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By Mary Catherine Cromley

Monster. Nightmare. "Superweed". Pigweed. Palmer amaranth. All of these words have become synonymous to researchers, scientists, and farmers across the country over the past decade. One person who has become all too familiar with this nuisance is University of Georgia Weed Scientist Dr. Stanley Culpepper. Dr. Culpepper confirmed the first case of Roundup resistant pigweed in the world on a farm in Macon County in 2004. Since this discovery, much of his time and research has been focused on developing programs to help farmers combat pigweed.

"The programs to control pigweed are much more challenging [than other weeds] and farmers have to definitely be much more aggressive. This is in part due to the management tools that we have available," Culpepper said.

Palmer amaranth is indeed a very aggressive, invasive species that can grow over two inches per day and produce over one million seeds per plant. Its rapid growth rate, high seed count, and resistance to herbicides have left producers and researchers alike desperate for a solution. Native to northern Mexico and the southwestern United States, Palmer amaranth is now a common sight across Georgia and the southeast. Among other factors, poorly managed practices regarding weed resistance contributed to the emergence of herbicide resistant pigweed in Georgia.

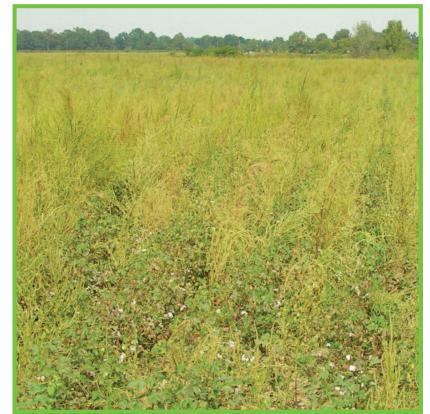
The Problem with Pigweed

Although present in other crops, such as corn, soybeans, and peanuts, pigweed has been more difficult to control in cotton. Pigweed contends with the king of the south during growth, and if not treated, also becomes a serious problem at harvest time. For example, pigweed competes for nutrients and root space with cotton during production resulting in significantly lower yields, and in extreme cases can cause farmers to abandon parts of or entire fields. During harvest, pigweed that was left in the field can become excess trash if it gets into the cotton bale, resulting in a lower quality grade. In Georgia alone, cotton farmers have lost over \$1 billion fighting pigweed over the past 10 years.

"Pigweed has been one of the biggest things to hit farmers since the boll weevil," said Tyson Joiner, a farmer with Sikes Farms in Bulloch County, Ga. "With new technologies and good residual programs, we have finally been able to get a good hold on controlling pigweed," Joiner said.

Great strides have been made in the last decade in educating producers about pigweed and what they can do to control it, but there is still a long way to go. One of the most recent advances is the USDA's deregulation of the dicamba tolerant trait in cotton and soybeans. Unfortunately for producers, the dicamba herbicide itself will likely not be approved by the EPA in time for use during the 2015 growing sea-

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Cotton field besieged with pigweed

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Notice

Deadline to submit ads for the April 1 issue is noon, March 18.

Tracking Pests at the Port



Recently, GDA Plant Industry Division staff attended a pest risk workshop at the Port of Savannah. The cooperative training involved several agencies and representatives including U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP), USDA, Georgia Port Authority (GPA), US EPA, UGA, exporters and pest management experts.

By Mike Evans

What do fire ants, Japanese beetles, and the chestnut blight disease have in common? They are all invasive pests that have become established in the U.S. According to researchers, the impact on the U.S. economy from invasive plants, insects, and disease is almost \$120 billion per year. Not only can invasive pests damage crops, kill trees, and increase production costs - they can also lead to U.S. producers losing markets in other states or countries over concern for these pests.

The first lines of defense for protecting U.S. agriculture from foreign pests are the ports. Here, U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) personnel look for foreign pests in luggage, food items, and shipping containers. In a typical day a total of 425 pests are found at all U.S. ports of entry, in addition to discovering 4,447 plants, meat items, animal byproducts, and soil that are prohibited from entering the U.S.

The main ports in Georgia are Hartsfield-Jackson Inter-

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10% Savings Offer on All Georgia Grown Merchandise

Georgia is gearing up for spring and in that spirit the Georgia Grown Store is offering limited time 10% savings offer on all Georgia Grown merchandise. Consumers simply need to visit www.georgiagrownstore.com and use the code HOL321 to take advantage of the offer.

At the online Georgia Grown Store, consumers will find an array of Georgia Grown merchandise, including t-shirts, hats, aprons, cookbooks, burlap bags, cups, ties, baby clothes, gift baskets and more. The majority of the items featured in the Georgia Grown Store were actually manufactured in Georgia. The remaining items were all manufactured in the U.S.

A portion of the proceeds from sales of Georgia Grown merchandise goes back to the Georgia Depart-

ment of Agriculture in support of the hundreds of Georgia Grown members. The Georgia Grown membership is comprised of growers, manufacturers, suppliers, packagers, retailers and virtually any company that's involved in agribusiness in Georgia. Agriculture is, of course, the #1 industry in the state of Georgia.

"With the support of Commissioner Gary Black and the entire Georgia Department of Agriculture, the Georgia Grown brand has really gained prominence and visibility over the past couple of years,"

said Steve Langston, managing director for the Georgia Grown Store. "You're now seeing Georgia Grown t-shirts all over the state," added Roush Vance, comanaging director for the Georgia Grown Store.

"We now feature Georgia Grown merchandise not only online, but also at retailers, fairs, festivals, school events and all kinds of venues," said Matthew Kulinski, director of marketing for the Georgia Department of Agriculture. "We want this brand to be omnipresent throughout Georgia."

The Georgia Grown brand is a certified trademark of the state of Georgia. Companies wishing to become part of the Georgia Grown program can simply visit www.georgiagrown.com to get more details.

For information, contact: Steve Langston – Georgia Grown Promotions slangston@mindspring.com

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Generac 5500 gas generator, 11 HP, great condition, \$550. Doris Edwards Newnan 404-408-6531

Help wanted: experience with horses, cattle, tractors, fencing; furnished apartment with salary, background check, non-smoker. Barbara Draper **Cedartown** 770-748-2042

Horse trainer, own clients, 27 stalls, 3 arenas, round pen, walker, 430 acres. Jo Roberts Roopville 770-854-4440

Live-in experienced caretaker wanted for six to eight horses, in exchange for apartment; pay for additional chores. Glenn Smoot Social Circle glennsmoot@yahoo.com 470-207-4030

Looking for herdsman, manager for commercial beef herd; salary based on qualifications; references required. Roy Embry **Eatonton** 706-485-9848

Mature person, horse farm, experience horse handling, tractors, equipment maintenance; apartment plus salary. Richard Katz Atlanta 404-892-1776

FARM MACHINERY

If you have questions regarding this category, call 404-656-3722.

Only farm machinery and equipment owned by the advertiser and used in his/her own farming operation can be advertised; those persons advertising for machinery and equipment wanted must be seeking those items for their own farming operation.

'01 John Deere 9750 STS combine, four-wheel drive. Lon Higgins Douglas 912-592-8455

'04 Kubota 4630 w/ cab & frontend loader, Trade for replacement cows or heifers or \$23,500; 1 owner. Ken Martin **Jefferson** 706-215-1063

'04 Kubota, L3130 tractor, GST, 700 hrs, 2+4W, 3 cyl. diesel, 31HP, P/S, 12/6 pd, quick attach loader & bucket, R-4 tires, 9,500. D. Chandler Carrollton 770-832-2364

'13 John Deere tractor, 100 pound front - end weights for sale, #100 each. Sam Peavy **Cuthbert** 229-317-3202 229-732-6963

100 Gallon Sprayer; 3 point, hitched, heavy duty 2010 model, very good condition; Pictures available, \$3800. OBO. Darrell White Fort Valley joycettawhite@gmail.com 478-256-8774

1210 Case, 65 HP, very good condition, very good tires, sheltered cnaopy rollbar, \$5000; cash or trade smaller. Chuck Ant;hony Jefferson 706-658-

16' disc harrow, great shape, used only on 1/2 acre garden spot, \$500. obo. Linton Smith Bethlehem 770-867-0158 678-467-1221

165 Massey Ferguson, 4 cyl. Perkins, need transmission, have replacemnet rans., may sell for parts tractor. J. Richard Bolton Athens 706-201-7331

1932 Worthington tractor, with A model running gear and A model motor and transmission. Troy Morris Jasper 706-692-9437

1942 H Farmal, 1957 Cockshut 40, 1929 GP John Deere, 1955 WD- 45 Allis Chalmers, set up for pulling, all restored and look pretty good. D.D. Braunsroth **McDonough** 678-610-

1951 John Deere model A1, solid tractor; runs and drives like new; \$1,800. Bryan Irwin **Conyers** 494-516-

1952 8N Ford Tractor, 12V, nearlly new rear tires, new radiator, starter, altenator and gages, \$2500. J.R. Sullivan **Vidalia** 912-537-4944

1952 8N, Ford show tractor, like new, lots of chrome and powder coating; call for photos. George B Caudelle **Brooks** 770-716-3809

1954 Ford Jubilee tractor in good condition; \$2,675. David McGee Lexington mcgeedt1@yahoo.com 706-340-6193

1955 JD40S, hydraulic system & 3-pt hitch. Spin-outs. Rebuilt engine, great condition, \$3600 obo. Lovd Johnson Valdosta hahira98@hotmail.com 229-242-5777 229-251-1072

1960 International harvester B275, 38 horsepower, 2,127 hours shown; \$3,500 OBO, cash only. Carolyn Hilton Braselton cghilton1@aol.com 404-326-0002 404-326-0002

1967 John Deere 3020 restored, excellent condition, field-ready; \$13,000. Kerry Tomlinson Homerville 912-487

1971 John Deere 450 loader, runs good, \$6,500. David Haynes Braselton 706-362-6444

1975 D-6-C CAT dozer, 12 ft. blade, 80%, V/C. Johnny Ross Nashville 229-686-4590

1975 M.F. Back-hoe, weak transmission; 1975 J.D. 450C dozer, good, Donald Avery Mount Vernon 478-463-

MasseyFerguson 1983/84 \$6,700, good condition. Steve Graham Powder Springs 770-757-6197

1994 MF 23, good condition, MF front end loader, sheltered. Dennis Hinton **Covington** 770-786-2014

1996 Backhold tractor 555D, hours 17000, \$1600. Annie Reid Loganville 770-466-4868

1996 New Holland 1920 w/Loader, toothed bar, 697 hrs, 32hp, canopy, bushhog, 60 gal. sprayer, seed spreader, excellent, \$12,000, Mark Woodham Madison 404-379-8037

2 N H 268 balers; 1st , \$1500, field ready; 2nd \$1200., needs drive shaft AL G uillebeau **Monroe** 770-267-8929 2) 14.9, 24 R-4 tires, \$150; Goodyear's; 1) Michelien tires, 19,5, like, new, but older, \$50. Machinery for parts. Leon Pruett Blue Ridge 706-258-2225

2- 18.4r46,2-14.9r34 used firestone tractor tires, 65% tread, \$1300. obo. Mike Waters Statesboro 912-682-

2001 Mahindra 4110 (39 HP) 4wd tractor with loader and 5 ft bush hog; \$14,000 OBO Christopher Bauch Mosouthernman51@hotmail.com lena 678-326-2853

2003 Superior, built 24ft, 5 ton gooseneck trailer,16 disc tuffline HD harrow, 150 gallon water trough. Slate Long Madison 706-318-0402

2004 Case IH CPX610: six-row cotton picker, great shape. Carl Stalvey Ray City 229-563-3580

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2007 MF GC2300 compact tractor, 23HP, front loader, 54in. belly mower, \$6800. Richard Dunham Jackson 678-572-4540

2009 New Holland, TT50, less than 250 hours, used to bush hog, 4 ton trailer, new, \$15,000. Daniel Leahr Loganville 770-466-6411

2009 trailer, B/P, 8x20, 4ft Dove lay up ramps, less than 3,000 miles, always sheltered, @ 2,950. Lloyd Leach Martin 706-356-2236

2013 Kubota L4600, with matching loader, 2 wheel drive, only 16 hours, new machine. Jason Knopp Dallas 770-634-7487

2014 Kasco, 8ft, no till grain drill, 3 pt., 85 AC plante, \$ 11,000. Mark Woodard Macon 478-986-4392

24 inch Backhoe Bucket, \$125; fits John Deere, 300, 310A, 410, Gerald Durrett Palmetto 404-966-3237

3 yard hydraulic dirt with hydraulic rams & tires; John Deere turn plowtih (3) 16" trip feet. Jimmy Dubberly Baxley 912-367-7265

4 row Forest City bedder, Ford bottom plow, 16 in.; 2) 295 International planters. Neal Greene Ideal 478-949-

4230 John Deere diesel, good condition, 100HP with original loader and 3 piece of equipment, \$12,000, Canopi. Daniel Taveras Grovetowsn 706-421-6071

5 foot Tufline Box Blade, no cracked welds, rippers included, \$425. Phil Salter Waynesboro 706-551-0326

515 Ford sickle mower, \$960, two row cultivator, \$600, double bottom turning, \$600, single bottom turning, \$300, Wendell Aenchbacher Talking Rock 706-253-2531

6 ft finishing mower, rear discharge, Farmall M hydraulic, 3 pt lift. Harry Puckett Buford 770-945-0174

6' Heavy Duty Boom Pole, \$150; 5' Scrape Blade, \$150; Dirt Scoop, \$175; Gary Williams Maysville 706-499-5391 6' Land Pride rock/root rake, good condition, \$350. Jim Young Gaines-

ville 770-540-0858 630 John Deere harrow, 22 feet wide, hydraulic fold, excellent disk, 24-inch, tapered, disk for leveling: \$9.000. Wayne Braddy Tarrytown 912-529-

3594 650 John Deere tractor with turf tires. power take-off, front and rear, 500 hours, hay rake; \$4,500. Benjamin Pope **Rockledge** 478-275-0057

730 D, John Deere, very good conditon; Maxey's. Buddy Moore Union **Point** 706-817-8430

85 Ford one-ton with welding body, very good tires and body; \$2,000. Eugene Lovett **Tennille** 478-232-8554

880 David Brown tractor, ready for work, 65; 135 Massey Ferguson, both diesel, P/S; \$3,5 00 each. S.W. Herndon **Hazlehurst** 912-375-4320

900 Ford, rare find, good restorable tractor, good metal and rubber, runs well, five-speed, tricycle front;\$3,499. Tyler Phillips **Watkinsville** 706-614-0387

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If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

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25 Acres of land for lease in Pickens County. Fully fenced, half of land is pasture. Access via paved road. 15 minutes west of 515/53; \$400 per month. Jason Weinick roswell 678-951-4307

3 acre lease: 3 grassy paddocks, riding, training rings, barn, wash rack, broodmare stall, hayloft, tack room, Max.3 easykeeper horses, \$895/mo NO stallions, References Required; entire property for lease. Jim Paullin Roswell 770-992-5903

Farmland Rent/Lease Wanted

3 seniors want to lease land in Meriwether, Taylor, Heard and surronding counties for 2015 season. No drinking or Sunday hunting. Masonic. Ronald Jones Fayetteville 30214 770-461-6167

Christian Family looking for 100-500 acres hunting land in Taylor, Dooly, Meriwether, Crawford, Talbot, Harris for deer and turkey. Jimmy 404-245-6771 Jimmy Gragg **Calhoun**, 404-245-67/1

Church going non-drinking family men looking for deer/turkey lease for 2015-16 season, 150-500 acres. Jonathan Holbrook Cumming jono1028@ yahoo.com 404-775-8417

Father and son seeking land to lease for hunting. Prefer 90 min or less from Jefferson. safe, responsible, ethical. Will consider any size tract. Kevin Bare **Jefferson** 706-247-9701

Husband and wife looking for 50 to 100 acres for 2015 hunting season in Morgan, Jasper, Putman, Green, Newton or Walton Co. William Parris Madi**son** 706-342-7050

Looking for hunting lease, 75 to 300 acrea in North Central or Middle Ga. James Patterson Jeinksburg 404-735-3256

Looking to lease up to 150 acres for hunting for 2015 Brandon Johnston **Carroliton** 404-272-8508

Pastureland, 20-plus acres; lakes, ponds a plus; one hour from Atlanta or Thomasville; weekend training labradors for field trials; will train your dog or work for access. Gregg Leonard Roswell 404-580-6268

Responsible adult wants to lease land for archery deer hunting. Trade tractor work or pay cash. Mark Fletcher Pal-

metto 770-656-9436 Responsible Christian Trophy management deer hunter looking for farm land hunting lease, active farm okay. David Baker Warner Robins 478-951-

Two ministers looking to lease 50-150 acres for hunting, in Jackson, Greene, or Banks counties. No alcohol, or Sunday hunting . Don Hood Morganton

706-374-1498 Wanting to lease pasture for cattle in Cherokee County. Sam Hawarneh Roswell samhmail@gmail.com 770-595-5914

Will pay top dollar for hunting land lease within 1 1/2 hours of Atlanta; need 250-600 acres. Kenneth Carty **Canton** 678-646-7365

Would like to lease at least 10 acres for cattle will repair fences if need prefer West Gordon City. William Baldwin **Calhoun** 770-608-2167

FARM EMPLOYMENT

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

Only farm work or farm help

wanted advertisements allowed. No commercial, industrial or domestic employment permitted. 5 ft Bushhog, good condition, \$550.

