 6-ft, grooming mower, \$750. Stephan Mayeux, Hamburg, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-3583.

**(1)-JD** 7'-bushhog model MX-7, used about 8 times, to big for tractor, barn kept, like new, \$4000. L. Olivier, Arnaudville, St. Landry Parish; 337-754-5980.

**(6)-ft.** bush hog finishing mower, \$750. Olen Bankston, Tickfaw, Livingston Parish; 985-320-4535.

**(2)-Kuhn** hay cutters for sale in Kaplan, for more information call. Russell Richard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-7046.

**JD lawn** tractor, hydrostatic/automatic transmission for sale, \$200. Harry, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-459-6976.

10-ft. (3)-pt. hitch bush hog, bad deck removed, new metal to replace deck, \$1500. Roger Amedee, St. Amant, Ascension Parish; 225-675-5739.

**6-ft.** bush hog, new drive line and blades, \$950. Dwight Brignac, Washington, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-3758.

2013 Bad boy outlaw XP zero turn, w/Kawasaki 27HP engine, 61"-deck, fair condition, \$3000. Alban Rolan, Bueche, West Baton Rouge Parish; 346-253-4244.

(2) Snapper riding mowers, new tires & battery on (1), \$250/both. B.G. Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

**New Holland** model H6750, disc hay mower, 9'6" cut, new blades and bolts, like new, field ready, \$8500. John Smith, Roanoke, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-302-3437.

15' stalk chopper, (3)-pt., rear crazy wheels, extra heavy duty, excel. cond. \$2500. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

**Bushhogging \$15**/acre or bid jobs with 4 hr. min. within a 100 mile radius, or lengthy job, 80 horse with 12' batwing. Michael Dennis, Hackberry, Cameron Parish; 337-802-9464.

**20-ft., Rhino** bushhog, 1000 RPM-pto, excellent condition, \$10500. Joseph Gradney, Lawtell, St Landry Parish; 337-739-2401.

**Swisher mower** (2)-machines, one is running, the other is for parts, cutting string & owners manual available, both machines are \$150. Beverly Leibenguth, Rayville, Richland Parish; 318-334-7956.

**2000** New Holland CM222, 22.3HP, diesel w/50" front mower deck, does not run, \$4000 or OBO.

Mike Breaux, Houma, Terrebonne Parish; 985-876-1984.

**6-foot** JD bush hog and 7-ft. JD bush hog both 3-yrs. old, both in excellent condition, asking \$2500 for 6-ft, and \$3500 for 7-ft., like new. Randy Mestayer, Charenton, St. Mary Parish; 337-579-0154.

**Wanted:** belly mower for Toro zero turn time cutter Z4200. C. Breaux, Labadieville, Assumption Parish; 985-859-6306.

## PLANTING & TILLAGE

**Troy Bilt** tiller, rear tyne, w/row maker, not run in (3)-yrs. due to health, not many hrs. on it, 1/\$425. Vernon James Champagne, Houma, Terrebonne Parish; 985-873-8440.

**14-ft** 485 disk \$750, 22-ft JD 1010 field cultivator \$750. Phillip Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-1132.

W&A 8-row hippers w/Ortham row markers, \$2000; Taylorway (8)-row cult., 5-plow gangs w/shields, \$800; Ditch Witch w/4-way blade, land boring unit, drill pipe & bits, trailer, excel. cond., \$12,500. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

**Husqvarna DRT900H** garden tiller (top of the line), has double rear tine tillers, nearly new, paid \$900, asking \$500 firm, owner passed away, pictures available. Beverly Leibenguth, Rayville, Richland Parish; 318-334-7956.

**Wanted:** (6)-row folding disc. Patrick Richmond, Glenmora, Rapides Parish; 337-344-3732.

# PICKERS & HARVESTERS

**3-Grain** carts, (2)-Tristate, 250&350bu, (1)-Rayne Grain 250bu, all in good condition, all \$3000; (2)-combine sieves for JD95, \$250 for both. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

R-600 Rayne grain cart, 700+ bushels, roll trap, tandem axles, call and leave message, \$4500. Randall Sarver, Bunkie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-0444.

Wanted: milling machine, BridgePort or comparable, preferably US made, 9x42 or smaller, cash. Edwin LeBlanc, Delcambre, Vermillion Parish; 337-352-0852.

Wanted: green chopper, prefer John Deere in good condition. Bruce Kyzar, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-974-3100

# OTHER AG IMPLEMENTS

(7) -ft. straight blade, (3)-pt. hitch, extra heavy duty, brand name Ford, (2)-way angle & reverse manual adjustable blade, ready to work, \$675. Rowland Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-599-2021.

**GEHL grind**, all hammer mill, two sack hopper, barn kept, \$500. Russell Orgeron, Lockport, Lafourche Parish; 985-805-0049.

Chain binders, \$10-\$20/piece; 12'-bull gate, \$100; 4'-gate, \$25. Ricky Juneau, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-0697.

JD Front weighs, flat type, fit 20-30 serv. JD, \$250. Ricky Juneau, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-0697.

12' vibrashank, has cylinder, needs hoses & (2)-tires, \$750; 12X4 square tubing boom w/cylinder, needs hoses, \$350. Phil Miller, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-3773.

Rollers for a caterpillar D7 dozer, cost \$500 a piece at caterpillar dealership, have 6 of them, will sell all for \$1500 cash. W.A. Lucky, Bossier City, Bossier Parish; 318-453-5685.

**Wanted:** small greenhouse or hot house; 5', (3)-P.H. disk, w/greaseable hubs; 2-7/8 O.D. oilfield pipe; 96-gallon, (2)wheel garbage cart. Robert Lemaster Sr., Pike County, MS; 1-601-248-8843.

### HAY EQUIPMENT

**Vermeer 504-1** hay baler, good shape, \$5000; JD 435-4X6 baler, \$7000; brand iron 0-9, 4-inch. Frank Singletary, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-884-0050.

**554 Vermeer** baler XL, great shape and working order, \$5000. Jesse, Lockport, Lafourche Parish; 985-991-3259.

Vicon Hay cutter, CM 2400, field ready, no oil leaks, top disc were replaced 3 yrs ago, one owner, working width is 7ft 10inches, asking \$5000, negotiable. Jake Guillory, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-789-1747.

435 JD hay baler, \$3500; Sibley hay rake, (8)-wheel, very good shape, w/dolly, \$2500. Tommy, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-640-2484.

**Kverneland UN** 7512 silage bale wrapper, good working condition, \$3000. Paul LaFleur,

Washington, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-0636.

