

## Vidalia<sup>®</sup> Onions set to ship April 22 Georgia Agriculture Commissioner announces official pack date

ATLANTA – Get those taste buds ready, Vidalia® Onion lovers, because America's favorite sweet onion will soon be on the way. The Georgia Department of Agriculture and the Vidalia Onion Committee announced March 18 that the pack date for the 2019 Vidalia Onion season is 8 a.m. Monday, April 22.

With tremendous consideration after consultation with the Vidalia Advisory Panel, industry experts from the University of Georgia and crop assessments from the Georgia Federal State Inspection Service, I am pleased to announce April 22 as this year's pack date for the official state vegetable of Georgia, the Vidalia onion," said Georgia Agriculture Commissioner Gary W. Black. "For more than two decades, Georgia's Vidalia onion trademark has garnered global recognition, reaffirming our trust in Vidalia onions being among the highest-quality in the food industry."

The annual Vidalia Onion pack date is a rite of spring for fans of the vegetable because it is only available for a limited time each year. The unique onion - adored by cooks for its sweet, mild flavor - is hand-cultivated in 20 Southeast Georgia counties by 80 registered growers.

Each year, the Vidalia Onion Advisory Panel, state agricultural scientists and the GDA determine the pack date based on soil and weather conditions in South Georgia during the

growing season to help ensure only the highest-quality onions ity onions reaching Vidalia fans each season. are shipped to stores across the country. Last year, 9,356.26 acres of Vidalia onions were hand-planted to be harvested in the forthcoming weeks, according to Troy Bland, chairman of the Vidalia Onion Committee.

This year, the Vidalia Onion Committee is launching "The Sweet Life," a new marketing campaign to reach home cooks across the country. The campaign targets grocery shoppers who enjoy cooking and entertaining.

"The Sweet Life builds on our very successful marketing effort over the last two years that helped to raise the profile of the Vidalia onion among food connoisseurs, particularly millennials who set many of today's consumer trends," said Bland. "Now we plan to focus on a broader category of consumers who like to cook, entertain and use onions. The goal is to elevate the brand as a signifier of good taste and living well."

Vidalia onions represent about 40 percent of the sweet onion market in the country and are sold in every state. The Vidalia trademark is owned by the state of Georgia under authority of the Vidalia Onion Act of 1986. To be considered a Vidalia onion, the vegetables must be cultivated in South Georgia from a distinctive Granex seed and packed and sold after the official pack date each year, resulting in only the highest-qual-

More information about Vidalia onions can be found at vidaliaonion.org, and updates on this season's news will be shared on Vidalia Onion Committee's Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Pinterest and YouTube accounts.

### About the Vidalia<sup>®</sup> Onion Committee

Because Vidalia® onions are sweetly unique, farmers united to seek legal protection for their crop and its name. Federal Marketing Order No. 955 was established in 1989 to stipulate where the crop can be grown and help with research and promotion of Vidalia onions. The Vidalia Onion Committee administers FMO No. 955 and authorizes production research, marketing research and development and marketing promotion programs. This federal program along with Georgia state laws that protect the Vidalia trademark have provided a legal framework for the industry. So, you can try to grow a sweet onion elsewhere, but you cannot call it a "Vidalia" unless it is from Georgia. For more information, visit VidaliaOnion.org.

### Gov. and First Lady Kemp join in the celebration of Georgia Agriculture Awareness Week

Commissioner Gary W. Black and the Kemp joined in the celebration by participat-Georgia Department of Agriculture dedicated the week of March 18-22 to celebrating Georgia Agriculture Awareness week statewide.

'We should thank our farmers every day for the blessings they give us by providing the most abundant and safe food supply in the world," Black said. "But this week gives us that extra little nudge to take a moment to really appreciate the importance of agriculture in our state and the key role it plays in our communities and overall state economy."

Gov. Brian Kemp and First Lady Marty

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ing in events throughout the week, including: Hands-On School Garden Day, Buy Georgia Grown Day, Ag Hero Day, Ag Literacy Day and Make My Plate Georgia Grown Day. Each day communicated the importance of agriculture in our daily lives.

"As Georgia's oldest and largest industry, agriculture represents over \$73 billion in our state's economy and employs one in seven Georgians. Our state is a leader in peanuts, blueberries, poultry and countless other commodities, and our hardworking farm families put food on tables across the globe," said Gov. Kemp. "Agriculture Awareness Week is an excellent opportunity for all of us to highlight our thriving agriculture industry, and Marty and I thank the Department of Agriculture and Commissioner Gary Black for championing this effort."



Fort Valley State University Lowndes County Extension Agent Joshua Dawson helped students at J.L. Newbern Middle School in Valdosta prepare their school garden for a visit from First Lady Marty Kemp.



First Lady Marty Kemp with students of J.L. Newbern Middle School in Valdosta on "Hands-On School Garden Day," the first day of Georgia's Agriculture Awareness Week celebration.

## **Robert Dickey named 2019 Georgia Farmer of the Year**

### By Sharon Dowdy

Crawford County peach farmer Robert Dickey has been named 2019 Georgia Farmer of the Year. He will compete against farmers from nine other states for the Swisher Sweets/ Sunbelt Expo Southeastern Farmer of the Year Award.

A fourth-generation farmer, Dickey manages approximately 1,000 acres of peaches and 3,000 acres of timberland with the help of his 90-year-old father, Bob Dickey, his wife, Cynde Dickey, and their son and daughter-in-law, Lee and Stacy Dickey.

