LDAF to hold unwanted pesticide collection day Nov. 9 in Franklinton

Agricultural producers, pesticide applicators and homeowners can drop off unwanted pesticides ticide Pick-Up day on Nov. 9, 2022, from 7 a.m. until 1 p.m. at LSU AgCenter Southeast Research Station (SERS), 41217 Bethel Road in Franklinton.

The Unwanted Pesticide Pick-Up Program, sponsored by the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry, provides individuals who need assistance with disposing of pesticide products properly.

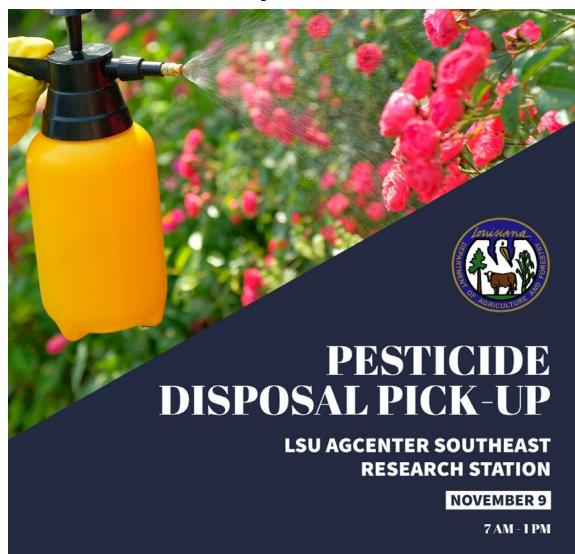
Unwanted Pesticides will be collected for disposal at no cost to producers, applicators, or homeowners, and it is completely anonymous for those who wish to participate. This is a pesticide only disposal pick-up

event. Fumigants, waste oils, paints, and gasoline/ diesel will not be accepted.

"Farmers and commerduring the Unwanted Pes- cial pesticide users generally cannot dispose of pesticides in household hazardous waste programs making this an important service for LDAF to provide to those who need to get rid of unwanted pesticide or agricultural products," said Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry Mike Strain, D.V.M. "Improperly disposed pesticide wastes can create serious hazards for the environment.

> As always, we work to ensure that the environment and the health of our citizens are protected by providing individuals an opportunity to properly dispose of these products."

All pesticides will be ac-



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cepted. Containers will be supplied for transportation to the collection site if old containers are damaged. For planning purposes, we strongly encourage an inventory form be filled out and returned to Bryan Gueltig at bgueltig@ agcenter.lsu.edu prior to October 28, 2022. This helps the disposal contractor prepare for the amount of material that is being dropped off. Inventory sheets can be obtained online at https://www.ldaf. state.la.us/ldaf-unwant-

ed-pesticide-pick-up-program/ or from your local LSU AgCenter office.

Currently in Louisiana, an individual wishing to dispose of pesticide products must contact a licensed contractor for disposal, which results in a costly fee based on pounds of product(s) submitted for disposal. The LDAF program will not require a fee for the disposal of unwanted pesticides. The cost of the program will be funded through fees associated with pesticide manufactur-

ers' product registrations in Louisiana. All pesticides offered for sale in Louisiana must be registered annually with the LDAF.

The LDAF has retained a licensed contractor for the program. This contractor will assume all responsibility for pesticide products delivered to the desigated locations and for disposal.

For more information, call LDAF's Girvus Johnson at 225-925-3763 or your local LSU AgCenter office.

LOUISIANA AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY TODAY

LDAF Press Secretary awarded 2022 NASDA Honor Award in Communications

At the National Association of State Departments of Agriculture (NASDA) annual meeting in Saratoga Springs, New York, yesterday. Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry's (LDAF) Press Secretary Jennifer Finley was awarded the 2022 NASDA Honor Award for Communications.

The purpose of the NASDA Communications Award is to recognize an individual for outstanding

work in media and public casting with a successful Strain, DVM. communications within a state agency resulting in an improved understanding of agriculture and agricultural programs.

Jennifer Finley is an eight-

time Emmy Award-winning producer with more than thirty years of experience in the field of communications. She quickly made a name for herself in media, becoming one of the voungest executive producers at Turner Broadcareer both in Washington, DC. and Atlanta. GA. After Hurricane Katrina, she worked press advance for President George W. Bush domestically and overseas. Her varied experience includes successful roles in news, entertainment, and agriculture as a writer, director, producer, editor, videographer, onair talent, and most recentlv. press secretary for the LDAF Commissioner Mike

"We are fortunate to have Jennifer's professional expertise, talent, and creative perspective at LDAF. Jennifer approaches her job with unwavering enthusiasm. It is not just a job to her - it is a calling," said LDAF Commissioner Mike Strain, DVM. "She truly believes in the stories and messages being shared in her work and understands the mission of the LDAF. I am grateful to her for her



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hard work and dedication to the LDAF and agricul-See AWARD, page 20

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Bermuda Large	Premium	\$200
Bermuda Medium	Premium	\$130-\$200
Bermuda Small Square	Premium	\$280-\$440
Mixed Grass Med Round	Good	\$76

SOUTH TEXAS WEEKLY HAY REPORT, SEPT. 30, 2022

Bermuda Large Round	Good/Premium	\$130-\$150/per bale
Bermuda Small Square	Good/Premium	\$10-\$13/per bale

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

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

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

ALLEN PARISH

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

ASCENSION PARISH

Prairieville
Riverside Farmers Market of Louisiana
45020 Manny Guitreau Rd
Sat., 8 a.m. - 1 p.m.

ASSUMPTION PARISH

Napoleonville
Barcelo Gardens
211 Franklin Ave.
Friday, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. January 14th & 29th

AVOYELLES PARISH

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

BEAUREGARD PARISH

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

BOSSIER PARISH

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

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

CADDO PARISH

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

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

CALCASIEU PARISH

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

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

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

CALDWELL PARISH

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

CONCORDIA PARISH

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

EAST BATON ROUGE PARISH

Baton Rouge Red Stick Farmers Market #1 Fifth St. & Main St. Sat. 8 a.m.- noon, year round

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

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

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

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

EVANGELINE PARISH

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

GRANT PARISH

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

IBERIA PARISH

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

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

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

IBERVILLE PARISH

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

JEFFERSON PARISH

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

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

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

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

Metairie Lafreniere Park Farmers Arts Market 3000 Downs Blvd, Metairie, La. Weds., 2 p.m. - 7 p.m. (Jan. – Nov.) Sat., Dec. 3, 10, and 17, 9:00 a.m. – 1 p.m.

JEFFERSON DAVIS PARISH

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

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

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

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

LAFAYETTE PARISH

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

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

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

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

LINCOLN PARISH

Ruston 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

Tallulah
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.

Tallulah
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

Natchitoches
Natchitoches Farmers Market-Mobile
Market #1
City Park

Tues.-Fri. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. April-Aug., Oct.-Nov.

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

ORLEANS PARISH

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

RICHLAND PARISH

Delhi 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

<u>Luling</u> German Coast Farmers Market 2 1313 Paul Maillard Road Wed. 1 - 5 p.m., year round

ST. HELENA PARISH

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

ST. LANDRY PARISH

Opelousas St. Landry Farmers Market 952 East Landry St., Hwy. 190 Tues., Thurs. & Sat. 6:30-11 a.m. April-Nov. Eunice Eunice Farmers Market Second St. & Park Ave. Sat 9 a.m. - noon, May-Nov.

ST. TAMMANY PARISH

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

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

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

Slidell Camellia City Farmers Market 333 Erlanger, Old Towne Slidell Sat. 8 a.m.-12 p.m., year round

TANGIPAHOA PARISH

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

TENSAS PARISH

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

TERREBONNE PARISH

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

VERMILION PARISH

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

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

VERNON PARISH

Leesville 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

WEBSTER PARISH

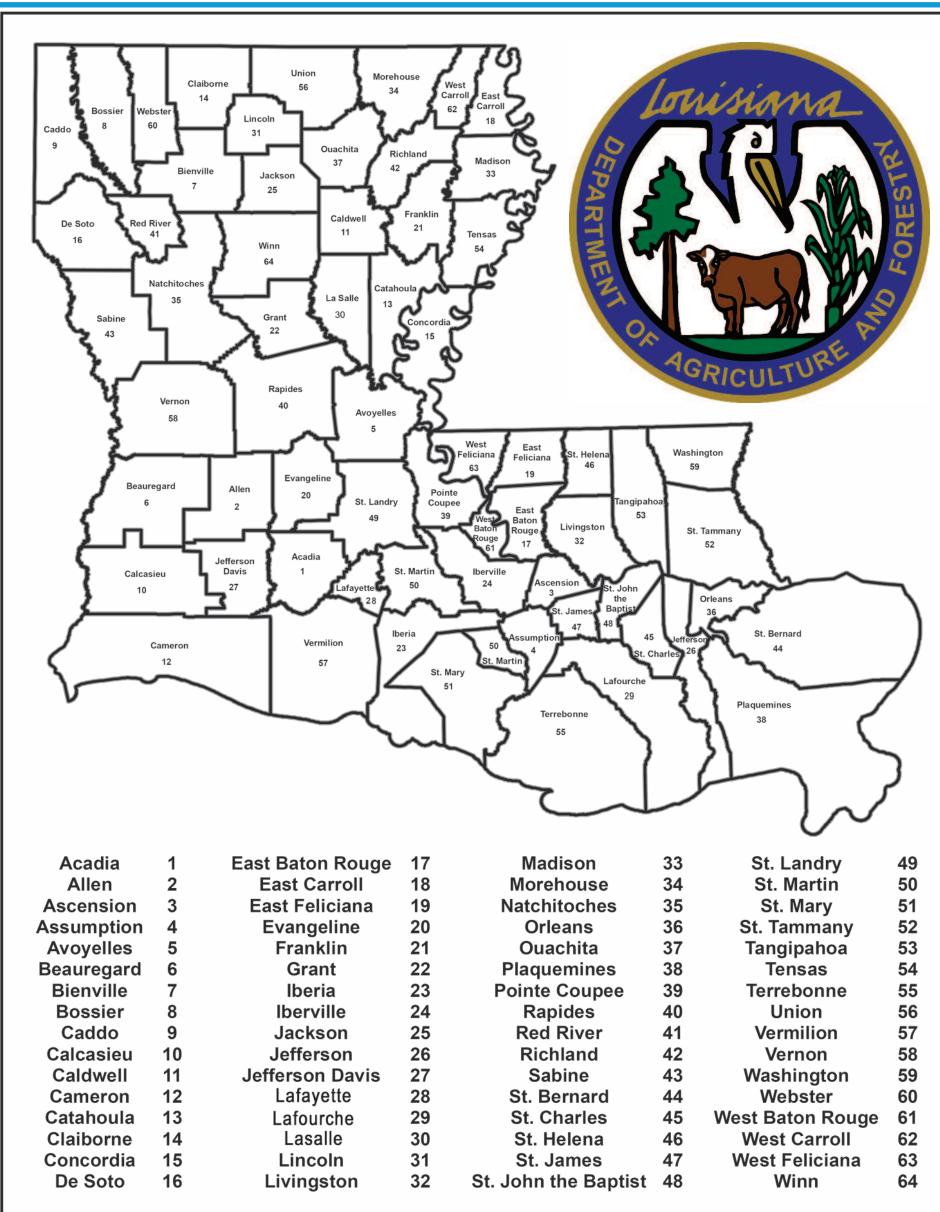
Minden Market on Turner's Pond 301 Lakeshore 1st & 3rd Sat., 8 a.m. -1 p.m., July-Oct.

WEST FELICIANA PARISH

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

WINN PARISH

Winnfield
Winn Farmers Market
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Year round



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

ANGUS

- (1)-Reg. black angus bull, born 03/22/2020, \$1450. Ernest Spears, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-514-1172 or 985-974-2719.
- (1)-Reg. Angus bull, \$1800, 2-years old, call Lattie. George Martin, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-405-5229.
- (8)-Angus/ Brangus cross, 4-year old unbred heifers, \$900/each; (1)-Brangus, 4-year old bull, \$1000. Carroll Trahan, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-277-3932.
- **8-9 month** old Angus heifer, black, only one, \$900. Chester Lilly, Oakdale, Allen Parish; 318-491-2437.

Angus bull calf born Feb. 2022, \$600. Ronald Comeaux, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-277-1324.

Reg. virgin angus bulls, world class genetics, big bone & muscle, (1)-breeding season guaranteed, LBW, \$3500 and up. Lone Wolf Angus, Moreauville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-452-5503.

