## **USDA offers Summer Food Service Program**

There is no reason for children to go hungry in this country. Yet it happens - every day, in every community. About 1 in 10 US children live in a food-insecure household, according to a new report from the CDC's National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS).

Food security is defined as having access to enough food for an active, healthy life at all times. The USDA -Economic Research Service (ERS) reported that a lack of food security, or food insecurity, affected 10.5 percent of all U.S. households in 2020. While this number is mostly unchanged from 2019, households with children, however, experienced statistically significant increases in food insecurity during the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic. In 2020, 14.8 percent of households with children were food-insecure, up from 13.6 percent in 2019. This increase was the first increase since 2011 and disrupted a decade-long downward trend.

Unfortunately, Louisiana suffers from some of the worst rates of child poverty and food insecurity in the nation. Before COVID-19, nearly one in four Louisiana children lived in households that couldn't afford consistent access to nutritious meals, and more than 25% lived in families earning wages below the poverty line (\$25,750 for a family of four in 2019). Food insecurity has only increased in the state since the pandemic.

For those children, free and reduced-price school meals are a key source of nutritious food. Many chil-



dren across the nation receive free or reduced-price breakfast and lunch while school is in session through USDA's School Breakfast and National School Lunch Programs. However, when schools let out for the summer, many of these children are likely to have limited to no access to breakfast and lunch, making summer the hungriest time of the year for many kids. The answer is free summer lunch programs, like the Summer Food Service Program (SFSP), which are run by local schools or community groups.

The Summer Food Service Program, also known as the Summer Meals Program, was established to ensure that children continue to receive nutritious meals when school is not in session. The SFSP is a federally-funded, state-administered program. The SFSP reimburses providers who serve free healthy meals to children and teens in low-income areas during the summer months.

The SFSP is administered on behalf of the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) through the state's education department. The Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry (LDAF) provides the USDA food for this program as well as manages the food storage and distribution. Any child aged 18 or younger, or anyone over the age of 18 who is determined by a state or local educational agency or a local public education agency to be mentally or physically disabled and who participates during the school year in a public or private non-profit school

program established for the mentally or physically disabled, may receive meals through the SFSP.

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"Without this program, many children will go hungry, and that's the bottom line," said the LDAF Commissioner Mike Strain, DVM. "With the USDA, the Department of Education, and the school entities, we all work together to make this program a success."

The program is held in economically disadvantaged areas or neighborhoods and communities in which half of the school children are eligible to receive free or reduced-price meals during the school year. Eligibility may also be determined by census information, via the use of site-level Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) information, or by use of individual eligibility of children.

Over the last five years, there has been a decline in the number of children receiving summer meals in Louisiana, as well as a declining number of sites in the state participating in the program. As a result, Louisiana kids are left with fewer places to find free summer meals. Between the summer of 2015 and the summer of 2019, the number of sites serving summer meals in the state fell by 16.4%. In summer 2019, eight Louisiana parishes lacked any summer meal sites, while others had far fewer sites than needed to serve children living in poverty. Local organizations

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## LOUISIANA AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY TODAY

#### Making Your Land More Resilient to Drought

In 2021. Louisiana received a lot more rain than usual. Seven months out of the year recorded above-average rainfall totals. But October, November, and December were among some of the driest months. From November 2021 to February 2022, Louisiana experienced its second driest period for those four months since 1895, with less than 10 inches of precipitation recorded statewide. That is experiencing at least said, all of Louisiana is or

has recently been in a level of drought.

Drought is a hazard of nature. Unfortunately, it does not announce its arrival like other natural hazards. In fact, many call it a "creeping phenomenon" because what may first appear to be merely a dry spell can only be discerned in hindsight as the early days of a drought.

Currently, the entire state "moderate" drought, according to the U.S. Drought Monitor. Drought classifications are measured in five levels: abnormally dry, moderate drought, severe drought, extreme drought, and exceptional drought. In the "severe drought" stage, grass does not grow, the ground is cracking, grazing forage is lost, trees are stressed, and creek and bayou water levels are low. In the "extreme drought" stage, rice crops become expensive to maintain, soybean yields are reduced, rve growth is stunted, saltwater intrudes into rivers making rivers too salty for irrigation, trees are stressed, and the crawfish population declines. Water pressure may fall, and officials may ask for voluntary water restrictions. Springtime allergies may worsen, and the air quality may drop.

How did we get here? According to NOAA's Regional Services Program's March 2022 Climate Out-



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

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

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

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

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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

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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

Lafayette
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

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#### 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.

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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

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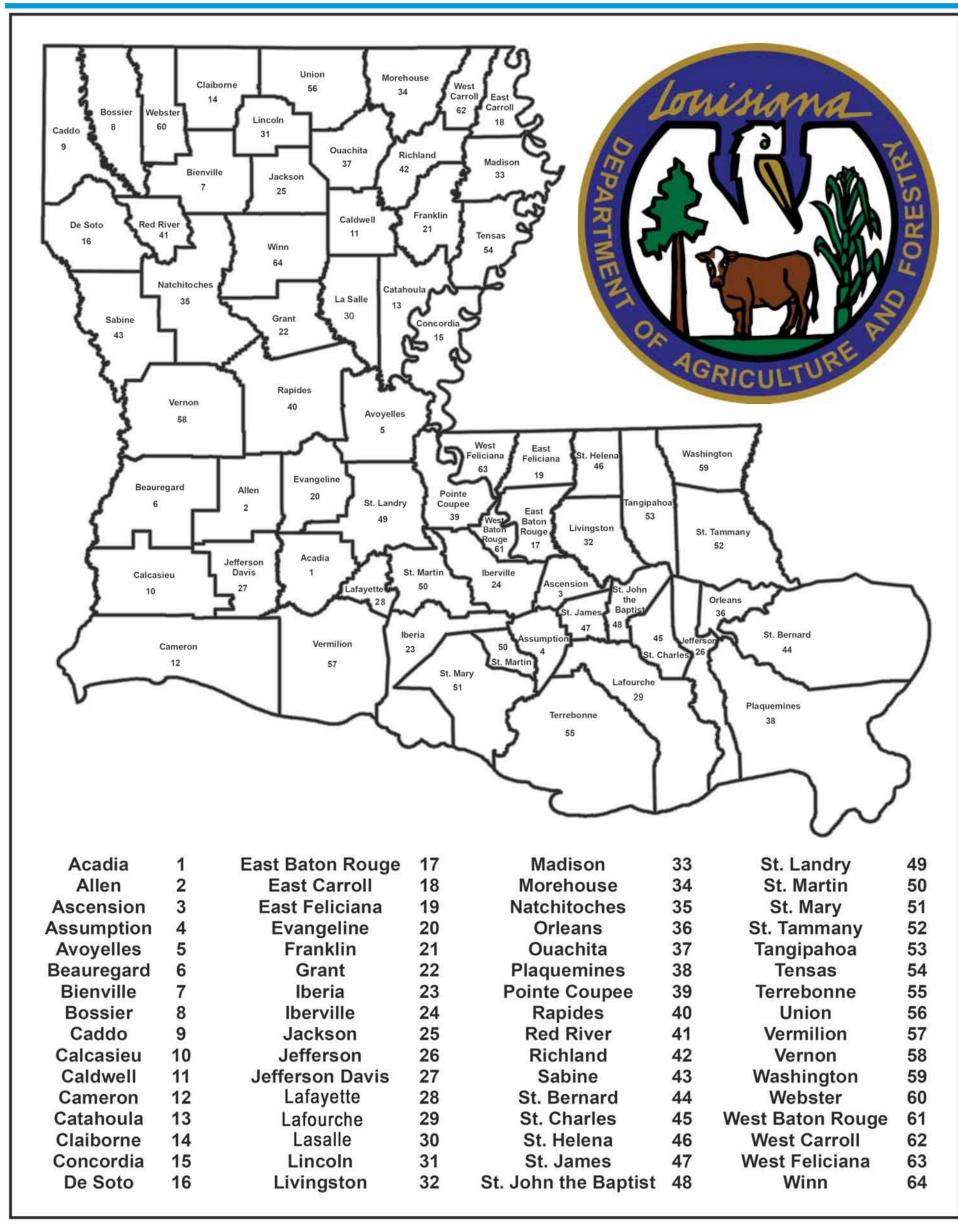
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**Polled Hereford** bull calves, great EPD's, low birth weights, super thick & very gentle, all shots & wormed, 7-20- mos. old, \$1400/1 and up, 2-1/2 yr. old reg. bull, \$5000, delivery available for additional charge. Laura Hughes, Zachary, East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