JD 336 square baler, twine-tie, good working condition, \$3000. Paul LaFleur, Washington, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-0636.

Vermeer V-rake WR 22, one in great shape, one for parts, \$2500. Austin Daniel, St. Francisville, West Feliciana Parish; 225-938-6333.

Total Sellout 2009 JD 5093E w/cab/air and loader, 8-wheel rake, 2017 Kuta240 cutter, 2020 Hesston 1838 square baler, JD 467 hay roller, 4X6, 2009 (4)-disc Fella hay teddy, plus mower, \$82000. Damon Kirk, Deville, Rapides Parish; 318-709-8101.

**New Holland** H6740 hay cutter, new blades, cutter looks new, works like new. Russell Duhon, Maurice, Vermilion Parish; 337-893-5493

**(4)-Balers** for sale in Kaplan, for more information call. Russell Richard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-7046.

**NH 1033** Auto bale wagon, 105 capacity, shed kept, will operate, \$3750, if no answer leave message. Larry Granier, Clinton, East Feliciana Parish; 225-301-7133

2014 New Holland bc 5050 square baler, excellent condition and low bale count, \$14000. Dwight Brignac, Washington, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-3758.

**Wanted:** green chop machine. Hardis Neil, Montegut, Terrebonne Parish; 985-790-5847.

# CONTRACTOR EQUIPMENT

Generator Titan Industrial, 11HP, gas, (4)-receptacles, circuit breaker, low oil shutdown, manual start, recently tuned up, have receipts, \$700/obo. Melba Garza, Pairieville, Ascension Parish; 985-969-5538.

**Self-Contained** Concrete Breaker, Thumper, works on backhoe or excavator, \$2750. M. L. Towns, Arcadia, Bienville Parish; 318-548-8500.

**6"X4"** centifugal pump, 540 RPM, PTO driven, on wheels, some fittings available, great for irrigation or flood water removal, \$5000, leave message. Larry Granier, Clinton, East Feliciana Parish; 225-301-7133.

**Generator Winco**, driven 35KW, \$2800. Patrick Alford, Washington Parish; 985-514-0098.

**150-ft** (150'X12') of bridge material, grade a lumber, like new, can rebuild bridge on piers, have

telephone poles, timber and floor, replacement cost over \$100000, will take \$25000 for all (or will sell in parts). W.A. Lucky, Bossier City, Bossier Parish; 318-453-5685.

(2)-8" H beams, 24-ft long. Russell Duhon, Maurice, Vermilion Parish; 337-893-5493.

Wanted: used dirt equipment, Cat, Komatsu, Kabelco, 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

2005 GMC Canyon Crew cab, high mileage, runs good, well maintained, \$45000; portable generator, 10000 watt, (5)-hrs., paid \$1050, sell for \$800. S.Webb, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-254-2265.

**2005 International** 9400 truck, cummins engine, Fuller 10 speed transmission, many new parts, \$20000. Barney Laborde, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-8349.

1983 4X4 chevy Silverado, good cond., 305 automatics, second owner, 2-tone red and tan, extra factor wheels & mud grips, \$10000. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

(1)-pair chrome tubular running boards, (2)-front weather tech floor mats, all for Toyota Tacoma, year 2012 and others, all for \$100. Cecil Clark, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-783-7903.

**Wanted:** one 18.4-38 R2 rear tractor tire, Good year or Goodrich with 75% or more. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

# TRAILERS, WAGONS & EQUIPMENT

24' X 7' gooseneck, low-boy trailer, double 7000lbs. axle w/electric brakes, (4)-new 16" 10-ply tires w/spare, 3"X4"1/4 angle-iron rails, also 3"X4"1/4 angle-iron cross members, on 1'center, treated floor, barn kept, built by Kearney Trailer Co, heavy duty, like new, clear title, \$7000/OBO. Rowland Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-599-2021

**(4)-wheel** pull type wagon, \$450; homemade 2-axle trailer, 18' long, \$350. Ricky Junea, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-0697.



### **CERTIFIED DELICIOUS RECIPES**



### **PASTALAYA**

Submitted by Panola Pepper

### **Ingredients:**

- 1 package smoked Andouille sausage
- 2 grilled chicken breasts (or ½ rotisserie chicken)
- 1 onion, chopped
- green bell pepper, chopped 1
- orange/yellow bell pepper 1
- 3 cloves of garlic, minced
- stick of butter
- 3 cups heavy cream, warmed
- 1/2 bottle Panola Gourmet Pepper Sauce
- 2 teaspoons oregano
- 8 ounces penne pastsa

Salt and pepper to taste

ounces Tasso (optional)

#### **Instructions:**

Grill chicken and set aside. Brown sausage and Tasso. Set aside. Melt butter in the skillet and sauté the onions and bell peppers at medium heat. Once onion mix is tender, add 1 cup of cream and stir. Lower the heat and add another cup of cream. Add all seasonings and continue to stir. Let simmer 3-4 minutes then stir in ½ cup cream. Add pasta and last ½ cup cream. Simmer a few minutes to thicken and serve. Top with Parmesan cheese.

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### **ROASTED GARLIC POTATOES AND** SAUSAGE

Submitted by Richard's Cajun Foods

### **Ingredients:**

- 12 ounce package of Richard's Pork Smoked Sausage
- pound baby red potatoes
- 8 ounces petite baby carrots
- 1 teaspoon of each dried basil, dried thyme, dried oregano, and paprika
- teaspoon onion powder

Salt and cracked pepper

- 1/4 cup olive oil separated
- 8 ounces asparagus
- 1/2 large yellow onion
- 1 tablespoon garlic, minced
- cup freshly grated Parmesan

Fresh parsley (optional)

### **Instructions:**

Preheat the oven to 400 degrees F. Line a very large sheet pan with parchment paper or foil for easier clean-up (optional). Halve the baby red potatoes. In a small bowl, mix together all of the seasonings: the dried basil, thyme, oregano, paprika, onion powder, and salt and pepper. Place the halved red potatoes and baby carrots on the sheet pan. Pour 2 tablespoons olive oil and half of the seasoning mix on top. Toss to combine and place in the oven for 20 minutes. Meanwhile, prepare the asparagus by trimming the ends and cutting into 2 inch pieces. Thinly slice the yellow onion. Coin the Richard's Smoked Sausage. Remove the potatoes and carrots from the oven and using a spatula push them to one side of the pan. On the other side add in the chopped asparagus, sliced onion, Richard's Smoked Sausage, and minced garlic. Add the remaining 2 tablespoons olive oil and remaining seasoning mix. Toss to combine and then toss those ingredients with the potatoes and carrots. Bake for another 10-15 minutes or until veggies are roasted to your desired preference. Top the dish with freshly grated parmesan and fresh parsley as desired. Enjoy immediately.