Black Angus pair, 2019, she's open and UTD, (4)-mth old heifer at her side, 55-60# birth weight, calf off reg. black Angus bull, gentle pair, bucket feed, \$1400. Brennan Freeland, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-513-7470.

PB black Angus bulls, 7-mths., \$900/each. Rick Springer, Covington, St. Tammany Parish; 985-789-2877.

Reg. black angus heifer 11/29/2021, UTD vaccinations, great bloodlines, \$1000. Jerry Salisbury, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-325-6736.

BEEFMASTER

(3)-year old Beefmaster cow, exposed to bull, \$1300. Ray Reynolds, Roseland, St. Helena Parish; 985-747-2090.

Beefmaster bulls born early spring of 2021, ready for service, your choice, \$2500. Mel Jackson, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-443-0203 or 318-308-0921.

BRAFORD

- **F-1 Braford** heifers open and bred. David Ponville, Donaldsonville, Ascension Parish; for more information call 225-413-7582.
- (13) Tiger stripe F-1 Braford heifers, (7)- black & black baldy heifers, all vaccinated, wormed & branded, 11/15/21, \$1500/ each, exposed to reg. Angus bulls since 4/15/2022. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

Braford heifers, choice, \$1550 or \$1450 for (10) or more, some weigh 800+ pounds and in excellent shape, ready for a bull, don't get much better. Donnell Nickens, Ascension Parish; 225-313-0763.

F1 Braford heifers, most are tiger striped, with bull since 2/1/22, calving begins Nov., all shots and gentle, dehorned, take 5 or more, 25 to choose from, \$1950/each. Chris Douget, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-224-2896.

BRAHMAN

(6)-month Brahman show heifer reg. #1047575, \$3500; (4)-month old Brahman show bull reg. #1047576, bloodlines Thor, Barret, V8-442 & V8-777. Eric Wingate, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-257 9071

Reg. Brahman bull, a little over (2)-years old, extra gentle, halter broke, ready to go to work, \$3000. Ray Reynolds, Rolseland, St. Helena Parish; 985-747-2090.

Grey brahman heifers and bulls from Maddox, U4 Barrett, Thor, Manso 840 and KC Justice bloodlines for sale. Eric Wingate, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-257-9071.

BRANGUS

Golden Certified F1 Brangus bulls, 18-mos. to 2-yrs. old, out of reg. Angus cattle and JD Hudgins Brahman bulls, \$2500 and up. Philip Chiasson, Galiano, Lafourche Parish; 985-637-7538.

Reg. Brangus and Ultra Black Bulls, priced at \$3000 and up. Patrick DeRouen, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; call 337-692-5211 for more information.

- (4)-Reg Brangus bulls, 15-17 months old, gentle, good bloodlines, low birth weight, pictures available, \$2000 and up. Ronald Chiasson, LaRose, Lafourche Parish; 985-291-5204.
- (3) Brangus gross heifers, coming 3-yr old, bred to beefmaster bull, LBW, deep bodied, heavy

boned, certified bred by LSU Ag center. Rene Breaux, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-303-3488.

Brangus cows with calves (3rd calf), \$1200/pair; F1-Tiger Stripe with calves (2nd calf), \$1800/pair. Steve Gautreau, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-380-7401.

(40) bred cows, mostly Brangus and cross bred cows, 2-5 years old, \$1200/1. Keith Guillory, Ville Platte, 337-336-2150.

CHAROLAIS

Reg. Charolais bulls, 24 months, \$4000; open reg. heifers, \$1200 and up; registered bred heifers, \$2500 and up. Coy Fitch, Jeanerette, Iberia Parish; 337-276-5991.

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

Reg. Charolais bulls, Wyoming wind blood line, low birth weight, gentle, semen tested, \$2500/1. Gary Lavergne, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-6345.

HEREFORD

Reg. Polled Hereford bull, with very low birth weight, very gentle, 2.5 years old, \$2000. David Ellis, St. Helena Parish; 225-603-1028.

Polled Hereford heifer & bull calves, great EPD's, low birth weights, super thick and very gentle, all shots & wormed, 11-16 mos. old, \$1500-1 & up, delivery for additional charge. Laura Hughes, Zachary, EBR Parish; 225-933-2997.

27-month old reg. Hereford bull, very gentle, great bloodline, ready to go to work, \$2800. Kerry Wyatt, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-452-4721.

(25) young Hereford cows, some bred to calve in spring of 23, some pairs, open heifers, papers for all, \$1000/each, pick what you like. Damon Kirk, Deville, Rapides Parish; 318-709-8101.

(3)-yearling Hereford bulls, low birth weight, \$2500/each. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

Reg. polled Hereford bulls, very straight backs, strong legs, exc. Epds, with very low birth weight, very gentle, raised on grass 18-19 mths., from \$2000, a few heifers. Wesley Coffman, Leesville, Vernon Parish; 337-718-7237.

15 mth old horned Hereford bull, \$1600. James Sibley, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-686-2952.

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.

DAIRY

Jersey/Holstein cross heifer, will have calf in Sept, \$1200. Delos Thompson, Folsom, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-373-4067.

(2)-Reg. jersey bulls, \$900-\$1200. Delos Thompson, Folsom, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-373-4067.

Jersey bull, 13 months old, out of show stock, \$800. Lamar Holmes, 318-286-7406.

Wanted: brown nurse cow w/calf, Jersey nurse cow w/calf, cornsey nurse cow w/calf. W.A. Monte Monerief, Springfield, Livingston Parish; 985-969-2249.

OTHER

Mixed breed calves, affordable beef, \$1.25/lb., 300-700 lbs., butcher shops available. Herdis Neil, Montegut, Terrebone Parish; 985-594-4955 or 985-790-5847 or 985-720-5787.

PB Red Brahman bull, yearling, \$1000. Mixed, Brangus bull and heifer. Meyer Kaplan, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-664-5109.

PB Angus, (1)-bull & (4)-heifers, all 7-months old, \$700/each. Clinton Breland, Angie, Washington Parish; 985-515-8883.

Freezer calves naturally grown on mama & gras fed, no hormones, vaccines, or antibiotics, \$4/lb. hanging weight. Delos Thompson, Folsom, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-373-4067.

(2)-Braunvieh cattle for sale, PB 9-mth old bull; 50%, 6-month old heifer, call for price both reg. Alvin Williams, Angie, Washington Parish; 985-570-3224.

Char. Bull, semen tested, \$2000/1, Angus bull, semen tested, \$2000/1, bred cows, reg. Charolais and cross/bred, \$1400/1. Gary Lavergne, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-6345.

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.

Paint mare, 18-years old, \$900. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

Foundation & Running bred Quarter Horses, imprint as foals, freeze branded & vaccinated, \$3500-up. Dr. Fred Rodosta, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-331-3151 or 337-948-6511.

Kids pony gentle 8-years old, gait w/tack, \$850. Robert Barton, Elmer, Rapides Parish; 318-659-4672.

Small child's pony for sale, call for more information. Bryan Bossier, Woodworth, Rapides Parish; 318-729-3366.

Donkeys for sale, jennies, (2)-available, \$150/each. Chance Janice, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-351-0260.

TW Stud, black, gentle, loads, easy gait, 5-yrs old. L.Duhon, Maurice, Vermilion Parish; 337-207-7601

Wanted: (2) mini jenny (female) halter broke tame donkey, one being white/crème in color. Jennifer, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-277-7375.

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. Dr. Fred Rodosta, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-331-3151 or 337-948-6511.

(3)-year old chocolate mini/small jack standing at stud, Elm Grove, LA, \$200 breeding fee, text only please. Sadie Roberie, Caddo Parish; 318-423-5075.

AQHA WYO-Blue Buddy, born July 03, 2012, blue roan stallion, Reg.#5505700, \$500. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

AQHA horse, Peppi Figure Four, #5403078 BD, foundation bred stud, 4/20/11, bay roan, health cert. & neg. Coggins required, \$500/\$8 mare. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

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

EQUINE SERVICES

Honey Do Farms, Western lessons, bday pony parties, traveling petting zoo, summer camps. Kori Schexnayder, Church Point, St. Landry Parish; 337-668-4777.

5B Breaking & Training, AQHA Professional Horseman's Team member, specializing in 2-yr. old & problem horses, developing good broke ranch cow horses, 39 yrs. exp. w/references, covered & outside arena. John Brown, Franklinton, Washington Parish, 225-931-9210.

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.

TACK

16' Jacksonville Trail Western Saddle for sale, \$400 or trade for smaller saddle (too big for my horse), Zachary area. Nathaniel McKerley, Zachary Parish; 850-324-8546.

Beautiful pony cart, governess style w/custom wicker, photos on request, \$1200. Melanie Champan, St. Gabriel, Iberville Parish; 225-642-7762.

Santa Fe roping saddle, 15.5 inch seat, heavy duty leather, \$500. Joel Goach, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-257-2500.

Professional saddle repair, custom made tack, used saddles for sale, cell phone holders, gun holsters, knife sheaths. Ronney Francois, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-945-3628.

SHEEP & GOATS

White buck, one year old, 08/29/2022, friendly, approximately 50 lbs., has waddles, good health, raised with small group of goats in Sunshine Louisiana. Catherine Broussard, Sunshine, Iberville Parish; 225-276-7989.

Nigerian dwarves, bucks, \$150/1 and up, does, \$200/1 and up, Megans Mini Farm. Megan Bergeron, Livonia, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-223-2008.

Brush male goats, 2-3 years old, \$250-\$300. Scott Kees, Deville, Rapides Parish; 318-448-1813.

(2) Spanish billy goats, 1-plus years old, \$250/each. Aaron Slayter, Grant Parish; 318-652-8107.

Nice 6-mth old myotonic females, \$150/each. Ray Fugatt, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-842-6020.

Boer 4H market wethers, born March 2022, Louisiana bred tags available, \$400/each. Robert Richard, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-772-8858.

Nigerian dwarf baby goats, males/ females, some blue eyes, great selection, \$100-\$140. Sandra Darbonne, Washington, St. Landry Parish; 337-692-0316.

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

DOGS

PB Heeler pups, wormed and first shots, female pups, 3.5 months old, \$200 cash only. Justin Gill, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-368-8102.

Jack Russell, born 9/8/22, male & gyp, all shots & wormed 3 times, 6-weeks old, \$150/each, good house, squirrel, family dogs. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

Great Pyrenees, born 09/14/22, (13)-puppies, ready in (6)-weeks, w/ all shots & wormed, \$150/each, call to place order, \$75 deposit. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

Great Pyrenees blue-eyed gyp, shots & wormed at (6)-weeks when ready to sell, born 8/2/22, one female puppy left, \$250/each, \$100 deposit. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

Great Pyrenees gyp for sale, 5-years old, purebred with blue eyes. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

Australian Shepherd, female, tail shortened, has all shots, cow dog, \$200. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

Blue Heeler puppies, comes from good working stock, UTD on vaxes, docked tails, \$275 Facebook page: Amber's Louisiana Puppies. Amber Rabuck, Slaughter, East Feliciana Parish; 225-244-4245.

AKC Reg. black & chocolate lab pups, utd shots & worming, dewclaws removed, (3)-males, \$600/each, (4)-females, \$700/each, prices include full AKC reg. Megan Bergeron, Livonia, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-223-2008.

17-month old Bluetick female started, excellent mouth, direct daughter of Big Country, selling because of personal health issue, \$700 OBO. B H Patterson, Columbia, Marion County; 601-731-0488.

Mountain Cur squirrel dog, trails and tree's, \$1500. Oakdale, Allen Parish; 318-335-1414.

ABCA Border Collie cow dog pups 7-30-22, sire strong cow calf, great yearling dog, medium size, medium black & white coat, bred to work, \$500. Aubery LeBlanc, Labadieville, Assumption Parish; 985-688-6285.

Anatolian Shepherd puppies, AKC registered, wonderful livestock guardian dogs, working parents on site, fawn and brindle, males & females avail., ready Sept. 10, \$650-\$800. Kimberly Hall, Bogalusa, Washington Parish; 985-789-9692.

Wanted: Female Chihuahua, long hair preferred. Nita Baudoin, Cottonport, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-1733.

German Shepherd puppies, intelligent, large breed, AKC papers available, medium coats, also full registration available, \$800/each. Norman Baudoin, S. Cottonport, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-1733

AKC Beagle pups, off field champion bloodlines, 13" class & 15" class, \$400/each. Dean Gentile, Port Allen, West Baton Rouge Parish; 225-328-2198.