Dale Westmoreland Cleveland 706-878-0702 Can manage or help with stable, can exercise horses and give lessons. Susan Littlejohn 525 Forestdale Drive At-

lanta 30342 404-210-7271 Chemical-free vegetable farm seeks qualified team player for Journeyman Farmer position. Meghan Cole **Talking** Rock culinarygardening@gmail.com 828-772-4206

9004 Bush Hog peanut picker, sixrow Brown chiselvator. Donnie Keene **Abbeville** 229-425-8055

903 Ford hole digger, 5 augers, 24" - 18" - 12" - 9" - 6"; radial Arm saw, Shop Smith w/attachments, reasonable priced. Wendell Hardin **Dallas** 678-796-4231

990 David Brown tractor, \$3500. Emory Mixon **Lyons** 912-293-5570

A Gill model 20A200, 72-inch dual roller pulverizer, new bearings, tension springs; sandblasted painted; \$1,000 OBO. Todd Chitwood **Fayetteville** 404-886-1115

Adams 20-foot litter spreader, like new. Joe Moore **Union Point** 706-338-2747

All purpose plow, its a five on seven frame; Will text pic., if interested, \$550. Randall Smith **Jefferson** 706-338-3130

Allis Chalmars CA, (2), both will run, one has belly sisk attached, aking, \$1200 each. Mark Payne **Grayson** 678-575-2843

Allis Chalmers G tractor with cultivators, bottom plow, mechanical lift, runs well, good tires; needs brakes, paint; \$3,600. James Newsome **Statesboro** 912-587-5918

Allis Chalmers HD6B dozer, engine, drive train, rebuilt, 150 hours, excellent condition, under roof; \$9,750. Carl Kelley **Madison** 706-246-0715

ASV, PT- 100 Forestry skid steer mulcher grapple rod, Mega Mower, rubber tracks, \$40,000. Larry Carpenter **Ellaville** 229-928-7598

Bradco 611 backhoe attachment; 2 buckets, used very little, \$5900. Don Keeter **Chatsworth** 770-265-8704

Bush Hog 2245 front end loader; fits 1620 Ford, New Holland, all mounting brackets and loader; \$2,300. Clay Walden **Mitchell** 706-831-2392

Bush Hog, model 160, 14-foot fixed deck, three blades, pull-type; \$950. Bob Seaton **Cohutta** 706-278-7073

Case 3185 sprayer, 90-foot tremble, easy boom, auto shut-off; \$50,000. Stephen Houston **Donalsonville** 229-416-6080

Case 850C laoder rippers trailer, \$10,000 & 5 JD front wgts., 45 KG, \$500. Roger Hojosy **Cedartown** 770-749-9845

Case IH MX284 2008 model, 2340 hours, skid plates, 4 remotes, 8 wheel drive, companion seat; price, \$105,000. Jake Bowen **Warwick** 229-425-6086

Case International 4820 round baler, great condition, string wrap; \$4,000. Brandon Lindsey **Sandersville** 478-342-5980

Covington TP66 2 row planters; like new, in the dry, \$2500. Barry Pritchett **Ellijay** pritchettfamily@ellijay.com 706-889-8409

Cultivator, have seven complete sets for three-point hitch; \$100. George Brewer Lizella 478-836-2209

Dearborn saw, factory made, 30" blade, 3PT hitch, PTO drivern. Herbert Blackstock **Resaca** 706-629-1485

Deutz Allis 6250 Tractor Farmhand GL520 loader with bucket and hay spear. Allen Warren **Alpharetta** 404-391-0594

Dirt scoop, three-point hitch, lightly used; \$150. Frank Sutton **Taylorsville** 770-684-5600

Earthquake Chipper/shredder Briggs & Stratton,1150 series, 250cc., used once, \$450. Harris Co. Albert Twickler Cataula 504-413-4210

Eight foot pull type bush hog, excellent cond., \$1200; Four foot pull type bush hog, good cond., \$250; Ten foot E-Z plow, very good cond., \$250. Dale Ferguson **Grovetown** 706-836-0699

Farmall 100 & cub planter parts & equipment,; Vicon 600 fertilizer distributor for parts & usable. Charles Bennett **Cumming** 770-887-2234

Farmall 140 Super A, also front end loader for Shibaura SD4000AD-0. Clyde Parker **Chatsworth** 706-847-8517

Farmall Cub & Ford 8N tractor (neither running) with some attachments, \$1800 firm. Randall Carver **Rome** 706-331-9647

Farmall H, 1951, 12-volt, expo restoration, all new tires, paint; \$3,000 firm. Jack Morrell **Albany** 229-886-4700

Farmall H, good condition, good paint, new tires. No longer needed. Phil Sanders **Stephens** 706-340-5669

Farmall model M tractor, looks, runs great, remote hydraulics, also has belt-driven corn grinder; \$2,250. Tommy Kemp Marietta 404-680-7219 678-758-1481

Farmall Super A cultivators and some planters; \$800. Nelson Massey **Conyers** 770-483-2639

Ferguson 35 with harrow, \$3,800; Farmall cub with mower, \$1,800; culivator front, rear, some sweep feet. Jerry D Taylor **Alma** 912-288-3376

Five foot scrape blade, \$200. Moultrie seed spreader, \$70.00 Shane Walls **Dacula** 770-617-3320

Five-foot Bush Hog cutter, \$550; five-foot leveling rake, \$350; five-foot box blade, \$350. Ryan Braddy **Tarrytown** 912-293-4826

FOR SALE. 2005 40' Legend Gooseneck trailer, in great condition. 4" ratchet straps, good deck, \$7,000. Philip Hengler **Snellville** philbrt4all@gmail.com 770-608-4790

For Sale: 1070 Case, Agri. King. James Truelove **Clermont** jamest19100@gmail.com 352-213-8789

Ford 1994, 8430, 125 horsepower, cab, air, 3,200 hours, new tires, perfect; \$17,500. Richard Thomas **Albany** richard@ceafirm.com 229-347-9197

Ford 445-C, heavy duty industrial tractor-loader, shuttle, three-point hitch, low hours; \$7,500, Brenda Brown Fort Valley 478-954-1283

Ford 555D backhoe, \$10, 500; JD 450-B bulldozer with root rake, \$9,500, both in good working condition. Wayne Langford **Wrightville** 478-864-1792

Ford 725 loader, new paint, hyd. hose, cyl. packing, \$1,600. Robert Clark **Stockbridge** bclark390@gmail. com 404-543-2658

Ford 8N tractor with scrape blade and 6' bush hog; good condition, \$2800. Jerry Everett Hampton 404-597-5293
Ford 8N tractor; \$1,800. Tommy Vaughn Forsyth 478-256-6395

Ford 9N Ferguson tractor, 1941 model, in good condition, \$1700. Kathy Hansen **Powder Springs** 770-634-6379

Frontier GM1060R mower, 5ft. rear discharge, weathered but used very little, My tractor too small to operate it,\$850. Tom Dee **Loganville** 770-972-8896

Gehl 46255x skid loader, 65-inch bucket tooth bar, rear weight, 893 hours, 47 horsepower, Kubota engine, excellent; \$8,000. Larry Boddie **Williamson** 770-228-4932

Gillison Pruning Tower, 2200 hours; ready to go work, \$9,500. Wade Powell **Bainbridge** 229-254-8694

Gravely 7.6 super convertible, 36-inch mower, running or for parts. George Brack **Norman Park** 229-456-2906

Harrow disc, 20" -1 1/8" square axle, flat center, new, have 17, \$15 ea. Wade Simpson **McDonough** 404-732-7255

Harrow; Masey Ferguson, double harrrow, \$800; big harrow, no less, can send picture. Jesse Garrett **Auburn** 770-652-7915

Heavy duty tanden axle, 7' x 20' equipment trailer, electric brakes, beaver tail ramps, \$2,195. Gene Brown **Byron** 478-953-3330

International 295; four-row planters, good condition, comes with operator's manual and several sets of plates. Andrew Cobb **Cochran** 478-231-1679

International 444 diesel, ps, very good condition, no leaks, new parts. Wilson Hortman **Byron** 478-714-3210

International 444, 39 horsepower, diesel PS, new paint, brakes, water pump, fluids, looks good, runs well, tires, seat. W. H. Hortman **Roberta** 478-714-3210 International 986, for parts, bad engine; call 6 to 9 p.m.; \$1,000. Danny R Manning **Cochran** 478-934-0100

International Farmall Cub tractor, excellent shape and running condition. Boyd W Cole **Dallas** 770-445-7175

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John Deere 7000; 4-row pull type planter w/dry fertilizer and row markers, \$3,500. Victor Kirkland **Nicholls** 912-345-2773

John Deere 7100, 30 inch, 6 row planter, 16 ft. field cultivator, like new. Allen Brittain **Jackson** abrittain47@ gmail.com 404-328-5756

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John Deere 820 Tractor; 1970s, \$4000, in good condition Jerry Jackson **Macon** 904-962-6006

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Kubota M4900 with loader, bucket, spear, shuttle shift, remote hydraulics, 2wd,. \$13,700 . Grady Roberts **Hiram** 678-614-7309

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682-5813

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Terry Strickland 3537 Wallace Road

Pine mountain 31822 Tstrickpig@aol.
com 706-881-2414

New Holland 411 Discbine, runs, \$2000; Case 900 cyclo air, six-row planter, pull-type, \$1,500. Ryan Becker **Avera** 706-840-5487

New Holland 658, round baler, net wrap with bale monitor, \$5,500. Sam Kyzer **Waynesboro** samkyzer@gmail. com 706-551-2851

New Holland sickle br mower, 7 ft. bar, used, good condition, \$800. Helen Clements **Atlanta** 404-377-7745

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Order forms may be obtained from: www.ugaextension.com/gwinnett or calling 678-377-4010.

All orders must be prepaid and picked up at the Gwinnett County Fairgrounds (Sugarloaf Parkway) in Lawrenceville on Thursday, March 26, between 9:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. No orders are shipped and all orders are pre-paid.

New this year – we will be accepting credit card payments (Visa, Mastercard, Discover) with walk-in orders to our office. This is a one-day plant pick up. Plants not picked up are considered a donation. Gates close at 6 p.m. to pick up plants.

Livestock Sales and Events Calendar

APPLING COUNTY

1st & 3rd Saturdays: S&D Goat Sales, Baxley Fairgrounds; begins at 12:30 p.m.; goats, pigs, poultry, calves. Call Steve Smith, 912-367-9268 or 912-278-1460

ATKINSON COUNTY

2nd & 4th Saturdays: Livestock auction at Pearson Livestock; sale at 1 p.m.; goats, sheep, poultry, cows and calves, small animals; 1168 Highway 441 N, Pearson;

Call 614-365-0629 or 912-422-3211

■ BLECKLEY COUNTY

1 2nd & 4th Saturdays: Farm miscellaneous at 10 a.m.; goats, chickens at 1 p.m.; Buggy Town Auction, 290 Ash Street, Cochran; GAL #3177. Call Jimmy Burnette, 770-584-0388 or 678-972-4599

COOK COUNTY

1st & 3rd Saturdays: Small animal sale; goats, sheep and poultry, 1 p.m.; miscellaneous merchandise, 6 p.m.; Deer Run Auction; Highway 76, Adel-Nashville Highway, Adel; GAL 001800.

Call 229-560-2898 or 229-896-4553

DECATUR COUNTY

2nd & 4th Saturdays: Livestock auction, Waddell Auction Barn; Climax; goats, sheep, poultry, small animals at 1 p.m.; miscellaneous at 10 a.m.; GAL AU003249.

Call 229-246-4955 or 229-416-7217

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1 2nd & 4th Saturdays: R&R Goat and Livestock Auction; goats, 12 p.m.; chickens, caged animals to follow; 526 Georgia Highway 56 N, Swainsboro; Ron Claxton, GAL #3485. Call 478-237-8825 (days)

JEFF DAVIS COUNTY

1st & 3rd Fridays: Horse sale, 7:30 p.m.; Circle Double S, 102 Lumber City Highway, Hazlehurst. Call Steve Underwood, 912-594-6200 (night) or 912-375-5543 (day)

JONES COUNTY

Every Saturday: Spring selling hours: hatching eggs, biddies at 5:30 p.m.; goats and sheep, 7 p.m.; poultry, small animals follow; merchandise, 4 p.m.; 1035 Monticello Highway, gray; GAL AU-C002992; www.bradleywaysideauction.com. Call Nancy Wilson, 478-986-4413 Email bradleywaysideauction@ gmail.com

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New John Deere 50/5 E with frontend loader, 90 hrs., 484 Ga rotary cutter, (Brown), new. Mariann Tyler Buena Vista 229-314-0260

Nine-shank, all-purpose plow, Dearborn brand, good condition; \$400. Thomas Tucker Lithia Springs 770-941-2354

Nine-ton trailer, 3001 Kubota tractor, 34 horsepower, five-foot box blade; \$6,500. Gaines Harman Greenville 678-773-2564

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Every Thursday: Auction 41 Goat Sale, miscellaneous equipment; 6 p.m. goat sale; 7 p.m. poultry and small animals; 4275 Georgia Highway 41 N, Buena Vista.

Call Jim Rush, 706-326-3549 or 229-649-9940.