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# PECAN PARMESAN CRUSTED CHICKEN

Submitted by Sugar Land Pecan

### **Ingredients:**

Pecan parmesan Chicken:

- 4 boneless, skinless chicken breasts
- 1 cup all-purpose flour
- 2 large eggs
- 1½ cups Sugarland Pecan pieces
- ½ cup grated Parmesan Cheese
- 1 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1 teaspoon onion powder
- 1 teaspoon Italian seasoning
- ½ cup canola oil

Kosher salt and pepper

Lemon Basil Butter:

- 4 tablespoons unsalted butter
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1 tablespoon shallot, minced
- 3 tablespoons lemon juice
- 2 tablespoons basil, chopped

Kosher salt and pepper

#### **Instructions:**

Preheat oven to 350 degrees F. Lightly grease a baking sheet with canola oil. Place the chicken breasts between two pieces of plastic wrap. Using a meat tenderizer, pound each breast until it is ½ inch thick. Heat canola oil in a large cast iron pan over medium heat. Prepare your dredging station by adding the all-purpose flour and a generous pinch of kosher salt and black pepper to a shallow bowl. To the second shallow bowl, add the eggs; slightly beat using a fork. In a third shallow bowl, combine chopped pecans, Parmesan cheese, garlic powder, onion powder, Italian seasoning, 1 teaspoon kosher salt, and ½ teaspoon black pepper. Dip each breast in the flour mixture until lightly coated on both sides, then in the egg mixture, allowing the excess to drip off. Finally, dip each breast in the pecan mixture, pressing the mixture onto each side of the breast. Make sure each breast is thoroughly coated. Gently place chicken in hot oil. Cook on each side for 3-4 minutes, or until golden brown. Season with a pinch of kosher salt immediately after flipping, and do the same on the other side after you remove the breasts from the hot oil and transfer them to the prepared baking sheet. Bake for 15 minutes, or until the internal temperature reads 165 degrees F on an instant-read thermometer. While the breasts are in the oven, make the lemon basil butter by melting the butter in a small saucepan over medium-low heat. Add the garlic and shallot and allow to cook, stirring often, for 3-4 minutes, or until the shallot is soft and the garlic is fragrant. Whisk in the lemon juice and allow the mixture to cook for an additional minute. Stir in the basil. Season with salt and pepper to taste. Allow the breasts to rest for 5 minutes. Serve with the lemon basil butter.

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**24' gooseneck** flat-bed, triple-axle, excellent shape, \$2250. Donnie Burley, Monterey, Concordia Parish; 318-201-6955.

**6'x14'** single axle, pull type trailer, metal floor, rails, equip with atlas air compressor, gas engine, air tank and tool box, \$3200. Pat Fusilier, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-230-9455.

**(2)-heavy** duty trailer axles for mobile home, \$250/1; 1991 Firebird for parts and V-8 motor w/ transmission. Shelia Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-789-0699.

**16' double** axle trailer w/ ramp, \$1500; 1991 Jeep Wrangler w/350 Chevy motor, \$5900. Shelia Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-789-0699.

**Wanted:** in search of an old horse drawn plow, fair to good condition. Matt Wagner, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-507-7719.

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**Handmade rag** baby quilts, flannel material, frayed edges, size 43" x 48" for \$60 and 39" x 43" for \$50, designs for boys and girls. Dianne Thompson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 318-229-9611.

# CRAFTS & WOODWORK

**Wooden Armadillo** trap, \$40. Don Sayes, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-445-0600.

Ceramic Kiln paragon ceramic molds; portable speed binder, model PBL; Sewing machine peda type, the free model #877095, antique. Shirley Lacaze, Natchitoches, Natchitoches Parish; 318-540-7167.

**Taxidermy duck**/goose mounting supplies, (2) full containers, foam bodies, eyes, wire, etc., \$100/all. Russell Gautreaux, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-335-7834.

Antique hall & Browne wood planer blade sharpener, 32" automatic deck, line drive, no motor, 19" grind stone, babbit bearings, heavy duty, \$1100. John Hebert, Erath, Vermilion Parish; 337-517-3723.

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Corley 55 in.-6" feed, sawmill, hyd., log turner, edger, 671-6M motor, will cut 22 ft logs, \$8500. Stephan Mayeaux, Hamburg, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-3583.

**Approx.** 4000' of 1"x12", 2"x4", 2"x6", lumber for sale, \$1000/ thousand board feet, some white oak for sale @ \$1000/per thousand board feet. G Denton, Jena, La Salle Parish; 318-992-4504.

**8"x8"x10"** post, cypress, \$150/1; portable sawmill service, .30 cents/board ft or depends on job. Donald Armond, Krotz Springs, St. Landry Parish; 337-592-0505.

Eastern Red cedar, live edge full 2"thick X 12"wide X 9'length, \$30/board. Freddie Gruner, Minden, Webster Parish; 318-377-

**Old Tin** roof. salvaged, call for price. Kenneth Petry, Gueydan, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-6841.

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**JD 6000,** 16-row, hi-boy sprayer, 60-ft boom, w/cab AC, \$8000. Stephan Mayeaux, Hamburg, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-3583.

Wilson Hopper bottom, 40-ft, AL grain trailer, new tarp, \$12500. Stephan Mayeaux, Hamburg, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-3583.

**Round baler**, trailer hauler, will pick up and unload (12) 4'-5' round bales, \$1500. Stephan Mayeaux, Hamburg, Avoyelles Parish: 318-359-3583.

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**New cage** for rabbits, chickens, or quail, 30"X6'X5'tall, sheet metal top and sides, 1"X1/2" wire floor, treated lumber on sides; Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-789-5478.

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**Squeeze chute** (Manuel) for sale in Kaplan, \$1000. Russell Richard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-7046.

Metal troughs, all sizes available in Kaplan. Russell Richard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-7046.

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**Portable dog** pens, different sizes, chain link fencing, \$125-\$175. Shelia Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-789-0699.

**Factory-built** portable animal 3'x4'x6' steel & wire cage, excel. cond., \$425. Bobby Gene Denton, Jena, La Salle Parish; 318-992-4504.