Black mouth/ Catahoula Curr cross, should make solid working dogs, (4)-males & (6)-females, West TX sire/ SW LA dam. Terry Majors, Egan, Acadia Parish; 337-852-5207.

Pure rat terrier puppies, born 07/26/22, tails docked & dew claws removed, \$200/each. Lonnie Thibodeaux, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-319-4077.

Squirrel dog pups, ¼ beagle & ¼ rat terrier, & ½ mountain feist, ready 9/5, should weigh 30 lbs and will tree when grown, \$150. Lynn Knight, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-449-9890.

AKC Labrador retrievers, laid back family dogs, block heads, good looking, old type farm dogs, all colors, look up Jeffco Kennels. Lisa Michel, Livingston Parish; 225-305-3833.

AKC x-sm beagles, small house pets, all colors, breeding 30-years, look up Jeffco Kennels. Lisa Michel, Livingston Parish; 225-305-3833.

Cowboy Corgis, ready 8/25, (6)-red girls, (1)-blue boy, UTD on shots, docked tails, health guarantee, \$1000. Amber Rabuck, Slaughter, East Feliciana Parish; 225-244-4245 text for quicker response.

Aussie Doodle puppies, \$250 and up, Collie pups, CKC reg. lassie type, \$250/1; Bichon Frise & Maltese, CKC reg. snow white balls of fur, do not shed, \$800 and up, all sold w/first shots & wormed. Lester Markham, (Imperial Kennels), Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-323-9445.

Great Pyrenees/ Anatolian puppies, excellent guard dogs, \$200/each. Dennis Lavernge, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-1596.

Purebred Corgi puppies, beautiful puppies, \$650. Suzanne Mcalister, Independence, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-507-0877.

UKC reg. Teddy Roosevelt terriers, UTD shots and worming, \$650. Evelyn Mcalister, Independence, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-507-0877.

Blue Heeler puppies, females only, will be ready at the end of August. Bonnie Pontier, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-1757 or 318-359-4519.

AKC French bulldog, born Aug 2, 2022, (3)-blue fawn males, will have shots/ worming & vet check, taking deposits, asking \$4000/each. Debra Budde, Mt Hermon, Washington Parish; 985-775-1308.

AKC small type Beagles, silky hair, minimal shedding, no smell, they love kids, make great house dogs, \$750. Cindi Gascon, Gretna, Jefferson Parish; 601-299-0264.

AKC European German Shepherd pups, excellent family protection dogs, pups are easily trained, super well socialized, both parents working K9's, \$2000. Cindi Gascon, Gretna, Jefferson Parish; 601-299-0264.

(Central metal), (10)-stainless steel kennel pens, 18X36, \$50.

Jean Bradley, New Orleans, 504-920-8214.

SWINE

Pure bred Berkshire pigs, 11 weeks old, \$100. Maggie Richard, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-323-9819.

Berkshire feeder pigs for sale, three months old, \$125/each. Mark Arnette, Slaughter, East Feliciana Parish; 225-505-0560.

DOMESTIC BIRDS & EQUIPMENT

Two pairs of cockatiels. Charles Fontenot, Lafayette Parish; 337-561-8165.

Cockatoo, out of the nest, \$50/each; cockatoos older, \$100/each. Charles Fontenot, Lafayette Parish; 337-561-8165.

For sale love birds, sun conures, quaker parakeets, \$35 & up. Donald Brown, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-466-3749.

Red diamond doves, \$100/pair; silver diamond doves, \$100/pair. Daniel Rutledge, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-427-1283.

Future breeder cockatiels, \$100/1; American parakeets, \$15/1; albino violet lutino, fischer love birds, \$100/1; black mask love birds, \$100/1; new nest boxes, \$12/1. Herman Hukins, Larose, Lafourche Parish; 985-413-3891.

POULTRY & FOWL

(4)-Black silkie hens for sale, \$30/1 or \$100 for all. Frank Tarifa, Gonzales, Ascension Parish; 225-678-3360.

Trio of black copper marans, \$50 for all three; trio of easter eggers, \$50 for all three, all 7-months and laying. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermillion Parish; 337-789-5478.

Barnyard mix chicks, all come from large egg layers, variety of colors, large quantities available, hatching weekly, \$2 each. Josh Savage, Plaucheville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-2493.

Wood ducks, 2022 hatch \$70/pair; Ring Teal \$60/pair, extra female Ring Tail \$30/each. Russell Bourgeois, Jeanerette, Iberia Parish; 985-397-0070.

Game chicklings free. Frank Singletary, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-884-0050.

Serama chickens \$100 for the pair and chicks, doves \$5/each if take six or more, Hubble pigeons

\$15/each, Cotton Patch geese \$150/pair. Penny Baker, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; call 337-396-5051 or 337-390-9108.

Pullets 6-mths old, will be laying soon, different breeds available, \$20.Greg Lefleur, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-0889.

Pigeons, multiple pairs, \$15 and up per bird, (200) plus mature birds, breeds are Lahore, red Carneau, German beauty, homer, racing homer, Portuguese tumblers, Birmingham rollers. Mike Lafleur, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-658-1625.

Selling out sale, Serama, houses, cages, incubator, chicken supplies. Gail Cheramie, Greensburg, St. Helena Parish; 504-382-8103.

Fertile chicken eggs, \$6/dozen, fertile quail eggs, \$8/dozen, or \$20/ for 50 or \$40/ for 100. Megan Bergeron, Livonia, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-223-2008.

Peacocks, males/ females, \$200/each. Jerome Hammons, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-508-0800

Lavender orpington roosters, 3-4 months old, beautiful light purple color, (4)-available, \$20/each. Jimmy Robberson, Longville, Beauregard Parish; 337-499-7225.

Golden and silver sebright bantams and other breeds, \$20/pair. Don Copeland, Ouachita Parish; 318-323-0242.

Embden geese 7-months old, \$25/goose. Johnny Hebert, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish. 337-652-3159.

Old English show bantams of all colors, \$10/ and up; miniature game chicken and full sized game chickens for sale of all colors, \$25/ and up. Dwight Bordere, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-397-6978.

Serama, rooster, hens, all ages & colors, \$5/and up. Larry Fontenot, 337-302-4526.

Young peafowl, \$35-\$45/1, ducks, mandarin, northern pintail, bahama pintail, ringed teal, fulvous tree ducks, \$30-\$45/1, mute swans, \$1500/pair. Mark Lumetta, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 504-451-6655.

PIGEONS

Texas Pioneer King Pigeons, \$40/1 or \$75/pair or \$575 for all 16. Frank Tarifa, Gonzales, Ascension Parish; 225-678-3360.

White Kings, young birds, \$15/1, homing pigeons, young birds, many breeds, \$10/1. Clifford Bonvillain, Lockport, Lafourche Parish; 985-258-8526.

Meat type pigeons, singles, \$5/1 or pairs \$15. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermillion Parish; 337-

789-5478.

15 pigeons, \$15/ each. Charles Fontenot, Lafayette Parish; 337-561-8165.

Young Texan pioneers, \$20/each. Norman Usie, Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-332-1459.

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

Large king pigeons, all colors, \$30/pair. Dennis Lavergne, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-1596.

Performance rolling pigeons of all colors, \$15/and up. Dwight Bordere, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-397-6978.

Young homing pigeons, banded birds, \$10 for one. Lester Haydel, 225-687-4820 or 225-776-2814.

Meat birds, large hubbles, French mondain, and giant homer, young and adult, \$20/each. James Briley, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-3040.

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.

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

EGGS

Jumbo brown quail eggs, fertilized to hatch or good to eat, \$3/dozen. Josh Savage, Plaucheville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-2493.

Fresh barnyard eggs, \$3/dozen or \$4/18ct carton; fertile chicken eggs, \$6/dozen; quail eggs, \$4/dozen; fertile quail eggs, \$8/dozen or 50 for \$20 or 100 for \$40. Megan Bergeron, Livonia, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-223-2008.

Fresh yard eggs, \$1/carton (12ct), black australorp eggs. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

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

RABBITS & EQUIPMENT

Nether dwarf bunnies, \$35/1, New Zealand bunnies & breeding stock, \$20; 2 & 3 hole rabbit hutch-

es, \$300 & \$450. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermillion Parish; 337-789-5478.

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

New Zealand's \$25/1 and up, mini rex \$40/1 and up, lionheads, \$45/1 and up, holland lops, \$50/1 and up, all mini breeds can be pedigreed for extra charge, Megans Mini Farm. Megan Bergeron, Livonia, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-223-2008.

Pedigree show rabbits for sale, Flemmish Giants in light gray & fawn, call for more information. Jeremy Fontenot, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-376-6156.

Mini Rex bunnies, (1)-blue vm boy, (1)-broken chestnut girl, (1)-blue eyed white holland lop left, blue Dutch rabbits, Netherland dwarfs, price varies, pet/ show quality, stunning babies, text for pics and info. Evangeline Made Buns, Evangeline Parish; 318-423-5075.

New Zealand mix bucks/does \$25 and under, lots of meat by 10-12 weeks of age, pet/breeder/freezer, text for info. Sadie Roberie, Evangeline Parish; 318-423-5075.

Purebred California rabbits, Dutch lionheads, Havana Polish, and guinea pigs. Lester Markham, (Imperial Kennels), Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-323-9445.

AQUACULTURE & EQUIPMENT

Crawfish boat for sale, 10 ft, 13 HP, Honda, \$2000. Joseph, Jennings, Acadian Parish; 337-368-3624.

For sale (1)-each, bayou pump, 8"X20', ideal for crawfish pond, \$3000. Kenneth Romero, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-519-3442.

Pond stocking, blue catfish, $45 \norm{e}/1$; channel catfish, $35 \norm{e}/1$; coppernose, bluegill, $35 \norm{e}/1$; Louisiana bluegill, \$.35/1; hybrid bluegill, \$.40/1; red-ear bream, $40 \norm{e}/1$; blk. crappie, $45 \norm{e}/1$; bass, $85 \norm{e}/1$; fathead minnows, \$12/lb.; del. avail. David Lowe, Minden, Webster Parish; 318-377-1525.

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.

White tail deer for sale; Fallow deer for sale. Michael Deshotel, Jennings, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-824-5593 or 337-275-1877.

Female Alpacas 3.5 and 4 year old, never bred, one white and one fawn, all shots, vetted and sheared, \$3000/pair. Teresa Juneau, Oil City, Caddo Parish; 318-423-8319.

(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.

FARM SERVICES

Will remove fences for materials, wires, posts, and gates, w/no charge if suitable conditions, locations, and access. George Waltner, Many, Sabine, 318-602-8249.

Custom pick/ clean pecans. Blake Ducote, Cotton Port, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-4949.

Cattle penning, working & hauling, portable equip., large or small herd, problem cattle, 50 years exp., will travel. Terry or Jason, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-789-1927 or 337-322-7601.

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

We build & repair fences, buildings, barns, driveways, & drainage. George Martin, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-405-5229.

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

Wanted: Need help on small farm in Walker, LA, work hours

flexible. Ronny Hart, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-300-7115.

LIVESTOCK BOARDING

Stalls available for rent at the Folsom Training Center in Folsom, stall, walking wheel, breaking arena, feed and tack rooms, use of training track, \$5/day. Rebecca Mclindon, St. Tammany Parish; 985-237-3950.

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, multi. 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.

Horse boarding, near Carencro & Evangeline Training Center, 170 acres, feed & hay 2x day, deworming, fly control, covered lighted arena, a/c tack rooms, hot/cold wash racks, wood round pen, walking wheel, outdoor arena, private paddock w/shelter, \$400/month, stalls avail. at additional cost. Bill Langford, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-280-1535.

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.

EQUIPMENT SERVICE FOR HIRE

Land clearing, ponds, drainage, bush hogging, and much more, call for a free estimate. Ethan Wilson, Dry Creek, Beauregard Parish; 337-396-8489.

Bush-hog & dirt work, clean up brush & fence rows, \$50/hr. John Marcantel, Mittie, Allen Parish; 318-306-1564.

Demo, irrigation, fence line, bush hogging, etc., Mobile Welding or Fabrication. Joseph or Patrick, Jennings, Acadian Parish; 337-368-3624 or 337-526-8825.

Stump grinding, Baton Rouge & surrounding area/parishes, call or text with pictures for details. Peter O'Neal, Baton Rouge, EBRP;

225-715-2284.

Bush hogging \$50/hr.; dirt work, \$50/hr. Dennis Lavergne, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-1596.