Email auction41@windstream.net

NEWTON COUNTY

2nd & 4th Saturdays: Pony Express Stockyard Horse & Tack Auction, 5 p.m.; GAL AUNR002843; 1852 Highway 11 S, Covington. Call Scott Bridges, 704-434-6389 or 704-473-8715

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Every Thursday: Chickens, rabbits, related small animal sale; Northeast Georgia Sale; 6 p.m.; GAL #3478; Eastanollee Livestock Market, Highway 17 between Toccoa and Lavonia.

Call 706-779-5944 or 706-599-7606

2nd Saturdays: W and W Livestock, LLC Horse Sales, Eastanollee Livestock Auction, Eastanollee. Call Brad Wood, 864-903-0296

3rd Saturdays: Goat and sheep sale, 12 p.m.; Agri Auction Sales at Eastanollee Livestock Market; Highway 17 between Toccoa and Lavonia. Call Ricky Chatham, 706-491-2812 or Jason Wilson, 706-491-8840

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1st & 3rd Tuesdays: Poultry, goat and feeder-breeder pig sale; poultry, 6 p.m.; hogs and goats, 7 p.m. Rock-Ridge Livestock Auction, off SR 128, south of Reynolds.

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> One 45 foot bench grain auger, \$600; Two 20 ft., 3 point bars, \$400 each; One J.D. corn picker, \$800; Deutz Allis air planters, six row, \$3000. J. W. Adkins **Vienna** 229-805-0255

One International 986 tractor, 105.hp, canopy/new/paint/top/cond; 11,000. JD 9996 picker, 2007, clean. Ralph Nutt **Cordele** 229-276-5336

Pull - type, two disc plow for Super A Farmall tractor, \$200. James Lyles Chatsworth 706-695-2520

Red Ball, 4 row hooded sprayer, good conditon, \$3500.; 4 row KMC Ripper Bedder, like new, as King, \$4000. Tony Hulett Rhine 229-318-0582

Rhino 4-foot BushHog, rust on sheet metal, good condition, otherwise, \$200 Gary Davis Blue Ridge 706-632-2965 Rome offset disk harrow, TBW, 20-26, very heavy (4,500 pounds), eight feet wide, good condition; \$6,800. Walt Crosland **Jackson** 770-468-6004

Rotary tiller, three-point, one side shift, five-foot, like new, no rust, garden use; \$975; Cleveland, Ga. John Jordan Dawsonville 706-344-8033 706-216-

Shaver HD8 post-hole driver (\$1,000); JD467 baler belts (new)(\$200/each) Concord. Mike Buford Concord 770-584-6675

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Six-row KMC rip/strip with cover crop roller, autoreset, hydraulic row markers, John Deere 1700 planters. Josh Williams **Swainboro** 478-299-1411

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Super A Farmall, looks, runs good, tight, cultivators, disc tiller, drawbar, back plows, new tires, \$3,250 Denver Bishop **Buchanan** 404-274-1802

Tiller, Husqvarna CRT900 14-inch rear tine; Briggs & Stratton motor 950, model CRT900, used once; \$550. Collinda Shingledecker Lawerenceville johndecker1953@yahoo.com 399-8857

Tiller, Troy-Bilt Super Bronco six horsepower, 16-inch tilling width, 2004; always stored indoors, like new. Steve Loftin Stockbridge 678-565-9846

Tilt deck gooseneck trailer, 12 ton, 25 foot, upperdeck, toolbox, dualjacks, never used, \$8,700. David Rock **Sa**vannah 912-313-7625

Tractor, 240IHC \$1950, NH,56; hay rake, baler, tedder, \$985 each, HD, box scrape, \$350, Lynne Rhinehart Ring**gold** 706-338-7176

Troy-Bilt horse tiller, electric start, excellent condition, kept in barn; \$750. Harold Betsill **Hampton** 678-544-7909

Troy-Bilt wood chipper, eight horsepower Briggs & Stratton engine; \$250. Fred Stowers Dawsonville 678-462-

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Two one-cylinder gas engines, not running; \$1,000 cash. Jimmie W Mize **Greensboro** 706-318-1156

Two-row tool bar with one Covington planter; \$500; will trade. H. Dale Farmer **Rome** 706-266-6772

TvCrop ProPass 180 towable material spreader, great for litter or bedding spreading, new or old. Barry Johnson Acworth 712-574-3221 770-794-4379 United farm tool, no-till drill, 8 foot; \$8,500. Glenn Dowling Albany 229-

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Vicon, eight-wheel, v-rake, three-point hitch, good condition; \$1,000. James Boggs **Aragon** 706-274-5842

Wick applicator, 16ft w/remote hyd. front tractor mount, used once on 60ac., \$1500. Stephen Allen Butler 336-314-4841

Wood splitter: heavy duty trailer, mounted horizontal splitter, eight horsepower Briggs engine; can email pictures. Eddie Sosebee LaGrange resjr1@gmail.com 706-845-7626

Wood splitter; Bush Hog, three-point hitch; \$500 OBO. Homer Rivers Tarrytown 912-537-3731 912-537-8490

Yanmar tractor 1500 with scrape blade; \$2,500. Charles Lashley Albany 229-886-8015

Zero Frick Sawmill- 3 Head Block Carriage; 3 Saw Edger, mostly steel. \$2,000. Terry Johnson McCaysville 706-455-9351

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14-inch two-bottom turning plow; three one-row cultivators; 14-inch onebottom turning plow; five-foot disk harrow. Darwin Blansit **Trion** 706-238-

1952 Ford 8N, runs great, two new tires, one front, one rear, \$2000 firm. M. H. Clarke Moreland 770-523-2178

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Front end loader for Massey Ferguson 165 (1975). Garvin Aycock Rayle cgaycock@yahoo.com 706-274-4040 404-295-8876

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Robator 854 or 864, 654, 80-foot booms; Ford 5030 laoder tractor with MFWD. John Lowrey Rome 706-252-0121

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Wanted: Ford 7109 front end loader for Ford 212O 4wd. Brian Moffett Senoia penmoffett@hotmail.com 678-329-7677

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2 lawn carts, 64"x39"x10" w.steel floor. \$125: 48"x29"x10" metal construction, \$50, wagon w/folding sides, 48"x24"x12", \$50. Dale Jones **Flowery Branch** 770-967-6948

20 aluminum pallet/skids; 24 by 36 by 3 inches high, \$14 each. Josh Daniels **Atlanta** 678-600-1671

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rolls, like new, \$30/Roll. C. Brooks Roswell 770-993-2315

3 GQF incubators with egg turners and thermometers, \$80 each. Kenny **Lincolnton** 706-359-3735 Bonner 706-401-1086

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50-gallon syrup kettle, has crack, weldable; \$185, you move. R. Satterfield **Perry** 4/8-98/-1648

500-gallon LP gas tank and sevenfoot Allis Chalmers sickle saw; \$250 each. Dewayne Thompson States**boro** 912-531-3490

55-gallon food grade metal drums, lids; 55-gallon plastic drums, food grade, two plastic bung plugs in top; \$20 each. Windle Sneed **Ellijay** 706-276-7027

60-gallon syrup kettle, no cracks, good condition. D. B. Morris Pearson 912-422-4496 912-422-3648

68 steel 6' fence posts, used with about 3000' rerolled red band barb wire, all \$250. Jim Bishop Franklin 706-675-3943

Aluminum pallet/skids, 24 x 36x 3 inches high, military made, \$14 each. Josh Daniels **Atlanta** 404-449-4879

Anvil (blacksmith) hammers, 125-pound, excellent condition, Hardees axes, bull leader, steel gas blower, hand saw. Ben Hendrick **Austell** 770-948-9842

Barbed wire, 2 rolls, \$35 each; barbless wire, 6 rolls, \$40 each. Jack Willis **Bolingbroke** 478-994-0636

Barrels, plastic heavy-duty, 55-gallon, 20-inch screw top, air tight, food grade; \$35, while supplies last. Bill Sewell **Brunswick** 912-270-8278

Blacksmith blower on stand; circa 1901; made by Midway, good condition; \$250. H.M Greene **Tallapoosa** 770-833-1035

Blue 55-gallon plastic drums, closed tops, two twist-off caps, food grade, other types sometimes available. Eugene Needham **Loganville** 770-466-4284

Briggs & Stratton portable generator, 8,000 runing watts, new, \$1,200; six-foot Rak rake, \$25. Jimmy McLane **Hartwell** 706-376-4092

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Gallon plastic potting containers, 2,500 count; five cents each or \$100 for all. Lee Mitchell **Grayson** 404-694-1281

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Greenhouse stuppy gutter, connected, 12 bays, 30x144; flat filler; biotherm, carts, Blackmore seeder, Bobcat, Atlas coldframes. Tom Johnston **Thomaston** 706-647-9239

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Heavy-duty four-shank subsoiler; 200-gallon round steel fuel tank, \$200; Gill roll over, \$400; and other items. Dennis Christopher **Mansfield** 770-385-0714 404-558-1637

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Maxxis Bighorn 2.0 tires; 27x9x14 fronts and 27x11x14 rears; \$600. Karl Halbig **Alapaha** 229-445-0424

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Two used tractor tires, Titan 18.4 x 30, 35% tread, \$125 each; Buhler Farm King, 3 PT hitch Harrow, 7 1/2, \$850. W. L. Davis **Kingston** 770-655-2913

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Used chicken house, galvalume metal roofing tin; \$24; 3x24.5 feet; good shape with little rust. Gary Taft **Pearson** 912-422-7768

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28 pairs, most are Angus, \$2, 750, also some bred cows and heifer and open heifer. Connie Walker **Pearson** 912-422-8100

3 pairs; 8 bred cows and one Black Angus bull, \$21,000. William Reynolds **Macon** 478-550-0629

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Black Lim-Flex registered bulls, EPDs, 2 years old, low birth weight. Jim Raptis **Lyerly** 770-712-5883

Black/black baldie Angus sired heifers, open, ready to breed May, 2 head, del.avail.; \$1800 per head. C. Brown Rhine gacattleman_71@hotmail.com 478-308-1354

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Charolais, five young registered cows bred to a great Charolais bull; \$3,750 each. J.R. Burns **Woodbine** j_r_burns@hotmail.com 478-320-2222

Charolais-Angus, young bulls, cross, great bulls, see to believe. Danny Brady **Hephzibah** 706-231-8563

Charolais; registered and SimAngus bulls; 13-20 months, semen tested; several to choose from, ready for service. Jean Wilson **Yatesville** 706-601-4070

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Eight Hereford heifers ready for breeding; \$1,400 each. Angie Stober Carrollton 770-854-4258

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Good selection of registered Black Angus bulls, ready for service. Fred Blitch **Statesboro** 912-865-5454

Hereford Bull; grandson DR World Class, DREAM ON; prime semen, 14 straws. Ennis Ryals **Dublin** 478-676-3127

Hereford bulls, five; 9 to 18 months; purebred; \$1,200 to \$1,500; White Oak Ranch. Dan Wiersma **Waynesboro** dan.wiersma1962@gmail.com 706-831-3541

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Polled Hereford bulls, 12 to 16 months old, top bloodlines; in Gray, Ga. James Jeanes **Macon** 478-972-0912

Purebred Black Angus bulls; 23 to 34 montlhs, sire 4 On In Focus, shots, wormed; \$2,800 to \$3,000. Vivian Campbell **Elberton** 706-283-7268

Regd., I. Angus bull., BSE tested, low birth wt., \$3000. Lalla Tanner **Monroe** lalla_tanner@hotmail.com 770-267-7179 678-823-5742

Regd. Angus performance tested bulls and Angus cows, calving soon with second calf; all excellent quality. Windell Gillis **Eastman** 478-231-8236

Registered 2-year-old Hereford heifer, ready to breed; \$2,000 OBO. Rodney Stewart **Jefferson** 678-936-7260

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Registered Angus calves, two bulls, three heifers, 6 to 10 months old, excellent bloodlines. David Strawn Clermont 678-617-9717

Registered Black Angus Al bull; low birth weight, farm raised, 3 years old, \$ 3000; Offspring on premises. Steve Deal **Statesboro** 912-531-3549 912-865-7282

Registered Black Angus bulls; 14 months, excellent bloodlines, all shots. William Hix **Comer** 706-248-5851 706-540-2470

Registered polled Hereford bulls, gentle, rugged pasture-raised, easy calving, good EPDs and bloodlines. Bobby Brantley **Tennille** 478-553-8598 478-552-9328

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Show Prospects Shorthorn Plus Heifer, Chi Bull/Steer GCCPA Member \$1500 each. Monica Turner 706-329-7843 Monica Turner **Box Springs** 706-329-7843

Sim-Angus bulls, low birth weight.,18 mos. old; Sired by NLC Upgrade, \$3000. Keith Thrasher **Carlton** 706-296-4031

Simbrah and Simmental young bulls and heifers. Cliff Adams **Bowdon** 770-258-2069

Simmental purebred bull, 4 years, ready for heavy service, easy calver, black with blaze face; \$4,000. Scott Carey **Madison** 706-474-0738

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Stout, black, polled Limousin bull; 1,800 pounds, ready to work. Max Burns **Sylvania** 912-863-4012

Two purebred Red Angus-Simmental cross low weight bulls, 14 months old, ready for light service. Joe Gibson Rome 706-506-3026

Two registered Black Angus bulls, ages 12 and 14 months, both have good EPDs; P & D Farm. Paul Beck **Cedartown** 706-506-2434

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Mini Piglets for sale; Black and pink,. Mom is 15" and 50lbs, 3 left, Bottle babies. Chad Israel **Dallas** 404-272-6928

Pure Tamworth boar, 8 months old; \$250. Chasity Anthony **Barnesville** chasityanthony11@yahoo.com 470-219-1515

Purebred Tamworth piglets, 3 months old; \$200. Lee Hemmer **Gainesville** hemmerproperties@gmail.com 770-530-3646

Registered Berkshire pigs, new litter, born Dec. 21; Gunslinger x Cathy, reserve now; one old boar left. Duke Burgess **Louisville** 478-625-9542 305-923-0262

Registered litter, Great Black piglets, born Aug. 10, 2014; \$300 each; vet certified, disease free, call for bloodlines. James Whitaker **Warner Robins** 478-929-2001

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1 breeding Barbaclos black belly ram. Richard Grabel **Albany** 404-473-9401

1 Breeding Barbados Black Belly Ram. Richard A Grabel **Albany** 229-869-2547

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Decoding Product Label Claims

USDA

By Dallas Duncan

Editor's Note: This is the second in a twopart series of consumer shopping tips.

Manufactured food products are no stranger to food and health trends. But when it comes to designing food labels that promote these trends, there's a sea of guidelines to navigate.

Take the Certified Organic seal, for example. The use of the seal is regulated by the US Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service, which houses the National Organic Program.

'For processing, to get the organic label category, all the agricultural ingredients must be Certified Organic," said Miles McEvoy, deputy administrator of the National Organic Program. "There is an allowance for some non-agricultural ingredients. For instance, dairy cultures if it's a yogurt or cheese, or bread, leavening agents can be used for baked items; pectin for preservatives."

In addition, a product can still have the Certified Organic label if an organic ingredient is not available.

Organic products can be labeled 100 percent organic, which can use the certified seal.

"They're usually very simple products like apple juice, for instance – 100 percent organic apples and any of the pressing aids would have to be 100 percent organic," McEvoy said.

There's also a category called "made with organic."