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Calf Squeeze chute, \$400; Diesel welding machine, 2-71, Detroit Diesel engine, \$1000. Lester Fournier, Gray, Terrebonne Parish; 985-856-3406.

**Tire-LT** 275x70x18 Mickey Thomson, 75% 10PLY, \$100. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

Wanted: good used calf creep feeder, also used cattle panels in good condition. Elmo Doyle, Oakdale, Rapides Parish; 318-335-8360.

**Wanted:** (1)-inch sucker rods for fencing. Chuck Evans, Longville, Beauregard Parish; 985-696-1957.

# FARM BUILDINGS FOR SALVAGE

(20) trusses 28-ft span, 4' high, 2X6 construction, \$75/each. Larry Granier, Clinton, East Feliciana Parish; 225-301-7133.

Vintage Cypress house to be torn down, make offer. Mac Boquet, Bourg, Terrebonne Parish; 985-594-7623.

**Old farm**house for sale to be moved, damaged from storm, already gutted, ready to rebuild, 875 sq. ft., \$1500. Ryland, Hayes, Calcasieu Parish; 337-452-9490.

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Okra cutter/ slicer, 14-blade, \$250; 18-blade, \$325, may be used also to cut fresh cut yellow onions, onion tops, parsley, many types of hot peppers. Harry Smith, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-662-3610 or cell 337-277-3866

**Used Canning** jars for sale, (just jars only), \$3/dozen. W.J. Landry, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-824-5907.

**20-ft** container, \$3400; 40-ft container, \$5900. H. Leblanc, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-717-9151.

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Large red worms \$60/1-lb plus shipping; high bred red worms \$50/1-lb plus shipping. Godfred Schexnayder, Labadieville, Assumption Parish; 985-859-8230.

Live beef (lean), meat butcher calves, grass, hay, & 30% protein, \$1.25/#, local processors available. Herdis Neil, Montegut, Terrebonne Parish; 985-790-5847

**Wanted:** Used propane tanks. Bobby Gene Denton, Jena, La Salle Parish; 318-992-4504.

**Wanted:** vegetable plants, starter plants (tomatoes). Jim Smith, Stonewall, DeSoto Parish; 318-218-9690.

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2007 Durango 5<sup>th</sup>-wheel camper, 36'-triple slide, fair condition, perfect for deer or duck camp, \$7000. Brian Broussard, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-400-336.

Wanted: Vintage cast iron pots, pans, lids etc. Lyle Brignac, Washington, St. Landry Parish; 337-351-0836.

Wanted: good cond., 14' or 16' white cargo utility trailer or small camper, prev. 20' or 21'. Lynn Oliver, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-654-7657.

### **ATVS**

(2)-25X900-12 Terra Hawk tires, new; (2)-25X1100-12 Terra Hawk tires, new, \$200 for all 4. Glenn Ganey, Trout, LaSalle Parish; 318-316-1400.

Motor sport 500 for parts or work on, has winch. Randy Turner, Boyce, Rapides Parish; 318-787-5860.

Wanted: JD Gator ATV for parts, running or not. Thomas Berry, Denham Springs, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-665-2403.

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Remington Model 1100 automatic shotgun, in excellent condition, asking \$1200. Robert Cabra, Glenmora, Rapides Parish; 318-729-3500.

Winchester pump 12-guage, model 97, 28"full, shoots very well, 80% blueing, \$500. Louis Poche, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-452-4197.

TriStar Viper G-2, semi auto, shotgun, 3 ½ inch chamber, camo finish, 26" barrel, like new, \$750. M. L. Towns, Arcadia, Bienville Parish; 318-548-8500.

30/06 Rem mod 6, \$400: 30/30 Marlin 336, \$500; 10 gua dbl. bl.

### **USDA** extends emergency loans for producers in all Louisiana parishes recovering form droughts

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w/ammo, \$900; 45 lc. Pistol, w/ammo & holster, \$700; 12 gua. Riot gun w/extras, \$400; AR-15 w/extras/mags & ammo, \$650. S.Webb, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-254-2265.

Jap 7.7 ammo type 92 mg., brass feed stripper plate, (30) rds. in original box, (2) boxes avail., cash or cert. check only, never opened, \$100/1 firm. Robert McManus, Iota, Acadia Parish: 337-305-1904.

Wanted: vintage/old Daisy model 25 BB gun in working condition; Benjamin pump air rifles and pistols, pay \$75 broken or working. Russell Gautreaux, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish: 225-335-7834.

### **BOATS**

Jet Boat Rush XP, nice, \$2000, neg. Thomas Berry, Denham Springs, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-665-2403.

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Honey Do Farms offering Western lessons, ages 4 & up, we supply everything, summer camps birthday parties. Schexnayder, Church Point, St. Landry Parish; 337-668-4777 or 337-316-4619.

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To view the notices, visit USDA Designates Louisiana Parishes Commissioner Mike Strain, Primary Natural Disaster Designates Two Louisiana Parishes as Primary Natural Disaster Areas.

To contact your local FSA office, visit USDA Service Center Locator.

More Resources

farmers.gov, the Disaster Assistance Discovery Tool. Disaster Assistance-at-a-Glance fact sheet, and Farm Loan Discovery Tool can help you determine program or loan options. To file a Notice of Loss or to ask questions about available programs, contact your local USDA Service Center.

### **LDAF Foresters join Beekman Charter** School for their annual Ag Day

Tuesday, May 17, Beekman Charter School in Morehouse Parish held their annual Ag Day for grades K-12. The LDAF District 2 forestry employees helped teach the students about wildland firefighters and how they assist with fires in the parish and across the entire state of Louisiana. Pictured is unit forester Robert Harris and Crew Leader Donald Goodwin.







### USDA to Provide Payments to Livestock Producers Impacted by Drought, Wildfire

The U.S Department of Agriculture (USDA) today announced that ranchers who have approved applications through the 2021 Livestock Forage Disaster Program (LFP) for forage losses due to severe drought or wildfire in 2021 will soon begin receiving emergency relief payments for increases in supplemental feed costs in 2021 through the Farm Service Agency's (FSA) new Emergency Livestock Relief Program (ELRP).

### **Background**

On September 30, 2021, President Biden signed into law the Extending Government Funding and Delivering Emergency Assistance Act (P.L. 117-43). This Act includes \$10 billion in assistance to agricultural producers impacted by wildfires, droughts, hurricanes, winter storms and other eligible disasters experienced during calendar years 2020 and 2021. Additionally, the Act specifically targets \$750 million to provide assistance to livestock producers for losses incurred due to drought or wildfires in calendar year 2021. ELRP is part of FSA's implementation of the Act.