**Replacement type** heifers for sale Brangus & Angus plus, 16-18 mth old, asking \$1350/head call for pics. Kirk Broussard, Erath, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-6510.

**Grass fed** butcher/ freezer calves for sale, \$2.85/lb. hanging weight.

Kirk Broussard, Erath, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-6510.

**2-years** old char. Bull, \$2000/1; 2-year old Angus bull, \$2000/1; 2-year old Holstein heifer, \$500/1. Gary Lavergne, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-6345.

**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.

**Reg. paint** studs, walking horses for sale, both trail ready and parade ready, anyone can ride these horses, best offers on each horse. Linsey Sanders, Baker, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-964-0521.

(3)-miniature jennys, all bred, \$300/each; (1)-miniature jack, \$250; (4)-standard jennys, \$200/each. Wayne Smith, Glenmora, Rapides Parish; 318-477-3487.

**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

Almost brand new Cordova saddle, 15 inch seat, used very little, also a bridle and brand new blanket to go with it, \$150 for all. Beverly Leibenguth, Rayville, Richland Parish; 318-334-7956.

**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; 337-368-8773

**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.

## SHEEP & GOATS

**Pygmy doelings**, 5-mos old, \$175; buckling 3-mos old, intact, \$150. Kristen Burfield, Lettsworth, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-3604.

**Nigerian Dwarf** bucklings, full blooded, (6)-weeks old, disbudded, very tame, great pets, \$100/each. Becky Bergeron, Livonia, Point Coupee Parish; 225-637-2890.

Reg. PB African pygmy kids, disbudded, vaccinated, microchipped, closed herd, tests neg. for CL, CAE, Johnes, does, \$500, bucks, \$300. Allison Barca, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish; 504-884-8492.

**2022 lambs**, purebred Katahdins, some by Dorper cross lines. Harry Latiolais, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-414-2017.

**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.

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.

**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

Aussie doodle puppies, \$250 and up; Collie pups, CKC reg., lassie type, \$250/1; Bichon Frise CKC reg., snow white balls of fur, do not shed, \$800 & up; Maltese, CKC reg., snow white balls of fur, do not shed, \$800 & up, all sold with first shots & dewormed. Lester Markham (Imperial Kennels), Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-474-0384.

**Reg. cocker**-poo pups, reg. malti-poo pups, reg. peek-a-poo

pups, males and females, different ages, different prices. Patricia Plunkett, Jonesboro, Jackson Parish; 318-259-8743.

ACK Belgian Malinois, both parents are well bred, super social working K9's, pups are big boned, good character and well socialized, \$2000. Cindi Gascon, Gretna, Jefferson Parish; 601-299-0264.

AKC European German Shepherd pups, super social, easily trained, excellent family protection dogs, \$2000. Cindi Gascon, Gretna, Jefferson Parish; 601-299-0264.

(1) Jack Russell pup, born 5/9/22, squirrel dogs or house dogs, all shots & wormed (4) times, make a great family dog, \$150/each. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish 337-423-3507.

**PB Australian** Shepherds, born 03/03/2022, wormed 4 times 10/1 shots twice, had (8) puppies, (1)-male, (1)-gyp left, cow working and family dogs, \$300/each. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

3/4 Mountain Fiest 1/4 Cur male pup, born 3/6/22, black & tan, chasing the squirrel tail already, great family dog or hunting dog, \$200. Allison Reeves, Deridder, Beauregard Parish; 337-375-6364.

AKC German Shepherd pups, AM/Euro working dogs, info, pics, & videos available, military & law enforcement discounts, \$1500. Barry Fank, Covington, St. Tammany Parish; 985-249-9276.

**2-hog** dogs, call for more information. Oakdale, Allen Parish; 318-335-1414.

Cheap Squirrel dog for sale, for more information, photos, or video please call, \$300. Colombus Blount, Holden, Livingston Parish; 225-686-2118.

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

**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.

**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.

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.

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

#### DOMESTIC BIRDS & EQUIPMENT

**1-year** old India peacock and 1-year old India peahen, \$200/pair. Rebecca Mizell, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-335-5617.

**Custom built** sheet metal cage trays, sheet metal nesting boxes for parrots and sheet metal no waste parrot feeders, call for prices. Sarah Walker, Basile, Acadia Parish; 337-298-8218.

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.

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

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.

## POULTRY & FOWL

Marans blk., blk. copper, blue, blue copper, blue splash, hatching eggs, chicks & started birds, \$5/1-up. Lester Markham, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-474-0384.

**Guinea Keets** \$7, Pharoh Quail chicks, \$1.50, Barnyard mix chicks, \$3, volume discounts available. Jeffrey Paris, Ragley, Beauregard Parish; 337-499-8796.