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

Pasture cutting and small reclaim jobs, reliable, unbeatable price and weekends only, text or call day or night. Derek Schilling, Clinton, East Feliciana Parish; 225-939-4402.

Land clearing cleaning, bush hogging, excavator work, price depends on job. John Schexnayder, Church Point, St. Landry Parish; 337-668-4777.

Bush hogging, free estimates. Larry Bears, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-501-4349.

Environmental Testing (sewer water & runoff water included), dozer, trackhoe, backhoe & tractor work, \$1000 minimum, state licensed, insured/ bonded. George Martin, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-405-5229.

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.

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."

52-acres for sale located in Washington parish, 90% in open fields and 10% wooded area, great place for a home site and a pond, \$265000. Brent Duncan, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-515-6655.

25-acres in Sabine parish, w/ 50X40 masonry house, w/9' ceilings, partially fenced 5 acres w/

small storage barn. George Waltner, Many, Sabine, 318-602-8249.

60-acres, 15 miles East of Oberlin, Allen Parish, hardwood and pine, great hunting, \$2500/acre firm. Weston Monceaux, Oberlin, Allen Parish; 337-523-2299.

30-acre horse ranch located in West Baton Rouge, 1-mile North of old MS river bridge, breakdown is (12) acres w/ (6)-horse stall stable, (2)-bedroom apt. attached, (18)-acres w/ stud barn. William Peterson, Port Allen, West Baton Rouge Parish; 225-229-9366.

RURAL PROPERTIES FOR RENT OR LEASE

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100 acres of Red River farm land with consistent production history near Marksville, LA, sharecrop/lease under standard terms. Bill Tassin, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-501-0078.

200 acres of crawfish fishing waters for rent located in Vermillion. John Miller; 208-354-3571.

FERTILIZER

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

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

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

Vintage seed/fertilizer mixer, \$50; two horse/mule pull single blade plow, never used, b/o accepted, pic to show. Paul David, Quitman, Jackson Parish; 337-540-2805.

Garden compost \$20/scoop. Delos Thompson, Folsom, Tangipahoa Parish, 985-373-4067.

Chicken boiler litter, 25 tons/load, sell & spread if needed, price varies by location. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish 337-423-3507.

Free horse manure, excellent fertilizer for gardens, will load in your pick up or trailer w/tractor. Lloyd Cabellero, Maurice, Vermilion Parish; 337-781-2580.

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

SEEDS, FLOWERS & ORNAMENTALS

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Begonias, color light pink, 6"-pot, \$5/each. Roland Sauvant, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-802-4013.

Elephant Garlic corms, fresh from June harvest, \$20/dozen, Sandra Fischer, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 601-278-2999.

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.

Fig trees (5)-varieties, Generi, Olympion, Celeste Magnolia, Beers black, 3-4 ft tall, \$25 each. Roland Sauvant, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-802-4013.

Angel trumpets white or yellow, 4-5 ft, flowering now, \$25 each. Roland Sauvant, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-802-4013.

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

FRUITS & VEGETABLES

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

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

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.

HAY & GRAIN

Round hay bales, 4'X4', mixed Bahia grass, call, no texting, baled 9/20/2022, \$30/each. Ronald Comeaux, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-277-1324.

2022 hay crop, barn kept, fertilized, Argentine Bermuda. Wayne Prats, Bogalusa, Washington Parish; 504-908-3908.

Round bales \$45/bale. Mike Beard, Sunshine, Iberville Parish; 225-938-6972.

4X5 bales, \$30/1 or \$50/2. Allen Prados, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-967-0006.

Mixed grass cow hay or construction, Oct thru Dec 2022, square bales on field, \$5/each, round bales, \$40, 10000 bales or more available. Herdis Neil, Montegut, Terrebone Parish; 985-594-4955 or 985-790-5847 or 985-720-5787.

2022 taking orders, Bermuda square bales, \$7/bale in the field, \$8/bale in the barn, call, email or text and I will get back to you. Bob Murphy, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-230-5634.

Horse quality Bermuda square bales, well fertilized, \$8 from barn, can load your trailer, delivery available. Dwight Brignac, Washington, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-3758.

Fresh cut Bermuda square bales, \$9/bale; round 4X5 net wrapped, \$40/bale. Lee Romero, Kaplan, Vermillion Parish; call 337-298-8658.

4X5 Jiggs Bermuda Round Bales, \$55/bale. Bryan Payne, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; call 337-349-4173.

(13) acres at I-10 and Duson exit (NE Quadrant) available free for hay. Marc Harris, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-315-1102.

Bahia 4X5 round bales, in the field, \$35, out of the barn, \$40. Charles Bell, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-839-9222.

Excellent quality small square baled bermuda hay, sprayed & fertilizer, \$11/bale in (14)-bale bundles. Loyd Dodson, Haughton, Bossier Parish; 318-347-0447.

Bahia hay, square bales, \$7.50 behind the baler; 5X5 round bales, call for price. Delos Thompson, Folsom, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-373-4067.

2022 hay, Alicia Bermuda square bales, \$7/bale, net wrapped, 4X5 bales, common hay, \$33/roll, Alicia Bermuda, \$45/roll. Blaine Leger, Iota, Acadia Parish; 337-781-9929.

Jiggs bermuda 4X5 round bales, "horse quality" hay, clean and fer-

tilized, tied w/plastic twine, baled this year, \$65 in barn, leave message. Chris Douget, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-224-2896.

Jiggs bermuda performance horse sq. bales, well fertilized, weed free, no rain after cutting, bales are tight and heavy, \$8/bale. Chris Douget, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-224-2896.

Wanted: someone to cut and bale 14 acres of clean pasture on Lagneaux Rd in Judice community, Lafayette Parish. Robbie Mouton, Kaplan Parish; 337-654-7467.

Wanted: You cut and bale 25+ acres of clean mixed hay for cows. E. Miller, Baton Rouge, EBR Parish; 225-752-0814.

TRACTORS

2006 New Holland TN70DA 2WD w/363 hrs., cab, cold air, includes bush hog 3308 & 7' disc harrow, \$26K obo. Steven Sheumaker, Vinton, Calcasieu Parish; 337-888-4321.

1995 Kubota L-4200, 1200 hrs., 45.3HP, w/front end loader, 4WD, 8-speed synchronized transmission w/shuttle shift, good tires, runs good, shed kept, \$14000. Harold Hebert, Scott, Lafayette Parish; 337-896-4904.

1520 JD diesel tractor, good condition, plus includes 6' HD JD cutter, 54" HD hay forks, 6' blade, & (3)-pt. receiver draw bar hitch adapter, asking \$6975 for all. Warren Hairford, Plaucheville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-5585.

Kubota M4000, 1300+ hours, 4WD, open cab, \$27000. Joseph, Jennings, Acadian Parish; 337-368-3624

Tractor grader blade, 4-ft, for light duty compact tractor, restored, \$375. Brett Babin, Gonzales, Ascension Parish: 225-202-4211.

Tire-LT 275 X 70 X 18 Mickey Thomson, 75%, 10ply, \$75.

Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

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

16 HP Yanmar diesel tractor, 4-new tires, tool bar, 2-middle buster and a pair of disc to make garden rows and quit connection, \$3000. Emery Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-459-0218.

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

Massey Ferguson 4WD, 281 front end loader, good condition, \$10000. Louis Stafford, Gonzales, Ascension Parish; 225-287-1166.

Kubota M6800, cab air, 2450 hrs, good condition, ready to work, 4WD, front end loader, pallet forks, 8-ft bushhog comes with. \$30000. Milton Harris, Glenmora, Rapides Parish; 318-447-7940.

1984 L345 Kubota tractor, 35HP, always kept in barn, purchased new, single owner, paint is good, seat is new, tires about 50%, lift arms do not work, has around 2500 hrs. on it, as is \$3500. Lamar Holmes, Keatchie, DeSoto Parish; 318-286-7406.

Massey Ferguson, 50 butane tractor, excellent condition, good tires/good paint, high clearance, ideal for gardening or track patch \$2900/obo. Cecil Clark, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-783-7903.

2006 New Holland TN60A, 2WD, w/canopy, front end loader, w/bucket and hay fork, 900 hrs., excellent condition, \$21995. Clay Parker, Independence, Livingston Parish; 985-507-2952.

New Holland 48HP, 2-wheel drive, agriculture tires, 1100 hours, great shape, selling because I bought a new tractor, asking \$10000. Bonnie Hollis, 225-936-3592.

5610 Ford tractor with loader, 1700 hrs., \$17500 firm. Raymond Peters, Oakdale, Evangeline Parish; 318-201-1956.

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.

Wanted: Good used 18.4X34-R2 tractor tires. Scott Romero, Welsh, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-368-8866.

CUTTERS & MOWERS

Bush hog ATH900 finish mower, 90" cut, \$1200; JD 25A flail mower, 7', \$1200. Shannon Trapp, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-229-0079

15' stalk chopper, 3-pt. rear crazy wheels, extra heavy duty, excellent condition, \$1999. Charles Jareau, Lakeland, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

John Deere X 758 lawn tractor, \$8000, like brand new. Wallace Dorgan, New Roads, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-938-1317.

(2)-snappers riding mowers, new tires & battery on one, \$250 for both. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

Hustler Raptor 54" O-Turn mower, 225 hours, great condition, \$3200. Gary Horne, Oakdale, Allen Parish; 318-335-5251.

Ex Mark 42", ZTR mower, excellent condition, \$2600. Jim Varnado, Greensburg, St. Helena Parish; 225-222-6343.

8-ft, lisiston pasture clipper, \$200; (2)-8" H beams, 22-ft. long, \$400. Russell Duhon, Maurice, Vermilion Parish; 337-893-5493.

2022 JD Z530 M Ztrak, 54" cut has 5 hrs, \$5600. Lee Cook, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish. 985-517-4009.

Craftsman 6.5 HP chip n vac with Briggs & Stratton motor, excellent condition, bought in 2008, used only 2-3 times, works great, all parts included, \$500. Gail

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Dunbar, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-623-6022.

Estate 72 grooming deck, (6)-foot deck, in great condition with new belt, \$750 you pick. Rick Viator, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-519-2659.

PLANTING & TILLAGE

Troybilt tiller, rear tyne, w/row maker, not run in 3-yrs. due to health, not many hours on it, \$425/1, Vernon Champagne, Houma, Terrebonne Parish; 985-873-8440.

7100 JD planter w/row markers, 6row 30"15; w/ lots of extras, \$1999. Charles Jareau, Lakeland, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

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.

450 JD end wheel drill, 13' row marker, tru-vee opener w/ adjustable depth gauge wheels, \$4500. Dale Denais, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-581-4015.

W&A 12-row 38" hipper on stack fold bar, excellent, \$15000; IH 480 disc, 19', \$1800; JD1010 field cult. 24', \$1000; Bighorn Brothers (8)-row one trip plow, \$20000. Derek Dauzat, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-2800.

7'(2)-way disc, very heavy, good blades and bearings, \$450. Greg Lefleur, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-0889.

Wanted: (3)-pt. hitch, (1) or (2) row corn planters in good condition. Curl Fontenot, Baton Rouge, EBR Parish; 225-485-5407.

Wanted: 6'-8' no-till seed drill in fair to good shape that can be pulled by a 45 HP tractor. Johnny Horton, Quitman, Jackson Parish; 318-237-6509.

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.

Gould tree shaker mounted on truck frame, 25-ft boom with FMC swivel shaker head, call for price and more info. Linwood Wiley, Concordia Parish; 318-719-2245.

Savage Pecan harvester 8042, 42-inch pick up, powered by Kohler engine, good condition, pull behind ATV or lawn mower. Jude Lemoine, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-664-3577.

Pecan tree shaker, S/N, A010784, (3)-pt. hitch attachment, 25-inch diameter, \$3900. Jude Lemoine, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-664-3577.

Row sweet potato riding digger w/new chain and gear box; united farm tool, \$5000; (2)-row sweet potato de-viner w/ colters, \$2500. Todd Cullen, Evergreen; Avoyelles Parish; 318-240-3862.

Wanted: Used single row potato digger. Donald Garber, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-856-4303.

OTHER AG IMPLEMENTS

Firman dual fuel portable generator, Model HO7553, includes electric starter, (1)-year old, 250Hrs, "like new", price \$900, payment cash or cashiers check. Robert Presson, Baton Rouge, EBR Parish; 225-324-1920.

5-ft bush hog brand, \$650; 18-ft utility trailer, dual axle excellent condition, \$2500. Tony Templet, Baton Rouge, EBR Parish; 225-356-2094.