For impacted ranchers, USDA will leverage LFP data to deliver immediate relief for increases in supplemental feed costs in 2021. LFP is an important tool that provides up to 60% of the estimated replacement feed cost when an eligible drought adversely impacts grazing lands or 50% of the monthly feed cost for the number of days the producer is

prohibited from grazing the managed rangeland because of a qualifying wildfire.

FSA received more than 100,000 applications totaling nearly \$670 million in payments to livestock producers under LFP for the 2021 program year.

Congress recognized requests for assistance beyond this existing program and provided specific funding for disaster-impacted livestock producers in 2021.

### Emergency Relief Program (ERP) Assistance for Crop Producers

FSA is developing a two-phased process to provide assistance to diversified, row crop and specialty crop operations that were impacted by an eligible natural disaster event in calendar years 2020 or 2021.

This program will provide assistance to crop producers and will follow a two-phased process similar to that of the livestock assistance with implementation of the first phase in the coming weeks. Phase one of the crop assistance program delivery will leverage existing Federal Crop Insurance or Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program data as the basis for calculating initial payments.

Making the initial payments using existing safety net and risk management data will both speed implementation and further encourage participation in these permanent programs, including the Pasture, Rangeland, Forage Rainfall

Index Crop Insurance Program, as ELRP emergency relief benefits Congress intended. Which are only applicable for eligi-

The second phase of the crop program will be intended to fill additional assistance gaps and cover eligible producers who did not participate in existing risk management programs.

Through proactive communication and outreach, USDA will keep producers and stakeholders informed as ERP implementation details are made available.

### Additional Livestock Drought Assistance

Due to the persistent drought conditions in the Great Plains and West, FSA will be offering additional relief through the Emergency Assistance for Livestock, Honeybees and Farm-raised Fish Program (ELAP) to help ranchers cover above normal costs of hauling livestock to forage. This policy enhancement complements previously announced ELAP compensation for hauling feed to livestock. Soon after FSA announced the assistance for hauling feed to livestock, stakeholders were quick to point out that producers also were hauling the livestock to the feed source as well and encouraged this additional flexibility.

It is important to note that, unlike their crop insurance agent.

ELRP emergency relief benefits which are only applicable for eligible losses incurred in the 2021 calendar year, this ELAP livestock and feed hauling compensation will not only be retroactive for 2021 but will also be available for losses in 2022 and subsequent years.

To calculate ELAP program benefits, an online tool is currently available to help producers document and estimate payments to cover feed transportation cost increases caused by drought and will soon be updated to assist producers with calculations associated with drought related costs incurred for hauling livestock to forage.

#### **More Information**

Additional USDA disaster assistance information can be found on farmers.gov, including USDA resources specifically for producer impacted by drought and wildfire and the Disaster Assistance Discovery Tool, Disaster-at-a-Glance fact sheet (PDF, 1.5 MB), and Farm Loan Discovery Tool. For FSA and Natural Resources Conservation Service programs, producers should contact their local USDA Service Center. For assistance with a crop insurance claim, producers and landowners should contact their crop insurance agent.

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To contact your local FSA office, visit USDA Service Center Locator.

### **More Resources**

On farmers.gov, the Disaster Assistance Discovery Tool, Disaster Assistance-at-a-Glance fact sheet, and Farm Loan Discovery Tool can help you determine program or loan options. To file a Notice of Loss or to ask questions about available programs, contact your local USDA Service Center.



### Mississippi man arrested for Theft of Livestock in West Carroll Parish

A Mississippi man was arrested on April 14 by agents with the Mississippi Department of Agriculture in Copiah County, Mississippi. The arrest resulted from a warrant issued by West Carroll Parish regarding an investigation conducted by the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry's (LDAF) Livestock Brand Commission (LBC).

Thirty-four-year-old John Colter Pyron of Hazlehurst, MS, was arrested in Copiah County, MS, on a

warrant for theft of livestock. The investigation led by the Livestock Brand Commission determined that Pyron received a horse from an owner in Louisiana and agreed to sell the horse on behalf of the owner for a set price in September of 2021. The investigation revealed that Pyron sold the horse to an individual in South Carolina but never made proper payment to the owner he was representing in the sale. The acquisition of the livestock and failure to render

proper payment is a violation of R.S.14:67.1 (Theft of Livestock).

"Louisiana law is specific when dealing with the purchase of livestock and protects livestock owners from persons not complying with proper payment," said LDAF Commissioner Mike Strain, D.V.M. "When a suspect does not return the livestock or fails to pay for it, it becomes a crime and a violation of the theft of livestock statute."

The Livestock Brand Commis-

sion was assisted in this investigation by the Mississippi Department of Agriculture and the West Carroll Parish Sheriff's Depart-

At this time, Pyron has waived extradition and is booked in the West Carroll Parish Jail. A bond amount has been set at \$5,000.00.

The Livestock Brand Commission maintains a 24-hour Crimestoppers hotline at (800) 558-9741 for the public to report thefts.

### The Antique Tractor, Engine & Truck State Show was a success

Forestry's Commissioner Mike Strain DVM had a great time at the International Harvesters -La Chapter 31's 20th Annual Antique Tractor,

The Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Engine & Truck State Show at the Washington others on display. Parish Fairgrounds in Franklinton.

bished 1962 Cub Lo-Boy and admired all the

Ben's Ford Christian School's newly formed He and his brother showcased their refur- FFA class students were also in attendance. It was a great event.











### USDA Announces Availability of Low-Interest Physical Loss Loans for Producers Affected by Severe Storms and Tornadoes

The USDA issued a Stakeholder Notification designating 9 Texas counties as primary eligibility areas for low-interest physical loss loans due to severe storms and tornadoes between March 21st and March 30th. Two Louisiana parishes. Caddo and De Soto, are eligible as contiguous areas.

Physical loss loans can help producers repair or replace damaged or destroyed physical property essential to the success of the agricultural operation, including livestock losses. Examples of property commonly affected include essential farm buildings, fixtures to real estate, equipment, livestock, perennial crops, fruit and nut bearing trees and harvested or stored crops and hay.

Triggering Disaster Event: Severe storms and tornadoes that occurred March 21, 2022, through March 30, 2022.

