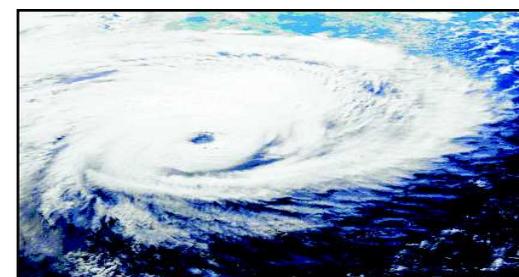




# Market Bulletin

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*Hurricane season is here. Be prepared. See page 2 for emergency food safety guidelines.*

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**By Bill Sherman**

Hard to believe but once again the lazy “dog days” of summer are quickly giving way to the frantic pace that marks the beginning of another school year.

Early August usually finds parents, students and teachers scrambling for books, supplies, uniforms, athletic gear etc., etc.

There is at least one more essential requirement for the new school year – lunches. The Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry’s Food Distribution Service began preparing for the nutritional requirements for school children last year. In fact as you read this article, nutritious and delicious food, some of which is Louisiana grown, is enroute to local schools throughout the state.

The storage and delivery of food and commodities for the state falls under the direction of Michael St. Romain of the LDAF’s Office of Marketing and Agro-Economic Development.

St. Romain said that his department delivered about \$20 million worth of food to schools during the 2007-2008 fiscal year. The bulk of the commodities are provided to schools participating in the National School Lunch Program. The LDAF also provided nearly \$3 million worth of food to

staff work with food service directors from various school boards and offices from across the state determining what foods will be available during the school year. “Most years we supply anywhere from fifteen to twenty percent of the foodstuff for schools

for the entire year,” St. Romain said.

Clair Blanchard, a school nutrition supervisor with St. Martin Parish has worked with the LDAF’s food distribution program for nearly two decades.

“You have no idea how much we appreci-

ate the work and effort put forth by Mr. St. Romain and the LDAF,” Blanchard said. “Our school lunch program wouldn’t be the success it is without them.”

Blanchard says she works closely with the Food Distribution Program in coordinating healthy menus for the year. “I have seen a dramatic increase in the quality and the nutritional value of school lunches during my 18 year span in this business, and a lot of that is directly attributed to the quality of the food being distributed by the State’s Food Distribution program,” Blanchard said.

St. Romain has tried to incorporate Louisiana-grown staples like medium-grain rice and sweet potatoes into the department’s available product list as much as possible.

“We usually inquire about local suppliers and vendors when we coordinate our lists with school districts and the USDA,” St. Romain said.

The majority of commodities purchased under the food service program, however, are dependent on such things as market conditions, availability of items, cost of food and whether or not it falls under a mandated commodity assistance programs.

Some of the more typical items the LDAF stores and ships are ground meat, pork roast, flour, cooking oil,



**St. Martin Parish School Nutrition Supervisor Clair Blanchard lunches with children from the Cecilia area at Cecilia Primary School. The LDAF stores and delivers nearly \$20 million**

**worth of food to school cafeterias and state food banks annually.**

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## LDAF lunch box

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canned vegetables and fruits and various cheeses.

Commodities are purchased by the United States Department of Agriculture's Agricultural and Marketing Service as well as the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service. Funding for the commodities are derived from the USDA via the Farm Bill within the Food Nutrition Program

Six warehouses throughout the state store and process the commodities. Warehouses are located in Baton Rouge, Harahan, St. Martinville, Alexandria, Shreveport and Grambling. Six 18-wheelers are used by the LDAF food distribution office to deliver the commodities to the school districts.



"During the summer months we supply commodities to summer food service programs, but our busy time begins early August and run through mid-April," St. Romain said.

What to cook tonight? The oft-asked question is usually followed by a series of follow up questions. What do we have in the kitchen? Do I have time to run to the grocery? Who will be eating?

Without a doubt it takes foresight and skill to coordinate a successful meal – especially if your goal is a balanced, nutritious and tasty lunch or dinner. Multiply those questions several thousand times over and you can appreciate the size and scope of the work involved in planning and coordinating school menus.

The LDAF's food distribution program is answering the call and making sure Louisiana's school children are getting their nutritional requirements and plan to continue for many years to come.



**LDAF Mobile Equipment Operator Alphonse "Al" Hargrave stores flour in preparation for the 2008-09 school year. The LDAF's Baton Rouge warehouse and cold storage facility encompasses some 63,000 square feet. LDAF warehouses also store canned goods and other items for school cafeterias**

## Rayville biodiesel workshop set

People who want to learn more about biodiesel are invited to a workshop at the Rayville Civic Center on Aug. 27.

Hosted by the LSU AgCenter, the workshop starts at 8 a.m. and will end at noon.

Dr. Bill Carney, LSU AgCenter environmental educator, will give an illustrated talk on biodiesel production.

Others on the program are Dr. Gary Breitenbeck, LSU AgCenter School of Plant, Environmental and Soil Sciences, who will provide an overview of bioenergy, and Dr. Don Boquet, LSU AgCenter Macon Ridge Research Station, who will discuss feedstocks for biodiesel production.

"There is a lot of interest in making biodiesel," Carney said. "There are also scams out there. We'll help people sort through what's research-based and what works and doesn't work."

LSU officials said it takes a minimum investment of \$800 in equipment to make batches of 25-30 gallons. Handouts with information about getting the equipment and supplies and with the steps involved in biodiesel production will be provided.

The workshop is free. For more information, please contact Cynthia Pilcher at 318-435-2903, or cpilcher@agcenter.lsu.edu.

More information about biodiesel production is on the LSU AgCenter's Web site. Go to [www.lsuagcenter.com](http://www.lsuagcenter.com) and search for biodiesel.

# La. Agriculture & Forestry Today

## Keeping food safe during power outages vital

Millions of Louisiana residents breathed a collective sigh of relief when Tropical Storm Edouard pushed westward through the northern Gulf of Mexico and bypassed Louisiana.

Though hurricane season has been fairly quiet so far, the traditional "peak" hurricane season runs from mid-August to early October.

Coastal parish residents know all too well the hardships surrounding a hurricane or major tropical storm.

Having a hurricane plan or contingency plan has become second nature to most folks who know they will have to evacuate and a key component to a hurricane plan is food safety.

Knowing how to determine if food is safe and how to keep food safe will help minimize the potential loss of food and reduce the risk of food-borne illness.

Always keep meat, poultry, fish, and eggs refrigerated at or below forty degrees Fahrenheit and frozen food at or below zero. This may be difficult when the power is out.

Keep refrigerator and freezer doors closed as much as possible to maintain the cold temperature. The refrigerator can keep food safely cold for about 4 hours if it is unopened.

A full freezer will hold the temperature for approximately 48 hours (24 hours if it is half full) if the door remains closed.

Obtain dry or block ice to keep your refrigerator as cold as possible if the power is going to be out for a prolonged period of time.

Fifty pounds of dry ice should hold an 18-cubic foot full freezer for two days.

Plan ahead and know where dry ice and block ice can be purchased.

Be prepared for an emergency by having items on hand that don't require refrigeration and can be eaten cold or heated on the outdoor grill.

Food that is shelf-stable, like boxed or canned milk, water, and canned goods, should be part of a planned emergency food supply.

Make sure you have ready-to-use baby formula for infants and pet food. Remember to use these items and replace them from time to time.

Also, be sure to keep a hand-held can opener for an emergency.

Consider what you can do ahead of time to store your food safely in an emergency.

If you live in a location that could be affected by a flood, plan your food storage on shelves that will be safely out of the way of contaminated water.

Coolers are a great help for keep-

ing food cold if the power will be out for more than 4 hours. Always have a couple on hand along with frozen gel packs. When your freezer is not full, keep items close together — this helps the food stay cold longer.

Digital, dial, or instant-read food thermometers and appliance thermometers will help you know if the food is at safe temperatures. Keep appliance thermometers in the refrigerator and freezer at all times. When the power is out, an appliance thermometer will always indicate the temperature in the refrigerator and freezer no matter how long you've been without electricity.

The refrigerator temperature should be forty degrees or below; the freezer, zero or lower. If you're not sure a particular food is cold enough, take its temperature with a food thermometer.



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Keeping perishables cold is the key.

Maintaining this regimen can help protect you and your family during times of emergency.

## CATTLE

**Reg. Red** Angus herd bull, Red Man FM IMP-ROB King ROB, EPD, lbw, 9 yrs., easy kept, gentle, \$1200/B; two 100% sons, 13-14 mos., \$800/1. Joe Bailey, Leesville; 337-463-8080.

**15 mos.** Angus/Beefmaster cross bull, \$800. J.H. Celestine, St.

**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.**

Gabriel; 225-642-8439 or 225-453-5685.

**Angus bulls**, \$1500/1-up. Ridley Chauvin, Raceland; 985-804-2594.

**Simm./Simm.** Angus bull calves, born 11-07, cows from Plainview Simm. Farm, AI to Blk. Preceptor Pre Destin & IDT, \$800-\$1000. Marlin Cloud, Pitkin; 225-405-1015.

**Reg. Brangus** bulls & heifers, \$1200/1-up. Sonny Crosby, Cutoff; 985-870-5001 or 985-632-8095.

**F-1 blk.** bull, 8 mos., polled father is reg. Angus, sire out of Darnall Place Bundo, dam is Darnall Place Lady, mother is pure Brahman, not weaned still on mother & creep feeder, \$800. Ronous Duhon, Rayne; 337-873-7319 or 337-288-9025.

**PB Charolais** heifers & blk. cross heifers, \$750/1-up. Karen Fuqua, Effie; 318-481-2888.

**Angus** bulls, 21 mos., \$1500/1-up; blk. Angus bull calves, wean. age, AI sired 004 & Midland, \$900/1-up; Angus bull, 2 yrs., Traveler 6807 son out of champ. Hill Lady 2024, calves to show, \$2750. Trent Graves, Prairieville; www.bluebonnetlivestock.com, 225-324-5501.

**Drk. red** reg. miniature Zebu bull, beautiful, \$2500. Jerome Hammons, Many; 318-256-2420 or 318-332-2042.

**(3) reg.** Angus heifers, 6-9 mos., \$750/1; reg. Angus bull, 7 mos., \$800; reg. Angus bull, born 1-16-05, \$1800. Dwaine Scallan, Bunkie; 318-346-4573 or 318-201-5474.

**Reg. blk.** Limousin bulls & heifers, gentle w/excel. EPDs, Homo. blk. & polled, RADS blk. prodigy bloodlines, \$600/1-up. Dextel Terrebonne, Gibson; 985-209-0026.

**250 Brangus** heifers, exposed to lbw Angus bulls, \$950/1. Gary Anderson, Cloutierville; 318-379-0957.

**Reg. Angus** bulls, 7-9 mos., \$500/1. Clinton Breland, Angie;

985-848-9213 or 985-515-8883

**Reg. Angus** bull, tested, 4 yrs., great shape for Sid Kinchen stock, \$1600. Roger Hembree, Tickfaw; 985-230-0287.

**Jersey & Holstein** heifers, \$200-\$600/1. J. Martinez, Donaldsonville; 225-717-4345.

**Recip. cows** Jersey & Holstein, \$850/1. Justin Martinez, Donaldsonville; 225-717-4345.

**Jersey & Holstein** milk/nurse cows, \$600-\$800/1. K. Martinez, Donaldsonville; 225-717-4345.

**Crossbred calves**, \$100/1. Kurt Martinez, Donaldsonville; 225-717-4345.

**Reg. blk.** Angus bull, 4 yrs., tested, \$1400; blk. Angus/Brangus bulls, 14 mos.-up, \$750/1-up; pb Charolais bull, 20 mos., shots up to date, tested, \$1400. Karen Saizan, Opelousas; 337-945-0273.

**(7) reg.** Angus bulls, wean. 71-08, grandson of Bando 5175, \$750/1-up or \$6500/all. Rickey Soileau, Ville Platte; 337-789-9443.

**F-1 tiger** strip heifers, due to calve in Oct., 24 mos., some younger to calve next spring, excel. disposition, \$1300/1; unbred, 10-16 mos., \$900. Wayne Weick, Mt. Hermon; 985-877-5926.

**(2) Reg.** Charolais bulls, 9 mos., long, lean, muscular frames, wean., well developed & gentle, \$900/1. Danny Bardwell, Robert; 985-542-0963 or 504-382-1740.

**Commercial Brangus** heifer, hvy. bred to reg. Brangus bull, \$1100. Brad Bardy, Bush; 985-966-1557.

**Brah. commercial** JD Hudgins sired, 18 mos., bull, \$950; reg. horned Hereford MDA Mark Arthur sired, 15 mos., bull, \$850; commercial polled Hereford, 11 mos., bull, \$750. James Deshotel, Ville Platte; 337-230-4170.

**Piedmontese** bulls, fb, hvy. muscle, docile, sweat glands, genetically trimmed lean meat, great herd sire, weaned & up, \$1000/1. S. Fox, New Iberia; 337-364-4241.

**Limousin** bulls, red, blk., polled, dbl. homozygous, lbw, great EPDs, AI sires, Lodestar, Kaboom, hvy. muscle, docile, wean weight 860 lbs., herd sire ready, weaned & up, \$1000/1; ½ Limousin ½ Piedmontese, weaned bull, \$1000. Terry Fox, New Iberia; 337-364-4241.

**Reg. Angus** bulls, 7 mos.-2 yrs., \$900/1-up. Ray Gendron, Baton Rouge; 225-819-1354 or 225-931-5751.

**Reg. blk.** Angus bull, New Frontier 095 sire, Leachman Right Time daughter, highest performance rationing for 99 bull test at Dean Lee Research Station, \$2500; 2 reg. Angus cows, pasture exposed to son of Percussion E 161, \$850-\$900. Bobby Greenwood, Lafayette; 337-984-7950 or 337-344-2876.

**(4) reg.** red Brangus cows, 4 reg. red Brangus heifers, all exposed to

Cox bloodline bull, \$1400/OBO. Jonathan Hebert, Lacassine; 337-249-1119.

**Charolais** bull, 13 mos., no bad habits, very gentle, polled, dewormed, \$1400. Philip Melancon, Church Point; 337-873-6232.

**(10) reg.** Hereford cows, ready to breed, hvy. bone & lots of def. of body, \$1000/1 or \$1800/2. Cheryl Smyth, Leesville; 337-238-5111.