Golden & silver sebright bantams, grown \$40/pair, 2-mos old chicks, \$20/pair. Don Copeland, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-323-0242.

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**

**Homing pigeons** for sale, young banded birds & breeders, \$10/each, 10 or more \$5/each. Lesa Callegan, Plaquemine, Iberville Parish; 225-692-9486.

**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; 225-223-7209.

(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

**Purebred, California** rabbits, Dutch Lionheads, Havana, Polish, and guinea pigs. Lester Markham, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-474-0384.

**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.

**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.

**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,  $45 \not e/1$ ; channel catfish,  $35 \not e/1$ ; coppernose, bluegill,  $35 \not e/1$ ; Louisiana bluegill, \$.35/1; hybrid bluegill, \$.40/1; red-ear bream,  $35 \not e/1$ ; blk. crappie,  $45 \not e/1$ ; bass,  $85 \not e/1$ ; 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.

#### 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 election, mare/foal & trailers welcome. Beau or Taylor Fontenot, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-329-5582 or 337-387-9854.

We 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; 337-280-1535.

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

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

Horse boarding & 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,** 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. Led Terrancina, Thibodaux, 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.

**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. E.E. Colston, Provencal, Natchitoches Parish; 318-472-6490.

**Professional licensed** trapper, central La. trapping & removal of beavers, coyotes, hogs & other nuisance animals, free estimates.

Harry 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 10-miles. Rowland Bourgeois, Vacherie, St. James Parish; 225-265-4452.

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

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(25)-acres suitable for planting hay, recently leveled, off Hwy 92. Jan Hebert, Milton, Lafayette Parish; 337-856-5885.

**Wanted:** looking for land to rent/lease in the Cloutierville/Natchitoches, La. area. Christopher Moreau, Ball, Grant Parish; 318-419-2948.

#### **FERTILIZER**

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**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.

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

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

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**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, St. 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.

**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.

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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 rlstutes@cox.net. Rick Stutes, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-298-1931.

Jelly blackberry, blueberry, muscadine, pomegranate, elderberry, ½ pint \$6. Shirley Lacaze, Natchitoches Parish; 318-540-

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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.

#### **TRACTORS**

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

White tractor 2155 w/cab & air, 160HP w/ new allied loader hay spear, 1800 hrs., \$12500. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

(4)-tires mounted on Kubota rims, size 21.5LX16.1 tubeless, firestone, \$200/each or \$700/all. Larry Maricle, Pitkin, Rapides Parish; 318-446-2730.

**Kubota tractor** (4) new tires, (4)-cylinder, excellent for small acreage or antique, \$2500, (free (2)-bedroom mobile home with purchase, a/c). Harold Snowden, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish;

318-355-1797.

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

JD 1020/loader \$8500. Joe Major, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-945-6960.225-637-2890

(2)-tractor weights, 90lbs./each, not sure what they fit, Taylor mfc number on weight 165, \$80/each. Gerald Davis, Amite, St. Helena Parish; 985-320-8703.

Mahindra, 45HP (1997), 814 hrs., w/ front end loader w/grapple, 6' bush hog, 6' heavy duty disk, 6' landscape rake, new starter, alternator, front tires, rear tires 90%, no leaks, \$15000. Billy Weatherford, Leesville, Vernon Parish; 337-509-5812.

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

**Kubota MX** 52 2015, 420 hrs., shed keep, very good condition, two wheel drive, \$12500. Nancy St. Romain, Jarreau, Point Coupee Parish; 225-324-4709.

**2008 JD** 5525, 91HP, cab, 4WD, front loader, 3-rear remotes, 4600 hrs., clean, great condition, \$34000. Jason Trahan, Opelousas, St. Landry, 337-308-6922.

1976 JD 4430, cab & air, 20.8R 38 tires, new interior, A/C compressor & lines, radiator, S#011688R, 3187 hrs., very good condition, \$25000. Gregg Thibodeaux, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-945-2074.

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-

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- 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.
- 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.

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.

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

## CUTTERS & MOWERS

- **(6)-ft.** bush hog finishing mower, \$750. Olen Bankston, Tickfaw, Livingston Parish; 985-320-4535.
- 15' stalk chopper, (3)-pt., rear crazy wheels, extra heavy duty, excel. cond. \$2500. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.
- **4210 Case** 70HP w/ 7' bush hog, good condition, \$7500. Nelson Bordelon, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-481-7059.
- (1)-2014 big dog zero turn 48" cut mower, with Kawasaki 22HP engine, 715 hrs., good condition and regular maintenance, \$3500. Greg Thibodeaux, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-945-2074.
- 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

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

- (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.
- **(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

**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.

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

## PLANTING & TILLAGE

(1)-horse drawn Avery seed planter, nice cond., has several plates, picture available, \$180. Gerald Davis, Amite, St. Helena Parish; 985-320-8703.

**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.

**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.

Ford 118 14" bottom moldboard plow, \$800; work saver hgd.rd.bale forklift, 3-pt. hitch, lifts bale 3-ft. above tractor hitch, \$1200. Carroll Trahan, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-277-3932.

**Manure spreader**, may be drawn by ATV or lawn mower, \$1350. Harry Latiolais, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-414-2017.

- For Sale not needed, downsizing, head gate, (3)-pt. utility crane and dirt scoop, box blade, HD tractor bumper w/ grill guard, \$225-\$1150, call between .6-9PM. CP McCune, Stonewall, DeSoto Parish; 318-925-9113.
- (1)-Earthway planter w/ (10)-seed plates, \$75; (1)-175 gal. tote w/metal frame, \$100. Greg Thibodeaux, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-945-2074.

**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.

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:** Pull behind lime cart, 3-6ton, any condition. Larry Bordelon, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-452-8767.

**Wanted:** Rotary ditcher, (3)-point hitch tractor, for a 40HP tractor. Glenn Goudeau, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-308-3377.

**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

JD 348 sq baler, 9K, JD 630 MOCO cutter, 10K, fella fluffer, \$3500, stackliner 3000, 300 gallon sprayer, \$1500, negotiable, discounts considered. Carl Stevens, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-505-0706.

**Hay cutter** 5-ft., 5-disc farmhand \$700. Harding Bordelon, Moreauville, Avoyelles Parish; 337-288-2158.

**Vermeer 605B** XL, used round hay baler, neck or string tie, good condition, asking \$7000. Laurence Thompson, Jeanerette, Iberia Parish; 337-578-5304.