JD 7700 combine final drives, \$500/each; (3)-propane tanks, \$999. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

(8)-ft Bush Hog Rear Blade, 91 series, mint condition, original owner, manual adjustment, \$2895. Bill Hobgood, Clinton, East Feliciana Parish; 601-529-8131.

Levee plow, \$1250. Neal Williams, Acadia Parish; 338-581-5201.

Levee splitter/ V-ditcher, heavy duty, 3-pt. hitch, hydraulic adjustable tilt, \$1000. Dale Moreau, Prairieville, Ascension Parish; 225-290-2917.

Wanted: A (3)-pt. hitch. dirt scoop & a 5' disk with greaseable hubs. Robert LeMaster, Summit, Pike County, 601-248-8843.

Tuffline TH series tandem disc model TH92020B, completely rebuilt 03/25/22, replaced all bearings, (4)-blades, (1)-axle/hanger, and rear pivots on gangs, asking price \$2200. Glenn Thomas, St. Francisville, West Feliciana Parish; 225-252-2698.

16 blade okra cutter, 3/8 cut, also cuts smoked sausage for jambalaya, fits 2-gal or 5-gal bucket, \$250. Steve Deville, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-5351.

Kubota excavator buckets, 12"

and 16" to fit KX71 excavator, \$950 for both. Lloyd Cabellero, Maurice, Vermilion Parish; 337-781-2580.

(3)-metal farrowing crates, \$250/each. Aaron Slayter, Grant Parish; 318-652-8107.

20-foot 6X6 service pole with 200 amp panel and attached powerhead plus 90-ft 2/0 copper wire, \$600. Louis Edwards, Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-419-9315.

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.

JD 1640 plowing disk, very good condition, \$8500 cash. Lawrence Gaspard, Rayne, Acadia, 337-384-1608 or 337-384-1830.

(2)-new holland 273 square balers with new and extra parts, \$3000/each; (1)-single row 4-wheel hay rake, \$500. Caleb Shields, Dodson, Winn Parish; 318-471-6806.

Ford 118 14", 4-bottom mold-board plow, \$800; 3-pt. hook up sprayer w/50 gal. tank, hand wand as well as 12' foldable boom, PTO pump, \$150. Carroll Trahan, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-277-3932.

20 barrel rice cart w/ pre built gear box extra, \$16000; JD engine 329 cu. In., \$1000; pump 24X12 discharge, \$800. Jean Trahan, Delcambre, Iberia Parish; 337-685-2220.

7' tall, opp. 600 plus ft., 5x21' top rail, \$2300. Kenneth Short, Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-230-4821.

Wanted: looking for backhoe attachment to fit JD 5055d, good condition and reasonably priced. Mark Lumetta, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 504-451-6655.

Wanted: looking for corn picker, (1-2)- row, 3-pt. potato digger, (1-2)- row; sweet potato slip planter, (1)-row. Kenneth Morris, Port Barre, St. Landry Parish; 337-290-5016.

HAY EQUIPMENT

256 N.H hay rake, \$2000; 3-pt blade, \$1600; used metal gates 8'X 4' wide. W.J. Mims, Calhoun, Ouachita Parish; 318-644-2236.

JD 970 21' cultipacker, \$17500; Case IH 3950 (25)-ft. tillage disk, \$17500. Brent Duncan, Franklinton, Washington Parish; call 985-515-6655.

Hay fluffer FANEX 400 (4)-basket (3)-point, \$600 for sale or trade

for (2) baskets. D. Leger, Hayes, Calcasieu Parish; 337-515-7707.

Baler, Vermeer 554 Plus, XL, with computer, 4'x 5' bales, field ready, \$8500. Dwain Aguillard, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-3427.

Tedder, Vermeer, 4 basket, field ready, \$3500. Dwain Aguillard, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-3427.

Rake, Vermeer, WR20, 8 wheel, field ready, \$3000. Dwain Aguillard, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-3427.

Kuhn GMD 313TG, 10'4" pull type disc cutter, new blades & bolts, cover, tires, and cutter in great shape, no leaks, just serviced at Alton Leblanc, \$9500. Jonathan Gary, Lake Arthur, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-658-2526.

Vermeer 504 I silage baler, good condition, bales 4X5 string tie, \$6500/ neg. Tim Gates, Effie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-715-1735.

Sheffield hay caddy, brand new, will take up to a 10 ft cutter, \$5000 obo. Miranda Fountain, Mt. Hermon, Washington Parish; 601-303-5594.

New Holland 575 square baler, nice baler, \$6000; Steffens square bale accumulator, ready to go \$6000, both are nice machines. Loyd Dodson, Haughton, Bossier Parish; 318-347-0447.

1999 Kuhn GF5001 TH Tedder hyd. Fold, (4)-wheels, 16'5" width, needs repair/parts. \$200. David Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-4334.

Vermeer 604 XL w/ accu-tie and sweep wheels, barn kept, dealer serviced annually, reel, tie arms and chains have one season, great condition, 16000 bales, \$18000. Cord Ensminger, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-348-9694.

CONTRACTOR EQUIPMENT

Dayton Speedaire Air Compressor, made in USA, 3HP, single phase electric motor, 3 cycle air compressor with 60 gallon tank,

\$500, call, if no answer, leave message. Ferenc Hajdu, Lacombe, St. Tammany Parish; 985-882-3685.

250-ft high pressure washer hose, commercial, \$200; one large set of oxygen acetylene cutting torch, complete set, commercial, with dolly, \$600. Gilbert Bordelon, Moreauville, Avoyelles Parish; 504-453-1520.

DEK generator 7060 watt, 11HP gas 1-30 amp-240 volt plug, 4-20 amp 110 volt plugs, \$500. Mark Swanson, Cloutierville, Natchitoches Parish; 318-623-5117.

Onan 6.5 RV generator 120/140 volt, model & spec #6 5NH-3CR/16004P, \$250 cash. Ferenc Hajdu, Lacombe, St. Tammany Parish; . 985-882-3685.

9-pcs. 8-ft long used culverts, dimensions 24" inside/ 30" outside, \$1000 cash for all or \$200 cash for each, some rims chipped, will load. Ferenc Hajdu, Lacombe, St. Tammany Parish; . 985-882-3685.

Galvalum, (6)-sheets, 3-foot wide, 12-foot long, \$250. Dalton Sims, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-686-9066.

Electrical wire, (3)-conductor #6awg, \$3/foot; (4)-conductor, #10awg, \$190 for (100)-feet; (4)-conductor #12-(100)-feet/ \$130; So. Cord, #10awg-(100)-feet/ \$160. Dalton Sims, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-686-9066.

Auger, woods brand, 9"-hole, model PHO 1120, cat. 1, (3)-pt. hitch, like new, \$600; treated posts, 8" to 10" across, 8'-10' long, \$15/each. Robert Humphries, Covington, St. Tammany Parish; 985-807-4650

Komatsu excavator model PC170-LC-10, extra thumb & bucket, 586 HRS, \$135000. Prentis Cooper, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-507-6855.

FARM TRUCKS & RELATED PARTS

1999 Dodge 4X4, 3500 club cab, 5.9 cummins, (6)-new tires, goose-

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CERTIFIED DELICIOUS RECIPES



SEASONED FRIED FISH

Submitted by Acadian Kitchens

Ingredients:

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1 cup milk

1 lemon

Choice of cleaned fish

Vegetable oil

Cajun's Choice Seasoned Fish Fry

Instructions:

Heat at least 1 inch of oil to 350°F in skillet or deep fryer. Whisk milk and egg in a bowl and dip fish in the mixture then roll in Seasoned Fish Fry. Cook a few pieces at a time until golden brown. Drain on paper towels and squeeze lemon over fish. For a lighter crust, eliminate milk & egg mixture. For spicier flavor, add 2 tablespoons Cajun's Choice Creole Seasoning to the fish fry before breading.

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BROWN RICE PILAF

Submitted by Chef Celeste

Ingredients:

2 cups dry brown rice

8 ounces chicken broth

1 cup water

½ cup small onion, diced

½ cup green onion, chopped

1 pinch fresh parsley, chopped

½ teaspoon salt



Instructions:

Bring broth and water to a boil, then add rice. Reduce heat, cover, and simmer until rice is tender. Add all other ingredients, turn off heat, and cover for 5 minutes. Pairs great with tenderloin kabobs!

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CORN MAQUE CHOUX

Submitted by Cajun Legacy Foods

Ingredients:

ears of corn, removed from stalk

2 medium yellow onions, diced

2 medium shallots, minced

6 gloves of garlic, minced

4 green onions, finely diced with tops and bottom parts of onion separated

large green bell pepper, diced

large red bell pepper, diced

3 tablespoons Jimmy's Cajun Legacy Cayenne Chow Chow

6 ounces salted butter, cut into 2 3-ounce sections

1 teaspoon salt

2 tablespoons parsley, chopped

Instructions

Melt 3 ounces of butter in a large saucepan. Add onions, shallots, and green onion bottoms; sauté for one minute. Add green and red bell peppers and sauté for two minutes. Add corn and remaining three ounces of butter and cook until the corn is tender, about 5-7 minutes stirring constantly. Turn off heat then add green onion tops and parsley. Stir and serve immediately.

www.cajunlegacy.biz















CRAWFISH MARTINI

Submitted by El Guapo Bitters

Ingredients:

2 ½ ounces vodka or dry gin
34 ounce Dry Vermouth
1 ½ ounces tomato water

dashes El Guapo® Crawfish Boil Bitters

TINY squeeze of lemon

Olives, cherry tomatoes, scallions & boiled crawfish, for garnish

Instructions:

Combine all ingredients in a mixing glass with ice. Stir until well chilled. Strain into a martini glass. Garnish with several olives, a stem of cherry tomatoes, sliced scallion, and a boiled crawfish.

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BLUEBERRIES & CREAM

Submitted by Happy Raptor Distilling

Ingredients:

2 ounces 504 King Cake

2 ounces blueberry juice

1 ounce lemon juice

1 ounce coconut cream

Instructions:

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93 Dodge 1 ton flat bed, 5.9 cummins diesel, \$5000. Joseph, Jennings, Acadian Parish; 337-368-3624.

1974 Bradley kit car with volkswagon motor; 1991 Jeep 350 Chevy motor 6" lift, 5000 miles, \$5900. Shelia Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-789-0699.

2008 Dodge, 3500 6.7 Diesel, 130000 miles, single cab, long bed, new tires & clutch, looks good inside & out, \$15000. Jimmy Rhodes, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-294-5372.

1995 -F150/ 300, 6-cylinder, 5-speed, 82000 miles, tree fell on back of it during Ida; 1988-F250, 4WD, automatic. Lawrence Drude Jr. Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-969-2523

1994 GMC 4X4, very good tires & wheels, single cab, stepside, \$3000; 1994 Toyota single cab, 4X4, 8000 lb winch & bumper, \$4500, both trucks in great shape. David Patterson, Columbia, Caldwell Parish; 318-649-7272 or 318-237-5287.

2004 F350 white crew cab dually, good condition, one owner, great pulling truck, 6.0 turbo diesel, \$20000. Cindi Gascon,

Gretna, Jefferson Parish; 601-299-0264.

(4)-factory aluminum wheels, (new) w/275/65R18 tires, (30-40 tread), includes caps & lug nuts off of 2022 F250 4X4, \$600. Robin Rushing, Napoleonville, Assumption Parish; 985-515-7896

2000 Ford F350 (single wheel), 7.3 liter, 310K miles, 4-doors, flatbed, gooseneck hitch, 4WD, \$15000 firm. Mitch Smith, Sulphur, Calcasieu Parish; 337-274-3186.

2002 Ford F0250, 7.3 diesel extended cab, 215K miles, excellent tires. Thomas Sitton, Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-235-6227.

2006 (22)-passenger bus Ford E-450 diesel, runs, air blows cold, good tires, used as a church bus, \$4000 obo. Michael Boone, Lecompte, Rapides Parish; 318-613-6505.

1966 Ford 300, 6-cylinder tandem w/ drag axle, hydraulic lift bed, hold 450 bushels, motor has very low mileage, stored enclosed shed, \$7500. Ronald Habetz, Ragley Parish; 337-540-0244.

1978 GMC tandem w/hydraulic lift, 24'bed, 4'sides, hauls 600 bushels, (3)-brand new tires, shed kept w/366 V8 motor w/very low miles. Ronald Habetz, Ragley Parish; 337-794-1159.