**Reg. pb** Santa Gertrudis cow, born 8-11-05, Grizzly 3308 bloodline, top & bottom, all shots, bred to blk. Angus bull, \$800; reg. pb Santa Gertrudis heifer, born 2-17-08, Grizzly 3308 bloodline to & bottom, \$500, papers in buyers name. Ignacio Valledor, Mandeville; 985-898-0306 or 985-630-1520.

**(10) FI** Brangus heifers, 6-8 mos., weaned & shots, from red/gray Brah. cattle & Angus bulls, \$900/1, if all taken. Sam Zaunbrecher, Eunice; 337-580-2725.

**(11) Braford** heifers, 2½ yrs., mostly F-1, exposed to Angus bull, tiger stripes & mostly faced cows, \$1200/1; 3 reg. Hereford heifers, 19 mos., exposed to blk. Angus bull, 800 lbs., vey gentle, Domino & Advance breeding, \$3600/all. Larry Duhon, Kaplan; 337-652-6200.

**Reg. blk.** Simbrah bull, very gentle w/good muscle, \$110. Greg LaFleur, Opelousas; 337-543-8158 or 337-831-0889.

½ **Holstein** ½ Jersey, 10 mos., heifer, very gentle, \$450. Brenda Lea, Denham Springs; 225-664-5708.

**Reg. Charolais** cows, big calves at side & rebred, \$1400/1-up. Walter Lemoine; Marksville; 318-253-7939.

**Pb Charolais** bulls, 9-10 mos., \$800/1. John Southworth, Hammond; 225-567-9726.

**Reg. Beefmaster**, chemical free, pasture raised, red heifers, blk. bulls, 4 mos., \$400/1-up. Milton Vaughn, Plaquemine; 225-545-8598.

**Reg. bulls**, 6-7 mos., \$650/1-up; reg. heifer, bred, \$1200; 7 Brangus heifers, bred to Angus bull, \$1000/1; 2 reg. Angus heifers, exposed to bull, \$900/1; reg. Angus bull, 14 mos., good bloodline, \$1000. Leo Burleigh, Eunice; 337-457-7823.

**Simm. & Simbrah** cattle, heifers, bulls, prs., \$850/1-up. B.G. Denton, Jena; 318-992-4504.

**(2) Holstein** bull calves, born in Feb., \$150/both. Cheryl Diaz, Galliano; 985-475-7272.

**Blk. pb** polled Simm. bulls, 7 mos., top bloodline, \$800. Ronnie Duplantis, Houma; 985-594-5065.

**Reg. Angus** cows, bred, \$1000-\$1200; reg. Angus heifers, wean. to breeding age, \$650-\$1000. R.J. Needham, Robert; 985-345-9212.

**(3) reg.** Angus bulls, 8-16 mos., \$800/1-up. M. Richard, Mowata;

337-277-0220.

**(2) red** Angus bulls, pb, born early '07, out of lg. framed stock, ready for light service, \$925/1, discount for both. Ronnie Shaw, Lake Charles; 337-540-8875.

**(7) crossbred** heifers, born 12-07 thru 4-08, \$650/1. Tony Barcellona; Zachary; 225-654-6228.

**Reg. red** Angus bulls, 6-8 mos., good EPDs, \$1000. Kevin Forestier, Carencro; 337-962-0025 or 337-654-4498.

**Polled Hereford** bulls & heifers, 6 mos., performance bred, great EPDs, gentle, \$800/1-up. Laura Hughes, Zachary; 225-658-5348.

**Maine Anjou** bull, 7 mos., polled, solid blk., excel. quality, gentle, \$800. Brian Thompson, Zachary; 225-658-5348.

**Maine Anjou** heifer, 7 mos., excel. quality, can be shown, reg. or as a commercial heifer, \$2000. Judy Wiggins, Baton Rouge; 225-752-0309.

**(2) min.**, Red Angus heifers, 1 yr., out of grand champ. Angus bull, \$600/1. Danny Ayo, Maurice; 337-893-0988.

**Reg. Simbrah** bull, born 11/3/01, proven herd sire, embryo transplant bull, ready for service, very gentle, outstanding EPDs, \$1500. Gene Foster, Dubach; www.fosterlandandcattle.com, 318-777-8304.

**Reg. Red** Angus bulls, AI sired, 18 mos., gentle, ready for service, outstanding EPDs, \$1500. Jeff Foster, Dubach; www.fosterlandandcattle.com, 318-777-8304.

**(15) heifers** from Brangus cow & Charolais bull, \$650/1, if all taken; (4) f1 heifers Hereford/Brah. cross, \$900/1, if all taken. Jason Guidry, Abbeville; 337-898-2119.

**(9) head** 3n1 cows, Brangus & Braford, 5-9 yrs. w/325 weight, Angus & Braford calves at side, bred to 3½ yr. old reg. Braford bull, \$10,000/all. Jeff, Sulphur; 337-558-5275.

**Reg. Brangus** bull, 17 mos., sired by MC New Direction, super clean neck & underline, moderate size w/good muscle, lbw EPDs, loads of staying power, \$2200. Bryan Payne, Broussard; 337-654-4754.

**Reg. bred** Brangus yrlg. heifers, lbw, \$1100/1-up; several nice bred cows w/calves at side, \$1500/1-up. Kevin Payne, Broussard; 337-654-4754.

**Angus & Brangus**, 3 yr. old bred cows, \$1150; Angus & Brangus first calf heifers, \$1000. D. Spears, St. Landry; www.spears\_farms\_la@hughes.net, 318-729-4069.

**Charolais** bull, 3 yrs., excel. bloodline, beautiful, big, stout & gentle, calves to show, \$1300. Ashton Thibodeaux, Sunset; 337-662-6330.

**Wanted: miniature** Dexter or Hereford cattle. Sarina Lirette; Bourg; twofeatherfarms@hotmail.com, 985-665-0464.

## HORSES, MULES & JACKS

mail.com, 985-665-0464.

**Sorrel filly**, '07, Smart Little Lenny, Pop A Top Pep, Docs Remedy, Sparkles Suzanne bloodlines, halter & saddle broke, some ground work, \$800. Dwight Brignac, Washington; 337-826-5310.

**Paint geld.**, 6 yrs., rode on trail rides, gentle but need exp. rider, \$1000. Danny Efferson, Erath; 337-893-7437.

**Reg. bay** (blk.) filly, 16 mos., halter broke, trailer loads, gentle, Cajun War Gold & Little Solitario bloodline, \$2000. Danny Frederick, Abbeville; 337-642-5669.

**AQHA, '98** ranch & sorting geld., has point & money earned in ranch sorting & penning, \$7500; '97 APHA dun & wh. tobiano geld., lots of reining & working cow horse training, \$6500. D. Gentile, Port Allen; 225-328-2198 or 225-627-9562.

**Finished heel** horse, '99, chestnut ranch geld., 14.2 H, stout 1100 lbs., quiet in box, rates & scores well, been hauled to Jackpot & roping over the country, guaranteed sound, \$4500/firm. Dean Gentile, Port Allen; 225-328-2198 or 225-627-9562.

**Miniature horses**, all ages & colors, pintos & solids, some mares possibly bred \$500/1. Jerome Hammons, Many; 318-

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256-2420 or 318-332-2042.

**Reg. miniature** horse, stallion, blk. & wh., blue eyes, gentle, 12 yrs., also bay mare, 7 yrs., \$1100/both. Shirley Marshall, Hessmer; 318-563-4983.

**Mane mule**, blk., 15.1H, 5 yrs., gentle for anyone, pulls single or dbl., no bad habits, \$1500. Darwin Young, Ville Platte; 337-580-4400 or 337-363-8643.

**Paint mare**, 7 yrs., beginner in bbls., poles, great for riding, ridden by 8 yr. old., \$1500. Frank Zaunbrecher, Eunice; 337-457-5018 or 337-207-2822.

**AQHA reg.** gray QH mare, '04, by Cattin Earnings of 133,872 & dam is daughter of Freckles Playboy cutting prospect, was shown in '07 NCHA futurity open & amateur classes, \$4500. Michael Baccigalopi, Creole; 337-542-4389 or 337-990-2904.

**AQHA reg.** '03 bay mare, Smart Little Lena, dbl. bred Doc O' Lena, bred to Own Son of Badger Starlight, \$2500; AQHA reg. '02 sorrel stallion out of Badger Starlight, Colonel Freckles, Doc Clabbel, \$3500. Tommy Carroll, Fisher; 318-256-0049.

**AQHA reg.** stud colt, foaled May '07, Peppy San Badger, Doc's Starlight, Gay Bar King & Eddie Blue Rose, \$500/OBO. Kathy Carroll, Fisher; 318-256-0049.

**Matched pr** of Haflinger mares & all harnesses, like new, used in parades & trail rides, \$2500. Roy Firmin, Zachary; 225-772-2640.

**AMHA reg.** miniature horses, donkeys, \$600/1-up, package prices, free cart, 3 mares, fillies, stallion & mares, pricing. Michael Hebert, Covington; 985-373-1393.

**TB geld.**, 10 yrs., 16 H, easy to ride, sorrel in color, know bbls., \$2000; 11 yr. grey QH, 15.3 H, easy to ride, not a small kid's horse, \$1800. Jerry Barrow, Leesville; 337-239-7877.

**Reg. '08** Jan. filly, palomino, Leo & Boston Mac & Skipper W bred, very thick, \$7500. Keith Guillory, Ville Platte; 337-336-2150.

**AQHA, '04**, Mr. Yella Fella, geld., nice halter horse, N/N & 15.3 H, saddle broke but has not been ridden in 6 mos., \$5000. Tommy Hopkins, Lafayette; 337-

230-7292.

**AQHA gray** yrlg. filly, tall & pretty, \$1250; palomino yrlg. filly, tall & flashy, \$1000. B. Hotard, Hammond; 985-351-5848.

**Reg. AQHA**, 12 yrs, well built bay mare, Freckles Playboy/Doc Bar, 15 H, rides well, \$2000. Ray Simmons, Independence; 985-878-3642.

**Bay roan** filly, '06, son of Playin Stylish & 6666 bred mare, gentle & ready for training of your choice, limited riding, \$2000. Evan Steib, Lottie; 225-718-1975.

**Bay geld.**, '05, By Cash Don't Lie & daughter of Pop A Top Pep, well started & been used on cattle, make outstanding rope or bbl. horse, \$2000. E. Steib, Lottie; 225-718-1975.

**Reg. QH** broodmares, cutting/performance bloodlines, bred to a palomino son of Hes Dun His Time, performing & producing son of Hollywood Dun It, \$1800/1-up. Johnny Steib, Lottie; 225-718-1975.

**'95 own** daughter of Pop A Top Pep, NCHA earner, out of Colonel Libby mare, NCHA, have kept daughter in broodmare band, bred to Lucky Sevens Gold, could have a palomino or buckskin in '09, \$4000. Cindy Steib, Lottie; 225-718-1975.

**'08 foals**, palominos, sorrels & bays, cutting/performance bloodlines, \$800/1-up. C. Steib, Lottie; 225-718-1975.

**Bbl. horse**, Special Effort & Masterbug, 15.3 H, SI65 geld., slow lopes, great pattern, \$3500. Olivia Stewart, Holden; 985-320-5384.

**QH sorrel** geld., lg. muscular horse, 15 yrs., pleasure w/quick response, \$600; Dapple Lineback dun mare, 9 yrs., small horse, gentle, smart, loves people, good child's first horse, \$400. Tommy Strain, Greenwell Springs; 225-261-4500.

**Reg. paint** horse, 14H, tall, kid horse, 3½ yrs., \$1000. Steve Watts, Ruston; 318-255-4535 or 318-245-6843.

**(2) Lineback** dun colts, 14 mos., 1 brown filly, 15 mos., 9 broodmares w/babies, all AQHA reg., \$500/1-up. Thomas Barrow, DeQuincy; 337-786-2684.

**Mini donkey**, 35 females & males, can be reg., very tiny & tame, \$300/1-up. Elton Bernard, Mansura; 800-525-6813.

**AQHA bay** roan filly, '06, Pudden Head & Watch Joe Jack on the papers, halter broke, loads & ready to start under saddle, \$1850. Marc Browning, Ethel; www.browningquarterhorses.com, 225-683-3627 or 225-405-5133.

**AQHA palomino** filly, '08, by own son of Shining Spark out of own daughter of Bob Acre Doc, easy to handle & friendly, \$1500. Bettye Ann Browning, Ethel; www.browningquarterhorses.com,

225-683-3627 or 225-405-5133.

**AQHA buckskin** filly, '08, by own son of Shining Spark on the bottom side of her papers includes performers, stout, friendly, easy to handle & quite a looker, colts also avail., \$1500. B.A. Browning, Ethel; www.browningquarterhorses.com, 225-683-3627 or 225-405-5133.

**Geld.**, 2 yrs., blk. & wh. paint QH, built, broke to ride, gentle natured, will be a big horse, \$800. Nelson Cradeur, Lake Charles; 337-582-3741.

**Palomino mare**, 13 yrs., gentle & good handle, \$1000. Rhett Hebert, Basile; 337-824-3557.

**APHA Cremello** tobiano stallion, 2 yrs., \$1800; palomino half Arabian, '08 colt, sweepstakes, \$1200; Welch mare, 13.2 H, & '08 filly, both bay, pony rides, \$800/both, \$600/mare, \$200/filly, others. Lisa Lyon, Welsh; www.sunkissedfarm.com, 337-753-5290 or 337-370-3479.

**Sorrel geld.**, '02, licensed w/cert. of NRHA, started on bbls., 15.4 H, knows side passes, roll backs, spins, great horse, very smart, \$6500. Marlene Stewart, Independence; 225-209-1297 or 985-981-7963.

**QH geld.**, 4 yrs., grandson of Coolest, sorrel w/flaxen mane & tail, experienced rider necessary, \$1000; QH mare, 5 yrs., sorrel, Peppy San Badger & Mr. Smooth Jet bloodline, experienced rider, \$3500. John Vidrine, Ville Platte; 337-363-7837 or 337-578-4193.

**Quality cutting** & performance prospects by Sons of Smart Plant, Haidas Little Pep & Smart Lil Scoot, mares are Quixote, Docs Oak, Little Peppy, Yng. Gun, Snackbox, Haida, Highbrow Hickory, Freckles, etc., some producers, \$1000/1-up. John Broussard, Erath; 337-937-6719.

**20 quality** cutting horse broodmares, outstanding bloodlines, several producers, \$1000/1-up. Dave Broussard, Erath; 337-937-6719.

