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Agriculture and Natural Resources Newsletter

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Notes from the Agent

I will be out of the office from October 2nd - 6th and October 17th-18th. Please feel free to call and leave a message at the office or send me an email and I'll get back to you as soon as I return.

The cost-share deadline is quickly approaching if you haven't met your educational requirement be sure to look at the **important dates** for approved educational hours.



Over **1.5 billion pounds** of pumpkin are produced each year in the United States.

The top pumpkin-producing states are Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania and California.



IMPORTANT DATES

October



**COST-SHARE
APPROVED EDUCATION**

- 9th: Poultry Processing Class
- 14th: Kentucky Sheep and Goat Annual Producer Conference, Danville
- 17th: Beef Seedstock Symposium, Central KY
- 26th: Kentucky Beef Conference, Winchester
- 28th: SKAY Yak Husbandry & Research Conference, Morehead
- 31st: KY Grazing Conference, Hardin County

November

- 1st: KY Grazing Conference, Fayette County
- 9th: Washington County Cattlemen's Annual Meeting
- 7th: Poultry Webinar - Designing a Poultry House
- 11th: Equine is for All, Lexington
- 2nd -16th: North American International Livestock Exposition

KENTUCKY HUNTING SEASONS



Squirrel
Aug. 20 - Nov. 11

Deer
Archery: Sept. 3 - Jan. 16
Youth/Senior Crossbow: Sept. 3 - Jan. 16

Fall Turkey
Archery: Sept. 3 - Jan. 16

Non-Waterfowl Migratory Birds
Dove: September 1 - Oct. 26
Virginia & Sora Rail: Sept. 1 - Nov. 9
Purple & Common Gallinule: Sept. 1 - Nov. 9
Crow: Sept. 1 - Nov. 7




OCTOBER WEED CONTROL

Chicory
Dandelion
Plantain, Broadleaf or Buckhorn
Sorrel, Red (Sheep Sorrel)
Thistle: Bull, Canada, Musk, and
Plumeless

**Refer to AGR-207 for herbicide
recommendations or call us for more
information.**

POULTRY PROCESSING



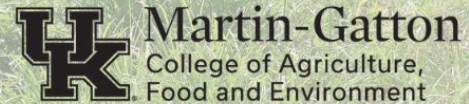
**OCTOBER 9TH
6 PM**

**COST-SHARE
APPROVED**

Learn how to break down poultry yourself to freeze and preserve at home. Kentucky State will be on site with their mobile meat processing unit for demonstration. This class is FREE.

**Washington County Extension Office
Please call (859)336-7741 to pre-register**

Beef Cattle SEEDSTOCK SYMPOSIUM



OCTOBER

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Fayette County Kentucky
Extension Office, Lexington,
KY

8:30 AM - 3:30 PM

To register for the Lexington, KY event please go to
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/709667262887?aff=oddtcreator>

OCTOBER

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Barren County Kentucky
Extension Office, Glasgow,
KY

8:30 AM - 3:30 PM

To register for the Glasgow, KY event please go to
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/709673651997?aff=oddtcreator>

OCTOBER

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Middle Tennessee
AgResearch and Education
Center, Spring Hill, TN

8:30 AM - 3:30 PM

To register for Spring Hill, TN event please go to
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/709676941837?aff=oddtcreator>

Eventbrite will have more information for each location.

MORE INFORMATION

This program is designed for seedstock producers that are marketing bulls to commercial and/or other seedstock producers. The cost for each location is \$25.

QUESTIONS

If you have any questions or would like a paper registration email Maggie.Ginn@uky.edu.





University of Kentucky
College of Agriculture,
Food and Environment
Cooperative Extension Service

"Today's Challenges, Tomorrow's Opportunities"

Kentucky Beef Conference



October 26, 2023

In person

Clark County Extension Office
1400 Fortune Dr
Winchester, Kentucky 40391

9:00—10:00

Registration, visit
sponsors

\$10 registration fee

**RSVP by October 20th
to Clark County
Extension Office
859.744.4682**

10:00—Welcome & Sponsor Recognition

Levi Berg, Clark County Agriculture &
Natural Resources Extension Agent

University of KY Remarks & Welcome

Dr. Scott Radcliffe, UK CAFÉ Animal & Food
Sciences Department Chair

Beef Outlook & Marketing Strategies

Troy Applehans, Cattle-FAX Analyst

11:00— Fecal Egg Count Reduction Test

Dr. Jeff Lehmkuhler, UK Beef Nutrition
Extension Specialist and Dr. Michelle Arnold,
UK Ruminant Extension Veterinarian

11:30— Tools for Beef Producers

Dr. Les Anderson, UK Beef Extension
Specialist

12:00 Lunch

1:00— LRP & Price Risk Protection

Dr. Kenny Burdine, UK Beef Economic
Extension Specialist

2:00—Adjourn

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SKAY

YAK HUSBANDRY & RESEARCH UPDATE CONFERENCE

Join us for FREE educational information and hands-on activities about yaks. Registration begins at 8:30 A.M. Lunch is provided.

LOCATION

Morehead State University
Farm

DATE

October 28th, 2023

TOPICS

Artificial Insemination, Grazing
Performance, Fiber Characteristics,
Meat Cutting Demonstration

REGISTER NOW

[https://SKAY_yak_conference_2023.
eventbrite.com](https://SKAY_yak_conference_2023.eventbrite.com)



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UNIVERSITY



*Washington County
Cattlemen's*

**ANNUAL
MEETING**

We hope to see you there!
November 9th • Meal at 7 PM
River of Life Community Church
1250 KY-555
Springfield, KY

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PERFECT PUMPKIN PANCAKES



Ingredients

- 2 cups flour
- 2 tablespoons brown sugar
- 1 tablespoon baking powder
- 1 1/4 teaspoons pumpkin pie spice
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 egg
- 1/2 cup canned pumpkin
- 1 3/4 cup milk, low-fat
- 2 tablespoons vegetable oil



Directions:

1. In a large mixing bowl, combine flour, brown sugar, baking powder, pumpkin pie spice and salt.
2. In a medium bowl, combine egg, canned pumpkin, milk, and vegetable oil, mixing well.
3. Add wet ingredients to flour mixture, stirring just until moist. Batter may be lumpy. For thinner batter, add more milk.
4. Lightly coat a griddle or skillet with cooking spray and heat to medium.
5. Drop batter mixture onto the prepared griddle by heaping tablespoon. Cook until golden brown, turning once with a spatula when the surface begins to bubble. Continue cooking until the other side is golden brown. Repeat process, making 12 pancakes.

Make it a Meal

Serve with apple slices, raw nuts and skim milk.

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Taylor Graves

WHEELBARROW SERIES FOR OCTOBER

12th: Daffodils

26th: Holiday Cactus

CARD MAKING WORKSHOP

October 3rd

1:00-3:00 PM

\$15 for 4 cards

Taught by Michelle Sutton,
Independent Stampin' Up Demonstrator