'This is for a multi-ingredient product that has at least 70 percent organic ingredients. Then the non-organic ingredients cannot be [genetically modified], irradiated or produced with sewage sludge," McEvoy said.

An example of this label would be soup containing organic carrots. The main display panel can have the product name, and underneath in a smaller size font, the claim "made with organic carrots." This category cannot use the Certified Organic seal, McEvoy said.

Whether it's organic or not, there are some things required on all product labels, said Patricia Batten, a Manu-

factured Food Program associate for the Department.

The Department does not approve labels, but it does look for the five things the US Food and Drug Administration requires on a label: the common name of the product, a net weight statement including metric measurements, ingredients listed in order of predominance by weight, the company's name and address and nutritional facts.

Other label claims are optional, but must meet FDA guidelines, FDA Spokesperson Siobhan DeLancey said.

"At its very most basic, the food label must be truthful and not misleading," DeLancey said. "The FDA has taken action in the past against companies that made claims that couldn't be validated."

These include statements about nutrition and health.

"Claims like 'fat-free' and 'low-sodium,' along with claims of 'reduced' or less,' are considered nutrient content claims, and there are very specific definitions of these claims," DeLancey said.

For example, low-sodium products must have 140 milligrams or less sodium per service size, and reduced sodium products

> have to contain at least 25 percent less sodium per serving than the product that claim is based on.

Health claims must be approved by the FDA before they can be used. These include reducing disease risk, such as the association between calcium and the risk of osteoporosis, DeLancey said.

"It's also important to note that food labels can't claim that their products will diagnose, treat, cure or mitigate disease," she said. "These claims are limited to approved drugs."

Batten said food producers should be able to provide evidence that their product does what it says on the label, in case consumers or other entities raise questions.

"A lot of times when you see sugar-free or

low-sodium and stuff like that, you really need to have a nutritional fact paneling to prove that it [meets those claims]," Batten said. "The only way you can really prove that it is, you have to get a nutritional analysis done."

The University of Georgia offers this service for free to producers, she said.

To ensure customers who want organic products are getting what they pay for, McEvoy said to first check for the Certified Organic seal, then to look for the accredited certifier name on the package.

"It's required to say who the certifier is," he said. "If there is not that statement, [the customer] should file a statement with us and we'll take appropriate action."

The only exception to having an accredited certifier named on the label is for organic farms that sell less than \$5,000 a year.

Operations are inspected to ensure they're producing food meeting all the requirements of their organic label claims, McEvoy said. If a facility is found to be using a prohibited ingredient or not producing to organic standards, the facility must undergo corrective actions. For more serious violations, the facility could be suspended, its organic certification revoked or even civil penalties

Bottom line, Batten said, if it goes on the label, a company needs to back it up with documentation.

If a company is found to be falsely advertising claims, the FDA will issue warning letters and require the company to provide a plan to fix the problem within three weeks, DeLancey said.

Farmers can nominate their school districts to receive grants of up to \$25,000

MONSANTO Fund

Science, technology, engineering and math education continues to be a priority for U.S. school districts. Investing now is vitally important, as the fastest-growing occupations require proficiencies in these subjects. However, securing financial support to expand curricula and provide hands-on learning opportunities can be challenging, especially in rural areas. Public school districts in ru-

ral communities can help prepare their students for future academic and career success by applying for \$2.3 million in math or science grants from America's Farmers Grow Rural Education, sponsored by the Monsanto Fund.

It all starts with the farmers in those communities. Between now and April 1, 2015, farmers can nominate a public school district in their community to apply for a \$10,000 or \$25,000 grant. Nominated school districts can then submit grant applications, through April 15, 2015, to compete for the

"Grow Rural Education is our way to partner with farmers across rural America to provide top-quality education to students in their local communities," said Michelle Insco, Monsanto Fund program officer. "Helping students acquire proficiency in math and science will assist in creating the next generation of problem solvers."

funds to enhance their math or science programs.

America's Farmers Grow Rural Education launched it has awarded over \$7 million to more than 500 school districts, leading to innovations and improvements in math and science education across rural America. Georgia school districts have received \$60,000 in grants from the program over the past three years.

School districts that apply for a \$10,000 grant compete against other school districts in the same USDA-appointed Crop Reporting District. School districts that apply for

> a \$25,000 grant compete against schools that are located in the same state or designated region. All applications will be evaluated based on merit, need and community support. The America's Farmers Grow Rural Education Advisory Council, a group of farmer leaders from across the country, will select the winning grant applications that will be announced in August.

America's Farmers Grow Rural Education is part of the America's Farmers initiative. Since 2010, the America's Farmers campaign and programs have advocated on be-

half of farmers and their efforts to meet society's needs through agriculture. Today, consumers are more interested than ever in agriculture and how food is grown. Consider joining the conversation and helping to raise awareness about agriculture. Learn more at FoodDialogues.com.

For more information about the America's Farmers Grow Rural Education program and to view the official nationally in 2012 after a successful pilot. Since that time, rules, a list of eligible states, counties and CRDs, visit www.GrowRuralEducation.com.

Georgia is Growing Access to Farm Stands and Farmers Markets

As spring marches closer, farmers markets across Georgia are ramping up or reopening for the season. In addition to year-round staples like eggs, honey, jelly and barbeque sauce, the stars of the season — strawberries, blueberries, peaches, and Vidalia® onions are beginning to make their debuts. In a few months' time, the markets will be in full swing, bursting with berries and zucchini and other summer fruits and vegetables. During this time, the Georgia Department of Agriculture is working hard to ensure that all Georgians have access to this healthful, local bounty.

Remarkable progress has been made in providing better access to Georgia's 450+ farmers markets and farm stands. Consumers can easily find farmers markets near them by using the Georgia Grown Locator at www.GeorgiaGrown.com.

Furthermore, The Georgia Department of Agriculture and the USDA are working together to increase SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) recipients' access to farmers fresh products and farmers markets. More than 150 markets and direct marketing farmers now redeem SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) benefits. Total Georgia SNAP redemptions at farmers markets in 2013 were over \$3.8 million.

Georgia farmers that sell directly to consumers have a number of options to help them accept SNAP benefits. These options include free wireless devices, printers, free EBT payment processing accounts and affordable transaction fees for credit and debit. Grants for free wireless Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT) equipment help create a win-win-win situation for farmers, customers, and local economies. Farmers expand their customer base with access to new customers, SNAP recipients gain access to fresh fruits and vegetables, and more dollars stay in the local economy.

To learn more about these programs Georgia Farmers can visit www.marketlink.org or attend the Farmer SNAP/EBT workshop on February 27th in Atlanta (RSVP to spierce@wholesomewavegeor-

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ARTY'S GARDEN:

The Sycamore - Majestic, Musical and More

Winter is the best season for sycamores, I think. Their white bark gleams in the winter sun making them one of America's most distinctive trees. Against a clear blue sky or in front of a bank of Southern magnolias, a sycamore is a majestic sight.

The sycamore was one of the first trees I learned to identify as a child. In Sunday school we sang:

Zacchaeus was a wee little man And a wee little man was he. He climbed up in a sycamore tree For the Lord he wanted to see...

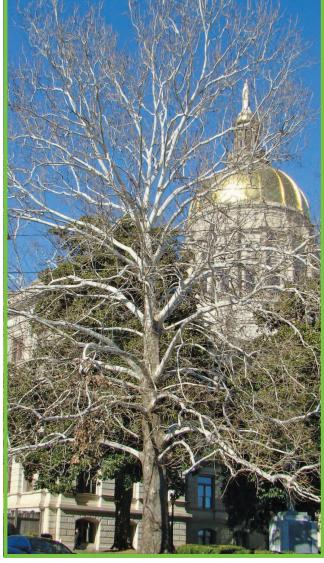
The song comes with hand motions, which help children engage with the lyrics, and is based on a story from the Gospel of Luke about a rich publican who "was of little stature" and had to climb into a sycamore tree in order to see Jesus as he passed by. The Lord saw him and told him to hurry down because he was going to abide at his house. This shocked the crowd who considered Zacchaeus disreputable. However, Zacchaeus "made haste, and came down, and received him joyfully" and announced a change of heart, "half of my goods I give to the poor; and if I have taken any thing from any man by false accusation, I restore him fourfold."

My mother told me that Zacchaeus slid down so fast he skinned the bark off the sycamore and it has not been able to properly stay on to this day. The combination of music, theology and horticulture made an already distinctive tree even easier to remember!

In actuality, the tree Zacchaeus perched in was a sycamore fig (*Ficus sycomorus*). If he had climbed into our sycamore (*Platanus occidentalis*), he might have had an even better view since it is such a tall tree. In fact, our sycamore, more precisely known as Eastern sycamore, American planetree or American sycamore, is one of the tallest trees native to the eastern United States. Mature specimens can reach 100 to 150 feet tall or more under ideal conditions.

The lower trunk of sycamore has an undistinguished grayish brown bark. About a quarter to halfway up the tree, the bark begins to flake off in large scales, leaving an arctic camouflage effect. On the limbs and farther up the trunk, the bark is chalky white with a smooth texture similar to that of crape myrtles. There doesn't appear to be a scientific consensus about why the bark is this way, but I'm willing to enjoy it without explanation, or just with the one provided by my mother.

A line of sycamores on the horizon usually means a



With its tall stature and white bark, the sycamore is one of our most distinctive trees. This one graces the grounds of the Georgia Capitol.

river or stream is ahead. Sycamores are the giants of our floodplains, clustering along riverbanks like skeletons of the Titans wiggling their toe bones in the mud. They do not require wet ground, however, and will grow in ordinary soil.

One thing they do require is room. Sycamores are not for confined spaces or small yards. They are good choices for

churches, schools, college campuses, cemeteries, rest stops, parks and grounds of government buildings – places where they can grow tall and wide without encumbrances. One of my favorite sycamores is on the grounds of the Georgia Capitol.

Among the virtues of the sycamore is longevity. There are specimens scattered around the country that are 200 or 300 years old or older. Take a look at some of these ancient giants at www.monumentaltrees.com/en/trees/platanusoc-cidentalis/records/. This longevity is why I think they make good choices for landscapes that are safe from bulldozing. They can become a piece of living history in an historic setting.

The sycamore is not perfect. Diseases can cause leaf drop and twig dieback. Some people think it is somewhat messy, but I get irritated with those who can only focus on faults, those who only look down at the mud when they should be looking at the stars – or at least into a bright canopy.

Besides the Sunday school ditty, the sycamore has found its way into other songs, perhaps most famously in the touching "On the Banks of the Wabash," one of the best-selling songs of the 19th century and the state song of Indiana:

Oh, the moonlight's fair tonight along the Wabash, From the fields there comes the breath of new-mown hay.

Through the sycamores the candle lights are gleaming,
On the banks of the Wabash, far away.

Take a listen to this version recorded in 1913 by the American Quartet at www.loc.gov/jukebox/recordings/detail/id/2966/ or this version recorded by the Mills Brothers at www.youtube.com/watch?v=9qVjOJq9IXQ. Sycamores also make an appearance in this ballad of mining sung by Judy Collins: www.youtube.com/watch?v=s4kuFs8u7PA.

If you drop by my office in the Agriculture Building, I'll be glad to show you the sycamore gracing the state Capitol, sing the praises of sycamores in general and maybe even sing a few lines of "On the Banks of the Wabash" and the Zacchaeus song, including the hand gestures.

Arty Schronce is the Department's resident gardening expert. He is a lifelong gardener and a horticulture graduate of North Carolina State University who encourages everyone to discover the pleasures of plants and gardening.

FEATURE RECIPES:



Boiled peanut hummus

- 2 Cups shelled boiled peanuts
- 1 Large clove garlic, minced
- 1 Lime, zest & juice
- 1 Tablespoon tahini
- 1/4 Cup oliver farms infused peanut oil
- 2 Tablespoons chopped cilantro

Liquid from boiled peanuts (to desired consistency/1/4-1/2 cup) Salt & pepper to taste

Combine all ingredients in a food processor. Mix until smooth. Adjust seasoning. Serve with carrots, celery, apples or pita chips.

Cornmeal crusted chicken

6 Boneless chicken breasts (about 6 oz each)

- ½ Cup heavy cream
- 2 Tablespoon dijon mustard
- 1 Tablespoon fresh chopped thyme
- 1-1 ½ Cup yellow cornmeal
- 1 Teaspoon salt
- $1\!\!/_{\!\!2}$ Teaspoon black pepper
- $\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ Cup oliver farms pecan oil or georgia olive oil

Preheat oven to 350 degrees.

Pound chicken breasts to even thickness. (Not too thin)

Combine cream, mustard and thyme In a bowl. Place cornmeal, salt and pepper in Another bowl. Dip breasts in cream mixture then into cornmeal mixture. Heat a large saute pan on the stove to medium high heat. Add oil to pan. When oil is hot, brown chicken on both sides then place in an ovenproof dish. Repeat until all chicken has been browned.

Finish cooking in oven for about 10 minutes or until 170 degrees internal temperature.



Editor's note: Our Georgia Grown Senior Executive Chef Holly Chute has been keeping the airwaves hot lately demonstrating recipes that highlight Georgia-grown products. The following recipes were featured in two separate televised programs that you can view by clicking the links below.

Cornmeal Crusted Chicken: http://www.flipmy-food.com/segment/cornmeal-crusted-chicken Boiled Peanut Hummus: http://archive.11alive.com/atlanta_and_company_story.aspx?storyid=325968

3 registered Nubian bucks, bottle raised, yearlings, one white. two brown/ black. Donna Looney 490 Campbell Road SE **Calhoun** 850-420-4653

4-year-old registered Nigerian dwarf billy, \$100; 8-month-old Nigerian-Pygmy mix billy, \$40. Dexter Carlton **Jeffersonville** 478-945-6565

5-year-old registered Boer nanny; barren, pet, for approved home. Bill Hawkins **Sylvania** billhawkins@planters.net 912-564-7957

ADGA oberhasli kids; February thrugh May, quality milking, showing, from certified disease free herds, gentle bottle babies. Debra McArthur **Allentown** 478-998-1848

ADGA Saanen buck, credentials accredited, CAE, negative, gentle; \$500 or trade farm equipment. Linda R Pearson **Hoschton** 706-654-3364

Dorper/Katahdin Ram, 300lbs. parasite resistant, 4 y/o high twinning, 100% conception. Barb Hammond 1300 Netherland Rd **Midville** 30441 561-670-9002

Fainting/Myotonic long hair Silky goats, registered, healthy, dehorned, 2 bucks, 1 doe, babies due. \$250/up. Marsha Kelly **Newnan** 770-251-8896

Five Kiko bucks, 100 percent New Zealand; two 1 year old and three 6 months old. Joe Wilson **McDonough** 678-858-6538

Goat Herd; 7 Nannies, 1 large herd Billy, 4- weanlings, 8 babies \$1850. Paul Kelly **Monticello** 706-319-5930

Katahdin 10 ewes, some registered, all purebred, all exposed to lamb February to March; \$1,800 for all. Archie Hughes **Forsyth** 770-596-9589 478-994-8406

Katahdin sheep, Ewe, lambs, eight months old, ready to breed. Wayne B **West Point** 706-882-3250

Nigerian Dwarf: parents registered, colorful, 2014 to 2015 spring kids; females, \$150, males \$50; CDTs, wormed. Terri Flowers **Pelham** ctflowers@hughes.net 229-294-8137

One large white billy goat, half boar, half Kiko, proven breeder, \$300. Raymond Andrews **Byron** 478-956-5565

Purebred Nubian buck, 16 months old; \$150; ask for Ken. Jewell Wood **Hampton** 770-946-8619

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Contact person:

Farm address:

Contact phone:

Hours of operation:

Any other details:

fax to 404-463-4389 OR by mail to:

Purebred Saanen, due in early April, excellent bloodline, \$350. James Perkins **Morganton** 706-374-4347

Pygmy goats for sale, won't last long. Sandy Killgo **Metter** 912-685-3523

Pygmy goats; \$50 each. Shelley Kegley Villa Rica 770-789-0209

Registered Boer billies and Nannies, 8 weeks to 2 years old, check out our website. Eddie Watson **Ellaville** backyardboerga.com 229-942-4591

Registered Nubians, does, 2014 doelings and buckling; healthy, hand-raised, good looking; \$150 and up. Megan Reuter **Farmington** 706-296-1279

Saanen buckling; excellent line, three months old, February 13, No horns, friendly. Would make a great herd sire. Charles Huff **Tifton** 229-343-4918

Shetland Ram, 4 years old, striking silver markings, Large Ram horns, \$250. Shereen Crowley **Milner** boboscostumes@hotmail.com 678-468-1051

Spanish paint doe; three colors: red, black, white; 1 year old; \$150 and up. Ken Hatley **Zebulon** 770-358-1300

Equine For Sale

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

Advertisers in the Equine for Sale or Equine at Stud categories must submit current negative Coggins tests for each equine advertised. This includes horses, ponies, donkeys, etc. Buyers are urged to request verification of a negative Coggins from the advertiser before purchasing any equine. Negative Coggins reports are valid for 12 months from the date the blood sample is drawn. Falsification or altering of any Coggins results can result in fines and suspension of advertising privileges. If you are faxing or mailing in an ad, the Coggins needs to be sent along with it. For ads submitted online, the Coggins can be attached using the attachments button. Generalized ads, such as "many horses," "variety to choose from," etc., will not be published. Equine at Stud ads will also require a current stable license in order to be published.