**Several well** bred cow horse & performance prospects, also broodmares, \$500-\$1000. J.D. Broussard, Erath; 337-937-6719.

**Older gentle** mare, \$650; long yrlg. performance bred colt, \$600; cow bred wean. filly, \$450; yrlg. & wean. are reg. J. Broussard, Erath; 337-937-6719.

**Paint mare**, 5 yrs., good for trail riding, 14.1 H, \$500. Fran Naquin, Clinton; 225-938-4060.

**Mini mare**, bred, 12 yrs., gray & wh., 4 yr. old, 31" palomino stud & others, \$500/1-up. Roy Hazelwood, Lacombe; 985-882-3210.

**Reg. QH** mare, '90, NCHA proven producer, \$30,000 +, own daughter of Doc Quixote out of Hollywood Rus., \$7500. Linda Helo, Crowley; 337-788-4002.

**TW, 5** yrs., reg., Missouri fox trot, 8 yrs., not reg., no bad habits, 16' neck over stock trailer, '05,

mint cond. w/canvas top, rarely used, \$7600/all, firm or trade for horse trailer w/sleeper, in excel. cond. Don Labat, Thibodaux; 985-860-6277.

**Arabians, reg.** fillies & mares, excel. Spanish & Egyptian bloodlines, exceptional quality, \$1900/1-up. Larry Martinez, Port Barre; 337-585-6969 or 337-592-0091.

**Blk./wh.** Hancock stallion, '96, \$2500; 2 bk./bald face broodmares, \$1000/1; sorrel paint broodmare, Sonny D Bar, James Caan, \$1200; sorrel overo, Star Man, Sonny D Bar, broodmare, \$1200; (2) 5 mo. blk./wh. Hancock fillies, \$1200/1. Brian Olivier, Church Point; 337-331-0137 or 337-543-4460.

**AQHA, '08**, sorrel stallion, gentle, halter broke, stout, grandson of Shining Spark son of Shinning Sneakers, well bred, \$800. G. Perron, Mamou; 337-789-7724 or 337-468-5144.

**4 mo.** old jack, ready to wean, \$75. M. Richard, Mowata; 337-277-0220.

**Reg., pb** Arabian stallions, mares, colts & fillies, Egyptian/Spanish bloodline, IBN Halima, Morafic, Kabull, Barich de Washoe bloodlines, \$1500/1-up. Donavan Stoute, Opelousas; 337-351-3815.

**MFT trail** horses, 40 broke geld. & mares, also colts, yrlgs., broodmares, show stallions, \$750/1-up. Jim Sullivan, Winnsboro; 318-435-3104 or 318-435-4679.

**AQHA palomino** geld., 7 yrs., broke, kid safe, 14.3H, long wh. mane & forelock, gentle, looks like Trigger, \$2500. Janet Thomas, Franklinton; 985-848-2995.

**AQHA reg.** bay roan, geld., 9 yrs., used for penning cows, good trail horse, \$1500. Kevin Trosclair, Thibodaux/ 225-939-7571 or 985-448-0616.

**Miniature horses**, AMHA, AMHR, reg. Buckaroo, Gen Patton, Sids Rebel, Gold Melody Boy & Zeus bloodlines, broodmares 2n1 & 3n1, yrlg. fillies & colts, \$750/1-up. Wilson LaGraize, Franklinton; www.catcawoods.com, 504-812-8018.

**11 mo.** old A.S. stud colt from A.S. blk. & wh. paint stud & A.S. sorrel mare, very gentle, halter broke, \$400. Rodney Moreau, Simmesport; 318-941-2987.

**Gaited bay**, 9 yrs., 1350 lbs. geld., ½QH, ½Missouri Fox Trotter, sure footed & strong, been rode on trails, used for halter breaking, \$1200; reg. TW bay filly, 14 mos., naturally gaited, gentle, \$950; 28 mos. grade sorrel, w/flax mane & tail, TW geld., green broke, \$1000. Tim Soileau, Ville Platte; timothysoileau@yahoo.com, 337-277-3862.

**'06 buckskin** geld., ½ QH, ½ Belgian, big & beautiful, rides good, \$1500 '05 bay geld., ½ QH, ½ Belgian, gentle, halter broke,

\$1000; '05 bay geld., ½QH, ½ Welch, thick & stout, halter broke, \$500; '03 palomino geld., well broke, been on cattle, \$1500. Ben Baggett, Mittie; 337-639-2086.

**Reg. TB** brood mares; reg mare, 16 yrs., named Onda Flora w/2 yr. filly out of Onda Flora & Trophy Hunter; reg. mare, 11 yrs., named Del's Special; \$4000/all. Fred Gossen, Rayne; 337-334-3311 or 337-334-5417.

**Blk. tobiano** stallion, '01, 60% blk., 40% wh., homozygous for tobiano, top: Painted Robin, bottom: Skipper W, Grand Ruler, Skipa Star, Triples Titan, 16 H., 1300 lbs., excel breeder, sound, no bad habits, \$3000 or trade for AQHA mares. J.C. Parker, DeRidder; 337-463-2237.

**APHQ '06** sorrel tobiano, color 50/50, splashy, dam: Doc Bar, Comet, Bar Bob, tall w/excel. conform., gentle disp., '07 bay tobiano, dam: Encore, Three Bars, both sired by blk. & wh. homozygous tobiano, Red Robin, Skipper W., Skipa Star, Grand Ruler, Triples Titan, \$1000/OBO or will trade. Jessie Parker, DeRidder; 337-463-2237.

**Docs Suga Bambi**, easy going 6 yr. AQHA sorrel mare, shown in 4-H halter classes, ranch trail, never refused an obstacle, works off leg cues, not spooky, loads, clips, bathes, ties, catches easy, handled daily, has been exposed to 4-wheelers, tractors & cows, sound sane, no jiggling, prefers slower pace, \$3000. Tammy Payne, Broussard; 337-278-3624.

**TWHBEA, SSHBEA**, 2 reg blk. & wh. geld., 2 yrs., \$1200/1; TW gray geld., 2 yrs., \$800. Lois Rodrigue, Vacherie; 225-265-4654 or 504-289-0923.

**Reg. TW**, gentle, hand raised wean., geld., mares, naturally gaited, \$1000. L.D. Spears, Dry Creek; 337-328-7365.

**9 yr.** mare by Ziploose N Fancy Free, bred to a son of Playgun, \$3500. Richard Trahan, Kaplan; 337-643-7084.

**Miniature donkeys**, 1 jack 1 jennie, \$350/both. Jim White; Castor; 318-544-2356.

**Wanted: small**, white pony for beginning child rider. Fran DeFelice, Zachary; 225-658-2789.

**Wanted: miniature** stallion, 28" or shorter. Steve Chelette, Washington; 337-826-3009.

**Sun N Sugar**, 2006 red dun stallion, sire Mr. Sun O Lena AQHA champion, \$7500; 2004 bay gelding, Dash for Cash and Streakin Six breeding, used for working cattle, good roping or barrel prospect, \$2500. John O'Neal, Lake Charles, 337-433-1856.



**Iowna Cleat**, son of Dashing Cleat SI 111, dam Sensuous Sound SI99, by Sound Venture, '09 breeding season, 1<sup>st</sup> 10 to book, \$500, after 1<sup>st</sup> 10 fee will be \$700, mare care avail. Marlene Stewart, Albany; 225-209-1297 or 985-981-7963.

**Straight Egyptian** Norus son, siring beautiful foals w/athleticism, looks, size, Straight Egyptian, Nasralla Sharaf, gorgeous dark gray w/substance & motion, \$1000/\$7 mare care. Jeff Dupre, Washington; 337-585-2642.

**Arabians, reg.** Straight Spanish Baric De Washoe grandson, gray but produces color, extremely long neck, Egyptian, snow white, multi champ, at halter, winner of most classic Arabian, sires exotic foals, both 15+H, foals to show, pb, \$600, others neg. Larry Martinez, Port Barre; 337-585-6969 or 337-592-0091.

**Reg. 4 yr.**, 15 H, gray TW stallion, great disp., very smooth, naturally gaited, \$250/\$5, mare care, LFG. Tim Soileau, Ville Platte; timothysoileau@yahoo.com, 337-277-3862.

**TWHBEA, SSHBEA**, reg. blk. & wh. homozygous tobiano stallion, \$250/\$5 day mare care. Lois Rodrigue, Vacherie; 225-265-4654 or 504-289-0923.

## SHEEP & GOATS

**Reg. Boer** goats, 100%, paint buck, 5 mos., \$75; wether, 5 mos., \$40; wether, 3 mos., \$40. Allen Dugas, Tickfaw; 985-542-0252.

**Percentage Boer** male, 1 red, 1 red/white, 98%, 4 mos., \$100/1. Lionel Fontenot, Ville Platte; 337-363-7314.

**Part Nubian**, 6 mos. male goats, healthy, some no horns, \$35/1-up. Joel Growden, Covington; 985-875-7512.

(2) **reg.** Nubian does, 1 in milk other possibly bred, \$300/1. Amber Kibodeaux, Egan; 337-783-1933.

(2) **fb** SA open nannies, color correct, reg. Rambo bloodline, \$400/1-up; fb, SA doe, 5 mos., lg., color correct w/reg. papers application, \$300. Anthony Mumphy, Eunice; 337-550-0826.

**PB Feb.** '08 Suffolk ram lamb, \$150. Claude Sellers, Youngsville; 337-856-4839.

**Fainting goats**, males & females, \$100/1. Norma Traylor, Ponchatoula; 985-386-3289.

(3) **Boer** goat wethers, 2 mos., \$200/1; Nigerian dwarf bucks, reg. \$75; Nigerian dwarf reg. doeling, \$200; Boer does, reg., \$350. Dianna Allshouse, Loranger; 985-878-3017.

**Reg. Nigerian** dwarf bucks, white w/blue eyes, \$200; fawn color w/blue eyes, \$200; multi colored, \$100, all gentle. Bert

Fontcuberta, Covington; 985-893-5023.

**ADGA reg.** pb Nubian buck, born 12-23-07, sweet natured & will lead, great bloodlines, sire side, all Goldthwaite Nubians line, dam side, UnRuli, Lonesome Doe, Goldstrike lines, \$350 or trade; Spring '08 wethers, banded, disbudded, great for 4-H or market shows, \$150-\$200/1. Ashlee Hawkes, Leesville; 337-463-7909.

**Cross bred** Nubian, Alpine, doelings & wethers, \$50/1-up. J. McBride, Maurice; 70555; 337-789-5476.

**Fb Boer** does, (1) percentage, all are tame, 3 mos. & older, La. bred tags & scrapies are available when showing, \$250/1-up. Robert Richard, Carencro; 337-896-6264.

**Nubian does**, doelings & bucks, \$100/1-up. Louis Robert, Hessmer; 318-563-4428.

**ADGA reg.** Nubian buck, \$150; ½ Nubian doelings, born 2-08, ready for fall breeding, \$125/1. Michelle Constantine, Moreauville; mconstantine@krick-et.net, 318-985-2095.

**Brush goats**, yng. goats, \$40/1-up; grown nannies, \$75/1-up, low maintenance, will keep property clean. E.J. Flanagan, Hammond; 985-345-1498.

(4) **reg.** Katahdin lambs, born 2-08, ram lambs, 2 ewe lambs, \$100/1. Wallace Fontenot, Rayne; 337-334-4343.

**Nigerian/Lamancha** billy, 14 mos., gentle, has been breeding, \$75. Hank Mentz, Covington; 985-630-3094.

**Dorper/Kathdin** cross, \$250/1-up. G. Brown, Opelousas; 337-207-4804.

(2) **fainting** goats, 3 mos., male & female, \$100/1. Terry Fontenot, Roanoke; 337-753-2777.

**Nigerian dwarf**, yng. adults, weaned doelings, proven bucks, \$150/1-up. Ray Fugatt, Lake Charles; 337-855-8533.

**Nigerian dwarfs**, 10 mo. old buck, \$75; 6 wk. & 3 wk. old buckling w/blue eyes, \$100, disbudded, sweet personalities. Cindy Hack, St. Amant; 225-647-7051.

**Fainting goats** (myatonic), born 3-1-08, \$100. Walter Libick, Merryville; 337-208-8444 or 337-825-8937.

**Nubian milk** goat, \$300; Saanen, \$300, both being milked at present. Buddy Losario, Lettsworth; 225-492-2179 or 225-718-7197.

(4) **ABGA** bucks, \$3500; 2 wethers, \$350. Ashley Deshotels, Pine Prairie; 337-459-2002.

## SWINE

(8) **feeder/wean.**, blue butts, 8 weeks, \$40/1. Brad Bardy, Bush; 985-966-1557.

**Pot bellied** piglet, beautiful markings, \$50. A. Richard, Church

Point; 337-277-3365.

## DOGS

**NALC Catahoula**, female, beautiful, 2½ yrs., dbl. glass eyes, \$125. Wayne Smith, Glenmora; 318-748-7272.

**Reg. CKC** Boston terrier puppies, CKC miniature rat terriers, natural bob tail, CKC Yorkie-poops, beautiful markings, \$100-\$400/1. Shirley Branch, Angie; 985-848-5423.

**Reg. CKC** cocker spaniels, 5 females, 2 yrs., 1 male, 3 yrs., 2 female puppies, 4 mos., proven breeders, \$150/1 or \$800/all. Steven Branch, Angie; 985-848-2224.

¾ **Australian** shepherd ¼ kelpie, working parents & great pets, blk. & wh. or red & wh., \$150. Don Cummins, Coushatta; 318-471-2456.

**Toy beagles**, male & female, 6 lbs. each, female, blue tri-colored, male, tri-colored, both are 1 yr. old, \$400/pr. Robert Graham, DeRidder; 337-328-7199.

**CKC peek-a-poos**, \$350/female. \$250/males; CKC cock-a-poo's, \$150. J. McBride, Maurice; 337-789-5476.

**NSDR miniature** male Australian shepherd, born 4-14-06, blk. tri, beautiful markings, gentle, loves children, \$200; NSDR miniature female Australian shepherd, born 4-29-08, blk. tri, beautiful markings, 4 wh. legs, full white collar blaze, copper markings, \$150. Teddy Ledet, Lockport; 985-693-7268.

**Border collie** dad/German shepherd mom, both parents herd, \$50; border collie dad/Catahoula cross mom, blk./wh., \$25. Lisa Lyon, Welsh; 337-753-2590 or 337-370-3479.