Application Deadline: Dec 12, 2022

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## **NAAA Cautions Drones-UAs Not** To Interfere With Low-Altitude **Manned Ag Aircraft**

As the nation enters the upcom- and high visibility marking. ing growing season, the National Agricultural Aviation Association (NAAA) is asking all drones-unmanned aircraft (UA) operators to be mindful of low-altitude manned agricultural aircraft operations.

Agricultural aviators treat 127 million acres of cropland in the United States each year and perform a variety of services that help farmers increase productivity and protect their crops.

"With Russia's invasion of Ukraine restricting a huge portion of the world's food supply, we cannot afford even a small disruption in the nation's food supply chain," NAAA CEO Andrew Moore said, "Agricultural aviators deliver nutrients, seeds and crop protection products to crops that will become consumers' food and fiber supply in the U.S. and around the world.

"Their work cannot be delayed because of an unmanned aircraft not yielding to them, as is required by law. 2021 was a big year for aerial applicators, and we expect demand for aerial application services to be even higher in 2022."

Agricultural aviators fly as low as 10 feet off the ground, meaning they share airspace with UAs that are restricted to flying no more than 400 feet above ground level. For this reason, NAAA urges UA operators to do everything they can to avoid ag aircraft doing important low-altitude work.

#### Recommendations For **Drones-Unmanned Aircraft**

NAAA recommends that unmanned aircraft operators:

Give the right of way to a manned aircraft. It's the law.

Equip drones with tracking technology, such as ADS-B In, so you will know ADS-B Out-equipped manned aircraft positions.

Get certified and well-trained in operating an unmanned aircraft.

Contact local agricultural aviation operations before flying by consulting AgAviation.org/findappli-

Equip UAs with visible strobe lights

Land your unmanned aircraft immediately when a low-flying aircraft is

Carry UA liability insurance.

#### **Compare Drone And Bird Collisions**

Small UAs can be virtually invisible and potentially lethal—to agricultural aviators, air ambulance helicopters, law enforcement and other low-flying manned aircraft operating in the same airspace.

In a test conducted by the Colorado Agricultural Aviation Association and other stakeholders, including manned and unmanned aircraft organizations, and the state of Colorado, no pilot operating a manned aircraft could continuously visually track a 28-inch-wide drone when flying at regular speeds.

While they might be spotted for a second, UAs are not constantly visible to pilots, meaning it is up to the drone operator to avoid a collision.

When birds hit an ag aircraft, they can break through an aircraft's windshield, causing deadly accidents. A study conducted by the Alliance for System Safety of UAS through Research Excellence (ASSURE) showed UA collisions with aircraft cause more damage than a bird strike of comparable size would. This is due partially to unmanned aircraft's dense motors and batteries, as opposed to a bird made mostly of water, feathers, hollow bones and sinew.

### Please Be Responsible

At this moment when we're all depending on the continued safe, affordable and abundant supply of food, fiber and bioenergy, don't forget America's agricultural aviators are working in the skies to help farmers produce their

Manned ag aircraft are also flying at low altitudes to combat fires and conduct public health applications to eradicate disease-carrying mosquitoes and other deadly pests. If you're going to fly an unmanned aircraft this summer, please be responsible and do everything you can to avoid agricultural aircraft.

Learn more at AgAviation.org/ uavsafetycampaign and Knowbeforeyoufly.org.

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legislations recommended that states establish individual aquaculture plans to coordinate state and federal efforts in aquaculture development.

Congress put into effect the final draft of the national plan in 1983. Today, USDA is the lead agency for aquaculture at the federal level, but the Department of Commerce, through its Sea Grant program, is also a major player in aquaculture research and extension. Coordination of aquaculture activities among various federal agencies occurs through the Joint Subcommittee on Aquaculture.

Today, the NOAA reports that Louisiana is already the nation's second-largest seafood supplier. The shrimp industry accounts for Louisiana seafood businesses are primarily comprised of intergenerational family businesses. Like Mr. Tillman, some can trace their family involvement in the seafood industry back four or five generations. Brud Tillman has been a commercial fisherman since he was 14 years old. He is a 4th generation commercial fisherman and has a passion for catching the finest and freshest Louisiana seafood.

Pride of occupation, self-reliance, and adaptation to adversity are central to the culture and heritage of Louisiana fishing families. Generations of Louisiana fishermen have weathered hurricanes that have destroyed entire coastal communities, as well as economic downturns that shuttered businesses



The crabs are caught, sorted, and distributed the same day ensuring consumers are getting the freshest Louisiana products.

15,000 jobs and an annual impact of \$1.3 billion for Louisiana. Crabs from Louisiana generate an annual economic impact of \$293 million and more than 3,000 jobs. The seafood industry in Louisiana has an economic impact of over \$2.4 billion annually, and with the rise in demand worldwide, Louisiana's aquaculture industry has the potential to grow exponentially.

The state's seafood industry has a strong legacy of providing an incredible array of superior-quality seafood to restaurants and homes. For the dedicated fishermen who work Louisiana's waters, seeking out their catch is a craft that's been generations in the making. Most

and forced community members to find work elsewhere. Fishing families have all faced these challenges in addition to the harsh, day-to-day conditions of living and working on the water. This long history of resilience and adaptation has been passed down through family storytelling and is the source of intense pride in their culture, sense of place, and occupation.

"These people are resilient. They are independent. They work hard. They want to build their lives here. They want to live here and raise their families here," said LDAF Commissioner Mike Strain, DVM. "My grandfather was a commercial crabber after he retired from the



Tillman's seafood runs 1,000 of their own traps as well as buys from fishermen all along the Gulf Coast.

state police. I can remember him making us 'spider sandwiches.' Of course, that was just a nickname for a softshell crab po'boy. Visiting with the Tillmans brings back a lot of fond memories."

Louisiana's coastal seafood industry is complex. It is composed of harvesters, docks, processors, distributors, retailers, and restaurants that deal with four major categories of species: shrimp, crab, oysters, and finfish. You'll see many operations harvest, process, and/or distribute multiple species based on price, availability, and demand.

The industry struggles to survive devastating hurricanes, adapt to supply chain disruptions and the reduction in demand for seafood caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, as well as the increase in costs to run the businesses across the board.

"Hurricane Ida did a lot of damage here in Chauvin. We had a lot of fishermen who lost a lot of their crab traps. We had fisherman lose boats as well as their homes. We have a lot of fishermen just now getting back to work almost a year later," said Lisa Tillman. "The increase in costs has been really damaging as well. Fishermen are now looking at double the price on almost everything. A single crab trap is \$45 before putting a cork or rope on it. Crab bait costs are up. Fuel costs are up. It's damaging to have all these increases when you are trying to recover from a disaster."