1998 AQHA regd. # 3764355 gelding sire, potential investment; 130 AQHA Western pleasure points, \$7500. L. H. English **Douglas** 912-592-6555

2015 SPRING

PICK YOUR OWN

LISTING

Submissions for the 2015 spring pick your own listing will be pub-

lished in the March 4 issue of the Farmers and Consumers Market

Bulletin. To ensure your farm is published in this edition, we need

this completed form in-office no later than close of business day on

Monday, February 23. Please note this is an extended deadline from

AQHA 3Y15H Baygeld round pen under saddle; smart, eager, willing; hand-raised, continue training ready; \$800. Cindy Rockwood Gainesville 770-714-5194

Miniature donkeys: guard or breeding, donkey jack, \$200; nice colors; Jennies, \$300 & up; small & registered donkeys. Bill Wray Perry 478-825-1297

Miniature riding mare, 33 inches, Sorrel/white, pretty and smart, can deliver, call for pictures, \$450. J Wilkes **Athens** 706-207-9366

Registered Tennessee Walking Horse mare, 7 years old, 16 hands, intermediate rider. Tony Green **Fairmont** 706-337-2467 770-605-0888

Two mules, 14 and 17 years old, gentle, haul or pull wagon; \$700 each. Mary Lynn Mobley **Union Point** 706-817-1152

Equine Miscellaneous

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

16" Dakota roper saddle, like new, basket weave, dark leather with roughout stirrups, \$500 negotiable. Please text. Ashley Munson **Powder Springs** 770-402-4973

9 pallets of Equine pine pellets at \$225 per pallet; 50 bags per pallet. Betty Teems **Canton** 770-714-2672 770-479-5919

Amish built Doctor;s buggy with brakes. Jim Kittle **Bowdon** 770-258-

Amish Meadowbrook style cart, single seat, One horse, includes custom leather harness, excellent condition, Can email pictures, \$800. Dick Haines Cleveland 706-865-5809

Black tucker saddle, River Plantation trail No. 146, size 15.5, includes saddle, breast collar and headstall; \$1,000. Joan Sims **Bowdon** 770-328-1642

Circle Y Show Saddle, 16 in. seat; Pasofino saddle, 15 "seat. Tony Green Fairmont 706-337-2467 770-605-0888 Draft horse team and single harness, good condition; many other Amish cart and driving items; inxluding shoeing stocks Dale McRee McDonough 770-946-5186

Heaven, Hearts & Horses Therapeutic Riding Center offers equine-assisted therapy for kids, adults with disabilities, special needs; www.h3therapy.org. Paige Brooks **Reynolds** 478-297-7777

Mobile Horse Training, All Breeds. Great References. Nathan Garner Adairsville 770-203-9699

Saddles; ranch and gaited horse, like new, \$1200 each obo.; other tact available. David Mull **Lexington** ddmull93@ yahoo.com 706-338-6056 706-743-7649

Six horse drover hot walker; electric motor, needs replacing. Martin Altolaguirre Alpharetta 678-230-2632

Tucker Trail Saddle 18" seat, beautiful condition, breast collar, girth, bridle included. Pics available, \$1200. Walton County Rick Harrison **Monroe** wereoutriding@aol.com 770-905-7091

Wagon rubber tires, bed 5" x 10', hyd. brakes, storage under wagon van, seats tounge & shaves, \$850. Joel Weatherford **Millen** 478-982-7813 478-982-1212

Wintec Pro dressage saddle; 16.5 seat, air system, change gullet size for perfect fit. Nancy Jenkins **Palmetto** nancyj149@yahoo.com 770-328-8045 770-328-8045

Boarding Facilities

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

Advertisers must submit a current staple license in order to advertise boarding and breeding facilities. Ads submitted without this information will not be published. For questions regarding licenses and applications, call 404-656-3713.

Quiet Private Barn, 4 stalls avail. 12x15, Trails, Dressage, arena, 15 acres pasture, wash area, tack, matts Owner's home. Complete full board, \$650. S Cherokee Leslie's George Leslie Macedonia 770-740-8884



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Poultry/Fowl For Sale

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Mallard ducks must be at least three generations removed from the wild before they can be advertised. Advertisers must include this information in ads, or they will not be published.

12 White Leghorn Hens,1 yr. old, laying 1 White Leghorn rooster, all for \$120. Rupert Harris **Cumming** 770-856-0469

15 varieties of peafowl including Javas, 1 year and up, cocks and hens. Ray Watts **Macon** 478-361-3468

2 male peacocks; about 2 to 3 years old, \$125 each. Call before 9pm. Jack Wheeler **Covington** twowheeler@mindspring.com 770-787-1814

27 Golden Comet hens; laying one year; \$5 each, all for \$110. Gene Garrison Clermont 770-983-3070

3 (2014) roosters, \$10 each; 2 pet Peking drakes, \$15; prefer not to be eaten. Linda Williams **Maysville** 706-652-3392

Baby chicks and a few laying hens, various breads, pick up only. Tommy Jackson **Juliette** 478-986-9446

Baby chicks; American Dominique, Rhode Island Red. pure breeds; reasonable prices. Monte Poitevint Lakeland 229-482-3854

Beautiful Sebright Bantam roosters for sale or trade; \$10 each, if purchased; text or call. Alexander Flaherty Athens guiji@yahoo.com 706-363-2533

Beautiful, 2 yr. old peacock, \$75; 6 Splash Maran hens; 1 Rooster, \$15 each. Lee Holloway **Greenville** 706-672-0015

Brown eggs from Free Range, well fed black hens (Austorleps), \$250/dozen, also roosters for eating & breeding. Bedford Woodard **Dalton** 706-581-1563

Domineque - Black Cornish cross roosters, full grown, \$12. Larry Priest **Monroe** 770-630-7982

Five Bantams, three hens, two roosters, plus two large hens; all for \$40; for info please call. Johnny Mayo **Gray** 478-960-1446

Fresh white & brown eggs and chickens for sale. John Kendrick **Yatesville** 706-741-1629

Grown Guineas, \$11 each. Pete Conner **Folkston** 912-286-7081

Guineas, adult Chocolates, 1.5 to 3.0 years old; Four females, two males, \$15 each; Bring large cage. Julia Hamilton **Dahlonega** 706-531-6211

Guineas, chocolates, four females, two males; 1 to 2 years old; proven fertile; \$15 each. Leigh Hamilton **Dahlonega** 706-531-6211

Homing pigeons: mated pairs and young birds; bars, BlueCks, yellows, RedCks, white. Kim Hogan **Cleveland** hoganguitar1975@yahoo.com 706-

809-1215
Laying hens, \$10 each; also young chicks. David Dye **Rockmart** david-dye110@live.com 470-336-9849

More than hundreds of white doves. Lee Adams **Macon** 478-228-1782

Old English Bantams, show stock: BB reds, Old English quail, blue splash, blacks, blue brassy backs, opals,

more. Mack McBurnett **Tyrone** 770-487-2233

Old English Bantams: BB red, golden duckwing, brown red, lemon blue, lem-

duckwing, brown red, lemon blue, lemon blue sport. Mitch Pohlel **Loganville** 770-464-5052

One pair pure Albanys, 1 year old; \$250. Ricky Ray **Ball Ground** 770-894-4044

One pair, light brown Dutch, two pair golden Dutch Bantams; \$45 each pair, or take all, \$100. Kenneth Spear Chickamauga 706-539-2423

Pullets, starting to lay now; Rhode Island Red, black Sexlink, Barred Rock. Jimmie Cleveland **Commerce** 770-378-8077

Rare Cochins gold laced, blue, Partridge and splash Orpingtons, 100 Rhode Island Red pullets. Bobby Hawks **Nicholson** 706-983-0258

Rhode Island Red & Cuckoo Maran, young hens for sale, \$20; hatched 6/2/14, vaccinated; Roosters also available. Alan Sanders Blairsville hhound@brmemc.net 706-745-3884

Rhode Island Red pullets, quality, healthy, birds. Brian Sturdy **Dahlonega** 706-865-9201

Rose Comb Brown Leghorns, 6 months old; 1Male & 3 pullets, \$50 for all. Darren Wilkes **Demorest** 706-768-2683

Show quality bantams; BB Red and wheaten Old English. Richard Smith **Gay** 706-538-6395

Show quality Sebrights, 11 silver, 12 gold in pairs; call for information. Larry Herrington **Colbert** lwherrington@hotmail.com 706-788-0032

Show quality, Old English blue brassy back, blue quail, splash, columbian, fawn, quail, others. Randy Shoemake **Carrollton** 678-796-9222

Show-type Rhode Island Reds, wheaten Marans, large fowl. Mike Brown **LaGrange** 706-884-8217

Swedish flower hens, \$20 each; Easter eggers, \$15 each; guineas, assorted colors, \$20 each. Kirk Mussell Fairburn 404-805-0714

Sweetheart pedigree, Barred Rock rooster, needs good home; bought Summer of 2014. Jane Knapp **Atlanta** 404-697-6998

Three pairs Eastern Wild Turkeys and rabbits John Herndon **Grayson** 404-697-7179

Turkeys - One pair mature domestic brown turkeys. \$50 cash for the pair. No delivery. Lynn Kaley **Snellville** lynnkaley@kw.com 404-272-5543

White doves, indoor/outdoor raising, 2 @ \$25. Johnny Puckett **Snellville** 470-385-6556

White topknot bearded Silkies, Buff, and black Silkie roosters. Jack Jenkins **Harlem** 706-556-3261

Poultry/Fowl Requiring Permit/License

If you have questions regarding this category, call 404-656-3722.

Advertisers selling wood ducks must submit a USDA permit with their ad. Ads for wood ducks that do not have this permit will not be published. For information on these permits, call the US Fish & Wildlife Service Atlanta office at 404-679-7319. Advertisers selling quail must be accompanied by a copy of the commercial quail breeder's license. Ads for quail that do not have this license will not be published. For information on these licenses, call the Georgia Department of Natural Resources Wildlife Resources Division at 770-918-6401. If you are faxing or mailing in an ad, the permit/license needs to be sent along with it. For ads submitted online, the permit/license can be attached using the attachments button.

Bobwhite quail available for sale, flight conditioned, call for pricing. Ralph Holley **Temple** 770-562-3820

Bobwhite quail, flight conditioned, now available for the 2014 and 2015 season, call for pricing. Rembert Hancock **Fairmount** 404-376-0550 706-337-5711

Bobwhite Quail, flight conditioned. Roy Peterson **Ideal** 478-949-5842

Bobwhite, Coturnix quail eggs: \$70 for 100, \$140 for 500, \$270 for 1,000. Willie Strickland **Pooler** stricklandgamebird.com 912-748-5769

Poultry/Fowl Wanted

Pair white Cornish Bantams, Rhode Island Red and Araucana-Ameraucana Bantam roosters; must be close to Cumming. Bobby Carney **Cumming** 770-842-8703

Want to Mandarin ducks, pairs. Melvie Carver **Waycross** 912-590-4731

ALTERNATIVE LIVESTOCK

If you have questions regarding this category, call 404-656-3722.

Asian water buffalo female, 2.5 years old, not bred, tame; \$1,200 firm. Michelle Kaye **Danielsville** 404-434-1789

Llamas for sale; babies, 6 months and older, beautiful colors, males and females. Marsha Randolph Locust Grove 678-815-1999

Again, the deadline for the March listing is for summer crops only. Forms are due by close of business on Monday, February 23.