**Reg. original** Fountain stock mountain cur pup, bred for tree dog, bay dogs on cow & hog, family & companion dogs, \$250/1. Hubert Soileau, Ville Platte; 337-363-1490.

**Reg. border collie** puppies, born, 4-29, from working stock, blk. & wh., \$200/1. Pat Boudreaux, Simmesport; 318-941-2614.

**Pure cocker** spaniel female, 1 yr., \$25; free to good home, ½ Lab, female, good w/kids & animals, 1 yr. Cheryl Diaz, Galliano; 985-475-7272.

**Fox terrier**/rat terrier puppies, excel. yard dog, \$75/1. Brian Olivier, Church Point; 337-331-0137 or 337-543-4460.

**CKC Yorkshire**/dachshund cross, 1<sup>st</sup> shots, wormed, short back, leggy & fluffy, blk./tan, \$250. Sue Dumatrait, Ragley; 337-725-3063.

**Reg. mountain cur** puppies, 2 males, from squirrel dog, born 3-31-08, \$175/1. Tommy Myers, Goldonna; 318-727-9325.

**Kennels, 2x4**, 6 galv. welded wire, galv., 5x5x10, \$409; 5x10x10, \$501; 6x5x10, \$466; 6x10x10, \$573. Mike Passman, Amite; 985-748-5094.

**Reg. border collie** puppies, out of top Calif. bloodline & top winning LA dogs, \$400/taking deposits. Danny Ayo, Maurice; 337-893-0988.

**AKC Yorkie** puppies, \$500/1-up; teacup Multi-poo puppy, solid wh., \$1000/1. Clara Broussard; Abbeville; 337-893-6745.

**AKC Rhodesian** ridgeback, born 6-4-08, \$350. Doug Danzy, Leesville; 337-238-3730 or 318-729-0823.

**AKC Doberman** puppies, blk. males & females, red, males & females, \$400 now taking orders. Stephanie McNeal, Effie; 318-253-5842.

**NCLA Catahoula** puppies, born 6-8-08, 6 males, 1 female, out of working dogs, \$150/1. Chester Wagner, St. Martinville; 337-845-4764 or 337-412-8545.

**AKC boxer** puppies, males, females, brindle & fawns, up to date shots, wormed, \$350-\$400, boxer at stud also. Howard Spears, Tangipahoa; 985-229-7729.

## POULTRY, FOWL & EGGS

**Bantams, chicks** to grown, \$2-\$5; eggs, \$3/doz. Harry Ardoin, Ville Platte; 337-363-7176 or 337-360-2896.

**Rhode Island** red roosters, 3 mos., kid friendly, \$5/1-up. Emmie, Zachary; 225-324-0778.

**Blue winged** teal, cinn. teal, mandarins, wood ducks, hooded mergansers, ringed teal & others, \$25/1-up. Mike Yglesias, Central; 225-268-7506 or 225-262-0954.

**Blk. sex** links pullets & Rhode Island reds, \$6.5/1. Floyd Cook, St. Amant; 225-675-2674 or 225-715-0425.

**Bob white** quail, all sizes, depending on size, \$4/1; doves, wh. or grey, \$6/1. Daniel Lipscomb, Springfield; 985-969-2864.

**Show call** ducks, all colors, \$50/pr.-up; mandarins, \$50/pr.; Calif. quail, \$25/pr.; button quail, \$10/pr.; gambles, \$25/pr.; ringneck doves, \$10/pr.; ringneck pheasant, \$20/pr. Billy Ollie, Independence; 985-507-8044.

**Trumpeter** swans, 2 mos., \$500/1. Patricia, Franklinton; 985-848-9419.

(3) **adult geese**, will be given to good home w/pond, 2 males, 1 female, around 4 yrs. old, wh. & brownish in color, female is laying. Carol Phillips, Logansport; cdpaviary@bellsouth.net, 318-697-7241.

**Laying hens**, barred rock, pro-

duction red, Rhode Island red & Cornish cross pullets, roosters & fryers, Muscovy ducks & ducklings, \$3/1-up. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan; 337-789-5478.

**Birchen cochin** bantams, prs. only, \$20-\$60/pr, depending on show quality. Michael Hebert, A b b e v i l l e ; www.cochinproject.com, 337-772-9271.

**Rhode Island** red chicks, \$1.25/1-up. Lance Nelson, Gonzales; 225-978-0778.

**Mallard, English** caller white, full grown, \$10/1. Peter Palermo, Morganza; 225-425-2216.

**Barred rock** hens, \$8/1. Wallace Fontenot, Rayne; 337-334-4343.

**Jumbo pharaoh** & Georgia giant bobwhite, all size birds & eggs, \$3/pharaoh, \$6/Georgia giant & bobwhite, \$20/100 pharaoh eggs. Shirley Franks, Lena; 318-793-8018.

**GQF 3** tray automatic, 278 egg capacity, clear door incubator, like new, \$350. Tony LaBauve, New Iberia; 337-339-4424.

**Jumbo pharaoh** quail, up to 6 wks., 75¢-\$2/1-up; grown, cleaned & dressed birds, \$25/doz., eggs, \$40/100. Jim Douglas, Pitkin; 318-634-5670 or 318-452-0635.

**Wood ducks**, '08 hatch, \$45/pr. Mike Saucier, Gheens; 985-232-8089 or 985-532-0036.

**Pharaoh quail**, 50¢/day old; 60¢/5 days 75¢/10 days; 20¢/fertile eggs. Blaise Sonnier, Youngsville; 337-856-5884.

**Mallard ducks**, crested khaki, grown, pinioned, \$25/pr.; serama chickens, \$25/trio. Jay Thibodeaux, Opelousas; 337-948-6427.

**Wanted:** ½ grown & full grown chickens, ducks, guinea, geese, turkeys, healthy bantam assorted. Wilbur Leger, Rayne; 337-334-4949.

**Wanted: BB** red, miniature bantam roosters & hens. Norman Ordoneaux, Lake Arthur; 337-774-2641.

## DOMESTIC BIRDS & EQUIPMENT

**Red rump** parakeets, \$75/pr.; Indian ringnecks, lutinos, male talks, \$400/pr.; love birds, \$35/1. Don Leche, Metairie; 504-889-1784.

**Breeder** parrots, 6 pr., cage & nest box, \$1500; breeder Congo grey, proven, \$1000/pr; breed Timneh, proven, \$900/pr.; DYH proven pr. & baby, \$1700 Angelina Wallace, Terrytown; 504-394-6756 pr 504-615-1084.

**Canaries** from award winning line, males, \$55/1, females, \$55/1; shaft-tailed finches, \$45/1; zebra finches, all varieties, \$6/1. Carlos Ambrogio, Houma; 985-868-3648.

(20) **society finches**, \$3/1, if all taken; 2 gray & 1 blue Indian ring-neck, \$100/1; 4 green/blue & 3 blue parakeets, \$75-\$100/1; pr. of scarlet chested parakeets, \$200; pr love birds, throw violet white-faced babies & 2 yng. violet white-faced lovebirds, \$75/all. Mike Baio, Houma; baiom@bellsouth.net, 985-857-6904.

(6) **parakeets**, 1 wh., 1 green, 4 blue, 3 finches, 1 blonde, 3 drk. orange beaks, \$100/all. Ernest Cook, Covington; 985-892-7058.

**Yellow nape** Amazon, female breeder, \$600; umbrella cockatoo, male breeder, \$400; sulfur crested cockatoo breeder pr., \$1200. Lennis Hebert, Duson; 337-981-0574.

**Red rumps**, Australian blue, \$200/pr.; opaline blue, \$250/pr.; opaline, \$125/1; splits, \$100/1; green cheek conures, split to turquoise, \$275/1; pineapples, \$325/1; plum heads, \$225/1. Donald Jacob, LaPlace; 985-652-6614.

**Solomon island** eclectus pr., \$1100. Damian Shaheen, cajunbait2000.net, Opelousas; 337-255-3148.

**Lineolated parakeets**, prs., 2 yrs., \$400-\$500; violet blue mask love birds, \$100/1-up. Glenn Allen, Gonzales; 225-715-2666.

**Hf blue & green Quakers**, \$160-\$300; hf green cheek conures, tamale red sided eclectus for breeding, \$600; adult male cockatiels, \$50. Jane Brown, Ragley; 337-725-3123 or 337-532-5109.

**Love birds**, proven prs., \$30-\$50; yng. love birds, many colors, \$20-\$35; quantity discount on all birds; 14 breeder love birds, orange face lutino, orange face olive, red face lutino, pied & more, \$175/all; \$30-\$40/prs. Dale Landry, Paincourtville, 985-369-6952.

**Blue & gold macaw**, female, 6 yrs., \$600, cages, lg. & medium, some w/metal nest boxes, \$100-\$300. Jackie Louque, Slidell; 985-641-1988.

**3 Alexandrine** prs., \$400/1; singles, \$250/1; yellow crowned Amazon hen, \$400; yellow nape Amazon male, \$400; red sided eclectus hen, \$450, will make package deal. Mark Matthews, Prairieville; 225-324-8480 or 225-622-2314.

**Female sun** conure, \$225; cockatiels & love birds, \$25-\$35/1. Lance Nelson, Gonzales; 225-978-0778.

**Opaline love birds**, singles & prs. orange face, sea green, turquoise, yellow face, lutino, \$60-\$175/1. Skip Allen, Gonzales; 225-644-1908.

**Cockatiel breeder**, variety colors, \$50/pr. & up; baby hf, \$35/1-up; others. J.L. Duplechain, Gonzales; 225-644-5407 or 225-270-5175.

**White doves**, \$8/pr.; tangerine,

\$8/pr. Daniel Rutledge, Jennings; 337-824-5082.

**Love birds**, variety of colors, \$25/1; cockatiels, variety of colors, \$25/1. Rodney Sittig, Eunice; 337-459-5964.

**HF cockatiels**, very tame, assorted colors, \$65; breeder assorted colors, \$65. Jerry Tauzin, New Iberia; 337-367-2508.

**10 bird** cages, 18x18x30, feeders & waters, 1 yr. old, \$100/all. Roy Riedlinger, Gonzales; 225-677-8851 or 225-921-5386.

**Parakeets, \$10/1**; hf & breeder cockatiels, \$15/1-up; dusky conures, \$300/pr.; white capped pionus, \$200/1 or \$450/3. Clara Broussard, Abbeville; 337-893-6745.

**Rosie bourkes**, \$40/1; red rump yellow hen, \$50; yellow male, \$50; pied male, \$50; linneolateds, turquoise, \$175/1; scarlet chested hen, \$75; normal bourke, \$30/1. Damain Kerek, St. Amant; 225-714-6434.

**Peach face & blk. head ring eyed** love birds, hf, \$35/1 or \$75/pr. Ernestine Slie, Bush; 985-867-9008.

**Wanted: blue** or split to blue lady gould finches. Michael Baio, Houma; 985-851-6904, after 5:30.

**Wanted: Indian** ring neck parakeets, 7 females, will trade for males. Daniel Rutledge, Jennings; 337-824-5028.

**Wanted: will** take all your unwanted birds & give them a good home, plenty food & good environment. Charles Rachal, Moreauville; 318-985-2391.

## PIGEONS

**Racing homing** pigeons, show & racing quality, variety of colors, different breeds, \$20/pr. Vernon Champagne, Houma; 985-873-8440.

**Fantails, frill** backs, German owls, nuns, saddle racing homers, ice pigeons, Lahores, jo jocs, oriental frills, show homers, brunes pouters, \$6/1-up. Julius Thibodeaux, Rayne; 337-356-9069 or 337-334-5871.

**2 prs.** producing wh. utility Kings, \$15/pr. Buford Landreneau, Ville Platte; 337-461-5282.

## DEER & EXOTICS

**Male llama**, 9 mos., tan in color, best guard animal on farm, no dog or coyote allowed in pastures, \$450. Rickey Soileau, Ville Platte; 337-789-9443.

**White tail** deer, bottle fed, fawns, 2 bucks, 2 does, great bloodline, \$150/1-up. Eddie Lemoine, Plaquemine; 318-922-3519.

## RABBITS & EQUIPMENT

**San Juan** rabbits, \$15/1. Vernon Champagne, Houma; 985-873-8440.

**Dwarf doe**, dwarf buck, 4 mini rex, 8 hole wire cages, comp. waters, feeder, \$250/OBO. Joseph Darby, Slidell; 985-285-9806.

**PB Netherland** dwarf, \$5/1; pb mini rex, \$5/1. Timothy Hymel, Paulina; 225-869-3627.

**Lg. New Zealand** rabbits, \$6/1-up. Mark Morgan, Sarepta; 318-847-4038.

**Netherland dwarf**, Polish, Dutch, Holland lop & mini lop bunnies & breeders, all pedigreed & from show stock, \$20/1-up. Carol Petitjean, Rayne; www.kristensraynedrops.com, 337-581-1903.

**Proven New Zealand** wh. female, born 6-07, \$40; New Zealand wh. female, 6 mos., \$30; Flemish, \$25/1-up; Dutch, Netherland dwarf, \$10/1-up. Marie Young, Eunice; 337-457-5053.

**San Juan** rabbits, \$5/1-up; mixed breeds, \$6/1-up; new wire cages, \$18/1-up. Ishreal Thibodeaux, Opelousas; 337-942-7726.

**Wanted: rabbits**, 7-10 lbs., Californians & New Zealand, will pay top dollar. Wade Rodi, Braithwaite; 504-432-2170.

## AQUACULTURE & EQUIPMENT

**Pond stocking**, coppernose bluegill, 25¢/1; hybrid coppernose bluegill, 30¢/1; redear bream, 30¢/1; bass, 60¢/1, aerators & fish feeders avail., pick up or del. avail. Chris Broussard, Lafayette; 337-230-0123.

## FARM SERVICES

**Horse boarding**, stalls for rent & pasture, full or partial board, lots of riding area, round pen, trailer storage, in WBR. D. Gentile, Port Allen; 225-328-2198 or 225-627-9562.

**Beef carcass** ultrasound by a CUP cert. tech., real time live animal carcass ultrasound, offers beef producers a reasonable way to make genetic improvement in carcass traits, will, & have scanned in LA, TX, ARK, MS & AL. Trent Graves, Prairieville; www.bluebonnetlivestock.com, 225-324-5501.