**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



## **CERTIFIED DELICIOUS RECIPES**



#### WHITE PEPPER BLEND POKE **TUNA WRAPS**

Submitted by Slap Ya Mama

#### **Ingredients:**

- pound of poke tuna 1
- 2 teaspoons of Slap Ya Mama White Pepper Blend Seasoning
- 1/2 lime (plus more wedges for serving)
- 1/2 tablespoon sesame seeds

Ponzu sauce (of choice)

Butter lettuce

Green cabbage

Red cabbage

Carrots

Slap Ya Mama Hot Sauce

#### **Instructions:**

In a medium bowl, whisk together the Ponzu sauce, Slap Ya Mama White Pepper Blend and lime juice. Transfer the tuna to the marinade and let sit for a few minutes in the refrigerator, while you prep the rest of the ingredients. Slice cabbage and carrots into a slaw. Fill each lettuce cup with a desired amount of slaw. Place a mound of spicy tuna on top of wrap. Top each wrap with Slap Ya Mama Hot Sauce or pour into a bowl for dipping. Sprinkle with sesame seeds. Serve the lettuce wraps with extra lime wedges!

www.slapyamama.com





#### **UNCLE'S BARBEQUE SAUCE PORK SPARE RIBS**

Submitted by Uncle's BBQ Sauce

#### **Ingredients:**

Pork Spare Ribs - Trimmed Uncle's Barbeque Sauce Hickory wood chips soaked in water Lemon Pepper Garlic Powder White Pepper Tony Chacherie's (regular) Rub olive oil onto top & bottom of ribs Coat evenly Uncle's BBQ Sauce and seasonings

#### **Instructions:**

Throw ribs on pit, brown top and bottom until they look good enough to eat. Approximately 15 minutes. Remove ribs from pit and wrap tightly in aluminum foil. Lower heat on pit and place ribs bone side down. Cook for 45-50 minutes. Remove immediately from pit and open in foil pan. Be careful of the hot juice! Throw away juice. Place ribs on cutting board bone side up. Slice with electric knife on edge of bone. Coat each rib piece evenly with Uncle's BBQ Sauce and lay into foil pan. To glaze sauce onto rib, place in 200 degrees F oven uncovered for 30 minutes. Light pit and let coals get white hot. Lift grill and throw wet wood chips on top of coals. Be careful not to burn yourself. Close pit until chips begin to smoke. Open pit and place ribs bone side down first. Brown top and bottom of ribs until they look good enough to eat. Approximately 15 minutes. Remove ribs from pit and wrap tightly in aluminum foil.

Place ribs back on pit bone side down. Close vents 90% and cook for 40-45 minutes. Remove from pit immediately and open in foil pan. Be careful of the hot juice! Throw away any juice. Place ribs on cutting board bone side up. Slice with electric knife on edge of bone. Coat each rib piece evenly with Uncle's BBQ Sauce & lay into foil pan. To glaze sauce onto rib place in 200 degrees F oven uncovered for 30 minutes.

www.uncleasbbq.com













#### SHRIMP PESTO PASTA

Submitted by Sarah Gibson of Gourmet Fournet

#### **Ingredients:**

8 ounce container of Gourmet Fournet Creole Onion Dip  $\frac{1}{2}$ (any flavor)

- pound shrimp, peeled
- ounces pesto sauce
- handful of spinach or kale 1
- tablespoon coconut oil 1

#### **Instructions:**

Cook shrimp in coconut oil until pink. Add remaining ingredients and heat thoroughly. Serve over whole grain penne pasta. Enjoy!

www.gourmetfournet.com

#### FREEZER STRAWBERRY JAM

Submitted by Louisiana Strawberry Marketing Board

#### **Ingredients:**

- 2 cups Louisiana strawberries, finely crushed
- 4 cups sugar
- package powdered fruit pectin 1
- cup water 1

#### **Instructions:**

Combine fruit and sugar. Let stand for 20 minutes, stirring occasionally. Boil pectin and water rapidly for 1 minute, stirring

constantly. Remove from heat. Add berries and stir about 2 minutes. Pour into containers and cover. Let stand at room temperature for 1 hour. Refrigerate until set. Store in freezer. Once opened, refrigerate.







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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

1995 4X4 Jeep Wrangler, red/black top, automatic transmissino, 156000 miles, chrome wheels, new mod grips, \$4500; 2005 artic cat dump bed, (3)new tires, \$1500. Harold Snowden, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-355-1797.

1983 4X4 Chevy Silverado, good condition, 305 automatic, 2-tone red & tan, extra factory wheels & mud grips, second owner, \$10000. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

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.

**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

**Bumper pull** car hauler trailer, 3000lb double axle, 18' long, 2' dove tail, in great shape, \$3000 cash. Angelo Costanza, Hammond Tangipahoa Parish; 985-507-8899.

**Horse drawn** wagon, hydraulic brakes, (4)-wheel, \$1000, firm. Wesley Forman, Monterey, Concordia Parish; 318-758-3220.

**Stock trailer** 30-ft. gooseneck, \$3500. Harding Bordelon, Moreauville, Avoyelles Parish; 337-288-2158.

14' Gooseneck feed trailer, 2-7K brake axle, new tires, top load-bottom dump, (2)-12X12 doors, can send pictures, \$4750 w/title, \$4000 w/out title. Ben Clark, Sulphur, Calcasieu Parish; 337-527-9764.

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

**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; 337-789-0609

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

## CRAFTS & WOODWORK

**Cypress wood** duck nest boxes, \$42/each, predator guards, \$25/each, bluebird houses,

\$12/each, available year round. Greg "Red" Vidrine, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-230-7295.

**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.

## LUMBER & SAWING

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.

**Wanted:** fresh hog cracklins. Jim Smith, Stonewall, DeSoto Parish; 318-218-9690.

# FARM & LIVESTOCK SUPPLIES

**350 ft.**, 1-inch poly pipe, self propelled, has been shed kept and in great condition, \$2900 OBO.

Denton Farms, Farmerville, Union Parish; 318-368-0955.

Galvanized Chain link gates, 44"wide X 72"high, heavy welded galv. Pipe frames, hinge & latch hardware included, \$75/each. Jim Thorn, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-983-5006.

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

**Plastic molasses** tubs, approx. 25-gal., \$5/tub. Bobby Gene Denton, Jena, La Salle Parish; 318-992-4504.

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.

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

**20-25 gallon** plastic tubs (farm supply mineral/feed tubs), \$3/1. Donald Lemoine, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-3374.

(1) 3-ton single axle creep feeder, galvanized, like new, \$3000; (1) 6-ton dual axle creep feeder, galvanized, like new, \$4500. Donald Lemoine, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-3374.

**2-axle trailer** mounted hyd. seed mixer & loader, used to mix chemicals & automatically load seed hoppers on planters, \$2000. B.G. Denton, Jena, La Salle Parish; 318-992-4504.