This form can be returned via email to dallas.duncan@agr.georgia.gov OR by

Georgia Department of Agriculture

Attn: Market Bulletin

19 MLK Jr. Drive SW

Atlanta, GA 30334

Alternative Livestock Requiring Permit/License

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LIVESTOCK WANTED

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

Adult rhea. Harrell Whitener Coosa friendsfor lifeinc@yahoo.com 256-422-5224

Donkey, standard jenny, less than 1 month to bottle feed, or very tame; northeast Georgia. Arnold Kaye Jr. **Danielsville** 706-795-2064

Guard Ilama wanted for Alpacas! Must be halter trained and friendly with people. Debra Flagle **Madison** 404-903-1761

Want standard male donkey(Jack) for breeding, must be gentle and safe around kids. please leave message. Jim Butts **Thomaston** 706-975-8266

Would like to buy 25 to 100 cow herd with possible farm rent included; All breds considered. Danny Hattaway **Danielsville** 706-795-3605

LIVESTOCK HANDLING

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

'2000; 2 horse trailer, gooseneck w/ small living quarters; very good condition, also 12ft gooseneck stock trailer. Dennis Jordan **Temple** 678-977-2063

16 Foot dual axle trailer with removable ramps, \$675. Cary Walton **Eatonton** 706-473-6248

16 foot heavy duty bumper pull trailer, two axles brakes, lightrs, \$1000; or trade for cattle. Thomas Henderson Chickamauga 706-375-3917

17 poly calf hutches; \$200 each. Andy Wheat **Buckhead** 706-342-

Southeast

Northwest

2 horse bumperpull trailer, 2004 Towlite, slant load, dressing/tack room,new tires, excellent floor. Renae Garrett **Elberton** 912-659-1919

2004 Stoll cattle trailer; Gooseneck,16 feet; one owner; lightly used on small farm, excellent condition; \$3,900. Terry Biscoglia **Madison** 706-342-0390

2010 16' GN Cattle Trailer; good paint, floor, lights, tires,brakes; cut and escape, spare tire, NO RUST,\$4,000. Mark Woodham **Madison** 706-752-0077

2013 Circle W bumperpull stock trailer, 6x16 feet with cut gate, back sliding and hinged gate; \$3,200. Fredrick Stokes **Stone Mountain** 678-523-2456

36' GN cattle trailer, 3, #8000 axles, nice, \$9000 or trade for farm equipment. C.E. McCallie **Chickamauga** 423-413-3124 706-539-2522

5x8 homemade trailer, lights, ramp, wood floor, new tires, \$495. Harvel Hamm **Carrollton** 770-854-6675

7' x 10' flatbed trailer, single axle; \$100. William Hutchings **Sandersville** 478-552-0606

Cattle head gates, all steel, heavy-duty, easy manual operating; opens to 27 inches wide, walk-through, self locking; \$300 each. Pete Harris **Elberton** 706-283-6615

Crates trail saddle 16", breast collar saddle bags, scabbard immaculate, \$900. Wendell Faulkner Watkinsville 706-340-6695

Flatbed, dual wheel, 16 foot, equipment trailer with ramps, good shape. Charline Cambron **Acworth** 770-380-3505

Spr Heavy, 125lb. Galv. Livestock Panels and Full Sweep Systems, Anthony Carpenter **Buckhead** 706-318-1979

Trailer with spare tire; Gooseneck, 16-foot inside, heavy duty, excellent condition; \$2,700. Z. Coles **Winder** 770-307-0882

Two 12-foot steel cattle panels and two 10-foot aluminum cattle gates; \$290 or will sell individually. Hugh Caudell **Carnesville** 706-384-4410

RABBITS

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

New Zealand all sizes; meat or pets, \$15; California bucks and does, \$15, lots of bunnies Patsy Brown **Jackson** 770-504-9507

Rabbits for sale, year-round; White, Black, Brown, Gray Diane Oxford **Covington** 770-464-2988

Grady

Forsyth

Rabbits; \$8. Sharon McCombs **Rockmart** 770-714-5533

San Juan rabbits for sale. Jim Wiggins **Smithville** 229-942-8715

San Juan rabbits, 9 months to 1 year old, \$1 EACH. Lewis Zellner Fort Valley 478-825-3543

Selling out: Dutch breeding stock, ages 6 months to 2 years, several registered, also 5-month-olds. Katie Hufford **Cleveland** 706-219-4766 706-969-1953

FEED, HAY AND GRAIN

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

All feed, hay and grain ads must include the variety offered for sale. Ads for mulch hay will not be accepted in this category; they will be published in the Fertilizers & Mulches category.

'14 alicia bermuda, highly fertilized, horse quality; \$6 per square bale, discounts for quantity. A. Johns **Dawson** 229-995-5371

'14 alicia bermudagrass hay, square bales, 15.4 percent protein, horse quality, \$7.25; wheat straw, square bales, \$4. Neil Wingfield **Leesburg** 229-407-

'14 Coastal Bermuda, horse quality, fertilized, UGA soil specs, square; 4x5 round bales in barn; delivery, stack available. Olin Trammell **Forsyth** 478-994-6463 478-960-7239

'14, Tift 44 bermuda square bales, very good quality, 750 bales; \$5 per bale. Patrick Baynes **Chatsworth** 706-260-5995

2013 and 2014 Bermuda, Fescue and mix rolls, 4x5 net wrapped, \$25-\$55 roll, delivery available. Jack Jenkins **Athens** 706-286-4438

2014 Alicia Bermuda hay, 4x5 bale, \$40 at farm or \$45 delivered; Ken English Waynesboro 706-551-0173. Tommy Rider **Waynesboro** 706-554-9785

2014 Bermuda Hay, 4x5 round bales, fertilized to UGA specs, weed free, sheltered, good hay, 35 bales. available. William Page **Wrightsville** 478-864-2942

2014 bermuda hay, horse quality, square bales, barn-stored, you load; \$5 per bale; minimum 10 bales; cash. W. Abrams **Milner** 770-228-3865

2014 Bermuda; 4x5 rolls, fertilized in barn, \$60. John Lanier **Warm Springs** 706-249-3536

2014 Coastal Bermuda hay, horse quality, \$5/bale at barn. Delivery available. Glenn Brinson 1800 Corsey Grove Way **Tarrytown** 30470 912-288-5960

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2014 Coastal Bermuda hay, well fertilized, weed and rain free, horse quality, \$4.25/bale; approx. 1300 bales. Curtis Durden **Lyons** 912-526-3189 912-245-1081

2014 Coastal Bermuda hay, well fertilized, weed, rain free, horse quality; 2000 bales, \$4.50; discount if all taken. Curtis Durden **Lyons** 912-526-3189 912-245-1081

2014 coastal bermuda hay; 4x5 round, square and mulch hay. Larry Morgan Lizella 478-781-1990 478-972-5977

2014 Coastal Bermuda square bales, \$6.50; well fertilized and limed, horse quality; Delivery Available. Rhonda McCracken **Newnan** 770-328-9453

2014 Coastal Bermuda, 4x5 bales, \$40; Mulch \$15; Coastal Bahia mix, \$30; barn-kept, delivery available. Stephen Bell **Milledgeville** 478-414-8043

2014 Coastal Bermuda, 4x5 round bales, sheltered; cow and horse quality. Jim Cole **Hahira** 229-251-6131

2014 Coastal Bermuda, horse quality, fertilized, limed, rain-free, 4x5 netwrapped; \$50. Grace Brady **Hephzibah** 706-231-0985

2014 coastal bermuda; \$5 at barn; square bales. Larry Cook **Statham** 706-202-8083

2014 cow mix hay, 4x5 rolls; \$25. Todd Keesee **Madison** 770-207-6253 2014 Fescue hay for sale, 4x5 rolls. David Jenkins **McDonough** 678-350-4002

2014 Fescue, Bermuda mix, 4x5 rolls, fertilized, sprayed, net-wrapped; horse and cow hay. Glen Whitley **Bethlehem** 770-867-2718

2014 Fescue/Mixed hay, 4x5 rolls or square bales, barn stored, delivery available. Jimmy Payne **Rockmart** 404-557-8448

2014 good quality peanut hay, 4x5 bale, net wrap, \$40 per roll. Dwayne Conner **Statesboro** 912-536-1381

2014 harvested oats bin kept. bag or bulk. call for pricing. Gregg Pilkinton **Pelham** 229-336-2460

2014 horse quality square bales; Tift 44, russell and russell, rye mix; \$6 per bale, rain-free, weed-free. Neal Pannell **Monroe** 770-267-3576

2014 Tift 44 bermuda square bales, excellent horse quality. Paige Bullock **Dallas** 770-402-2421

2014 Tifton 85 bermuda; horse quality hay; limed and fertilized; \$6 per square bale; delivered. Charlie Jackson Lawrenceville Jackson_C19@yahoo.com 678-910-0561

2014 Yellow Feed Corn \$40/barrel, plus 2014 Feed Wheat, \$50/barrel. Robert Montgomery **Reynolds** 478-847-2356

5 x 5ft. Fescue/Bermuda hay rolls,
1- roll only @ \$40; 5 or more, \$35/roll.
Betty Williams **Toccoa** 706-886-9530

Alfalfa square bales \$8-\$12. Fescue square bales \$3.50. Hay is high quality and has been fertilized well. Dale Hall Calhoun 706-506-0351

Bermdua/Fescue mixed hay, 4x5 round bales and square, rain free in barn \$40/ \$4. Patrick Broder **Stockbridge** 404-401-6134

Bermuda hay; Tift 44 and lisa, 4x5.5 bales, horse quality in barn; \$60 per bale; outside, \$50 per bale. Ivey Jeanes **Gordon** 478-233-0347

Bermuda, fescue hay, premium horse quality, limed, fertilized and sprayed; \$5.50 per bale. Rex Palmer **Auburn** 770-867-9589

Bermuda/Fescue, 4X5 round bales, horse quality, \$45; Bermuda square bales, \$6. Sherrel Astin **Villa Rica** 678-794-0880

Coastal Bermuda hay, square bales, horse quality, \$6 per bale. Richard Smith Moreland 404-473-7281

Coastal bermuda, 5x6 round bales, clean and baled, rain-free; \$50 each; 150-plus available. Hardy Edwards Winterville 706-714-9012

Coastal Bermuda, Fescue mix, cow hay, \$35 per bale (outside), 4x4 bales, fertilized and limed; Delivery Available. Jermaine Barlow Luthersville 706-302-7658

Coastal, bahia mix; 800- to 1,000-pound bales, baled with Claas baler; \$60 inside, \$35 to \$45 outside, \$25 mulch. Coy Baker **Loganville** 770-466-4609

Coastal, orchard, fescue mix, fertilized, under cover 4x5 rolls; not horse quality; 2013, \$25; 2104, \$30. Mike Duck **Dahlonega** 706-344-7869

Fescue Hay for Sale, \$35 per roll. Jill Wright **Talking Rock** 706-276-3242

Fescue hay; square bales of hay, used for cow hay, \$250 per bale. Bobby Luke **Bogart** 770-725-5094

Hay for sale mixed Fescue square

bales, \$3 also some 4x5 rolls \$25.00 at barn Harvey Jackson **Blairsville** 706-745-0984

Hay: square, \$4 per bale and round, \$35 per bale, well-fertilized and barn-kept. Randy Grogan **Cedartown** 770-846-1640

Horse Quality Bermudagrass hay; 2 string square bales, \$6 per bale; highly fertilized, weed free; Delivery available. Mike Council **Cordele** 229-406-1321

FARMLAND SECTIONS AND COUNTIES

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Catoosa	Brantley	Fannin	Putnam	Marion	Newton
Chattooga	Bryan	Gilmer	Richmond	Miller	Rockdale
Dade	Bulloch	Habersham	Taliaferro	Mitchell	Spalding
Floyd	Camden	Hall	Treutlen	Pulaski	
Gordon	Candler	Lumpkin	Twiggs	Quitman	West Central
Haralson	Charlton	Pickens	Warren	Randolph	
Murray	Chatham	Rabun	Washington	Schley	Bibb
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Polk	Coffee	Towns	Wilkinson	Stewart	Coweta
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Market Bulletin Farmland Ad Form

The spring 2015 farmland edition of the *Market Bulletin* is scheduled for March 4. Deadline for this issue is Feb 18.

Ad guidelines: Only Georgia farmland of five acres or more may be advertised. Include price, acreage and county where property is located. All property must be for sale by owner. No real estate agents or brokers are allowed to advertise, and property under contract with a real estate agent is not eligible to be advertised. Limit descriptive terms to property characters or structures – do not include descriptive terms of homes on the property such as bedrooms, bathrooms and square footage. Farmland ads are up to 30 words including name, phone number and city. Only one ad per subscriber per issue. In order to advertise in the *Market Bulletin*, you must be a paid subscriber with a current subscriber number.

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The following statement must be signed by the advertiser submitting this notice for publication:

I hereby certify that the above notice meets all the necessary requirements for publication in the upcoming farmland edition of the Farmers and Consumers Market Bulletin.

Bulletin Calendar

Feb. 18

Landscape Design for Homeowners, Class 3 Carroll County Ag Center Carrollton, Ga. 770-836-8546

Taste of Georgia Legislative Reception Georgia Railroad Depot Atlanta, Ga. 404-467-9000

Tattnall/Evans Corn and Grain Sorghum Production Meeting Tattnall County Farm Bureau Reidsville, Ga. 912-557-6724

Feb. 18 - 22

Georgia Junior National Livestock Show Georgia National Fairgrounds & Agricenter Perry, Ga. 706-542-8892

Georgia Junior Livestock Foundation Meet & Greet Georgia National Fairgrounds & Agricenter Perry, Ga. 706-336-6830

Pesticide Applicator **Recertification Training** Coastal Georgia Botanical Gardens Savannah. Ga 770-229-3477

Veterans and Small Farmers Workshop **FVSU Pettigrew Center** Fort Valley, Ga. 678-376-9518

Georgia Farm Bureau Day Feb. 21 – 22 at the Capitol Georgia Railroad Depot Atlanta, Ga. 1-800-342-1192 ext. 5283

Nutrition Know-How Class Gilmer County Extension Office Ellijay, Ga. 706-635-4426

Seed Propagation Workshop Coal Mountain Park Community Building Cumming, Ga. 770-887-2418

Paulding County Master Gardener Daylily Program First Baptist Church of Dallas Dallas, Ga. 770-443-7616

Feb. 19 - 20

Georgia Farm to School & Preschool Summit The Classic Center Athens, Ga. 678-702-0400

Feb. 19 - 21

2015 Georgia National Rodeo Georgia National Fairgrounds & Agricenter Perry, Ga. 478-987-3247

Feb. 19 - 22

Georgia National Junior Livestock Show Georgia National Fairgrounds & Agricenter Perry, Ga.

18th Annual Georgia Organics Conference and Expo The Classic Center Athens. Ga. 678-702-0400

2nd Annual Fort Valley State University Day at the Capitol Georgia State Capitol Atlanta, Ga. 478-825-6474

Feb. 20

Southeast Georgia Area Watermelon Update Vidalia Onion and Vegetable Research Center Lvons. Ga. 912-557-6724

Jenkins County Corn **Production Meeting** Ag Building Millen, Ga. 478-982-4408

Feb. 21

Beeschool 2015 First Baptist Church Holly Springs Holly Springs, Ga. 770-735-3263

Georgia State Rabbit and Cavy Association Show Georgia National Fairgrounds & Agricenter Perry, Ga. 706-639-7379

UGA 4-H Archery Competition Georgia National Fairgrounds & Agricenter Perry, Ga. 706-542-5667

IEA Region Finals -Regions 1 and 9 Georgia International Horse Park Conyers, Ga. 770-841-1556

Poultry Show & Swap Meet Coweta County Fairgrounds Newnan, Ga 770-900-1669

Feb. 21 - 28

National FFA Week

Feb. 23

Leadership Day at the Capitol Georgia State Capitol Atlanta, Ga. 706-542-8735

Feb. 23 - 24

ServSafe Food Protection Manager Certification & **Training** Augusta Technical College Thomson, Ga. 706-595-1815

Feb. 24

Urban Ag Council Professional Landscape Awards Heritage Sandy Springs Atlanta, Ga. 800-687-6949

Feb. 24 – 25

ServSafe Restaurant Manager Food Safety Certification The Candy Room Albany, Ga. 229-436-7216

Landscape Design for Homeowners, Class 4 Carroll County Ag Center Carrollton, Ga. 770-836-8546

Feb. 25 - 26

ServSafe Manager's Training 700 Horizon South Parkway Grovetown, Ga. 706-821-2350

Feb. 26 Georgia Grown Farm to Table Source Show Atlanta State Farmers Market Forest Park. Ga. Misty.friedman @agr.georgia.gov

BQA Training **Brooks County Extension** Office Quitman, Ga. 229-561-3466

North Georgia Gardening Symposium Chattahoochee Technical College Acworth, Ga. 770-528-4550

Feb. 26 - 27

Small Farm Conference Unicoi State Park Helen, Ga. 706-552-4479

Feb. 27

Georgia Aquaculture Association Workshop and Meeting Dennard's Pond House Soperton, Ga. http://georgiaaguacultureassoc.com

Private and Commercial Pesticide Applicator Recertification Athens-Clarke County Library Athens, Ga. 706-613-3640

Ornamental Pruning Class **UGA Student Learning** Center Griffin, Ga. 770-228-7214

Feb. 27 - March 1

Al Training School Northeast Georgia Livestock Athens, Ga. 678-617-2945

Feb. 28

Peach State Classic Boer Goat Show Georgia National Fairgrounds & Agricenter Perry, Ga. 912-383-2607

Georgia State VFW BB Gun Championship Match Indian Creek Elementary School Douglas, Ga. 912-384-1402

Lotus Propagation Workshop Forsyth County Extension Office Cumming, Ga.