**Bobcat & tree** services, debris removal, lot clearing, dirt/gravel work, trailer pads, etc., reasonable rates. R. Hoover, Ponchatoula; 985-

969-7775.

**Coming this** pecan season, get your pecans cracked with us. Sarina Lirette, Bourg; twofeatherfarms@hotmail.com, 985-665-0464.

**Fence building**, 4 & 5 strands barbwire, net, hog wire & ranch style, clear property only, will install for \$1.25-up, customer supplies all materials. B. Long, Kentwood; 985-229-7915 or 985-515-2093.

**Will convert** your round bales to sq. bales at my barn, \$1.75/per sq. bale, hauling to and from avail. J. Pieri, Folsom; 985-981-2427.

**Horse boarding** stalls for rent & pasture, feed/hay twice daily, round pen & arenas, \$250-up; natural horsemanship training, problem horses & colts, \$500-up/mo. Corey Bourque, Abbeville; 337-298-3073.

**Artificial insemination** services for cattle. B. Payne, Broussard; 337-654-4754.

## RURAL PROPERTIES

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."

**168 acres**, Hwy 117 frontage, Vernon parish, pasture, hay field, timber, yr. round stream through property, pond, barn, well, elec. & access to community water line, \$2500/acre. B.D. Burns, Simpson; 337-383-7805.

**20 acres** w/6 yr. old house, t-post fenced sections for livestock, big work shop or outdoor kitchen, pond, \$270,000. Paul Comeaux, Church Point; 337-684-7500.

**Farm house**, new brick acreage, 1600 sq. ft., 3 bedroom, 2 bath, nice area, \$125,000. Elton Bernard, Mansura; 800-525-6813.

**13.72 acres**, open land/partially wooded for pasture, home site or recreation, community water & elec., near Plaquemine, \$67,000. A. Wright, Woodworth; 318-290-9979.

**Ascension parish**, 8.9 acres, in Brusley McCall, La. Hwy. 943, off Hwy. 1, 148.5 W by 2,648.98 D, on blk. top road, 4 miles out of Donaldsonville, \$135,000/neg. Achille Denoux, Gonzales; 225-938-3456

**Wanted: looking** for 200-500 acres of land between Alexandria & Baton Rouge, for hunting & to enjoy the great outdoors. Alan Ryan, Jr., St. Rose; 504-466-1964.

The new Market Bulletin fax number is 225-922-1289.

## TREES & FRUITING VINES

**Grafted mulberry** trees, 10 varieties, wild plum, Chinese parasol, pindo palms, queen palm, American beech, thorn less honey locust, native hibiscus, basswood, grafted mayhaw trees, 4 varieties, \$10-\$45/1. Kent Benton, Livingston; 225-686-0248.

**Sweet red** cherry bush, \$6/1; Meyer lemon, \$10-\$25/1; sweet lemon, \$5-\$20/1; native persimmon, \$8/1; pomegranate, \$10/1; native peach, \$5-\$10/1; Confederate rose, \$10/1-up; yellow candlestick, \$1.5/1; red & pk. Texas star, \$8/1; crepe myrtle, \$8/1. Morris Collura; 337-478-7075.

**La. native** pecan seedlings, 3 gal. containers, perfect for grafting or pecan bearing shade trees, \$6/1, del. avail. West Constantine, Moreauville; west.constantine@cebridge.net, 318-985-2095.

**Trifoliolate seedlings**, root stock for all La. citrus, \$20/100. E.J. Flanagan, Hammond; 985-345-1498.

**Pecan trees**, Elliott, 6 gal, 8' tall, \$60/1; candy & Sumner, 4 gal., \$35/1. Betty Robin, Opelousas; 337-407-0188.

**Satsuma, kumquat**, Meyer lemon, \$15/1; sassafras, \$8/1; fig, 2 gal., \$15/1; muscadine bronze, self fertile, \$7.5/1; banana, pomegranate, paw-paw Mamou & bay leaf, \$6-\$15/1. O. Robin, Opelousas; 337-407-0188.

**Edible nut** trees, chinquapin oak, sweet acorn (Quecus meuhlenbergii), \$15/1. James Robin, Opelousas; 337-407-0188.

**Trees, very** lg., shade, flowering, fruit, nut, etc., del. & planted, \$350-\$3500/1. Bob Thibodeaux, Church Point; 337-319-3959.

**Louisiana live** oaks, 1 gal., 2'-3', \$2/1, 5 gal., 6', \$10/1; 24" boxes, 8' tall, \$80/1; good stock, single leader. A.M. Gray, Patterson; 985-395-5193.

**5, 15 & 30 gal.** trees, crepe myrtles, bald cypress, river birch, \$5-\$70/1. Frank d'Autremont, LeCompte; 318-729-5237.

**Wanted: chinquapin** (Castanea pumila) seed in season, will buy. James Robin, Opelousas; 337-4007-0188.

## SEEDS, FLOWERS & ORNAMENTALS

**Lg. pk.** hibiscus, red & pk. Texas star, Guatemala purple vine (bean), yellow & red squash peppers, roos-

ter spur, thick cayenne peppers, cucuzza squash, Confederate rose, yellow candlestick, pk. spotted, tiger lily, chinaberry red Y wh. cypress vine, \$1.5/pkt w/SASE. Morris Collura, 3237 La. Ave., Lake Charles, 70601.

**All kinds** of plants, crepe myrtle, cannas, 4 o'clock, ferns, ivy, pearl, palms, quince, begonias, French lilac, small trees, hackberry, pin oaks, cotton tree, green ash, 25¢-\$5/1. Patsy Cook, Covington; 985-892-7058.

**All kinds** of trees, bushes, shrubs, 30+ varieties of azaleas, fruit trees, citrus trees, lilies, 800 hybrid amaryllis, knock out roses, 7 colors or crepe myrtles, all in pots, \$2-\$35/1, w/SASE for list & prices. Lee Cook, 56463 Hwy. 445, Husser 70442; 985-748-7043 or 985-981-7819.

**Cushaw green** stripe, birdhouse & dipper gourds, \$2/20. James Robin, Sr., Opelousas; 337-407-0188.

**Wanted: crinum** bulbs send sales list to: Vickie Strobel, 130 Bates Branch Rd., Summerville, SC 29483; 843-821-4850.

## FRUITS & VEGETABLES

**Wanted: red** or wh. shallots, onions that blooms & makes a bulb, about the size of a dime that can be planted. Octave LaCaze, Jr. Colfax; 318-627-3446.

## HAY & GRAIN

**Taking orders**, '08 Argentine Bahia, sq. bales, horse quality, fert. & limed, \$4.5/1 or \$4/1, if 100 or more taken; round bales, 5x6, \$45/1. James Casanova, Amite; 985-517-0334 or 985-748-7363.

**Jiggs Bermuda** or common Bermuda, sq bales, fert. to soil test, picked up in field, tight hvy. bales, \$3.5/common Bermuda; \$4.25/Jiggs, may be able to help load, call for cutting dates & to place order. Chris Douget, Ville Platte; 337-363-6763 or 337-224-2896.

**Jiggs Bermuda** horse hay, clean, fert., sq. bales, \$4/in field, \$4.5/in barn. David Hickman, Alexandria; 318-445-8907.

**Jiggs, fert.** & limed, sq. bales, '07, \$4.5/in barn; '08, \$4.5/in field, \$5/in barn. Mike Johnson, Oakdale; 318-335-6089.

**Fert. Bahia**, sq. bales, '08, \$3/in field; 4x4 round bales, \$20/bale, in field; '07, 4x4 round bales, \$14/bale. David Moran, JR., Pride; 225-933-5636 or 225-570-8252.

**4x5 & 4x5**, \$30/bale. Trey Peck, Sicily Island; 318-389-6894.

**Alicia sq.** bales, '08, fert. & limed to LSU test, quality horse hay, \$3.5/in field, we help load, \$4.5/in barn, you load; call for avail. & cutting dates. Melanie Rachal, Ville Platte; 337-831-1102 or 337-363-6624.

**Tifton 9**, Bahia sq. bales, fert. & limed, hvy., green in color, \$4/bale. Benton Broussard, Jennings; 337-824-8697 or 337-912-0560.

**Jiggs Bermuda** sq. bales, fert. & sprayed, \$4/bale, in barn, minimum of 25. Sammy Broussard, New Iberia; 337-364-7681 or 337-519-5522.

**Sq. bales** Bahia hay, well cured, hvy. bales, \$4/bale. Lee Cook, Husser; 985-748-7043 or 985-981-7819.

**Taking orders**, '08 Jiggs Bermuda sq. bales, \$4/bale, in field, \$4.75/bale, in barn; sq. bales Bermuda & grass mixed, \$3.25/bale, in field, field has been soil tested, limed & fert. Bob Murphy, Crowley; 337-230-5634.

**4x5 rolls** fert. Bahia hay, excel. horse quality hay, \$45/roll, in barn; sq. bales horse quality Bermuda hay, \$6/bale, in barn, del. avail. Joe Pieri, Folsom; 985-981-2427.

**Jiggs Bermuda** sq. bales, '08, fert., \$4.5/behind baler, \$4.75/in barn. Steven Doucet, Jennings; 337-824-9643.

**Fert. Sept./Oct.** '07, 5x6 Bahia round bales, \$25, \$20/if 10 or more taken; July '08, 4x5 round bales, \$25/bale. C.M. Duplechain, Jennings; 337-824-2989.

**Alicia Bermuda** grass hay, '08, sq. bales, \$4/in barn, \$3/75/in field. Brad Leger, Iota; 337-581-1266 or 337-781-9929.

**Hay, fert.** to soil test, cured w/o rain, all 4x5 round bales, clover & rye, in barn, \$45; Bahia, \$45; Bahia, in field, \$30. Danny Schleismann, Husser; 985-748-7663.

**Bermuda sq.** bales, '07, \$3.25/bale, round, 5x5, \$20/bale; '08 premium quality Bermuda race horse hay, \$5.5/bale, in barn, you load. Roy Stokes, Lafayette; 337-247-2141 or 337-237-5771.

**4x5 round** bales, '07, \$20/bale; 4x5 round bales, '08, \$30/bale. Zan Dupre, Eunice; 337-457-2716.

**Jiggs Bermuda**, '08, fert., 4x5 round bales, \$25/1-up; sq. bales, \$4/1-up; sq. bale rice & wheat straw, \$3/1-up; quantity discounts. Aaron Melancon, Rayne; 337-581-1765.

**4x5 round** bales, '07, Jiggs Bermuda, \$25/1. Bryan Romero, Kaplan; 337-643-6794.

**Premium Alicia** Bermuda grass hay, weed free, cured & bales w/o rain, fert. & limed to soil test, 10-12% protein, tight bales, \$5/sq. bales; 4x5 round, \$35/bale, del. avail. Roy Varnado, Jr, Iota; 337-824-3887 or 337-230-1408.

**4x5 round** bales, '07, fert., rye grass, \$12/bale; fert., mixed grass, \$15/bale; fert. Bahia grass,

\$20/bale, hay located in St. Francisville. Daren Vicellio, Zachary; 225-937-7659.

**4x5 1/2** rolls of Bermuda as well as native grasses, fert. & limed, \$40/roll; Jiggs Bermuda sq. bales, fert. & limed, \$5/bale; 4x6 horse quality round rolls Jiggs Bermuda, stored in barn, \$45/roll. D. Spears, St. Landry; www.spears\_farms\_la@hughes.net 318-729-4069.

## TRACTORS & EQUIPMENT

**MF 6'** hvy. duty bush hog, \$385 or trade for garden tools. F.A. Andries, Pollock; 318-765-9260.

**Ford 8N**, '49, restored, \$4000. Lennie Daigrepoint, Hessmer; 318-563-4359, from 4-7pm.

**6' push** blade, pressure up & down, came off 4000 Ford, \$500; 3 pt. hitch lift boom, hvy. duty w/2 cyl., \$350; 10" JD wheel spacers, 10 hole, \$600. Judy Green, Rayville; 318-728-6966.

**8700 Ford**, 100 hp, well used, good tires, runs, good hyd., trans. & PTO, seal out in p/s, \$3500; 6 row equip., 2 cult., 1 crop maker, 2 spray lay-by rigs & 2 belly sprayers, can be cut down to make 2 or 4-row, \$100-up. Percell Green, Rayville; 318-728-6966.

**(2) 3 pt.** Woods rm59 5' finishing mowers, \$350/both; Amco pd2-18, 3 pt. power ditcher for 35-60 hp trac. w/broken chain, \$150. Jason, Elizabeth; 318-308-7905.

**7700 JD** combine 2-20 flex head, field ready, shed kept, \$5000. Victor Lachney, Moreauville; 318-985-2545.

**Komatsu 2000** D41E, 6 way blade, 105 hp, 360 hrs., 26" pads, new rollers, back sprockets, 50% on rails, \$37,500. Lin Miller, Deridder; 337-463-3790.

**Bush hog 6'** w/stump jumper, adj. up or down, needs work, tires fairly good, \$250; bush hog, 5', good cond., \$500; hvy. duty push blade, fits Crawler dozer, 6' long, good cond., \$700; model 70, 2 cyl. JD trac., on propane, 3 pt. hitch, fairly good tires, tricycle front end, \$2500; model 60, 2 cyl., JD trac., gas, hvy. duty 3 pt. hitch, rotomatic tricycle front end, \$2000; 3 bushel seeder/fert. spreader, fits Super Cub, Super A, 140, 3 pt. hitch, \$300. N. Nash, Evans; 337-286-5006 or 337-286-5767.

**'82 IH** 1420 combine w/IH 820 15' grain header & IH 4 row corn header, 1150 hrs., cold a/c, ready to work, \$5000/OBO; 22' Shelbourne Reynolds stripper header w/trailer, \$5000. Bob Richards, Greenwell Springs; 225-654-3705 or 225-938-0940.

**4 Gravely** model L walk behind trac., 3 will run, 1 for parts, 2 bush hogs, sulky, cult. & rotary plow,

\$700/OBO. Landon Richards, Zachary; 225-939-6203.

**(2) 4000** bushel grain bins w/augers & blower, disassembled on pallets, \$4000/both. R.W. Richards, Greenwell Springs; 225-654-3705 or 225-938-0940.

**Tonutti V-10** hay rake, '07, 10 wheel w/back wheel, shed kept, excel. cond. \$5000; Kuhn '06, 108 spd., hay rake, used 4-5 times, shed kept, like new, \$3000/OBO. Roy Stokes, Lafayette; 337-247-2141.