TRAILERS, WAGONS & EQUIPMENT

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

16' double axel trailer with ramp, \$1500. Shelia Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-789-0699.

18'-2 axle utility trailer, new boards, lights, & wiring, good tires. S. Webb, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-254-2265.

5'X10' livestock trailer, very solid, title in hand, \$1200. Greg Lefleur, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-0889.

7' Remote Offset disk, shedded and lightly used on food plots, \$4500. Jeff Pohlmann, Meraux, St. Bernard Parish; 504-812-5218.

1981 International Roll Off Wrecker Truck with come-along, used to haul logs, great running condition. Daniera Efferson, Walker, Livingston Parish; call or text 225-931-1287.

16' long, 6'8" wide gooseneck cow trailer, completely redone, excellent shape, \$5500. Tangipahoa Parish; 985-507-3940.

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

Older, 16-ft gooseneck stock trailer with tarp, needs new floor, \$1500. Randy Lea, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-664-5708.

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Pedal sewing machine, antique, free, Model #877095. Shirley LaCaze, Natchitoches, Natchitoches Parish; 318-540-7167.

Box of large spools of thread, variety of colors, call for more information and prices. Mary Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-7428.

Afgans for sale, granny square, multi color, large size, lots of patterns to choose from, call for more information & price. Mary Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-7428.

Quilting machine for sale. Soni Sers, 540-850-2513.

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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.

Various Chain Saws from Tree Service Closing. Daniera Efferson, Walker, Livingston Parish; call or text 225-931-1287.

Craftsman 10" table saw, 220 motor, heavy duty stand on wheels, good shop saw, \$350 obo. Godfred Schexnayder, Labadieville, Assumption Parish; 985-859-8230.

Craftsman 12" band saw, \$150; sanding belts & blades included \$200. Godfred Schexnayder, Labadieville, Assumption Parish; 985-859-8230.

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(2)-chicken coops, 4'X8'X6'tall, \$800; hutches for rabbits, quail, or chickens, treated lumber & sheet metal, \$300 and up, all wire cages. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermillion Parish; 337-789-5478.

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

New barbwire rolls @ \$35 each, iron pipe all sizes, new & old, stainless pipe 4-inch @ \$20/ft, alum pipe, 4-inch @ \$20/ft, other metal plate, used sheet tin 2-ft/ 3-ft @ 1-1.5 ft wide, woodburning heater/stoves, \$200 and up, iron bells all sizes. Gary Hebert, Ascension Parish; 225-715-4942.

3-point heard seeder or fertilizer, \$350; 3-point post hole aug., \$450. Frank Singletary, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-884-0050.

Factory built portable animal 3'X4'X6' steel and wire cage, excellent condition, \$425. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

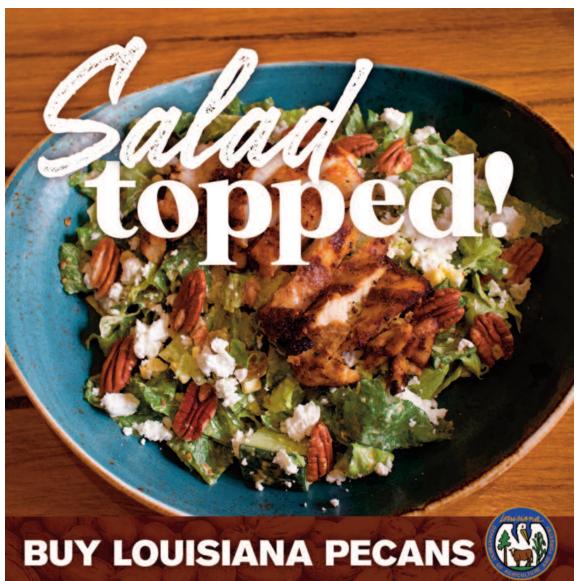
(2)-axle trailer mounted hydraulic seed mixer & loader, used to mix chemicals and automatically load seed hoppers on planters, \$2000. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

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

Hay ring \$50; portable water tanks, 300 gal and 250 gal, \$40. Greg Lefleur, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-0889.

Used 6-ft & 6.5-ft T-post, \$2/each; used 6-ft wooden round post, \$1/each; free 12.5 gauge used barb wire. Earl Lemoine, Moreauville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-452-5503

Assorted used farm equipment, some useable, some good for



scrap/salvage, price nego/obo. Earl Lemoine, Moreauville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-452-5503.

Railroad cross ties, \$7/each. Edward McCain, Lake Charles, Cameron Parish; 337-912-3752.

New 16.5 ton Warn winch, never taken out of original packaging, \$2500. Henry Stinger, Trout, 318-992-6536.

40' container, good shape, \$5900; 20' container, good shape, \$3900. H. Leblanc, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-717-1951.

Electric fence sucker rods, wire and connectors; T-posts, \$2/each, corner posts & H's; solar box; 5" pipe 4'long. Shelia Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-789-0699.

FARM BUILDINGS FOR SALVAGE

New Aztec steel building, 22 gauge, galvalume sheet steel, arch profile, one end wall with double sliding doors and one open end 29'X30' on pallets, \$14000 firm. Jan Ayo, Maurice, Vermilion Parish; 337-654-2035.

Barn trusses (6) @ \$300/each. Billy Smith, Jackson, East Feliciana Parish; 225-721-0828.

FROM THE FARM

Heavy duty iron deck, 8'X7'half inch top plate, best offer; fire place pit, heavy iron, best offer; wood building, insulated & wired, 11'X24' for \$7000. Shelia Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-789-0699.

Sugar free jellies and food preserves for sale,(16) watermelon rinds jelly, (5)-cinnamon, carrots, (15)-hot sweet relish sauce, (18)-blueberries jelly, \$10/pint. Lorris Ward (son)/ Barbara Ward (mother), Saline, Bienville Parish; 318-332-4196, 318-576-3639, or 318-471-2508.

Mayhaw juice, frozen in quart bags, \$12/quart, the juice is deep red and undiluted. Caroline Ancelet, Scott, Lafayette Parish; 337-781-2396.

8X15 metal shed in excellent condition, only had for a few months, asking \$4100. Casey Taylor, Plaucheville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-8877.

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Deer hunting club near Pearl River, St. Tammany Parish, \$1200/year and 598 acres, deer, hogs, turkey, rifle & archery hunting, camping allowed. KJ Lodrigue, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-789-1000 or lease@kjun.us.

Large catfish worms, \$50/lb.
Godfred Schexnayder,
Labadieville, Assumption Parish;
985-859-8230.

Hybrid redworms, \$40/lb. Godfred Schexnayder, Labadieville, Assumption Parish; 985-859-8230.

ATVS

1998 Honda 300, 4-wheeler, 2WD, not running, best offer; Honda 110, 3-wheeler, \$450. Shelia Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-789-0699.

2021 Cam-An side by side 800, very low hours (60), large tires and rims, like new, \$13500. Greg Lefleur, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-0889.

GUNS & ACCESSORIES

Humpback A5 Browning shotgun, auto 12-gauge, \$1800, in very good shape, Belgium made, text and I will call back. Joey Thomas, Baker, EBRP; 225-505-4750.

Wanted: Old Benjamin and Sheridan pellet guns, working or not working. Russel Gautreaux, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; call 225-335-7834.

(3)-Smith & Wesson guns, Mod .36, 38 special, 1" nickel barrel, \$700; Mod 637-2, 38 special+P, air weight 1" barrel \$700; Marlin Mod. 60, 22 w/scope, \$200. Paul Gil, Patterson, , St. Mary Parish; 985-397-1292.

Wanted: Browning bar 270 lever-action. David Burlison, Hornbeck, Vernon Parish; 318-430-0027 or 318-430-0072.

BOATS

2020 Pelican Intruder, 12' boat, like new, \$7500. W.R. Long, Ragley, Beauregard Parish; 337-660-5813.

10' Duracraft & 15' Ouachita alum. boats, & homemade trailer, no title, \$150; 8HP Johnson 2-stroke outboard motor, \$450.

David Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-4334.

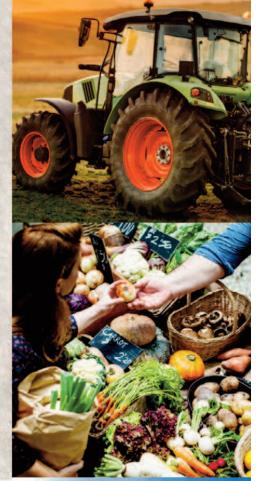
AGRITOURISM

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 heartland-toursla.com. Taylor McCann, Pineville, Point Coupee Parish; 225-240-3376.

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Turning Data Into Decisions:

LSU AgCenter Works To Give Louisiana Sugarcane Farmers A Sweeter Deal Using AI, Drones

Slattery McCollam farms 2,800 acres of sugarcane near Schriever and Thibodaux in southern Louisiana, in Terrebonne Parish and Lafourche Parish. It's a large farm—a land area equivalent to half of all football stadiums in the world.

McCollam is in his second year of a research project with the LSU AgCenter. Their shared goal is to produce more and sweeter cane while saving on fertilizer, primarily nitrogen. They use a combination of technologies, in-

cluding drones, satellite imagery, and artificial intelligence, or Al.

Luciano Shiratsuchi, associate professor in the LSU School of Plant, Environmental & Soil Sciences and coordinator of the LSU AgCenter digital ag team, heads down to meet with McCollam on a regular basis. They crunch data and conduct experiments on a 40-acre field of sugarcane to find the literal sweet spot between inputs and outputs—the least fertilizer in, the most sugar out.

"We're in our second year of research with LSU, and we already know more," McCollam said. "We're moving away from blanket applications of nitrogen toward variable rates where we get the

most benefit. Now, we can look at the data and it's all there in black and white. It's not a guess. We're not guessing anymore."

Nitrogen is essential for the growth and vigor of sugarcane. But excess nitrogen, whichever amount doesn't get absorbed by plants, gets washed into rivers and lakes and eventually into the ocean, contributing to algae blooms, lower oxygen levels, and the persistent "Dead Zone" in the Gulf of Mexico, which LSU has been monitoring since 1985. Too much fertilizer on farms can cause environmental problems that threaten habitats and important industries, such as fishing and tourism. For farmers, it also digs holes in their pocketbooks. This year, the price of fertilizer went up two and a half times, from about \$300 to \$750 per ton.

"That just really cuts into our bottom line because it's a fixed cost," McCollam said. "I can't pass that onto the consumer—I've got to eat every price increase that comes to me. So, the only thing we can do is try to optimize and find that sweet spot. Not too high, not too low. Just right, and hope our crops continue to pay the bills."

Shiratsuchi flies LSU drones over McCollam's farm, called Ellendale. The drones are outfitted with multispectral cameras, which measure the amount of chlorophyll and photosynthetic activity, meaning growth and vigor, in plants. Thanks to GPS, the result is a highly detailed map, with variable health scores for almost every plant, row after row, where four different amounts of fertilizer are applied. When McCollam then goes on to harvest his sugarcane in

the fall, he brings a combine with a yield monitor and GPS into the field, so they know if their previous measurements and yield predictions were correct.

(It was only recently that sugarcane yield monitors capable of generating yield maps were launched commercially, and the LSU digital ag team is validating the technology.)

The rich data this research produces gets fed into a model that relies on AI and machine learning to find connections between hun-

dreds of parameters that influence the growth of crops—not just nitrogen levels. The goal is to improve the model to where it can accurately predict how actions taken by McCollam today could help increase his profit, be it weeks, months, even years into the future.

"Sugarcane is grown in a three-year cycle, so it's not the same as planting in the spring and harvesting in the fall," McCollam said. "Before starting over, we harvest two stubble crops, and how much sugar we get depends on a lot of things, including the age of the crop. In two years, working with LSU, we'll know exactly where we need to be with nitrogen, from start to finish."

Slattery McCollam's cousin, Gerald McCollam, works for the USDA in Houma on sugarcane research. The cousins often discuss how sugarcane farmers, and the sugar industry at large, are "always pressured and pushed" by forces out of their control, such as commodity pricing, the cost of fertilizer and fuel, foreign trade agreements, and that age-old topic—the weather.

"Weather can basically wipe you out and hurt you really bad," Slattery McCollam said. "To me, 80 percent of our crop is weather. The other 20 percent is us."

Gerald McCollam agrees. "The pressures are many, and anything we can do to mitigate challenges is something we're interested in," he said. "By and large, farmers are very savvy about what affects their bottom line. Al and machine learning can help us use only what we need when we need it, and that's a very im-

portant thing for the sustainability of this industry."