3208 Catipillar diesel engine, (1)-row, lillistan garden cultivator, have all hydraulic pumps and motors from Broussard, one row cane cultivator, dinex and commercial pumps. Thomas, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-373-0801.

**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.

(2)-4'X8'X6" used coops, treated lumber & sheet metal roof & sides, wire floor, nest box, ½"X ½" wire floor, \$800 and \$1000. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-789-5478.

**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.

(1)-82-guage tranquilizer gun w/different size syringes for sale, \$350/each. Russell Richard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-7046.

**7-ft. JD** bushhog, (3)-pt. heavy duty, excellent shape, a new one will cost approximately \$5000, will sell for \$1650 cash. Jackie Tucker, Bossier City, Bossier Parish; 318-349-8851.

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

#### FARM BUILDINGS FOR SALVAGE

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

**(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.

## Report Ag/Forestry crimes to LDAF

Crimestoppers and the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry can help you solve livestock, farm equipment or timber theft and forest arson crimes.

Your anonymous tip which leads to the arrest and conviction may get you a cash reward. The sooner a crime is reported the better chances of recovering the stolen items.

Report Forestry-related crimes to 225-925-4500 Livestock theft & other ag-related crimes to 1-800-558-9741. Questions
about circulation
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Contact us at
225-922-1284 or
marketbulletin@ldaf.la.gov

## FROM THE FARM

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.

**Vintage fry** 117 visible gas pump, unrestored, lots of after market parts to restore, text for pics, \$1800. Gerald Davis, Amite, St. Helena Parish; 985-320-8703.

**Vintage 10HP** whittie throttle governed engine, on large iron wheel cart, text for pics, \$1300. Gerald Davis, Amite, St. Helena Parish; 985-320-8703.

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.

**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.

#### HUNTING, FISHING & CAMPING

Hunting, Fishing & Camping classified advertising categories include: ATVs, Archery & Accessories, Boats & Equipment, Fishing Tackle & Supplies, Sportmen's Leases, Fishing & Hunting Leases & Memberships, Guns & Accessories

**Blue Ox** Aventa LX tow bar, class 4, 10000lb/2inch receiver w/safety chains; 25 -ft RV 30amp extension cord & 50-30amp pig tail, \$400/ all OBO. Mike Fontenot, Eunice, St. Landry; 337-580-5060.

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.

## GUNS & ACCESSORIES

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

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

**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. 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:** Military surplus firearms and accessories, licensed FFL and antique collector. Wes Gauthier, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-319-4526.

#### **BOATS**

17' King Fisher bass boat, w/75HP Mercury, less than 50 hrs. on motor, great condition, \$5500. Larry Bordelon, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-452-8767.

Houseboat for sale, built on aluminum pontoon 10'X20', 50HP, 4-stroke Mercury, low mileage, dual axel, trailer, small generator plus shore power, great weekender, \$8000 OBO. Morgan Leblanc, Abbeville, Vermilion Parish' 337-303-0390.

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

Wanted:(1)-piece front plate, w/2-prongs at bottom that snap in, for 1976 Mercury outboard, 65HP/70HP would fit, or the whole cowl, leave message. Allen Daigle,

Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-457-5053.

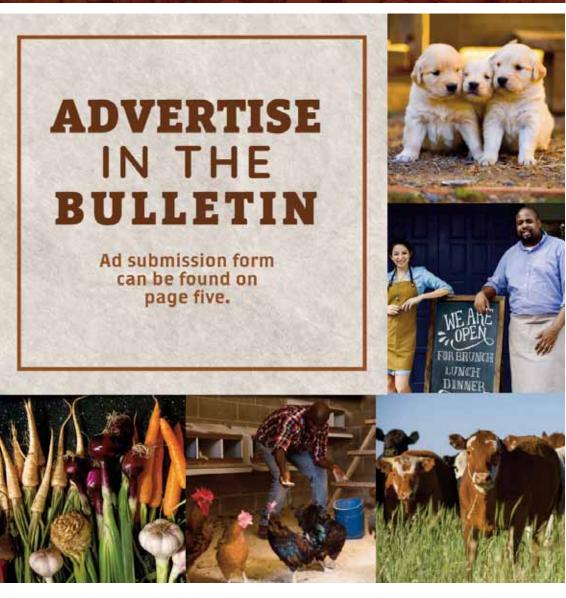
#### **AGRITOURISM**

Farm Bus tour, \$1000, all inclusive ticket, the tour will go to multiple parishes in Louisiana (EBR, Rapides, Acadia, St. Landry), four day/ three night tour

to six agricultural locations, purchase tickets at heartlandtoursla.com. Taylor McCann, Pineville, Point Coupee Parish; 225-240-3376.

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





### June is National Pet Preparedness Month

June is National Pet Prepared- your pets behind, they may end ness Month, giving us all a helpful reminder of what to do in case of an emergency or natural disaster. Your pets are an important member of your family, so they need to be included in your family's emergency plan. To prepare for the unexpected, follow these tips with your pets in mind:

- Make a plan.
- Build an emergency kit.
- · Stay informed.

If you have a plan in place for you and your pets, you will likely encounter less difficulty, stress, and worry when you need to make a decision during an emergency. If local officials ask you to evacuate, that means your pet should evacuate too. If you leave

up lost, injured, or worse.

By law, the LDAF is designated by the Louisiana Homeland Security and Emergency Assistance and Disaster Act to assist in evacuating and sheltering household pets for evacuated citizens going to shelters during declared emergencies. The LDAF has two mobile pet shelters to assist in keeping family pets in close proximity to their owners when an evacuation is necessary. Those pet trailers and LDAF employees are ready to be mobilized, if necessary.

The following are some basic tips that will help ensure you and your pets are prepared in the face of an emergency:



#### #BeInformed



#### **Emergency Kit**

Food, water, collar, and veterinary records are some items for your pet's emergency kit. View what items should go in it: www. ready.gov/pets. A pet supply kit should contain the basics for survival like pet food and water.

- · Put a favorite toy, treats or bedding in your pet's emergency kit to help reduce their stress.
- Take care of farm friends in an emergency. Pack emergency items for them too, including vehicles and trailers.
- Keep your pets' vet's name and vaccination records handy in case of emergency.
- · Don't forget a pooper scooper, cat litter, or plastic bags in your pets' emergency kit!

#### **Evacuation**

- · Practice evacuating in the car with your animals, so they're more comfortable if you need to evacuate in an emergency.
- If officials tell you to evacuate before a storm, don't leave pets behind!