**NH 853** rd. baler, chain baler, makes 5x5 bales, equipped w/floatation tires, bale kicker, auto. elect. wrap w/monitor, shed kept, no rust, excel. cond., field ready, \$3500. Earl Albin, Holden; 225-567-2806.

**JD 830** diesel trac., '74, 40 hp., new rear tires, \$4000. Ronnie Andrepoint, St. Landry; 337-336-1809 or 337-461-2668.

**JD 2030**, runs great, uses no oil, ready to work, \$6000. Kennon Crochet, Iota; 337-824-8359 or 337-523-8831.

**JD 750 C** dozer, LGP 38,000 lb machine, 6 way pat blade, sweeps side & rear screens, good undercarriage & tight machine, approx. 4500 hrs., \$48,500. Hannon Deshotels, Ville Platte; 337-523-4606.

**Hvy. duty** 18" bucket for JD 310 or 410, backhoe, \$695. Jerry Fletcher, Deridder; 337-463-4898 or 337-348-1770.

**Vermeer 403F** rd. hay baler, bales 3x4 bales, good cond., baled w/it in fall '07, \$2150. Ronald Fletcher, Holden; 225-567-2363.

**4' bush** hog, brand name Bushhog, excel. cond., \$300. Arlen King, Pine Prairie; 337-599-2131. or 337-224-2002.

**8N Ford** trac. w/5' bush hog in show room cond., new tires, clutch, brakes, paint, rings, valves, brgs, 12 volt, etc., \$5000. Warren Lyons, Lafayette; 337-235-5854.

**Hvy. duty** box blade, 7' w/3 pt. hook up, \$350; 5' Woods grader blade, \$150. Glen Morgan, Pine Prairie; 337-599-2342.

**Case 1494** trac., cab & air, good rubber, \$5500; like new Kuhn hay fluffer, \$1000; like new pasture aerator, \$800; 2 anvils, lg., small, \$100/1. Joe Richerson, Lecompte; 318-445-4008 or 318-419-4005.

**5 1/2' drum** hay cutter, needs 1 saucer plate only to be in working cond. or can be used for parts, \$350. Dwight Brignac, Washington; 337-831-3758.

**6 cyl.** Deutz air-cooled stationary engine w/shut down system, \$5800; 4 cyl Detroit stationary engine w/shut down system, \$2800; '73 GMC 2500 diesel truck w/20' aluminum hopper bottom grain box, \$4500; also misc. plastic drop pipes & flood pipe. J.W. Broussard, Gueydan; 337-523-4430.

**Farmtrac 555**, 210 hrs., \$10,800. Mike Chesson, DeQuincy; 337-786-2316 or 337-

786-2066.

**450 G JD** dozer, 865 hrs., excel. cond., 98% on tracks, serviced regularly, \$3300. Carl Giles, Hammond; 225-567-9408 or 985-320-4973.

**4005 Mahindra**, 40 hp w/bush hog front end loader, bush hog & disc, \$1200; yellow & white Cub w/front & rear cult., \$3000; '50 Ferguson, \$1000. Norris Graves, Bogalusa; 985-735-1816.

**Complete refurbished** 7100 JD planter w/monitors, finger pick-up & extended seed hoppers, \$2200. David Harvey, Lecompte; 318-443-4852.

**JD MX-10** bush hog, used 1 season, \$3500. Don Hebert, Scott; 337-654-1186.

**Fella TH540T** hydro hay fluffer, hyd. arms & set, bought new in '03, \$3750; 8 wheel hay rake, bought new in '04, \$2000, both barely used & in excel. cond. Mitch Holton, Independence; 985-878-4816 or 985-320-4816.

**Farmall 100** trac. w/hipper, other implements & spare parts, \$1700; Woods 6' belly mower, \$300. William Husband, Abbeville; 337-892-9983.

**Int. 1480** combine, 20' header, cut '07 crop, \$6500. Robert Johnson, Ville Platte; 337-363-6577 or 337-831-2951.

**Int. 274** diesel, 3 pt., front cult. attach., good cond., \$4800; JD 4320, 2 front ends, good cond., \$9500; 3 pt. offset ditcher, good cond., \$1200; plastic 1 row mulch layer to fit Int. 140 or similar trac. w/row shaper, \$1200; 4" PTO sprinkler pump, \$500. Henry Lumino, Hammond; 985-687-4762.

**15 pt.** Bushhog brand cutter, new center gear box, new CV driveline, seals & bearings, good decking, 1000 PTO, \$5800. Myron Mayard, Lake Charles; 337-274-8405.

**PK JD** disc, 10', 22" blades, \$3500; Cub Farmall w/Woods mower, \$1200; 5240 Case trac., MFD, 4200 hrs., c/a, new tires, \$24,000. Fred Perritt, Rayville; 318-728-3035.

**Cat 312BL** Trackhoe, '98, wide pad, thumb, 70% undercarriage, new bucket teeth, 4950 hrs., ready to work, \$40,000/OBO. Joe Pieri, Folsom; 985-981-2427.

**1466 Int.** trac., transmission just redone, \$5500. LaWayne Sicard, Melville; 337-592-0348.

**Int. B-275**, 36 hp, diesel trac. for parts or project rebuild, \$800/OBO. C. Templet, Prairieville; 225-622-6236 or 225-644-1919.

**853 NH** round baler w/bale command, wide throat, chains & sprockets, 2 yrs. old, field ready, \$5000/OBO; JD 894A conventional hay rake, \$200. Douglas Vincent, Erath; 337-937-5585.

**Bush hog**, 15', center gear box broken, perfect deck & 2 other gear boxes & blades, 3 pt. hitch & gauge wheels w/1 extra, no rust,

\$1000/OBO. Elton Bernard, Cottonport; 800-525-6813.

**New grass seeder** for use on trac. or ATV, elect. operated for Ford, Ferguson or Dearborn, 2 row middle buster, \$300/or trade. Cecil Clark, Sr., Crowley; 337-783-7903.

**605C Vermeer** round baler, new bearings & tires, barn kept, \$1200/cash. Kenneth Dunn, DeRidder; 337-462-2565.

**IH 1066** trac., field ready, \$7500. Roland Fontenot, Ville Platte; 337-789-3610.

**Ford 4000** trac., 48-52 hp, diesel, runs good, \$5500. Garry Lavergne, Ville Platte; 337-363-5888.

**Rowse 300** dirt pan, '07, excel. for building a roadbed or scooping out a pond, pulls easily w/75 hp trac., good tires, \$5000; JD 650-J LPG dozer, cab w/air & hear, fully screened w/2000 hrs., 95% undercarriage, \$95,000. Dickey Matherne, Loranger; 985-549-1521.

**Ford 2000** w/5' bush hog on a 16' trailer, all in great cond., \$4500. Danny Middlebrooks, Eunice; 337-580-0343.

**250 gal.** PTO sprayer, \$800. Paul, New Iberia; 337-577-6136.

**Ford 4000** diesel trac. w/5' bush hog, \$3000. Jerry Salley, Many; 318-256-6975.

**(2) 13.6X38** tires & Ford rims, (r 2 lugs), \$1200/both; grain cart, 70 bbl. cap., \$1500. J.R. Trahan, Delcambre; 337-685-2220.

**JD 922** header, \$2000. Justin Bruce, Ragley; 337-217-2120 or 337-884-0257.

**Super A** w/frt. cult., \$2500; extra Cub tools, belly mowers, \$200-up. Skeet Cooper, Jena; 318-992-2206.

**Allis Chambers G** w/1 row planter, disc, front & rear cult., draw box, chains, sweeps, etc., motor uses no oil, \$4250/all. F.K. Crump, Haynesville; 318-624-0349.

**NH 355** grinder mixer, excel. cond., \$6000; Mayrath 6"x35" PTO grain auger, \$1200. G. Denton, Jena; 318-992-4504.

**1 row** riding digger, great shape, \$3000. Daniel Laborde, Mansura; 318-964-2902.

**Ford 3000** diesel trac., \$4790; JD 950 trac. w/turf tires, good cond., \$3995. Danny Leger, Eunice; 337-305-2402.

**15.5x38** 6 ply R1, new tire, \$355; 23.1x28 R1, new, \$300. Clement Lejeune, Oberlin; 337-639-2349.

**JD 630** trac., factory LP, single front wheel, everything works, \$4000. Frank Reese, Baskin; 318-248-2383.

**JD 6' HD** gear box, new seals & bearings, \$250/OBO. Landry Saucier, Pineville; 318-623-6190.

**Long 680** trac., 2 wd, '02 model, 67 hp, metal canopy, wide tires, remotes, shredded & in excel. cond., \$12,000. Carroll Trahan, Lafayette; 337-984-6267.

**Front end** loader, can be modi-

fied to fit most trac., possibly came off of an IH, \$3000. John Wade, Many; 318-256-2764.

**JD 2755**, '91, 75 hp at PTO, open station, 2 wd, \$9000. Bob Wilson, Elm Grove; 318-987-5992.

**NH 282**, sq. baler, PTO, twine, new paint & tires, completely rebuilt, excel. cond., \$4000; NH 56, roller bar rake, left hand del., completely rebuilt, every bearing changed, new paint, \$1500. B. Breaux, Iota; 337-224-8385.

**NH 616** disc mower, \$4000; NH 850 baler, \$950; NH 575 sq. baler, \$5000; IH 560 diesel w/loader, \$3950; Hardee ditch bank mower, \$2200; Foster 3 pt. backhoe w/extra parts, \$2000; hyd. blade, 2 cyl., \$1250; hay bob, 4' rotor tedder, \$900. R. Coldiron, Jonesville; 318-339-7876.

**Farmall H** trac., completely refurbished, 12 volt system w/3 pt hookup, looks & runs like new w/bush hog, \$3000. Ivan Edwards, Ringgold; 318-894-9586.

**Ford 4600** diesel, \$4000; Midland 4.5 yd. scrapper, \$2495; NH 850 round baler, \$1200; Ford 2310 diesel p/s, \$5800; Ford '97, model 5610S, \$9800; Ford NH 8' disc mower, \$4000; Ford 2600 diesel, 8 spd., \$3000. Matt, Trout; 318-419-5494.

**JD 350** dozer, diesel engine, 6 way hyl. blade, auto shuttle, good undercarriage, good pads, pipe cage, does not smoke, runs & looks good, \$12,500. Ronald Sharp, Springfield; 225-695-3627 or 225-270-3799.

**MF 1835**, sq. baler, barn kept, less than 5K bales, excel. cond., \$10,000. Danny Tonagel, Abita Springs; 985-630-8943 or 985-264-0445.

**JD 210** disc, 14', fair cond., \$1350. F. Frey, Iota; 337-581-8528.

**JD 235**, 28' disc, new bearings, tires & rims, ready to work, \$3000. William Hatcher, Kentwood; 985-229-8361.

**Case 1290/loader** 6500 Ford 3000, nice, \$5500; JD 650, \$4100; IH 484, %5500; IH 274, offset, \$4900; Ford 640, extra nice, \$2900. Pan Lanclos, Church Point; 337-684-6474 or 337-945-6960.

**Lesco sprayer** w/50 gal. tank, Kawasaki 5 hp motor, 200' automatic hose reel, \$1800; Kuhn GMD 600 disc cutter, under warranty, \$6000; spray rig to fit in back of Polaris ranger w/boom less nozzle & 30' boom & 656 gal. tank, \$4500; tremble guidance system, \$1600. Chad Lasseigne, Prairieville; www.chadlasseigne@hotmail.com, 225-413-9138.

**140 Farmall**, '69, front & rear cult., row builder, belly mower, lots of tools, 1 piston frozen, \$1850. Jerry Ledet, Cut Off; 985-258-6884.

**Cat D4H** dozer, series 2, 5000 hrs., 6 way blade, well maintained,

excel. shape, \$35,000. Roy Marcantel, Kinder; 337-390-9034.

**(2) 13x24** tires, mounted on rim, 1 10-ply & 1 14-ply, \$500. B. Raiford, Ponchatoula; 985-386-8155.

**MF model 65**, good shape, new paint & clutch, \$5000; 135 MF diesel trac., needs work, \$3700; two 6' bush hogs, 1 has new deck, other has hvy. duty ¼ deck, excel. cond., \$1200/1; Farmall trac. w/tricycle front end, gas engine, good solid trac., \$1900; 10' Woods bush hog, \$2400; Model 160 Bush hog brand bush hog, 13'6" wide, reworked & painted, \$4500. Freddie Rick, Kentwood; 985-229-2279.

**Wanted: old JD 450** dozer for parts, in any cond. Kevin Murphy, Folsom; 985-796-9681.

**Wanted: Ferguson**, Ford or Dearborn, 2 row middle buster. Cecil Clark, Sr., Crowley; 337-783-7903.

**Wanted: 450** Case dozer, any shape, whole or in parts. P.R. Krantz, Krotz Springs; 337-592-0170.

**Wanted: horse** drawn manure spreader, in good shape & other horse drawn equip. Johnnie Barnes, Gillian; 318-296-4292.

**Wanted: 2 or 4** row cult., row builder & planter, 3 pt. hitch. Jerrel Edwards, Trout; 318-992-4803.

**Wanted: small** Bobcat type trackhoe, running or not, for parts. Gerald Langley, Kinder; 337-582-7677, leave message.



**'68 fully** restored Ford F-150, 460 cu. Balance engine, c-6 trans., shown at antique car shows & won, beautiful w/lots of extras, \$10,000. Jerome Hammons, Many; 318-256-2420.

**'72 Ford** F-100 step side w/6 cyl., auto trans., needs engine rebuilt, will run, \$850; '65 Chev. C-60 bobtail single axle truck w/fifth wheel hitch, \$500. L.K. Richards, Zachary; 225-939-6203.

**Int. model 4300**, '02, 466 diesel, 6 spd., 18' twin cyl. dump, single axle, excel. cond., \$28,900; '01 Int. model 4900, 466 diesel, 6 spd., 20' dump bed, \$25,000. Danny Choquette, Marrero; 504-382-6633.

**Chevy 4x4**, '92, ¾ ton p/u, lwb body & auto trans, good cond., good mud tires, engine needs repair, \$1500. Carroll Gueho, Baton Rouge; 225-766-2363.

**Int. cab** over, '87, 400 Cummins tandem axel, 9 spd., \$5000; 2 rice carts, 70 bbl., hyd., \$750/1; 18' water lever, \$750. Cliff Broussard, Lake Arthur; 337-774-3248.