"Beyond optimizing yields, weed control is another very important thing in sugarcane farming," Gerald McCollam continued. "Herbicides are expensive, and overuse leads to resistance where the plants you're trying to control no longer are controlled by those herbicides. Poor weed management can destroy an industry if you're not on top of it."

All of the variables in agriculture don't lend

themselves well to controlled experiments in laboratories. Even with feet in the field on a daily basis, it can be hard to predict the size and quality of the upcoming harvest. That's the central promise of using AI as part of the ongoing LSU-Ellendale collaboration, Gerald McCollam argues:

"The big data aspect is something that will allow us to take advantage of the variability and the complexity itself because patterns could emerge that we wouldn't think to look for."

Shiratsuchi tries to get results to Ellendale Farms as soon as he can.

"Farmers have to be patient since research isn't a fast process, but using these AI and machine learning techniques, we can speed up the process compared to traditional ex-

perimentation that can take decades," Shiratsuchi said.

LSU AgCenter is also working with industry partners to develop and validate emerging technology that tells sugarcane farmers the exact sugar content in their cane throughout the growing season. This helps farmers decide when to harvest and make better business decisions throughout the year.

"A lot of what our farmers are up against, from supply chains to the weather, is begging to be optimized by AI, and we finally have the data to do it," said Thanos Gentimis, the LSU AgCenter digital ag team's machine learning expert. "If you go back just 20 years, maybe one percent of farmers knew what a drone was. Now, we have an estimated adoption rate of around 13 percent, especially in larger operations. New technologies are transforming farming."

His team is working toward AI solutions not just for sugarcane, but also for corn, wheat, and soybeans. Their goal is ultimately food security for all state residents and sustainability of the Louisiana agriculture industry.

"I personally focus on sugarcane and cotton because these two crops are strategic for Louisiana—you can't grow cane and cotton in the Midwest," Shiratsuchi said. "Our environment is unique, so our research has to focus on what makes money for the Louisiana farmer."

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See the new crane that will make it easier to unload grain at the Port of Greater Baton Rouge

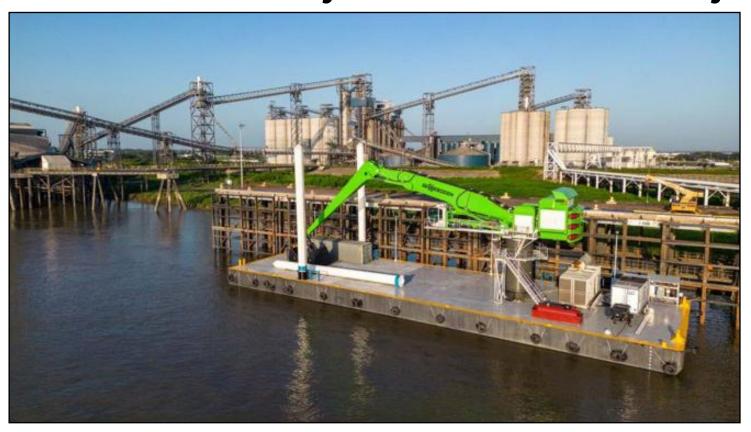
The Port of Greater Baton Rouge has received a bargemounted crane that will make it easier to unload grain despite the level of the Mississippi River.

The \$7 million pedestal crane will unload grain directly from barges into Louis Dreyfus Company's elevator. Because the crane has the flexibility to unload barges at times of high or low river levels, this will benefit local farmers, said Jay Hardman, the port's executive director

The electric crane was paid for with state capital outlay funds.

Port officials said the crane will begin operations next month.

Photo provided by the Port of **Greater Baton Rouge**



AgCareers.com Announces Inaugural Scholarship Launch

reveals the first-ever Feed Your Future Scholarship opportunity.

"This new scholarship illustrates AgCareers.com's commitment to Feeding the World with Talent by supporting education and promoting career opportunities in agriculture and food," said Bonnie Johnson, Marketing & Communications Manager, AgCareers.com.

AgCareers. com Feed Your Fu-Scholarship award a \$1,000 scholarship to one U.S. and one Canadian student. Ag-Careers.com created this scholarship to financially assist a post-secondary student who is studying agriculture or has the intention of pursuing a career in agriculture.

To be considered for the scholarship, students must be currently enrolled in a U.S. or Canadian post-secondary educational institution and have at least one semester left after 2022.

The Feed Your Fu-

AgCareers.com proudly ture Scholarship application is open online now at AgCareers.com and closes October 31, 2022. The application requests student responses to a few essay questions, including, "How are you going to do your part in feeding the world with your talent?"

For more information and to apply, visit Ag-Careers.com: https:// www.agcareers.com/ ag-education/scholarships/usa-national/agcareers-feed-your-future-scholarship.com will select the recipient by December 1, 2022.

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Biden-Harris Administration Invites Applications for Grants Under the Fertilizer Production Expansion Program

Grants Will Increase Innovative, in Ukraine. American-Made Fertilizer Production, Spur Competition and Help U.S. Farmers Address Rising

U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Secretary Tom Vilsack announced that the Biden-Harris Administration is inviting U.S. farmers and agricultural producers to apply for grants under the Fertilizer Production Expansion Program. The Administration recently announced it is making \$500 million in grants available through the program to increase American-made fertilizer production, spur competition and combat price hikes on U.S. farmers caused by the war

"The Fertilizer Production Expansion Program is one of many ways the Biden-Harris Administration invests in the agricultural supply chain right here at home," Vilsack said. "This funding will bring production and jobs back to the United States, promote competition and support American goods and services. Under the leadership of President Biden and Vice President Harris, USDA continues to create a resilient, secure, and sustainable economy to support opportunities for local businesses and people across this nation. This program is a critical part of that effort."

USDA begins accepting appli-

Louisiana Treasury Department announces additional logger relief grants

The Louisiana State Treasury announced Department has another round of one-time grants from the Louisiana Loggers Relief Grant Program.

The grants are an extension of the Main Street Recovery Program which aids industries impacted by the pandemic. \$5 million has been set aside for the grants which will

be distributed on a first-comefirst-serve basis

The deadline to apply is Oct. 31, 2022, or whenever the money runs out.

Additional information be found on the State Treasury Department's website https:// www.treasury.la.gov/screensloggers.



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The Louisiana Loggers Relief Grant Program is NOW OPEN! MAXIMUM GRANT: \$25,000

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For more information visit LATreasury.com or call 225-219-2363. gov. Applicants have two opportunities to submit their applica-

- Applicants may apply until Nov. 14, 2022, to receive priority for projects that increase the availability of fertilizer (nitrogen, phosphate, or potash) and nutrient alternatives for agricultural producers to use in crop years 2023 or 2024.
- Applicants may apply until Dec. 29, 2022, to receive financial assistance to significantly increase can-made fertilizer production to spur competition and combat price hikes. This application window supports applicants who need more time to make additional capacity available.

Eligible entities are for-profit businesses and corporations, nonprofit entities, Tribes and Tribal organizations, producer-owned cooperatives and corporations, certified benefit corporations, and state or local governments. Private entities must be independently owned and operated to apply.

The maximum award is \$100 million. The minimum award is \$1 million. The grant term is five years.

Potential applicants and stakeholders may email questions to fpep@usda.gov. For more information, visit www.rd.usda. gov/fpep or https://www.farmers.gov/global-food-insecurity.

Background

Fertilizer prices have more than doubled since last year due to many factors, including price hikes caused by the war in Ukraine, a limited supply of the relevant minerals, high energy costs, high global demand and agricultural commodity prices, reliance on fertilizer imports, and a lack of competition in the fertilizer industry.

The Fertilizer Production Expansion Program is part of a whole-of-government effort to promote competition in agricul-

cations today via www.grants. tural markets. The funds are being made available through the Commodity Credit Corporation.

> Grants will be used to support independent, innovative, and sustainable American fertilizer production to supply American farmers. Funds also will expand the manufacturing and processing of fertilizer and nutrient alternatives in the U.S. and its territo-

> The program will support fertilizer production that is:

> Independent, and outside the orbit of dominant fertilizer suppliers. Because the program's goal is to increase competition, market share restrictions apply.

> Made in America. Products must be produced by companies operating in the U.S. or its territories, to create good-paying jobs at home, and reduce the reliance on potentially unstable, inconsistent foreign supplies.

> Innovative. Techniques improve fertilizer production methods and efficient-use technologies to jumpstart the next generation of fertilizers and nutrient alternatives.

> Sustainable. Ideally, products will reduce the greenhouse gas impact of transportation, production and use through renewable energy sources, feedstocks, and formulations, incentivizing greater precision in fertilizer use.

> Farmer-focused. Like Commodity Credit Corporation investments, a driving factor is providing support and opportunities for U.S. agricultural commodity producers.

> The Department is hosting an informational webinar:

> Potential applicants and other stakeholders are also encouraged to attend a webinar on Oct. 6, 2022, to learn about application requirements. Pre-registration is required. To register, vishttps://www.zoomgov.com/ webinar/register/WN dUsGJW-FZQtGuh BWcC7EZQ.

> These grants are part of a broader effort to help producers boost production and address global food insecurity.

USDA to Invest \$8 Million to Expand Monitoring of Soil Carbon

WASHINGTON, September 27, 2022 - The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) plans to invest \$8 million to support and expand monitoring of carbon in soil on working agricultural lands as well as assess how climate-smart practices are affecting carbon sequestration. This is part of the Department's efforts to build out a national soil carbon monitoring network, which was kicked off with soil carbon monitoring on Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) acres in 2021. USDA's Natural Re-Conservation Service sources (NRCS) is requesting proposals for regional projects focused on soil organic carbon stock monitoring, which are due Nov. 28, 2022. This investment in building out the soil carbon monitoring network is part of USDA comprehensive effort to address climate change through climate-smart agriculture and for-

"Healthy soils are a powerful tool when it comes to sequestering carbon. We want to enhance our measurement tools and integrate them into program delivery to advance quantification efforts of the effects that climate-smart agricultural practices have on carbon sequestration," NRCS Chief Terry Cosby said. "Soil health management practices and activities are a tremendous part of our strategy when it comes to climate-smart agriculture and forestry."

NRCS will fund four agreements, one in each region: Northeast, Southeast, Central and West. Funding ranges from \$1.5 to \$2 million, and projects will last two to four years. Applications must include a strategy to reach equity of program delivery in historically underserved communities. Partners will work collaboratively to complement soil carbon monitoring efforts taking place across USDA.

NRCS is looking for projects that will:

- Deliver training on soil sampling for soil organic carbon and bulk density, data collection and management and processing methods.
- Conduct outreach to producers to use NRCS' soil carbon monitoring practice.

- Coordinate with NRCS national and state offices and centers to provide technical assistance.
- Identify and recruit specialists to help producers with implementing soil carbon monitoring.
- Reaching diverse producers to participate in soil carbon monitoring and other NRCS conservation activities.

Eligible entities include Tribal governments, nonprofits, universities, state and local governments and members of the Cooperative Ecosystem Studies Units Network.

Additional information is available in the notice of funding, which will appear on grants.gov. Once the notice posts, NRCS will begin accepting applications via grants. gov. NRCS plans for a 60-day application window.

New Soil Organic Carbon Stock Monitoring Conservation Evaluation and Monitoring Activity

Beginning in fiscal 2023, NRCS will offer a new conservation evaluation and monitoring activity (CEMA) to provide assistance for measuring soil organic carbon stocks. The new activity is used to quantify the levels of organic carbon stored in the soil and monitor the change in soil carbon stocks before and after the implementation of a conservation practice or conservation plan.

A qualified individual will use a hydraulic probe to sample soil to one meter depth. The soil will then be tested for organic carbon and bulk density to provide organic carbon stock levels to farmers and ranchers. Partners will play a critical role in training individuals on the sampling methodology as well as conducting outreach to producers to inform them of the opportunity through NRCS.

More Information

These partnerships are part of USDA's broader effort to leverage the expertise, experience, and capacity of other organizations to address climate change and to broaden footprint of climate-smart agriculture. For example, USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) is investing \$10 million in its Monitoring, Assessment and Evaluation effort to sample, measure and

monitor soil carbon on CRP acres to better quantify the climate outcomes of the program.

More broadly, USDA announced earlier this month its plans to invest up to \$2.8 billion in 70 selected projects under the first pool of the Partnerships for Climate-Smart Commodities funding opportunity, with projects from the second funding pool to be announced later this year. Ultimately, USDA's anticipated investment will include more than \$3 billion in pilot projects that will create market opportunities for American commodities produced using climate-smart production practices.