#### **Shelter**

- · Make a list & check it twice. List the address & number of all the places you can take your pet in an emergency.
- Pets displaced by a disaster are frequently kept in shelters

or held by local organizations. The LDAF has two mobile pet shelters to assist in keeping family pets in close proximity to their owners when an evacuation is necessary.

#### Identification

- · Keep that cute selfie of you & your pet in your emergency kit to prove ownership.
- Does your pet have ID? Put your name and contact information on your pet's ID tag in case you're separated in an emergency.
- Tip: Include the number of an out of town relative on your pet's ID tag.
- Think about "microchipping" your pet. These permanent implants help locate your pet following a disaster.
- Tip: Keep your pets' microchip registration info current so you can be contacted if your pet gets lost in a disaster.
- After a disaster, don't allow your pets to roam loose. Landmarks may have been changed & your pet could become disoriented.

For more information on emergency preparation for livestock and pets, visit https://www.ldaf. state.la.us/animal-health/emergency-programs/.



## LDAF's Taylor Perrodin selected as one of LSU's Tiger Twelve

Four LSU College of Agriculture students were select as part of the LSU Tiger Twelve Class of 2022. LSU's Tiger Twelve is an initiative that highlights a select group of undergraduate seniors who have contributed to LSU campus life and positively impacted the Baton Rouge community. Each spring, 12 distinguished LSU seniors receive this prestigious recognition.

In this year's Tiger Twelve is the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry's very own Taylor Perrodin. Over the past three and half years, Taylor has interned for the LDAF, fostering skills in marketing, trade, and supply chain production. With a passion for agriculture and law, Taylor is an aspiring environmental attorney with long-term sights on the U.S. Senate to support change in environmental policy. While at LSU Taylor also served as the Speaker Pro Tempore for Student Government, as Vice President for the College of Agriculture Les Voyageurs, and as Vice President in the co-ed professional business fraternity Alpha Kappa Psi. She has also spoken at the Future Farmers

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(Pictured: CxC College of Science Representative Becky Carmichael, Taylor Perrodin, Faculty Advisor Maud Walsh, Interim Vice President for Agriculture and Dean of the College of Agriculture Luke Laborde)

## NASS to reach out to Louisiana producers on 2022 crops, stocks, and values

During the next several weeks, the U.S. Department of Agriculture's National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS) will conduct two major mid-year surveys, the June Agricultural Survey and the June Area Survey. The agency will contact nearly 1,100 producers across Louisiana to determine crop acreage and stock levels as of June 1, 2022. In addition, NASS will collect information from farmers and ranchers from randomly selected land area segments across the state.

"The June Agricultural Survey and the June Area Survey are two of the most important and wellknown surveys NASS conducts," explained Kathy Broussard, state statistician of the NASS Louisiana State field Office, "When producers respond to these surveys, they provide essential information that helps determine the expected acreage and supply of major commodities in the United States for the 2022 crop year. The results are used by farmers and ranchers, USDA, businesses, exporters, researchers, economists, policymakers, and others to inform a wide range of decisions."

Producers can respond to the June Agricultural Survey online at

agcounts.usda.gov, by phone, or through mail. They will be asked to provide information on planted and harvested acreage, including acreage for biotech crops and grain stocks. For the June Area Survey, agency representatives will interview farm and ranch operators in randomly selected segments over the phone. Producers will be asked to provide information on crop acreage, grain stocks, livestock inventory, land values, and value of sales.

"NASS safeguards the privacy of all respondents, by keeping all individual information confidential and publishing the data in aggregate form only to ensure that no operation or producer can be identified," said Broussard. "We recognize that this is a hectic time for farmers, but the information they provide helps U.S. agriculture remain viable and capable. I urge them to respond to these surveys and thank them for their cooperation."

NASS will analyze the survey information and publish the results in a series of USDA reports, including the annual Acreage and quarterly Grain Stocks reports June 30, 2022. Survey data also contribute to NASS's monthly and annual Crop Production reports, the an-

nual Small Grains Summary, annual Farms and Land in Farms and Land Values reports, various livestock reports, including Cattle, Sheep and Goats, and Hogs and Pigs, and USDA's monthly World Agricultural Supply and Demand Estimates.

These and all NASS reports are available at nass.usda.gov/Publi-

During the next several weeks, agcounts.usda.gov, by phone, or nual Small Grains Summary, annual cations/. For more information, call he U.S. Department of Agricul- through mail. They will be asked Farms and Land in Farms and Land the NASS Delta Regional Field Ofure's National Agricultural Statis- to provide information on planted Values reports, various livestock fice at (800) 327-2970.

NASS is the federal statistical agency responsible for producing official data about U.S. agriculture and is committed to providing timely, accurate and useful statistics in service to U.S. agriculture.

## June is National Rose Month

DYK: The Rose is the U.S. National Flower.

When looking for a retail or wholesale florist, cut flower dealer, nursery, or landscape professional to procure roses from, remember the LDAF Horticulture Commission provides a list of licensed and/or permitted horticulture professionals.

https://www.ldaf.state.la.us/ldaf-programs/ horticulture-programs/louisiana-horticulture -commission/



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of America Convention. Taylor is graduating as a member of the LSU Tiger Twelve and has accepted a full scholarship to pursue her juris doctor at the New England School of Law in Boston. We will miss her dearly and wish her the best of luck in her future endeavors.

#### **Taylor Perrodin**

Major: Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness

Hometown: Crowley, Louisiana Taylor Perrodin is an LSU Ogden Honors College student graduating with a degree in agricultural business. Perrodin took advantage of her time at LSU to better the Baton Rouge community and prepare herself for law school.

In addition to focusing on her studies, Perrodin was heavily involved in campus life throughout her college career. She held leadership positions for LSU Student Government, Les Voyageurs and Alpha Kappa Psi. Through her involvement with LSU Student Government, she

contributed to creating a pilot program that helped combat food insecurity on LSU's cam-

Perrodin interned with the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry for three years, taking a special interest in the international trade program. From this experience, she secured a government relations internship with the International Fresh Produce Association for summer 2022.

After graduation, Perrodin will be attending New England Law School in Boston on a full scholarship to study environmental

"For me, receiving the Tiger Twelve recognition shows me that it is possible to make an impact on the environment and those around you, and that hard work pays off," Perrodin said. "LSU was my dream school, and it means the world to me to be recognized as a committed leader to the university that has given me so much."

## Farm Safety Corner

## **Lawn Mowers**

#### WHEN CAN KIDS MOW THE LAWN?



PUSH MOWER Age 12 or older



RIDING MOWER

Age 16 or older

- Kids must be both strong and mature enough.
- Train teens to operate the mower safety.
- Wear eye protection, and closed toe shoes.