**'95 Freightliner** trac. trk., 12.7

Detroit, 9 spd., good trk., \$9500; flat bottom grain trailer, steel floor, alum. body, good tires & brakes, \$3500. F. Keller, Bunkie; 318-201-8499.

**9100 Int.** single axle, air ride, 10 spd., 330 hp Cummins, good power & rubber, a/c good, farm or work truck, \$8000. Myron Mayard, Lake Charles, 337-274-8405.

**F-250 XLT**, '02, 4x4, 7.3 power stroke diesel, 6 spd., crew cab, pw & pl, gooseneck, brake box, (2) 12" subs, good set of mud grips, 121,000 miles, \$17,500/OBO. Todd Saltzman, Kaplan; 337-652-9729.

**'83 Jeep** pickup trk. w/high & low range, 4 wd w/warn winch, extra set of tires & rims, \$2500. Ivan Edwards, Ringgold; 318-894-9586.

**(4) Remington** wide Brute tires, LT 305/70R 16, very good cond., many miles left on tires, \$175/set. Joe Goudeau, St. Francisville; 225-328-5047.

**'92 Ford** F-250 diesel, 4wd, 5 spd. trans., 229,000 miles, elec. windows & door locks, new brakes, front wheel bearings & 9000 lb. Ramsey winch, \$6200. J.W. Broussard, Gueydan; 337-523-4430.

**'97 Ford** F-350, 12' flatbed, diesel, automatic, \$3500; '94 Chevy 3500, gas 350, automatic, extended cab, \$3000. William Hatcher, Kentwood; 985-229-8361.

**Ford dually** bed, '97 model, white in color, great shape, \$250/OBO. Chad Lasseigne, Prairieville; 225-413-9138.



**Exiss 4** horse aluminum trailer w/living quarters, '05, 7' short wall, elec. hyd. jack, lg. shower, awning, drop down windows, rear tack, \$30,000. Kenneth Andries, Lecompte; 318-452-6414.

**2 seat** go cart, used very little, \$450. Tommy Carroll, Fisher; 318-256-0049.

**Featherlite** '06, 3H, GN 6½ short wall, custom living quarters, full shower, toilet, sink, cook top, stereo, TV antenna, awning, elec. jacks, custom graphics, excel. cond., \$29,500/firm. Jeannie Rotolo, Folsom; 985-796-9350 or 985-639-8538.

**Chaparral gooseneck** stock trailer, '92, side door, front tack room, good cond., \$3000. Gary Burks, Starks; 337-743-5487.

**(3) 8000** lb. Dexter axles w/oil hubs, hyd. brakes, \$450. James Lee, Forest Hill; 318-748-6845.

**Hale cattle** trailer, new floor & paint, 16', very good cond., \$3000. C.M. Duplechain, Jennings; 337-

824-2989.

**Sure ride** galv. boat trailer, 16' long, good cond., \$450. Michel Fox, New Iberia; 337-884-9920.

**Stock trailer**, 5x14, like new, shed kept, \$3500. Rhett Hebert, Basile; 337-824-3557.

**'79, 26'** Winnebago, a/c, lg. refrigerator, microwave, stove, full bath, sleeps 8, Onan generator, runs great, 74,000 miles, \$3500. Earl Normand, Cottonport; 318-876-3346.

**WW, '07**, 6.8x24 stock trailer w/new tarp, \$6700; '08 20' tilt gooseneck flatbed, new, \$4800. Donald Richardson, Winnfield; 318-471-1627.

**28' gooseneck** stock trailer, 6x8 wide, new brakes, wiring, lights, adjustable hitch rubber mats, good floor, \$4850/firm. Johnnie Barnes, Gilliam; 318-296-4292.

**24' enclosed** V nose Haulmark trailer, outstanding cond., front & rear ramp, door & side walk door, \$4800. Danny Leger, Eunice; 337-305-3681.

**'98 WW** 2 horse bumper pull, like new, 5 new tires, elec. brakes, 6'6" tall, kept under shed, \$2500/OBO. Charlotte McKeithen, St. Francisville; 800-259-4475 or 225-635-6359.

**5x10** all purpose trailer, no cover, mode out of rebar w/new wood plank floor, 2 tires go w/trailer, used for goats, pigs, etc., \$250. Erin Smith, Marksville; 318-305-2377.

**Wanted: 60,000** lb. capacity equipment movement trailer w/pindal tong hookup. Mike Johnson, Oakdale; 318-335-6089.



**Hvy. duty** steel corral panels, 5x10, \$50; 5x12, \$62; 4' bow gates, \$90; 10' \$130; rd. pens, 40', \$690; 50', \$840; 60', \$990; 70', \$1140; 8' dual axle feeders, \$1950; hvy. duty pasture gates, 10'-16', all include threaded hinges, \$7/foot. Jimmy Carriere, Port Barre; 337-298-5943.

**Hvy. duty** steel corral panels, 5x10, \$45; 5x12, \$52; 4' b/gates, \$75; 10' \$100; hvy. duty rd. pens, 40', \$625; 50', \$785; 60', \$900; 70', \$1050, all include 4' b/gate; 8' dual axle feeders, 6500 lb. comp., \$1950; larger sizes avail. Leah Dupuis, Port Barre; 337-298-5943 or 337-945-6059.

**Branding irons**, high quality, custom made freeze branders, elec. branders & number sets, \$70/up. Trent Graves, Prairieville; www.bluebonnetlivestock.com, 225-324-5501.

**4-horse** walker, needs work, \$350. Tommy Carroll, Fisher; 318-256-0049.

**Grist mill**, meadows on covered tandem trailer w/JD LVC motor, \$3500; Quick hitch, category 1, \$70. Gerald Davis, Amite; 985-320-8703.

**Plastic drums**, 60 gal. food grade bbls., holds 350 lbs. corn, 1 piece screw on lids, \$10. Steve Delk, Hahnville; stevedelk@cox.net, 985-783-2404.

**Blacksmith coal**, \$30/per hundred sack. Buddy Leonard, Covington; 985-892-1137.

**Hvy. duty roping saddle**, 16", used little, \$350. C.P. McCune, Stonewall; 318-925-9113.

**Paul cattle scale**, 3000 lb. capacity, reconditioned, \$1000. Benton Broussard, Jennings; 337-824-8697 or 337-912-0560.

**Wanted: aluminum** irrigation pipe, 6" or 8" not gated, dirt scoop 3 or 4 yd, in usable cond. Terry Fyffe, Marshall, TX; 903-930-6294.

**Wanted: old** grist mill or old mill stones, any size. Richard Eaves, Demopolis, AL; 334-289-8906.

**Wanted: used** livestock port-a-hut housing. Sarina Lirette, Bourg; twofeatherfarms@hotmail.com, 985-665-0464.

**Western saddles**, 1 Simco, new, 2 Circle Y, excel. cond. w/17" seat, \$500/1, or discount for all. Sharlane Clattenburg, www.clattenburgranch.com, Montpelier; 225-938-5359.

**Antique iron** wagon wheels, \$75/1; electric hammer mill,

\$300/firm. Nelson Menard, Youngsville; 337-856-8044.

**Hit-Miss** engine, 6 hp, throttle governed, about 1928, solid cast iron frame mounted on trailer mill-pat. Dec. 24, 1889, \$4000/firm. Frank Nicosia, Jr., Independence; 985-878-4933.

**671 GM** power unit, 1500 hrs., \$3000; (4) MM power units, 605B, good shape, \$1400/1; 605B MM, for parts, \$500. Willie Richard, Rayne; 337-334-3443 or 337-581-0946.

**Gates: galv.**, pasture 10', \$77; 12', \$89; 16', \$108; 4x4 welded wire filled gates, 4', \$57; 6', \$75; 8', \$78; 10', \$87; 12', \$100; 14', \$110; 16', \$121, all galv.; new galv. horse panels, 5'Hx10'L w/mud boots, 40' round pen, \$800, 50', \$990; 60', \$1160, all include a 4' bow gate;. Mike Passman, Amite; 985-748-5094.

**Tru-test** scales, E2000, HD series load bars, 1 yr., \$1800; South West livestock 8' squeeze chute, good working cond., \$1800. B. Payne, Broussard; 337-654-4754.

**Collegiate close** contact English saddle, 17", regular tree w/padded leather knee blocks, excel. for riding or jumping, slightly flatter seat w/a wider weight bearing area, excel. cond., stored in house, \$450. Kylie Payne, Broussard; 337-278-3624.

**Used 3** gal. cont., blk. nursery pots, 35¢/1. Tamra Payne, Broussard; 337-278-3624

**3 saddles**, \$600/firm, some tack. Jim White, Castor; 318-544-2356.

**Cherokee brand** 13" leather saddle, new cond., \$250. Barry Wilcoxon, Plaquemine; 225-659-5833.

**Wanted: paddle** boat, sm. fiber-glass, 20' John boat, any condition, old pontoon boat, crank for Farmall trac. Charlene Langley, Kinder; 337-582-7677.

**Wanted: pallet** racks 12' high. Kevin Murphy, Folsom; 985-264-2269.

**Wanted: 55** gal. plastic drums, red w/blk. screw on lid. Stephen Cronko, Mandeville; 985-674-9147.

**6' or taller** chain link fence w/posts & rail, will take down. Don Allen, Denham Springs; 225-664-4979 or 225-405-5020.



**All natural** goat milk soap, good for your skin, long lasting bar, no petroleum or artificial ingredients, various scents, \$5/bar. Melanie Blackmer, Lake Charles; www.hometown.aol.com/pdavenport913, 337-478-2208.

**Rough cut** lumber, pine, 50¢/bd. ft.; cherry, \$1/bd. ft.; oak, \$1/bd. ft.; creosote poles, 6-10" dia. variable lengths, 75¢/bd. ft.; 6x8 cross

arms, 22' long, \$20/1. Ryan Fontenot; Bayou Chicot; 337-461-2701.

**Butter churn**, 5 gal. crock churn w/lid & wooden dasher, \$80. R. Rice, Lena; 318-715-9484.

**Kentwood brand**, Ole Orleans house brick, 3500 + new house bricks, not paver, never used, \$900, no del. David Grass, Folsom; 985-373-2805 or 985-796-3522.

**Portable band saw**, log loader, 240 timber jack log skidder, \$25,000; 24 tone Tulsa winch, 16' gin poles, PTO & trans., will fit Ford engine, \$1800. Kevin Jean, Dry Creek; 337-328-7207.

**Mayhaw jelly**, \$5/pint. John Reed, Mandeville; 985-626-3381.

**Carolina skiff**, '07, 178DLX w/trailer, \$4500. Clayton Wright, Dry Creek; 337-302-1146.

**Homemade goat** milk soap, made from 100% pure, farm fresh goat milk & pure essential oils, aromatherapy formulas & unscented avail., contains no artificial preservatives, colors, fillers or water, so not use fragrance oils or SLS, \$5/bar, plus shipping. Marguerite Constantine, Moreauville; wesmar.farms@cebridge.net, 318-985-2095.

**Wooden window**, 14 sets w/alum. screens, 6 need some repair, sizes 4/32w, 3/321/2w, 2/33w, 2/34w, 3 sets bath size 32w, \$150/OBO. James Robin, Opelousas, 337-407-0188.

'06, 800 Suzuki Boulevard, low miles, chromed out, lots of extras, great cond., extended warranty, \$8000. Marlene Stewart, Loranger; marlenestewart07@bellsouth.net, 225-209-1297 or 985-981-7963.

**Red wiggler** worms for fishing, compost, gardening, \$25/14 gal. container or \$15/lb., must be picked up. Jimmie Young, Eunice; 337-457-5053.

'95 Honda ATV 250, very good cond. w/winch, \$600/OBO. Ivan Edwards, Ringgold; 318-894-9586.

**Honda 3"** trash pump, excel. cond., \$750. Ted Motlow, Carencro; 337-896-0859.

**Honey**, \$7/qt., \$5.5/pt., \$24/gal.; pure bees wax, \$2.75/lb. Dale Lemoine, Deville; 318-466-3773.

'7 BBQ pit on wheels, 2 doors & 4 slide out trays, \$2000; shop made steel outdoor fireplace w/expanded metal cover for cooking, \$300. Freddie Rick, Kentwood; 985-229-2279.

**Wanted: crank** corn sheller in good working cond. Terry Harper, Loranger; 985-878-9773.

**Wanted: tall** or low bushel veg. baskets. Daniel Levron, Gray; 985-750-0085.

**Wanted: ceramic** elec. kiln, 220-240 volt. Buddy Dautreuil, St. Martinville; 337-332-1416.

**Wanted: old** sugar or syrup kettles, any size. Kathy, Baton Rouge; 225-261-8739 or 225-938-9366.



## Quick and easy back to school August recipes for kids and moms and dads and teachers.

### After-School Pudding Snack

- 1/4 banana, sliced
- 2 vanilla wafer cookies, coarsely crushed
- 1 pudding cup (3.5 oz each) Hunt's Snack Pack Vanilla Pudding
- Reddi-wip Original Whipped Light Cream

Add bananas and cookies to pudding cup; mix lightly. Top with a serving of Reddi-wip. Serve immediately.

#### Cook's Tips

Variations: Apple Cinnamon: Substitute 1/4 cup chopped apple and 1/2 square cinnamon graham cracker, crushed, for banana and vanilla wafers. Rocky Road: Add 8 mini marshmallows and 1/2 square graham cracker, crushed, to Hunts Chocolate Snack Pack Pudding.

### Artichokes with Mayo Dip

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| 1/2 cup fat-free or reduced-fat mayonnaise | 2 tsp. chopped fresh mint |
| 1/2 cup nonfat sour cream                  | 1 1/2 tsp. lemon juice    |
| 1 tbsp. chopped fresh chives               | 1/2 tsp. pepper           |
|  | 4 artichokes              |

Combine mayonnaise, sour cream, chives, mint, lemon juice and pepper in bowl. Divide sauce into 4 small bowls.

Place 1 inch of water in stainless steel pot with tight lid. Place artichokes, stem side up, in water. Steam prepared artichokes, covered, 30 to 40 minutes. Test by sticking toothpick in stem; it should feel tender.

# Coming Your Way

**Tangipahoa Parish Sheriff's Office Mounted Division Trail Ride** will take place Sept. 27 at 9:30 a.m. at the Fluker Fire Tower Hunting Club (Hwy. 10 west, one mile west of I-55 in Fluker).