Meanwhile, the Inflation Reduction Act (IRA) will also deliver \$19.5 billion in new conservation funding to support climate-smart agriculture. This historic funding includes approximately \$20 billion to support conservation programs that are oversubscribed,

meaning that more producers will have access to conservation assistance that will support healthier land and water, improve the resilience of their operations, support their bottom line, and combat climate change. This includes \$8.45 billion for the Environmental Quality Incentives Program, \$4.95 billion for the Regional Conservation Partnership Program, \$3.25 billion for the Conservation Stewardship Program, and \$1.4 billion for the Agricultural Conservation Easement Program. The IRA also provides \$300 million to support the quantification of carbon sequestration and greenhouse gas emissions reductions, directly tied to the conservation program investments. The agreements funded through today's announcement will be complimentary to these quantification efforts and monitoring across the Department.

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ture in Louisiana. We are proud to see her recognized on a national stage for her exceptional work."

Ms. Finley has been with the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry's Office of Communications since 2017. She has produced hundreds of compelling videos that showcase the department's important work in supporting and sustaining Louisiana agriculture. A storyteller by heart, she is most at home behind the

camera in the fields of Louisiana, sharing the rich stories of Louisiana farmers, ranchers, and fishers.

As the NASDA Honor Award for Communications recipient, Ms. Finley joins a prestigious group of communicators who are exceptional public servants for their outstanding work in the field of government communications, their professionalism, and their superior performance in serving the public.

National Farm Safety and Health Week 2022 Webinar Recordings

Did you miss out on any of this year's webinars for National Farm Safety and Health Week? Well fret not, because they were all recorded, and you can access them for free on-demand through AgriSafe's Learning Lab at https://learning.agrisafe.org/.

Note: To access recordings, you need a free account and will have to "register" for them! If you have any questions about accessing the recordings, email Quace Evans, AgriSafe's Technical Support Specialist, at qevans@agrisafe.org.

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.



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REGIONAL OFFICES

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> Monroe Office 318-345-7595

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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 September 10, October 8, and November 5. All shows begin at 9 A.M. For more information visit www.dsshsa.org or find us on Facebook or Instagram. Email: dsshsa@gmail.com

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

jeffdavisridersclub.org.

Louisiana Little Britches rodeo All events are held at the West Cal Arena unless otherwise noted. For more information, go to http://lalbra. weebly.com or email lalbra@yahoo.com.

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

September 10 - Amite, Florida Parishes Arena October 29 - New Iberia, SugArena

November 19 & 20 - LaSH Finals, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish Arena

For more information, visit www. louisianastockhorse.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.

ADVERTISING EVENTS IN THE LOUISIANA MARKET BULLETIN IS EASY AND FREE!

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

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

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13008 Hwy 190 West Kinder 337-738-2778 www.cattleusa.com Monday

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

Amite Livestock Co. 58449 Hwy. 51

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

Dominique Stockyard

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

Mansura Livestock

8745 Hwy 1 Mansura 318-964-5330 www.cattleusa.com Wednesday

Red River Livestock Auction

P. O. Box 456 Hwy 1 Coushatta 318-932-5691

www.cattleusa.com

Wednesday

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774 Hwy. 80 Delhi 318-878-2394 Wednesday

SHOW ARENAS, BARNS, ETC.

Acadia Parish Rice Arena

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

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www.assumptionla.com/AgComplex

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www.morehouseactivitycenter.com

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Terrebonne Livestock

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Texas Longhorn Rodeo

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

Want to list your arena? Send the info to

marketbulletin@ldaf.la.gov or

Fax 225-923-4828

Farm Safety Corner

Tractor Safety

Farm tractors provide the primary source of power on many farms. Studies show that the farm tractor is involved in a high proportion of farm fatalities and severe injuries. To avoid them, follow safe management principles and implement a tractor safety program on your farm.

- Develop a "safety first" attitude. Follow safe work practices all the time and set a good example for others.
- Be physically and mentally fit when operating tractors. Fatigue, stress, medication, alcohol, and drugs can detract from safe tractor operation. Take breaks.
- Read operator's manual and warning decals. Pay attention to safety information.
- Equip the tractor with a Rollover Protective Structure (ROPS) and wear seat belts.
- Inspect the tractor for any hazards and correct them before operating.
- Make sure everyone who operates a tractor has received training and is physically able to operate it safely.
- Shut down equipment, turn off engine, remove key and wait for moving parts to stop before dismounting equipment.
- · Keep bystanders and others away from



tractor operation area. Do not allow "extra riders," especially children.

Inspection

- Are ROPS in place and seat belts used?
- Is a PTO master shield in place?
- Is the operator's platform clear of debris?
- Is a reflective "Slow Moving Vehicle" emblem posted?
- · Are lights and flashers operational?

- Are tires properly inflated?
- Is the hydraulics free from leaks?
- Are Brakes can be locked together?
- Is a 20 lb. "ABC" fire extinguisher in place?
- Is a fully equipped first aid kit on the tractor?

Information supplied by the National Safety Council's Agricultural Division, the National Education Center for Agricultural Safety (NECAS) - www.necasag.org or 888-844-6322.

Mississippi Man Arrested for Theft of Livestock in LaSalle Parish

A Mississippi man was arrested on September 21 by agents with the Mississippi Department of Agriculture in Copiah County, Mississippi. The arrest was a result of a warrant from LaSalle Parish, Louisiana, regarding an investigation conducted by the Livestock Brand Commission.

Thirty-four-year-old John Colter Pyron of Hazlehurst, MS, was arrested in Copiah County on a warrant for Theft of Livestock. The arrest was a result of an investigation by the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry's (LDAF) Brand Commission. On September 22 Pyron waived his extradition to Louisiana. Bond has not yet been set.

During the investigation, it was determined that Pyron received a horse from the owner and agreed to sell the horse for a set price in December 2021. The investigation revealed that Pyron failed to sell the horse at the set price, and upon his failure to do so, the owner requested the horse returned. The result of the investigation was that the owner of the horse was never paid the predetermined set price, and Pyron failed to return the horse. The acquisition of the livestock

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Pyron was arrested earlier this year by the Livestock Brand Commission on a similar complaint in another par-

"We are seeing more and more violations and complaints of this nature," said LDAF Commissioner Mike Strain. D.V.M. "People are turning to the power of the internet to help sell their livestock but are finding themselves the victim of untrustworthy sellers. Louisiana law is specific when dealing with the purchase of livestock and protects livestock owners from persons not complying with proper payment, even when it comes to internet sales. I encourage anyone trying to sell their livestock through a third party online to get multiple references before entrusting them with your animals."

The Livestock Brand Commission was assisted in this investigation by the Mississippi Department of Agriculture.

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

Document Damage to Help La. Farm Bureau Help You

By Andy Brown

As Louisiana Farm Bureau Federation (LFBF) continues to work with agencies and government officials to quantify the losses from August rain events, summer drought, and other weather-related losses to this 2022 crop, we have received word from Louisiana's Farm Service Agency that they are actively documenting the production losses from 2022 natural disasters.

This documentation effort will be the difference between a Secretarial Disaster Declaration or not. A Secretarial Disaster Declaration will be key in LFBF's efforts to secure ad hoc disaster funding and ultimately can decide whether you and your parish are eligible for such funds if they become available to USDA.

Thus, we now encourage you, as you complete harvest of crops or have data to

quantify production losses on your farm, to contact your USDA-FSA office and accurately report your production losses to covered commodities from natural causes of loss (drought, excessive moisture, etc.).

For a list of USDA-FSA county offices and their contact information, you can visit:

https://www.farmers. gov/working-with-us/service-center-locator

- Or -

Call the FSA state office to receive your local service center information at (318) 473-7721.

For further information about the status of disaster assistance or the work LFBF is doing in this area please contact Andy Brown at (225) 922-6209 or andyb@lfbf.org. Please make your voice heard with USDA-FSA and report accurate data to verify the impact of these unfortunate weather events.

LSU AgCenter Hammond Research Station will hold 2022 Fall Fest and Plant

The LSU AgCenter Hammond Research Station will hold its second Fall Fest and Plant Sale on Saturday, October 8th from 8:00AM to 2:00 PM at the Hammond Research Station (21549 Old Covington Highway, Hammond, LA 70403).

This family-friendly event is free and open to the public. Hundreds of plants, including fall-themed bedding plants, blueberry plants and other shrubs, a variety of ornamental peppers, vegetable starts, Louisiana Super Plants, houseplants, herbs, and unique species from our research station will be offered for sale. There will also be educational sessions on garden pests, garden design, blueberry planting, and container gardening from LSU AgCenter specialists. A free tour of our official trial gardens will be given at 11:30am. Tangipahoa Master Gardeners will provide fun children's activities, as well as host a plant sale of natives and sasanquas. They will also hold a plant swap - give a plant, take a plant! Food and drinks will be available for sale at the event. For more information about activities and event schedule, please visit https:// tinyurl.com/y6sbrxm4.

Fall Garden Festival

When: October 8 and 9, 9 am - 4

Where: New Orleans Botanical Garden

Hosted by: New Orleans City Park and LSU AgCenter

Enjoy plant product exhibits, sales throughout the New Orleans Botanical Garden, educational programs, live music, arts & crafts, cooking demonstrations and more!

Tickets: https://tix.wrstbnd.com/e/event/fallgardenfest22

Artificial Insemination Class

When: October 12 - 14, 9 am - 5 pm Where: Dean Lee Research Center Hosted by: LSU AgCenter

Topics will include items such as anatomy, estrus detection, estrus synchronization, body condition scoring and hands-on instruction. Classes will be held from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day.

The registration fee is \$150 per person and attendance is limited to the first 20 registrations. For registration, please contact Laura Aucoin at laucoin@agcenter.lsu.edu or 225-683-5848 to RSVP. Checks should be made payable to LSU AgCenter with AI School listed in the memo section.

Participants must be at least 18 years of age. There is no other prerequisites to take the class. If you have special needs or accommodations to take this course, or for more information, please contact Dr. Glen Gentry at ggentry@agcenter.lsu.edu. LSU AGRICULTURAL CENTER

PSA Grower Training + Optional GAPs & Farmers Market Food Safety workshop

November 2—3, 2022

Scott Research Extension Center, 212 Macon Ridge Rd, Winnsboro, LA 71295

Fruit and vegetable growers, farmers market vendors and others interested in learning about produce safety, the Food Safety Modernization Act (FSMA) Produce Safety Rule, Good Agricultural Practices (GAPs), and co-management of natural resources and food safety should attend this food safety training.

The PSA Grower Training Course is one way to satisfy the FSMA Produce Safety Rule requirement outlined in section 112.22(c) that requires 'At least one supervisor or responsible party for your farm must have successfully completed food safety training at least equivalent to that received under standardized curriculum recognized as adequate by the Food and Drug Administration.'

For registration please follow this link:

 $\underline{https://store.lsuagcenter.com/p-2528-psa-growers-training-optional-gaps-and-farmers-market-course-november-2-3-2022.aspx}$

Fee: \$20 includes the PSA Growers Training Manual, the PSA/AFDO Certificate of Course Completion, USB drive with educational materials, and light refreshments and lunch on both days. This training is heavily subsidized by the LDAF's support through FDA Grant PAR-16-137 and the USDA-LDAF Specialty Crop Block Grant Program.

Questions? Contact— Achyut Adhikari: ACAd- hikari@agcenter.lsu.edu, 225-578-2529

Three potable handwashing







USDA Offers Expanded Conservation Program Opportunities to Support Climate Smart Agriculture

National Resource Conservation Service (NRCS) updated Conservation Stewardship Program (CSP) to allow an agricultural producer to immediately re-enroll in the program following an unfunded application to renew an existing contract. Previously, if a CSP participant did not re-enroll the year their contract expired, they were ineligible for the program for two years.

This ineligibility was imposed on CSP participants even if their failure to sign a renewal contract was due to the unavailability of funds, which is beyond their control. USDA is now waiving this two-year ineligibility restriction for all CSP applications.

This year, producers renewed 2,600 CSP contracts covering 3.4 million acres. Applicants with unfunded fiscal 2022 CSP renewals will receive letters this month, notifying them they are automatically eligible to apply for future CSP funding opportunities, rather than needing to wait two years to reapply.

How to Apply

NRCS accepts applications for conservation programs – including EQIP and CSP – year-round, however you should apply by state-specific, signup dates to be considered for each year's funding. To apply, you should contact your closest UDSA service center.

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