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Even though lawn mowers travel at low speeds, the blades on the deck revolve at high speeds, sometimes causing grass, weeds, sticks and even rocks to be thrown at dangerous speeds. In the U.S., more than 9,000 children go to the emergency room for lawn mower-related injuries every year.

Power mowers can be especially dangerous. However, most lawn mower-related injuries can be prevented by following these safety guidelines.

#### Before mowing the lawn:

- · Make sure that children are indoors or at a safe distance well away from the area that you plan to mow.
- · Read the lawn mower operator's manual and the instructions on the mower.
- Check conditions:
- o Do not mow during bad weather, such as during a thunderstorm.
- o Do not mow wet grass.
- o Do not mow without enough daylight.
- Clear the mowing area of any objects, such as twigs, stones, and toys, that could be picked up and thrown by the lawn mower blades.
- Make sure that protective guards, shields, the grass catcher, and other types of safety equipment are placed properly on the lawn mower and that your mower is in good condi-
- · If your lawn mower is electric, use a ground fault circuit interrupter to prevent electric shock.
- Never allow children to ride as passengers on ride-on lawn mowers or garden tractors.
- While mowing:

- Wear sturdy closed-toe shoes with slip-proof soles, close-fitting clothes, safety goggles or glasses with side shields, and hearing protection. Watch for objects that could
- be picked up and thrown by the mower blades, as well as hidden dangers. Tall grass can hide objects, holes or bumps. Use caution when approaching corners, trees or anything that might block your view.
- If the mower strikes an object, stop, turn the mower off, and inspect the mower. If it is damaged, do not use it until it has been repaired.
- Do not pull the mower backwards or mow in reverse unless absolutely necessary, and carefully look for children behind you when you mow in reverse.
- · Use extra caution when mowing a slope.
- · When a walk-behind mower is used, mow across the face of slopes, not up and down, to avoid slipping under the mower and into the blades.
- With a riding mower, mow up and down slopes, not across, to avoid tipping over.
- · Keep in mind that lawn trimmers also can throw objects at high speed.
- Stop the engine and allow it to cool before refueling.

#### Always turn off the mower and wait for the blades to stop completely before:

- Crossing gravel paths, roads, or other areas.
- Removing the grass catcher.
- Unclogging the discharge
- · Walking away from the mower.

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# USDA Announces Disaster Assistance for 2020 and 2021

#### By Jamison Cruce

The U.S. Department of Agriculture announced a \$6 billion Emergency Relief Program (ERP), the new disaster recovery assistance program for agricultural producers. Funding for ERP was provided by Congress as part of the Extending Government Funding and Delivering Emergency Assistance Act that was signed into law by President Biden on September 30, 2021. Previous iterations of similar programs were known as the Wildfire Hurricane Indemnity Program (WHIP) and WHIP Plus.

Covering eligible natural disasters, including wildfires, hurricanes, floods, derechos, excessive heat, winter storms, freeze (including a polar vortex), smoke exposure, excessive moisture, qualifying drought, and related conditions, in calendar years 2020 and 2021, the first phase of the program will provide assistance to producers using available data from Federal Crop Insurance or the Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP).

In an effort to streamline the application process, the USDA Farm Service Agency (FSA) will send producers pre-filled applications where crop insurance and NAP data are already on file. Separate application forms will be sent for each program year. USDA cautions that receipt of an application form is not a guarantee of eligibility. Additionally, certain forms must be on file with FSA within 60 days of the application deadline, which will be announced at a later date.

Phase One payments for crops covered by crop insurance are prorated at 75 percent. Payment calculations under ERP Phase One are dependent on the crop insurance type and coverage level obtained by a producer, with ERP payment factors ranging from 70 to 95 percent. If at least 75 percent of a producer's average adjusted gross income (AGI) is derived from farming, ranching, or forestry activities, producers are eligible to receive \$250,000 per program year. Additionally, as a part of the payment calculation, producers' paid premiums and service fees will be subtracted from the gross crop insurance indemnity already received for those losses.

Producers receiving assistance from ERP Phase One will be required to purchase Federal crop insurance for the next two available crop years at a coverage level equal to or greater than 60 percent for insurable crops.

ERP Phase Two assistance details will be announced later but is designed to fill gaps and misses from Phase One assistance.

Go here for more details from USDA.



## HOMEMADE VANILLA ICE CREAM

1¾ cups heavy cream 1¼ cup whole milk ¾ cup sugar



1 tablespoon vanilla extract or 1 vanilla bean split in half lengthwise

Pour 1 cup of the cream into a saucepan and add the sugar, salt. Scrape the seeds of the vanilla bean into the pot and then add the vanilla pod to the pot. Warm the mixture over medium heat, just until the sugar dissolves. Remove from the heat and add the remaining cream, milk, and vanilla extract (if using extract). Stir to combine and chill in the refrigerator.

When ready to churn, remove the vanilla pod, whisk mixture again and pour into ice cream maker. Churn according to the manufacturer's instructions. Transfer the finished ice cream to an airtight container and place in the freezer until ready to serve.

Enjoy

## **SUMMER,** continued from page 1

are urged to consider becoming sponsors to help reach more Louisiana kids relying on these programs for a healthy meal.

Approved sponsors receive financial assistance to help with the cost of obtaining, preparing, and serving food under the program, including administrative costs. Sponsors must be able to provide a capable staff, managerial skills, and food service capabilities. A sponsor may provide its own meals, purchase meals through an agreement with an area school, or contract for meals with a food vendor. Examples of local organizations that often serve as sponsors include public or private non-profit schools; local, municipal, parish, tribal, or state governments; private non-profits; public or private non-profit camps; and private or non-profit universities or colleges.

Are you a parent or guardian looking for SFSP sites near you? Find a summer site in your community with our Summer Meal Site Finder mapping tool. You can also text "Summer Meals" to 914-342-7744 or call 1-866-348-6479 to find a site near you.

For more information or resources on the food distribution, visit https://www.ldaf.state.la.us/animal-health/food-distribution/.

#### 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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## **COMING YOUR WAY**

## 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@vahoo.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.

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

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#### **Acadia Parish Rice Arena**

159 Cherokee Drive Crowley 337-783-1442 or 337-384-4500 ricearena@appi.org

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www.assumptionla.com/AgComplex

#### **Bogalusa Community Arena**

20239 Airport Road Bogalusa

#### **Clinton Covered Arena**

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202 Rodeo Rd. Farmerville www.darbonnerangeriders.com

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tions persisted in the tropical Pacific Ocean during the winter, contributing to warm and dry conditions across much of the Southern Region. South-central southwest Louisiana experienced their driest winter on record, with precipitation less than 50% of normal. Overall, it was the 21st driest winter on record, with an average of 6.14 inches of precipitation. Temperatures averaged 15th warmest on record, driven by a remarkably warm December. The average temperature across the region was almost 5°F warmer than the previous warmest December, according to records that begin in 1895.