770-887-2418

Camellia Flower Waxing Workshop Coastal Georgia Botanical Gardens Savannah. Ga. 912-921-5460

Feb. 28 - March 1

HQHA Georgia National Quarter Horse Show Georgia National Fairgrounds & Agricenter Perry, Ga. 770-227-2159

Southern States Llama Association Hillbilly Llama Show Georgia National Fairgrounds & Agricenter Perry, Ga. 229-347-1698

IEA Region Finals -Regions 1 and 6 Georgia International Horse Park Conyers, Ga. 678-300-8643

Horse Show Ventures Georgia International Horse Park Conyers, Ga. 770-827-0175

March 3

Tifton Beef Cattle Short Course Tifton Bull Evaluation Center Irwinville, Ga. 229-386-3214

Urban Ag Council Coastal Area Network & Education **Dinner Meeting** Oelschias Nurserv Savannah, Ga. 800-687-6949

Egg Candling Class Burke County Extension Office Wavnesboro, Ga. 706-554-2119

March 4

Tifton Performance-Tested Bull Sale Tifton Bull Evaluation Center Irwinville, Ga. 229-386-3214

March 5

Landscape Design for Homeowners, Class 5 Carroll County Ag Center Carrollton, Ga. 770-836-8546

Pesticide Recertification Training **Houston County Extension** Office Perry, Ga. 770-229-3477

March 6

Ornamental Pruning Class **UGA Student Learning** Center Griffin, Ga. 770-228-7214

March 7

23rd Annual Hellebore Days Piccadilly Farm Bishop, Ga. 706-765-4444

Forsyth Beekeepers Club Beginner's Beekeeping School Sawnee Mountain Preserve Cumming, Ga 770-356-1025

March 11

Landscape Design for Homeowners, Class 6 Carroll County Ag Center Carrollton, Ga. 770-836-8546

Additional pesticide recertification training notices are available on the Department website under the Plant Industry Division tab.

Livestock auctions listed in the Market Bulletin may offer related items for sale. Notices for auctions selling any items other than livestock must be accompanied by the auction license number of the principal auctioneer or firm conduction the auction, per state regulations. Notices without this information cannot be published.

Have an event to put on our calendar? Contact Dallas Duncan at 404-656-3722 or dallas.duncan@agr.georgia.gov.

Horse quality; Tift 44 square bales, fertilized, sprayed and rain-free; \$5; please call. Anthony Clark **Elberton** 706-988-8996

Round bales, Orchard/Fescue mixed grass, 4x4, rain-free, \$18/Roll; Delivery available. Ron Smith 2682 Cantrell Road La fayette 30728 jpetrel@floorsoft.com 706-537-8841

Russell 4x5 bermuda horse quality hay in barn; \$55. L. Parks **Lula** 678-

Shelled yellow corn; \$6 for 40-pound bag. Janie Willis Dahlonega 706-867-

Square bale hay; 2014 bermuda, fertilized and rain-free, can deliver. Barry McCart Jackson 678-432-0423 770-957-2270

Top quality hay, 4x6 rolls, 1,000 pounds; alicia, Tift 9; wrapped, fertilized; 2014 peanut hay; wrapped, will deliver. Josh Yawn Milan 229-315-

Top quality, 2014 tested, alicia, russell hay; round, square, sheltered; delivery available; free storage through March 2015. Heath Pittman Vidalia 912-293-2535 912-537-9721

Feed, Hay and Grain Wanted

Cow hay, round rolls, near Martin and Lavonia. Charles Alexander **Martin**

I'm looking for spoiled/unwanted hav to use in my garden, preferably for free. Thanks! Kurt Alexander **Clermont** salexander421@gmail.com 770-718-8650

Raising hogs; need cracked corn or corn shorts, need 55-gallon drum per week for reasonable price. Travis Ellington **Senoia** 678-787-9341

AG SEED FOR SALE

If you have questions regarding this category, call 404-656-3722.

Advertisers must submit a current state laboratory report, fewer than nine months old, for purity, noxious weeds and germination for each seed lot advertised. Ads submitted without this information will not be published. If you are faxing or mailing in an ad, this report needs to be sent along with it. For ads submitted online, the report can be attached using the attachments button. Seed lots must be uniform and cannot exceed 400 50-pound bags. Certain varieties of seed are protected from propagation unless they are grown as a class of certified seed. These include Florida 304, Coker 9152, Coker 9835, 6738 soybean, Haskell, Bennings and others. For questions regarding certified seed, call the Department's Seed Division at 404-656-3635.

2014 Coker 227 oats and vetch; germination 98 percent oats, 94 percent vetch; 50-pound bag, \$11. George Chandler **Danielsville** 706-338-4321

GCIA certified Tifton 9 bahiagrass; 40-pound bags; non-certified T-9 seed. James Gaston Americus gaston7460@bellsouth.net 229-924-7460

Ag Plants for Sale

Bermuda spr;igs, Russell, coastal, Tift 85, custom planting State wide; references available, book early. Robert McNair. Freeman Montgomery Junction City 706-366-1956 706-575-5697

Blueberry plants, \$2 each; four to six feet tall, taking orders for February shipment. Sidney Roland **Demorest** 706-754-6700

Boueberry plants in 50 count trays. Call for details. Clinton Waldron **Manor** 912-550-7263

Chinquapins (Castanea) one year old bare root seedlings, 3 for \$30. Charles Adams Marietta quercusfalcata@ earthlink.net 678-313-1873

Coastal, Alicia, Russell, Tift 85 and Bermuda sprigs; also custom planting. Mack McGee Glenwood 912-568-7379 229-868-0262

Coastal, Tift 44 Sprigs also custom planting with machine, not harrowed in: references available Scott McDaniel Yatesville 706-472-3013

Figs, three varieties, mulberries, \$5; self-pollinating Issai, kiwi, \$6; sweet shrub, \$3; dewberries, raspberries, \$2; much more. Carla Houghton Marietta 770-428-2227

Native plants, Rver Birch, Maples, Oaks, Mulberry and others, 3 cont., 7+ft., \$5. Barry Gay Blairsville 706-

Pecan trees grafted, bare root, six to eight feet, \$30; sawtooth oak eight to 12 feet, \$25 bare root. Jody Kemp **Lyons** 912-293-4902

Raspberry plants, \$3 each; Approximately 30 available, no minimum. Heritage and Redwing. Pick-up only. Tom Johnson **Atlanta** 404-234-8427

Several varieties of sugar cane; by the stalk, row or field. D W Wright Moultrie 229-891-7632 229-324-3133

Ag Seed/Plants Wanted

Old Timey Greassey Collard Seed. Bobby Rutherford Cochran 478-230-

Yellow root, please call. James W Darby **Monroe** 770-207-7803

FLOWERS AND ORNAMENTALS FOR SALE

If you have questions about this category, call 404-656-3722.

\$1 per/packet Flower Seed with SASE, Purple Cone flower, Blk. Eye Susan, Tiger Lilly, Giant Lilly, Amaryllis, Vitex(ChaseTree). Hans Gruetzenbach 978 County Farm RD NE Dalton 30721

2014 Hollyhock, Texas Star Hibiscus, White Miniature Zinnia, 25 seeds, \$3 plus SASE (no checks, please). D. Miltimore 1396 Kiley Lane **Dalton** 30721 countryliving@windstream.net

2014 variegated four-o-clock seed, 2014 hummingbird vine seeds; \$1 per package with SASE. Polly Young 173 . Creekview Drive **Leesburg** 31763 229-

36 H. Send Hibiscus seed, roughedup. "Luna White" 24, \$1 and SASE. Douglas S Capps 1329 Sandy Cross

Road **Comer** 30629 770-490-5537 4" perennials, 350 varieties, \$1.50 ea. including Helleborus; 1 gal. grafted Japanese maples, \$20-\$25; display garden. Selah Ahlstrom **Jackson** 770-775-4967

A-1 wildflower seeds, attracts butterflies and birds, \$2; two gigantic packs, SASE. Sam Marler 339 Walden Shore Drive Brunswick 31525 912-

Achimenes (widows tears); order rhizomes now for spring shipment. D. Hinson Yatesville 770-468-6254

Boxwoods 4; 30inches, \$10 each; you dig. John Eberhart Hiram 770-<u>943-0</u>775

Camellias, three-gal, \$20;:Crepe Myrtles, 20-gal.\$35. Myrtle Russell Bonaire robertrussell@bellsouth.net 478-923-1951

Castor mole bean seeds, free; SASE, 70 cent postage, appreciated. Kris Gorus **Macon** 478-345-0858 Cosmos, Giant, Orange, six to eight

feet, not unusual; 60 +seeds,, \$1 7SASE. Ira Bray **Newnan** 770-253-0693 Daffodils: White Mount Hood, old time yellow, old time double bloom-

ers, white narcissis, blue bells, mole

bean seed. E. Beach Duluth 770-

476-1163 Four-o'clocks, different colors, large sunflowers seeds; tablespoon, \$1 plus SASE. M V Pursley 253 Ryan Road Winder 30680 770-540-1567 770-<u>307-5</u>645

Giant cosmos seeds, six to eight feet not unusual, 60-plus seeds; \$1 plus SASE. Ira Bray 70 Wilkes Ct. Newnan 30263 770-253-0392

Hellebores; 4 to 5 years old in bud, wo-gallon size pot; \$10; disquantity orders. Mary Wenger Gainesville 770-287-0734

Large crinum lily bulbs; You dig; beautiful dark green foliage with red blooms, Eight for \$10. Calvin Till Thomaston 706-648-9197 478-391-7635

Lily bulbs: August, daylily, La., \$12 per dozen, \$2 postage; seeds: blackeyed susan, trumpets, verbena, \$2 per tablespoon, SASE. F. Brooks 674 New Rosedale Rd. Armuchee 30105

Night-blooming Cereus: white, red, aloes & jade, peniciels cactus, Kalanehoe, \$2 & up, many more. Nancy Rosser Powder Springs 770-943-1915

Old time zinnias, mixed, cup \$3 plus SASE, two stamps; large Marigold, \$1 per tablespoon. Mildred Brvan 916 Flm Dr. **Monroe** 30655 770-267-3098

One-gallon potted mature Hellebores, 4-plus years old with blooms; \$7 each, discounts for large orders. Diane Sandy Springs 770-355-4003

Pond, landscape and fruit plants; Call or e-mail for pricelist. Susan Kingsolver frogbit2@yahoo.com 706-363-8892

Red castor bean or loofah sponge seeds; 25 /\$3,100 /\$10; send SASE Joy Shelnutt P.O. Box 1212 Loganiville 30052

Red Spider Lilies, \$5 per dozen; White Cherokee Roses, \$5. June Hurst Whigham 229-762-4476

Reseeding petunias, mixed; angel trumpets, double purple or double yellow, \$1 per packet with SASE. Carolyn Arnold 644 Lynn Ave. Jefferson

Seeds: Larkspur, echinacea. foxglove, Sweet William, peony poppy columbine, \$1 plus SASE. Etheleen James 197 Glynn James Road Lyons 30436 912-526-8516

Seeds: mullein pink, touch-me-nots, four-o-clocks, money plant, morning glory, hibiscus, devil's trumpet, Siberian iris, \$1 teaspoon, SASE, cash. G. Robertson 2966 Cardinal Lake Cir. Du-

FLOWERS REQUIRING PERMITS

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Advertisers selling officially protected plants must have a permit to sell such plants. Ads submitted without this permit will not be published. If you are faxing or mailing in an ad, the permit needs to be sent along with it. For ads submitted online, the permit can be attached using the attachments button. For information on the sale or shipment of protected plants, call the Protected Plant Program at 770-918-6411.

MISCELLANEOUS

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CAT heated outdoor floor heater, waterproof, 20 watts, floor heater, Gambrel roof overhangs, durable, nylon, vinyl house, \$75. Blairsville.. Ruth J Kohler Young Harris 706-745-6423

Farm bells; old type, different sizes, would also like to buy your bell, train school, church; pay cash. Shane Burnett Covington 770-827-0999

For Sale: Carpenter bee \$13.50, shipped in lots of 5 for \$85. Call for more info. William Timmerman Harlem 803-640-6265

Gas heater, firewood rack, garden tools and mower. Pat Mason Lilburn 404-784-6855

Large dog houses for sale, well-built, well-designed, strong, make your farm dog happy with a new home. Wayne Knight **Auburn** 678-425-4550

Locust rails and posts for sale; Custom lengths available. Eugene Cook 3274 Trackrock Gap Road Blairsville 30512 706-745-8724 706-897-5828

Old hand-hewn log cabin, excellent condition; delivery and setup available anywhere. Kerry Hix Chatsworth 706-695-6431

Plastic Buck - Pal pallets, \$20 each or 5 for \$80; 44'x56"x6" high, very strong. Nin D Garrett Tyrone 770-487-4883

Quonset style building; Aluminum tubing, 20'W 14'H ~60'L. No roofing, \$1,800. Joey Duran 4294 Chamblee Road Oakwood 30566 sail.duran@ charter.net 770-654-9752

Two Carlisle tires, traction chiefs, 18-18.50-10, 4 ply, made in USA, good for tractor, small four wheeler. Michael Magrum **Rydal** 706-509-8576

Wine press, stainless steel crusher, 10 glass carboys, five-gallon fermenters, hydrometers, glassware, chemicals, etc.; \$500. Larry Whitman Hinesville lwhitman@coastalnow.net 912-977-

Bees, Honey & Supplies

10 Frame Bee Hive, \$75 and 5 Frame Bee hive, \$60, also make Supers and Inner Cover. Eliseo Delia Mineral Bluff 706-492-5119

3 pound package Italian bees w/ queen, April 10, 2015 \$90; 100% deposit required to guarantee your package. Billy Craft Elberton 864-617-

All-natural pure, unprocessed honeva sizes available: quart. \$14; pint. \$8; eight-ounce bear, \$5; cut comb, \$15. Jimmy Brown Jackson 770-775-0157 678-448-7781

Beekeeping hive starter kits; Will remove low hanging swarms for free in Carrollton area. Email for details. Michael George Carrollton georgefamily crafts@gmail.com 470-514-9303

Carpenter bee trap, handcrafted, the one that works; \$20, three for \$50; free freight. Jack Snyder Hephzibah 706-

Package bees (gueenless), frames: brood and bees, beginning February; pick up only. Patrick Wilbanks Metter 912-286-7789

Pick up swarms for free. Will pick up/purchase unwanted beekeeping equipment. New locations to keep bees, wanted. Dave Larson Mitchell 770-542-9546

Taking orders: 10-frame beehives with supers and queen excluders; for spring delivery. Sam Thompson Cadwell 478

Taking orders: early spring pick up, nucs, package bees; good line of beekeeping equipment in stock. Bill Posey Cartersville billsbeefarm@yahoo.com 770-595-9332

Taking orders: five-comb nucs, hives, bees, empty hives, supers, Top/bot-Spring delivery, etc. Edward tom., Colston **Taylorsville** 770-382-9619

Will remove swarms for free; remove unwanted bees from a structure for a fee. Leonard Day Macon/Gray 478-719-5588

Will remove unwanted bee equipment. removal from structures; 2014 all-natural honey for sale. Derry Oliver Commerce 706-335-7226 706-621-1781

Things To Eat

Advertisers submitting ads using the term "organic" require Certified Organic registration with the Georgia Department of Agriculture, Ads submitted without this registration will not be published. If you are faxing or mailing in an ad, the registration needs to be sent along with it. For ads submitted online, the registration can be attached using the attachments button. For information on this registration, call the Organic Program Manager at 706-595-3408.