The industry also has to compete against increasing amounts of cheap foreign seafood imports. Despite Louisiana seafood being a premium, wild-caught, domestic

product, it is often not treated as such due to packaging that fails to distinguish it from commodity competitors. This is where the Certified Program can help.

The Certified Louisiana logo program includes Certified Louisiana, Certified Cajun, Certified Creole, Certified Craft Beverage, and Certified Farm to Table. The logo program was established by the LDAF for the promotion of Louisiana-made, grown, manufactured, or processed products that are aimed at enhancing and promoting Louisiana's agricultural industry. The logo aids in marketing these products to consumers for farmers, processors, producers, and suppliers alike. With the recognition of the Certified logos, buyers can help support their local homegrown companies.

"Being Certified Louisiana is very valuable to us. When people see the logo, they know that our seafood is truly from us, not imported," said Lisa. "You know you are getting products straight from the waters of Louisiana right here from our local fishermen."

In order for a product to be eligible for inclusion in the Certified Louisiana logo program, the product must be made, grown, manufactured, processed, produced, or substantially transformed in the state of Louisiana. The LDAF has sole discretion to determine whether an agricultural product or agritourism activity is eligible to be labeled with one of the certified logos. In addition, a company must possess and be in compliance with all other applicable state and federal permits, licenses, and laws.

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you are going to get. All you've got to do is look in this boat to see how fresh these crabs are, and they'll be sorted and distributed today," remarked Commissioner Strain. "When you buy local and shop local, the dollars grow locally."

Crawfish Tales highlights what the Certified Program is all about...the wonderful people of Louisiana and the quality products they produce. The program also reminds us that when we shop Certified Louisiana, we are getting some of the most unique, flavorful ingredients in the world.

"When people come to Louisiana, they want a taste of Louisiana. This is it right here," noted Commissioner Strain.

Does anyone feel like having fresh crabs for dinner tonight? Visit www.louisianadirectseafood.com to learn more about Certified Louisiana members Brud & Lisa Tillman and how you can get some fresh seafood right off their boat.

For more information, visit https://certifiedlouisiana.org/. Be sure to follow Certified Louisiana on Facebook, https:// www.facebook.com/CertifiedLouisiana. to learn more about the products and unique ways to use them.

### POULTRY SALES & SHOWS

Hammond Poultry Swap will be held 1st Sat. of the month at Tractor Supply on Florida Blvd. Only healthy animals. For more information, call Jenna at 225-439-9024.

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 info, call Daniel at 225-665-9042.

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 info call Larry at 337-945-2804.

Reeves Auction and Livestock every 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month at 3 p.m. Located at 9271 Hwy 190 in Ragley. Includes general merchandise and poultry. For more information, call Danny Reeves at 337-309-9679.

### **BIRD EVENTS**

Acadiana Bird Fair will be held Sept. 24-25, 2022, at the District Event Center, 4607 Johnston St., Lafayette. Admission is \$5 for adults and children under 6-years old enter free. For more information, call 337-212-6581 or visit www. acadianabirdclubinc.com.





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<u>DeRidder Office – Forestry only</u> 337-463-7801

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## HORSE EVENTS

**Bogalusa Cow Sorting** For more info, call Troy Crain at 985-516-7507 or Blake Chiasson at 985-285-0892 or email sorting@3DOTS.us.

**Cotton Country Open Horse Show Assoc**. All shows are held at the Northeast Louisiana Exhibition Center on Hwy 33 in Ruston. For more information, visit the website at www.ccohsa.com.

Deep South Stock Horse Show Association All shows are held at the covered Clinton Arena in Clinton, La. Show dates for the rest of 2022 are June 18, August 20, September 10, October 8, November 5. All shows begin at 9 A.M. For more information visit www.dsshsa.org or find us on Facebook or Instagram. Email: dsshsa@gmail.com

**Jeff Davis Riders Club** All shows are held at the Crowley Rice Arena and begin at 9 a.m. unless otherwise noted. For more information, call Cathy Meche at 337-526-2281 or visit www.jeffdavisridersclub.org.

**Louisiana Little Britches rodeo** All events are held at the West Cal Arena unless otherwise noted.

For more information, go to http://lalbra.weebly.com or email lalbra@yahoo.com.

**Louisiana Stock Horse Association** All shows will start at 9:00 A.M. each day.

June 4, 2022, at the Rice Arena, Crowley, LA (Double Point Show)

June 25, 2022, at the Beauregard Parish Arena, Deridder, LA

For more information, visit www.louisianastock-horse.com or by calling 337-208-2336.

**Livingston Horse Show Assoc**. All shows are held at South Park Arena in Denham Springs unless otherwise noted. For more information, visit www. livingstonhorseshow.weebly.com or call 985-507-0605

Tiger Lake Livestock's 1st Annual Horse & Tack Sale. Tack sale begins at 2 p.m. and horse sale at 5 p.m.

Saturday, June 11th, at 8745 Hwy 1, Mansura, LA. For more information, call Guy Milazzo at 318-451-8150 or Kevin Maddox at 318-572-0070.

### ADVERTISING EVENTS IN THE LOUISIANA 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 Fax: 225-923-4828.

## LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS

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### **Kinder Livestock**

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1462 Airline Hwy. Baton Rouge 225-356-5203 Monday

Amite Livestock Co. 58449 Hwy. 51

Amite 985-748-8636 www.cattleusa.com Tuesday/Saturday

### **Dominique Stockyard**

2800 W. Landry Street Opelousas 337-942-5661 Tuesday

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Wednesday

# Delhi Livestock Auction

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### **Assumption Parish Ag Complex & Arena**

119 Robin St.
Napoleonville
www.assumptionla.com/AgComplex

### **Bogalusa Community Arena**

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### **Clinton Covered Arena**

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57056 N. Cooper Road Loranger 985-878-6868 www.sweetwater-campground.com

### **Terrebonne Livestock**

Agricultural Fair Assoc. Arena 221 Moffet Rd. Houma 985-665-1005 www.terrebonne-livestock.org

### **Texas Longhorn Rodeo**

Arena, 3274 Hwy. 109 S. Vinton 337-589-5647

### Want to list your arena? Send the info to

marketbulletin@ldaf.la.gov or

Fax 225-923-4828

# SARDI set to host a **Mental Health Forum** on May 25

Institute (SARDI) will host a Mental Health Forum from 9:30 a.m. - 11 a.m. on May 24 at their location, 1209 Diesi Street, in Opelousas, La.