Horse and wagons welcome. Trails are wooded with a small amount of gravel.

\$15 per rider over 12 years of age; 12 and under, \$10. Price includes ride, supper, DJ and live band.

Hamburgers, hot dogs, souvenir t-shirts and raffle will be available.

For more information, contact Jill at 985-969-9313.

**The Loranger Goat Dairy** will open in Sept. TBA at Rogers Royal Ranch, 51182 Narretto Rd. in Loranger.

The dairy will offer assorted flavors of gourmet goat cheese, including garlic, double cream walnut, triple cream pecan and others.

Now taking applications for home delivery and cheese of the month club.

For more information call Dawn Rogers at 985-974-7994.

**A Benefit Trail Ride & Dance** for Heidi Kilgen and sponsored by the Dusty Riders, will be held August 16 at the Zero Brahman Ranch, 2388 Burma Road in Thibodaux..

The \$15 registration (includes meal ticket) begins at 1 p.m., ride starts at 2.

Wagons welcome, but no dogs allowed. Negative Coggins required.

For more information, contact Mike Naquin at 985-665-5251, Aaron Louque, 985-859-5758 or Rachael Kilgen, 985-414-4691.

**Folsom's 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Open Car & Bike**

**Show** will be held Sept. 6 at 8:00 a.m. on Railroad Ave.

Pre-registration is \$15.

A variety of prizes will be awarded.

For more information, contact Debbie Wactor at 985-796-9833, dwactor@bellsouth.net or by accessing www.villageoffolsom.com.

**Silver Spur Riders Club monthly show** will be held Aug. 23 at the DeRidder Arena in DeRidder.

Classes offered are peewee, junior, senior and open in English, Western, Arabian, halter, showmanship, speed and lunge-line events.

All shows are APHA, PAC, PtHA and OCAP approved.

Future event dates are Sept. 20, Oct. 19 and Nov. 22.

Warm up areas, RV spots, stalls and hotels are available.

For more information, contact Dan Morgan at 337-540-0565 or Michelle Seaman at 409-423-6783.

Information may also be found at the Web site www.silverspurridersclub.com.

**Atchafalaya Bit & Bridle Club** will host a horse show Sept. 20 at Youngs Road Horse Arena in Morgan City.

The last show of the year is Oct. 4. The awards presentation is Nov. 15.

Six high-point saddles will be awarded at the end of season awards presentation Nov. 15.

For more information, contact Mike Mancuso at 985-518-2492 or Donna Fitch at 985-397-3833.

**The South Louisiana Team Sorting Association** will hold a competitive cattle

sorting event at 9 a.m. Sept. 6 at the C.M. Zito Arena in Plaquemine.

Classes include open, mixed, pro/am/novice, junior youth, senior youth, amateur and novice.

For more information, visit the Web site www.sltsa.org or contact Lisa Diez at 225-715-3180.

**The Louisiana Cutting Horse Association** will hold a competition Aug. 16 at 10 a.m. at the Rice Festival Arena in Crowley.

Practice begins at 8:30 a.m.

Future dates are Sept. 20, Oct. 11 and Nov. 15.

For more information, call Mary Kay Walker at 337-967-0139.

**Louisiana Stock Horse Association** has upcoming show dates scheduled for the spring and summer.

Show dates include Aug. 16, Shivers Arena, Jonesville and Sept. 6, New Roads.

For more information, contact Judy Weisberger at jweisger@bellsouth.net.

**The Calcasieu Horseman's Club** will host an All Breed Open Horse Show series at the Crowley Rice Arena.

Dates include August 24, Sept. 21 and Oct. 26.

Four age divisions will be offered and classes include halter, color, showmanship, leadline, Western, English, gaited and speed events.

Stalls, camper hookups and concessions will be available. Overnight stay welcome.

For more information, call 337-515-3836, 337-515-1764 or 337-794-0662.

**The South Louisiana Saddle Club** is holding a Fun Horse Show with barrels,

poles and 8 other events at 1 p.m. Aug. 23 at Churchill Arena, 10205 Lapalco, Westwego.

Entry fees are \$4 or 8/\$20. Membership is not required.

Future event dates are Sept. 6, Sept 13, Sept. 20.

For more information, contact Dudley Hartz at 504-436-8145 or visit Website www.southlouisianasaddleclub.com

**The State Fair of Louisiana** is hosting a cooking show and contest Nov. 2 through 8 at the Agriculture building on the State Fairgrounds in Shreveport.

Categories include beef stew, pecan cookery, chili and others.

Entry forms will be available beginning Sept. 22 and returned by Oct. 13. The contest is open to everyone.

For more information, contact Jeannie Crnkovic or Terry Foster at 318-965-2326.

**Old Farmers Day and Horse Pulling Contest** will be held Oct. 19 through 19 at 9:00 a.m. at Brunett Farms in Loranger.

The event is a family affair demonstration of how our forefathers lived, worked and played.

For more information, contact Gerald of Barbara Brunett at 985-878-2360 or bbrunett@i-55.com.

**Second Saturday** plant sale program will be held Sept. 13 at 9:00 a.m. at the Parkway Partners Greenhouse, 1137 Baronne St. (corner of Baronne and Clio) New Orleans.

Guest speakers will lecture on horticultural issues.

For more information, call 504-620-2224 or e-mail dgraham@parkwaypartners.org..

# Louisiana alternative

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replace corn and soybeans, which have traditionally been used to produce ethanol and biodiesel in the United States.

Biodiesel production was 75 million gallons in 2005 and 250 million gallons in 2006, said Dr. Kurt Guidry, an economist with the LSU AgCenter. The United States currently has the capacity to produce 2.24 billion gallons of biodiesel, and another 1.23 billion gallons of capacity are being built.

"The cost of soybeans as feedstock accounts for 75-80 percent of the cost of biodiesel production," Guidry said. But because of the current high prices for soybeans, U.S. capacity is underutilized and biodiesel accounts for less than one percent of the national diesel fuel market.

New bio-based fuels will be available, said Dr. Mark Zappi, dean of the College of Engineering and professor of chemical engineering at the University of Louisiana at Lafayette. Diesel can be manufactured from other sources, such as sunflower oil, algae and animal fats.

"Bio-based diesel products are here to stay," he said.

The federal mandate for biofuel produc-

tion equates to about 100 million acres, including 13 million acres for biodiesel, said Dr. Don Boquet, an agronomist with the LSU AgCenter's Macon Ridge Research Station in Winnsboro.

Soybeans can be converted into biodiesel at a rate of about 80 gallons per acre, and cotton can be converted at about 40 gallons per acre, Boquet said.

Non-traditional crops for biodiesel in Louisiana include sunflowers, canola and peanuts, the original fuel for diesel engines, he said.

"By changing crops, producers can get more energy per acre, lower input costs per acre and improve crop rotations," Boquet said.

He pointed out that canola oil can produce twice the energy per acre as soybeans, and because it's a cool-weather crop, it could be double-cropped in Louisiana. In addition, sunflowers produce twice the oil per acre and peanuts produce three times the oil per acre as soybeans. Chinese tallow, in fact, could produce 1,000 gallons of biodiesel per acre – more than 10 times the biodiesel from an acre of soybeans.

Potential ethanol crops include sweet sorghum, sugarcane and sweet potatoes,

which could produce three to four times the ethanol per acre as corn.

"Louisiana has the land, resources and crops and the ability to efficiently and economically produce biofuel crops," Boquet said.

Louisiana's advantages for producing bio-fuels include a mild climate, abundant sunshine, plentiful rain, fertile soils and an agricultural infrastructure, said Dr. Gary Breitenbeck, a soil microbiologist with the LSU AgCenter.

In addition, Louisiana has a significant amount of marginal lands that would be better suited to producing energy crops than food crops.

The United States has 4,200 potential feedstocks for bio-based fuels, said Chris Cassidy, western and pacific region energy coordinator for USDA. They include grasses, soft woody plants, cornstalks and other crop residues.

"The second and third generation processes are underway for converting biomass to fuels," Cassidy said. The focus is on co-products – the substances other than fuels that come from processing plant material into fuels. One example is glycerin, a byproduct of biodiesel from soybeans,

which can be used as an ingredient in soaps and cosmetics as well as in industrial lubricants.

Cassidy said the industry needs to focus on the cash streams from co-products to assure biorefineries have a positive cash flow.

"Co-products can be a waste expense without plans for developing markets for them," he said.

Ultimately, bio-based fuels will provide jobs and economic infusions to rural areas because production plants need to be close to the sources of their feedstocks, such as woody biomass, because they are bulky and expensive to transport long distances.

This will mean new businesses in local communities, said Dr. Alan Barefield, associate director of the Southern Rural Development center at Mississippi State University.

"Local ownership is key to economic development," he said. "For the maximum impact on a community, it needs to be locally owned and use local resources so the money it generates goes back to the local economy."

*-As reported by LSU AgCenter*

# Visit your local farmers market

**ASCENSION PARISH**

**Gonzales**  
Ascension Fresh Market  
14046 Airline Hwy.  
Sat. 8 a.m. - noon, year round

**BEAUREGARD PARISH**

**Ragley**  
Ragley Farmers Market  
Ragley Historical Square, Hwy. 12  
Sat. 8 a.m.- 1 p.m., during peak growing season

**BIENVILLE PARISH**

**Gibbsland**  
Gibbsland Farmers Market Assoc.  
Main Street  
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**CADDO PARISH**

**Shreveport**  
Shreveport/Bossier Farmers Market  
river front at Festival Plaza  
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**CALCASIEU PARISH**

**Lake Charles**  
Charlestown Farmers Market  
1001 Ryan Street  
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**Moss Bluff**

MB Farmers & Crafters Market  
Sam Houston Jones Pkwy.  
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**EAST BATON ROUGE PARISH**

**Baton Rouge**  
Red Stick Farmers Market #1  
Fifth St. near Main St.  
Sat. 8 a.m.- noon, Jan.-Dec.  
Red Stick Farmers Market #2  
8470 Goodwood Blvd.  
Unitarian Church Parking Lot  
Tues. 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.  
Jan. - July & Sept. - Dec.  
Red Stick Farmers Market #3  
LDAF parking lot Florida Blvd.  
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**New Iberia**  
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**Lafayette**  
Acadiana Farmers Market  
801 Foreman Dr. & Dulles St.  
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Jan. - Dec.

**Lafayette**  
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La. 1 and Maronge  
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Monroe Farmers Market  
1212 Washington St.  
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# Louisiana alternative

As competition between food and bioenergy drives up prices of corn, soybeans and other farm commodities, Louisiana has untapped land that could be put into production for alternative crops, according to agricultural industry observers.

Louisiana can take advantage of these resources to participate effectively in the move toward growing new plants as raw materials – or feedstocks – to produce biofuels, said Kelsey Short, director of agriculture, forestry and food industries with Louisiana Economic Development.

“Alternative feedstocks place Louisiana in a strong competitive position,” Short told a gathering of nearly 200 agricultural producers and representatives of industry, government and higher education at the 2008 AgOutlook Conference.

“Energy is the new gold exchange,” said Mike Strain, commissioner of the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry (LDAF).

A key to renewable energy is the development of transportation fuels from plants – generally referred to as biomass – to replace gasoline and petroleum-based diesel to satisfy the country’s thirst for fuel.

“Energy is the No. 1 challenge facing humanity. The foundation of what we do is energy,” said Thomas J. King Jr., manager of electric delivery technologies program at Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Energy policies have joined the farm bill as important factors in U.S. agriculture, said Dr. Abner Womack, senior economics with the Food and Agricultural Policy Research Institute at the University of Missouri.

Global economies and energy will be important to U.S. agriculture as the farm economy reacts to energy policies, Womack said.

“Easy oil runs out about 2025,” he said.

Then, fossil fuel suppliers will begin turning to tar sands in Canada and coal and oil shale in the United States.

“We have plenty of energy in front of us, but it’s going to cost more to get,” Womack said. “The secondary level of energy becomes more expensive.”

Womack called the energy bill “far more important than any farm bill we’ll ever pass.”

The energy bill mandates biofuels replace fossil fuels for transportation gasoline and diesel fuel from petroleum sources – 36 billion gallons of renewable fuels by 2022, built up over time. This includes 15 billion gallons of ethanol, produced almost exclusively from corn, one billion gallons of biodiesel, mostly produced from soybeans, and 21 billion gallons of cellulosic ethanol, produced from various grasses and woody plants.

“We have never seen this industry before,” Womack said of renewable fuels.

The farm economy is already reacting, as U.S. corn production increased by 15 million acres in one year in 2007.

“A maturing ethanol industry is just around the corner,” Womack said. “Everything you buy is going up. Cash rent is going up. Land prices are going up. But real crop income is going down.”

To counter the pressure of diverting corn and soybeans from animal feeds for ener-

gy production, the experts see new plants and plant materials becoming important in the energy arena.

“We have a finite amount of farmland in the United States,” said Dr. Bill Batchelor, head of the agricultural and biological engineering department at Mississippi State University. “We’re reaching a breaking point between food and energy on our agricultural land.”

The southeastern United States has a vast amount of woody biomass, Batchelor said. Prices for pulpwood are down and the pulp and paper industries are down. But the plants that provide those products also could be used for energy production.

Woody biomass is a great potential for Louisiana as a fuel source, according to Buck Vandersteen, executive director of the Louisiana Forestry Association.

Between 30 and 60 tons per acre of biomass are left on the ground following a typical timber harvest, Vandersteen said. But this could be a valuable feedstock for a plant that produces energy.

Marginal agricultural land that won’t produce row crops profitably can grow a variety of grasses and woody plants – generally called woody biomass – for conversion into energy, the experts said.

Batchelor pointed out that woody biomass can be converted to energy in three ways:

- Cellulosic ethanol can be produced by enzymatic fermentation, but the process is quite expensive.
- Fast pyrolysis heats wood under oxygen-limited conditions, liquefying the wood into bio-oil that can be processed in existing petroleum refineries.
- Synthetic gas – called syngas – is created by old technology, which burns wood and captures the “exhaust” gasses that can be used to generate electricity or be processed into chemicals and gasoline.

In addition to woody plants, the industry is looking at other plants to

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The Ferriday Oilseed Company hopes to convert soybean (top) horsepower into biodiesel horsepower as economic conditions change. Other operations in the state, like Hollybrook Cottonseed Processing Company of Lake Providence, are producing their own cottonseed oil.