#14 Stuart pecans in shell, one or 100 pounds, \$1.45 per pound; can ship, you pay postage. Curtis Kicliter Mar**shallville** 478-967-2940

'14 pecans, \$11/lb plus postage. Will crack, shell, separate your pecans \$.50/lb. Russell Eaton Stockbridge 770-506-2727

'14 Shelled Pecans mostly halves, \$7 lb. plus shipping. June Brantley 1501 N Houston Lake Blvd Warner Robins 31093 478-788-1137

2014 black walnuts, large, extra clean meats; \$22 per quart, postage paid. Payne McCaysville 706-492-Hovt

2014 cleaned black walnut meat; \$21 per quart, postage paid. Robert Buchanan Hiawassee 706-896-2537

2014 Pecans, \$5 per lb. plus shiping. Charles Sawyer **Moun** 768-4776

2014 pecans; \$8 per pound; shipping is extra if shipped. Michelle Copeland Clarkesville 706-768-8417

2014 Shelled Pecans, mostly halves, \$8 per pound plus postage; www.horizonorchards.com. Phil Williams Jesup 912-270-4676

All-natural Black Angus beef; no steriods, antibiotics or hormones; call for information. David Sharpton Commerce 706-367-0876

Beef: steers, no growth hormones or antibiotics. Dale Dylong Oxford 404-456-8357

Black walnut meat; \$17 per quart plus postage. Joan Spears Washington 706-678-2266

Fresh eggs; Non GMO, Soy and Corn free, \$4 per dozen, mixed sizes. Sonya Farrell Clarkesville randombantamfarms@yahoo.com 706-754-5838

Marview Farms proudly raises & provides GRASSFED & finished Beef, Lamb/ Goat & pasturized/hertiage pork. Fernnado Mendez Arabi/ Cordele 229-401-8722

Naturally grown Jerusalem Artichoke. as low as \$6 per pound plus shipping. Buddy Hutto Warner Robins buddv260@cox.net 478-960-1329

Several jars of homemade apple butter; \$5 per jar. Andrea Freeland Carnesville 706-990-9960

Stoneground grits, cornmeal, whole wheat flour. White and yellow grits and cornmeal. 2-lb bags. Will ship. Stacey Freeman Statesboro 912-852-9381

Sugar cane syrup; 1/5, \$6.50; can be shipped, call for info. Roy Holt **Dudley** 478-676-2760 478-697-2583

Wanted: Pork to purchase. No pesticides, no antibiotics, no GMO feed. Reasonable price. Glenda Lynch Dallas 770-445-4869

Herbs

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2015 rare pepper seeds: ghost, orange habanero, baloon, peach habaner, peter; \$2 per packet with SASE. Donald Allen 3647 Spain Road Snellville 30039 404-578-7758

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\$25-\$30 /lb, Big Red-Europeans, Red Wigglers and worm castings plus shipping. Lew Bush Byron smokefj@gmail. com 478-955-4780

5 lbs. Red composting orms, \$85; fresh worm castings, unheated with living soil life, 10 lbs, \$7.50; Pick-up only. Harold Tumlin **Temple** 770-832-0030

All sizes catfish. Minnows, bluegill, shellcracker, redbreast, sterile carp, electrofishing, feeders, shad, aeration and consulting services. Keith and Kim Edge Soperton 478-697-8994

All sizes catfish; minnows, bluegill, shellcracker, redbreast, sterile carp, crappie, feeders, shad, aeration and consulting. Keith and Kim Edge Soperton 478-697-8994

All sizes rainbow trout available; statewide delivery available; bass, bluegill, sterile grass carp, fish feeders, aeration. Caleb Lewallen Ball Ground 770-735-3523

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Bass, bluegill, shellcrackers, hybrid bream, channel catfish fingerlings, sterile grass carp; delivery available. Tony Chew Manchester 706-846-

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Grass carp, bluegill, shell cracker bream, channel catfish fingerlings, bass, threadfin shad; delivery, pick up by appointment only. Robert Brown **Brooks** 770-719-8039

Fertilizers & Mulches

2014 square bale mulch hay, in barn. Jerry Cox **Fayetteville** 770-461-7938 2014 wheat straw, \$3 per bale at barn; delivery available, Gary Brinson **Tarrytown** 912-286-3191

Aged horse manure, mixed with shavings, can load with tractor. Monti Hight **Macon** 478-960-2008

Aged horse manure, you load any time; I load, call for appointment; \$10 truck, \$20 trailer, \$30 tandem. Raymond Dunnigan Smyrna 678-683-2624 404-421-1775

Free aged horse manure, few shavings, great for gardens. You load and haul. Jim Campbell Monroe 770-617-2912

Free horse manure and shavings mix; You load, easy access by appt only. Vida Futch McDonough 404-630-2000

Free horse manure, mixed with shavings; ask for Danny. Denise West Fayetteville 404-771-4041

Free, aged horse manure, ready to turn into fall garden; will help load. Leslie B Elliott Jasper 770-355-5726

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Mulch hay, 4x5, \$20/roll. Harry MC-Cord Carrollton harrymccord@att.net 770-830-0005 404-213-1190

Red Wigglers, worm castings, manures, composting units and supplies, worm farming and composting work shops. D. Holman Covington 678-977-7944

Red Wigglers; castings and compost/ the load, lb, or bed run; Weekdays after 3:00 PM or Weekends. Reed Adair Covington 770-527-6064

Straw, 500 bales, clean, under shelter; all or none; \$4 per bale. A. G. Morehouse **Mansfield** 678-618-2148

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Poultry Litter/Compost

Free aged manure, compost; easy access; Crabapple area, will help load; ask for Nina. Kristina Macrae Milton 678-793-0694

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Red Wigglers cups, \$2; five-gallon bucket, \$35; 25-gallon tub, \$100; also have castings. Bruce Self Byron 478-538-6167

Worm castings, worm compost, tea compost, composting units and supplies, Red Wigglers, worm farming products. K. Holman Newnan 770-713-5781

Oddities

Gourds for sale: martin, crooked handle, craft, bottleneck and more. Shop anytime Thelma Moon 3226 Hoot Owl Rd. Royston 30662 706-245-4218

Gourds Martin crooked handle: craft and more. Hoyt Howard Cumming 970-713-6630

Gourds, many varieties to choose from, at farm or ship UPS. Crystal Lang Cordele 229-322-1321

Gourds: small, \$1; medium to large, \$2; with holes, \$3. Jimmy McDonald **Sylvester** 229-777-0444

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Miscellaneous Wanted

10-,12- and 16-foot gates, T-posts, wooden fence posts and tin. Linda Duke Good Hope 770-267-1520 770-549-5383

5 gallon plastic buckets without lids; I need 800. Darcy Leerssen Columbus 706-561-9685

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Blacksmith or ferrier's tools, anvils, forges, vises, hammers, tongs, etc. Charles Hegedus **Emerson** 678-986-1453

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Horse drawn equipment, working or repairable: mowers, plows, parts and bolts, wagons, cane mills. Forrest Moore Cataula 706-582-2793 Looking for rusted roofing tin and si-

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Need cotton scraps/ prints for small block quilt, no wool, jersey or double knit, will pay reasonable price and postage. Neil C Bonds Marietta 770-883-4648

Permission to take feral hogs off your property for vegetables from my garden;100 mile radius. James Rhyne McDonough 770-954-1380

Two rear tractor tires with rims, size 18.4x26-inch; one boom pole. Pete Cobb Fairburn 770-964-5644

Tye, no till grain drill, needed for parts. Robert Yates Summerville 706-397-2715 423-645-0646

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Want to buy two wooden wagon wheels, at least fair condition. Phillip Cook **Gordon** 770-295-8792

Want to buy used 7-10 gallon nursery plant pots, and used nursery supplies/ materials..ground cover, green house. etc.. John Cowherd Monticello 770-862-7442

Wanted: Laurel wood branches, rhododendron branches, iron syrup kettle at least 40" diameter, 7 Emerald Arborvitae, 8-10 feet. Jenny Papevies Murrayville 404-405-2754

Wanted:1000 gallon stainless steel horizontal tank for spray truck. No leaks! Mark McWhorter Whitesburg mmc@ngturf.com 706-302-6733

Wanting to purchase good usable 500 and 1000 gallon propane tanks; please call 706-789-3294 and leave a message. Danny Farmer Danielsville 706-789-3294

Out-Of-State Wanted

Large farm, church, train bells; brass, cast iron. Mike Long Newberry SC 803-924-9039

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Seasoned hardwood, 20-24," Delivered free within 20 miles. \$175/cord, \$95/Half Dave 404-326-6061 David Carmichael 543 Cedarstone Path Dallas 30157 D carmichael@bellsouth.net 404-326-6061 404-326-6061

Split oak; \$160 per cord; pick up only. Lou Hall **Monroe** 770-267-5122

Christmas Trees

Leyland cypress, direct from grower, several hundred avalable, all single trunk, five to six feet, great prices. Bob Brookshire Hoschton bbrooks3140@ bellsouth.net 770-932-5795

Leyland cypress, three-gallon pots,18 to 20 inches, single stem; \$5.50 each. Bob Welch 425 Taylor Town Loop, NE Ranger 30734 706-629-6332



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Pigweed: Finding solutions

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son, but is expected to be available in 2016. Although these new technologies are cutting edge, they are simply additional tools available to producers in the fight against pigweed.

"The first thing to realize is that there's no silver bullet in managing pigweed; the most effective programs are those that are thought out and implemented on a timely basis, regardless of the technology being used. It doesn't matter which tool or technology you pick, the key is you the grower implementing it timely and wisely," Culpepper said.

From an environmental standpoint, pigweed has forced some producers to abandon conservation tillage in favor of conventional tillage, leaving the soil more susceptible to higher rates of wind and water erosion, as well as reducing the level of valuable organic matter in the soil. Conventional tillage is also not as sustainable as conservation tillage for farmers because it increases costs of production due to more trips across the field. The new technologies, such as dicamba and dicamba resistant seed, create the potential for farmers to move back towards more conservation tillage.

Preparation and system development are so

essential to pigweed control due primarily to the speedy growth of the plant. Once the weed becomes established and begins producing seeds, treatment becomes very expensive and it is almost impossible to eliminate the weed entirely. Although the use of dicamba and the dicamba tolerant seeds may seem like an "easy fix" upon first glance, producers must decide how to best integrate these technologies into their current systems.

"Palmer amaranth is just as big and bad as ever. These new technologies don't kill pigweed bigger than three inches. The systems that have to be created are quite effective, but they rely back on the grower," Culpepper said. "The whole story needs to be back on the grower preparing: preparation, timeliness, and program follow through are essential. These technologies don't change that one bit."

Still, farmers see the recent advancements as a big step in the right direction.

"Even though there's still a ways to go, we would not be nearly as far along in controlling pigweed as we are now without the tireless work of our extension agents and researchers across the state," Joiner said.



Pigweed continues to plague cotton farmers.

Pests: Port of Savannah Hosts Workshop for State and Federal Partners

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Commission for vegetables

Georgia Agricultural Commodity

Marketing Order Referendum to be held in March

The Agricultural Commodity Commission for Vegetables will hold a 30-day grower referendum to allow producers an opportunity to vote on a new Marketing Order for Vegetables which establishes a 1 cent per marketing unit assessment on fresh vegetables produced for sale in this State. The order applies to growers with 50 acres or more of total annual production and only applies to beans, bell pepper, specialty pepper, Broccoli, beets, cabbage, cantaloupe, carrots, cucumbers, eggplant, greens including collards, turnips greens, mustard and kale, squash including, yellow, zucchini and winter squash, sweet potato and tomato. Collected assessments fund programs of research, promotion and education on behalf of Georgia Vegetables. This marketing order is to replace the marketing order which failed to pass in 2014 grower referendum.

In order for the Marketing Order to be approved, 66 2/3% of those ballots returned must be in favor of approval of new the Marketing Order. Also 25% of ballots of eligible voters must be returned for referendum to be valid. Upon approval, the Marketing Order would be in effect for three (3) years beginning May 1, 2015 and ending April 30, 2018.

The balloting period for the proposed Marketing Order has been set for **March** 1, 2015 to March 30, 2015. Ballots must be postmarked no later than midnight March 30, 2015 to be eligible to be counted. Please mark and sign your ballot and complete the production information and return it in the postagepaid envelope as soon as possible.

For information contact: Andy Harrison, Commodity Commissions Manager, **Georgia Department of Agriculture** andy.harrison@agr.georgia.gov 404 586 1405

national Airport, the Port of Brunswick and the Port of Savannah. The Port of Savannah is the nation's 4th busiest container port, handling 3.14 million shipping containers in FY14 (all shipping containers measure either 20- or 40feet in length).

"In 2014, we saw phenomenal growth in every category," said Georgia Port Authority Executive Director Curtis Foltz. "Georgia's ports benefited from an improving retail economy, renewed strength in manufacturers' orders of raw goods, and the expanded population in the Southeast." Bulk cargo such as forest products, wood pellets and agricultural products saw an 5.7 percent increase.

Last October, employees from the Georgia Dept. of Agriculture's Plant Protection and Structural Pest Sections met with CBP personnel in Savannah. During the 2-day meeting, Department employees worked with CBP agriculture investigators and inspected containers that had been selected from incoming ships. Several pests were found and one container was contaminated with soil and required cleaning prior to CBP releasing it into U.S. commerce.

These types of interagency training meetings are beneficial not only because inspection tips and techniques can be shared but each agency gains a better understanding of the other's actions, focus and goals.

"CBP personnel at the Port of Savannah understand the importance of and enjoy working in a collaborative environment with stakeholders and industry partners,"

said Lisa Beth M. Brown, Area Port Director for U.S. Customs and Border Protection in Savannah, Ga. "There are many networked facets to our Nation's pest risk enforcement strategy. Knowing our partners and sharing information on intercepts, techniques and trends is paramount to success."

The Georgia Dept. of Agriculture, the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, and CBP have a long history of working together to prevent pests from entering and becoming established in the U.S. Each year, the Plant Protection Section takes part in the USDA's Cooperative Agriculture Pest Survey. Although CBP agriculture investigators do their best to find pests, it is inevitable that some will make it onto U.S. soil. It is impossible to know every insect, weed, or plant pathogen that could become a problem in the U.S., there are a few organisms that are considered to be serious invasive pests in almost every situation. Visual surveys and insect pheromone traps are used in efforts to detect these specific pests. If an insect is found that resembles a serious pest, or if it is unidentifiable, the specimen is submitted to USDA for identification.

While not every Georgian can inspect international cargo for pests, there are things consumers can do. Do not bring fruits, vegetables, or plant into the U.S. without a permit from USDA and do not order them from internet sites that are outside of the U.S. Never release plants from an aquarium into the environment.

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