According to the U.S. Drought Monitor, drought conditions degraded considerably across most of the Southern Region during winter 2021-2022.

Louisiana went from 36% in drought to 100% in drought and from no severe or extreme drought to 90% severe and 33% extreme. Additionally, the NOAA's Climate Prediction Center calls for enhanced chances of above-normal temperatures and enhanced chances of drier than normal conditions in the coming months. Consistent with the seasonal outlook favoring warm and dry conditions, the drought across the Southern Region is expected to persist or even

"There is only one way out of a drought, and that is with rain," said LDAF Commissioner Mike Strain DVM. "Here in Louisiana, there will always be some rain, but it will take more than a downpour or two to break us out of the cycle we find ourselves in currently."

Some of the driest areas in the state are also some of our largest production areas of agriculture, with major rice, soybean, and sugarcane fields all falling under the level 3 drought. With less rain to replenish aquifers, producers may begin to see a strain on water supply as well as an intrusion of saltwater. In an effort to be proactive, individual farmers or ranchers can begin a planning process to identify water-dependent functions of a farm or community, prioritize water-dependent functions, and determine steps to adapt those functions if water supplies begin to

Additionally, farmers and ranchers planning for 2022 may want to consider some conservation practices that can help make their land and livestock more resilient to drought in the future. USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) recently issued in-

formation on ways they can help farmers and ranchers conserve water and build resilience to drought through conservation practices that improve irrigation efficiency, boost soil health, and manage grazing lands.

#### **Irrigation Efficiency**

Saving water on the farm can help during drought and can offset rising water costs; reduce expenditures for energy, chemicals, and labor; and enhance revenues through higher crop yields and improved crop quality. Funded conservation practices include conversion to more efficient irrigation systems, such as micro-irrigation or subsurface drip irrigation, installation of irrigation pipeline, irrigation water management, structures for water control, and flow meters. Tools like drip irrigation, which provides water precisely where and when it's needed, can achieve greater precision with flow meters and soil moisture sensors.

#### Soil Health

In addition, soil health conservation practices, such as reduced- or no-till, cover crops, mulching, and residue management, can help to make the soil and the plants grown or animals raised healthier. Healthier soil can absorb and retain more water for longer periods of time, making farms or ranches more resilient to drought. Using soil health practices, producers can conserve water by increasing the soil's water-holding capacity and using conservation tillage to keep the ground covered, reducing water loss through transpiration and evaporation.

And soil health practices increase organic matter, and each pound of organic matter can hold up to 20 pounds of water. Every 1% increase in organic matter results in as much as 25,000 gallons of soil water

per acre. Each 1% increase in organic matter can also provide up to 30 pounds of more available nitrogen per acre. That means less money and time spent on inputs like water and fertilizer, which make operations more profitable.

#### Rotational/Prescribed Grazing, Water Sources for Livestock

Drought also impacts grazing lands, and NRCS works with farmers and ranchers to increase the resilience of their livestock operations. Ranchers can adapt to dry conditions in two main ways: increasing the availability and suitability of forage and ensuring that cattle have an adequate and reliable source of water. For forage, rotational or prescribed grazing (rotating cattle among pastures) can relieve pressure on stressed vegetation and ensure a more consistent supply of forage for animals. NRCS conservationists can also work with producers to plant more drought-tolerant forage species, plants best suited to local soils and conditions. For reliable sources of water, NRCS can help with installing watering facilities, water wells, or water pipeline for livestock. Having available forage and water for livestock can make a big difference in difficult drought conditions.

We can't change the weather, but we can be ready for it. One way is by implementing voluntary conservation practices that help alleviate the drought's effects

For more information on drought recovery assistance from USDA and NRCS, visit farmers.gov/protection-recovery/drought#recovery. For more information on conservation practices to make your operation more resilient to drought in future years, go to www.nrcs. usda.gov.



#### **Louisiana FFA Convention**

Every year, the Louisiana FFA Association holds our State FFA Convention where thousands of members throughout the state congregate in our host city to celebrate agriculture, FFA, and member accomplishments from the year. The 2021-2022 State FFA Officer Team invites you to join us for the 93rd State FFA Convention to be held June 6-9. This convention will recognize the achievements of our members, say thanks to our stakeholders and supporters, and offer inspiration from our State Officer Team. Visit http://www. la-ffa.org/state-convention for more information.

## Farm to School Garden Leadership Workshop

Calling all Louisiana teachers and educators! Are you interested in starting or expanding your school garden? Seeds to Success: The Louisiana Farm to School Program is providing a School Garden Leadership Workshop. You will learn how to build and sustain a school garden and incorporate the garden into your curriculum! This workshop will take place over four days from June 20-23 from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. daily. The cost to attend is \$20. After the training, you will walk away with ready-to-use materials, lessons, resources, and knowledge that you can immediately implement in your school and classroom. Purchase a ticket here: https:// tinyurl.com/GardenLeadership-Workshop2022.

#### Louisiana Farm Bureau Convention - The Centennial Celebration

Come celebrate 100 years of Louisiana Farm Bureau! Join us June 23-26, 2022, at the New Orleans Marriott on Canal Street, as we raise a glass to 100 years of success and look forward to a bright future as The Voice of Louisiana Agriculture. The Centennial Celebration is Friday, June 24th 8 p.m. - Midnight in the Mardi Gras Ballroom of the New Orleans Marriott during the 100th Annual Meeting of the Louisiana Farm Bureau. More information can be found at https://lfbfconvention.org/.



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

Maryland, Georgia & Louisiana August 15-20, 2022

Vietnam has a thriving wood processing sector that is heavily import-dependent. In 2019, U.S. exports of forest products to Vietnam reached \$350 million, and Vietnam was the third largest market in the world for U.S. hardwood exports. Despite the current downturn due to COVID-19, Vietnam's wood processing industry in expected to continue to grow in the medium and long-term and offer more opportunities for U.S. logs and timber due to the shortage of domestic materials. U.S. softwood is still new to the Vietnam market, but its market share is also expected to grow as Vietnam expands its use of softwood in furniture and construction. SUSTA will be bringing key buyers from Vietnam to our Southern states to meet with our southern exporters specializing in Yellow Pine Logs.

#### **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 Vietnam Market

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

Industry Focus: Nursery/Forestry
Product Description: Yellow Pine Logs

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