During the event, participants will join in a discussion on mental health as it pertains to the community.

To register for the free forum, click here.

May is Mental Health Aware-

The Sustainable Agricultur- ness Month. Hospitals and al Research and Development mental health organizations observe this month as a time to raise awareness of those living with mental or behavioral health issues and to help reduce the stigma, provide support, educate the public, and advocate for policies that support people with mental illnesses and their families.

> For additional information. contact Stacey Nevills, FCS/ Extension Agent at stacey\_ nevills@suagcenter.com.



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Farm Succession, Financial Management, and Disaster Preparedness.

Some of the most common mental health concerns include stress, depression, anxiety, and suicide. However, many other mood disorders and mental health conditions may affect farm and ranch families. It is imperative that you check in with yourself. As you check in on the farm, family, and friends, remember that caring for yourself is equally as important.

"Don't forget that your physical health impacts your mental health. Be sure to take care of yourself physically to help lower stress," said Commissioner Strain. "It's equally as important to focus on the positives in your life as well. Take time out to foster the connections you have with loved ones. And always remember, it's ok to ask for help. After all, we're stronger together."

In addition to LDAF's Stay Rooted Louisiana, a wide variety of other farm-related organizations are developing resources to help farm families:

Farm Crisis Center - National Farmers Union - Identifies national and local resources for farmers, including information on mediation and natural disaster resources.

Farm Aid Resource Guide for Farm Crisis Support - Farm Aid - Identifies resources related to disaster response, legal needs, mental health, and more.

Farmer Resource Network Online Directory - Farm Aid - Directory of over 750 organizations that help farmers with crisis assistance, legal help, financial counseling, and

Farm State of Mind - American Farm Bureau Federation - Discusses the unique stressors associated with farming, warning signs of stress, steps to help someone at risk, and additional resources for individuals experiencing stress. This site also features a directory of rural mental health resources in every U.S. state and Puerto Rico.

Farm Town Strong American Farm Bureau Federation and the National Farmers Union - An initiative that provides resources about the opioid epidemic to farm families in need.

Mental Health Resources for Farmers and Ranchers -Successful Farming - A collection of articles focused on mental health, stress, depression, and suicide.

If you are in emotional distress or suicidal crisis and need help now, call 1-800-273-8255. You can dial or text 988 to speak to a trained counselor in some areas. 988 has been designated as the new three-digit dialing code that will route callers to the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline. While areas that can currently connect to the Lifeline by dialing 988 may be limited at this time, this dialing code will be available to everyone across the United States starting on July 16, 2022.

When people call, text, or chat 988, they will be connected to trained counselors that are part of the existing National Suicide Prevention Lifeline network. These trained counselors will listen, provide support, and connect them to resources if necessary.

The current Lifeline phone number (1-800-273-8255) will always remain available to people in emotional distress or suicidal crisis, even after 988 is launched nationally.

To learn more about Stay Rooted Louisiana, visit https:// www.ldaf.state.la.us/stay-rooted-louisiana/.

### Louisiana Forestry Educators Tour

Teaching Sustainable Forestry in Environmental Education, the Louisiana Forestry Educators Tour is taking place May 25-27 in Pineville, La. You will meet experts from various natural resource fields during your stay. You will be provided an extraordinary look into forestry management, forest products production, and wildlife conservation. The tour includes visits to private and public forest lands, lumber, and other wood product mills. All lodging, meals, materials, and transportation during the tour are provided FREE by the sponsors of the Teachers Tour. Please return the application by May 9 by mail to: LFA Educators Tour, c/o Gracee Texada, P. O. Box 5067, Alexandria, Louisiana 71307 OR email it to: gtexada@laforestry.com.

### FOODii Informational Seminar

Join us for a step-by-step presentation on how to start a food business, information about joining the LSU AgCenter FOO-Dii, testimonials from successful food companies, and useful business and marketing tips. The FOODii Informational Seminar will be held virtually May 27, 2022, from 11:00AM - 12:30PM. Registration cost is \$30. For any questions, please contact Celika Murphy at CMurphy@agcenter. Isu.edu.

### South Central Katahdin Association Annual Meeting and Private Treaty Sale

South Central Katahdin Assoc (SCKA) welcomes you to our 22nd Annual Meeting and Private Treaty Sale on June 3rd-4th at the Silver Creek Equestrian Center 5025 Bovina Cut Off-Road, Vicksburg, Mississippi. Our speakers this year are Mr. Ely Valdez who attended this year's III International Congress in Jalisco, Mexico, Dr. David Redwine of Virginia Tech, and Dr. Leyla Rios de Alvarez from Miss. State University. The festivities will begin Friday at 3 pm. As always, supper on Friday and lunch on Saturday will be hosted by the board. Everyone is welcome to attend and bring sheep to sale during the Private Treaty Sale. Health certificates will be required.



# India Wood Species Inbound Mission to Maryland, Georgia & Louisiana

Maryland, Georgia & Louisiana August 15-20, 2022

Logs dominate Indian imports, but the share of log imports has come down from 83 percent in 2007 to 48 percent in 2018. A favorable tariff structure has supported log imports, but the poor/inadequate level of processing by domestic sawmills has prompted the Indian trade to import higher volumes of lumber versus logs in recent years. The share of U.S. lumber in total exports to India has risen from 3 percent in 2007 to 42 percent in 2018. Imports of lumber were dominated by shipments of softwoods, mostly coniferous pine species of southern yellow pine, western yellow pine and Douglas fir. Limited domestic supplies, coupled with booming retail furniture, handicraft and hospitality sectors is driving demand for newer species. Still, India remains a long-term prospective market for U.S. forest products, specifically lumber and logs. SUSTA will be bringing key buyers from India to the south to meet with our Southern US Suppliers in Maryland, Georgia and Louisiana.

### **Participation Fee:**

\$8.33 (One-on-one meetings/facility visits in Maryland on August 15<sup>th</sup> – August 16<sup>th</sup>)

\$8.33 (One-on-one meetings/facility visit in Georgia on August 17<sup>th</sup> – August 18<sup>th</sup>)

\$8.33 (One-on-one meetings/facility visit in Louisiana on August 19<sup>th</sup> – August 20<sup>th</sup>)

### **Fee Includes:**

One-on-One Meetings with Buyers from the Indian Market

Registration Deadline: June 15, 2022 (No refunds for cancellation after this date)

Industry Focus: Nursery/Forestry
Product Description: Wood Species

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