After high school, Dickey's father encouraged him to pursue a

business degree, so Dickey enrolled at the University of Georgia, graduating in 1976 with his bachelor's degree. However, banking jobs were scarce so Dickey returned to the farm with a new perspective

"Although I had worked on the farm through my high school and college years, I did not fully appreciate the value and significance of my family's heritage until I came back full-time," Dickey said. "There are no words to fully express the feeling of working alongside my father on the land my great-grandfather, and namesake, initially planted in peach trees in 1897."

Dickey has made many changes See FARMER, page 12



Gov. Brian Kemp, Rep. Robert Dickey, Agriculture Commissioner Gary Black and UGA School of Agriculture Dean Sam Pardue.

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3 acres pasture for horse/garden plus 9 acres woods for hunting; water and electricity available: \$5 per acre per month. Charles Wayne **Toccoa** 256-881-9356

6.5 acres grass, water, barn, shade: \$175/mo. Good fence, own gate and key. Call evenings/ leave message. Lorene Durden **Monticello** 706-468-1834

Cattle and row-crop farm, 1000+ acres. Maryjane Shaw **Byron** 478-951-1204

For lease/lease to purchase: 10 acres with horse barn, paddocks, some woods, income-producing professional barn. Many business opportunities for the right person(s). Superb location on busy hwy. Marla Cooley **Marble Hill** 720-723-0175

Farmland Rent/Lease Wanted Hunter looking for land to lease within 50 mile radius of Grovetown. Victor Johnson Grovetown 706-833-9685 Looking for cattle pasture to lease, 50 to 100 acres. Tony Guyton Cartersville

678-684-9442 Looking for lease for turkey season 2019 and beyond w/deer option possible. Mark Mullinax **Cleveland** markmullinax624@yahoo.com 706-969-8264 Looking to lease 20+ acres pasture land in Middle Ga area; needs fence with water supply. Mark Churchwell **Center**ville 478-397-9238

Looking to rent garden space in the Toccoa or Martin area. Scott Kelley Martin pooman30@yahoo.com 706-244-3479

Vietnam vet needs place to hunt hogs. Ken **Ball Ground** 678-777-9526

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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.

46 y/o male looking for local farm work: fencing, tractor, carpentry experience, class A driver. Michael Martin **The Rock** 678-416-1424

Caretaker/family for horse farm; housing on premises, additional salary. Background, drug screen and references required. Patrick And Natalie Reams 1180 Rehoboth Rd **Bishop** 30621 natlreams@gmail.com 706-818-1961

reams@gmail.com 706-818-1961 Farm handyman: 38-acre horse farm in Dallas; room, board, small salary. Join our loving family. Aldona Urbantas **Dal**-

las 404-729-6352 Looking for farm sitter to care for horse, jack, goats, chickens, cat, dogs and ferret. Kimberlee Brophy **Ball Ground** 678-

467-9571 Need bid to plant 300 blueberry bushes, Greensboro area. Email estimate/bid to sweetbirchpartners@gmail.com. Cory Durden **Dallas** 678-779-1450

Need reliable help to clean 23 stalls at equine facility in Milton. Permanent position. Christine Johnston **Milton** 678-231-5038

Need responsible couple with experience to work on hen farm. Salary/housing included. Can train if necessary. Drug-free, no children. Timothy Evans **Rydal** 770-547-8202

Want PT farmhand on hobby farm, experience helpful, in exchange for living quarters. Non-smoker, background check. Email resume. R.L. Class **Brunswick** 31523 majeha1000@yahoo.com

Would like job on poultry farm, exp. Jimmie Cleveland **Commerce** 770-527-4402 770-527-4402

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If you have questions regarding this category, call 404-656-3722. Only farm machinery and equipment

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<sup>608</sup> Case square baler SBX530, used 5 years, kept sheltered 5 years, good condition, field ready. Randall Carter **Cedartown** 770-546-1319

<sup>6</sup>58 MF 35 deluxe 4cyl diesel with five 6ft attachments: \$3500 for all. J. Shelton Martin 706-969-4244

'68 Massey Ferguson 135, good parts tractor, needs engine build, four attachments: \$1500. T. Burch **Snellville** 404-274-0102

'70s-'80s Cub Cadet lawn tractor, for repair or parts: \$300 OBO. Roger Holley Wrightsville 478-232-8381

'86 Ford diesel 1500, engine rebuilt, new tires, 4' Bush Hog 1840, bucket: \$4800. Joe Satterfield **Waleska** 404-668-7015

<sup>(92</sup> Ford F700, 16' flatbed, diesel, 44k miles, one owner, AT, AC: \$5950. Steve Moore **Carrollton** 404-374-3322

'99 JD4300 tractor, 1240 hrs, loader+bucket, tiller, 60" mower, fork lift, bx blades: \$14,500. E. Becker **Alpharetta** 30004 epbecker1@gmail.com 404-625-5781

(2) 71 JD planters on tool bar; (1) 7ft Dafa Harrow, 2 rolling cultivators. Tommy Braziel **Irwinville** 229-831-4775

1 1/8" PTO drive w/10" V belt pulley, #9N748, fits 2N, 8N, 9N, NAA: \$100. Wayne Edwards **Warner Robins** 478-953-3241

10' Aeroway pasture-hayfield aerator; 7' medium duty 3 lb scrape blade; metal cable; 8N parts. Jeffrey M Knowles **Eatonton** 706-473-1418

115U Case Cab tractor, 4WD, w/loader. Also, New Holland baler. Benny Lasseter **Franklin** 678-378-1884

140 Farmall quick-hitch, new paint and decals, cultivators, planter, fertilizer hopper: \$4100. Dennis Hursey **Douglas** 912-389-0278

140 Farmall w/front cultivator and quick hitch on rear: \$2975. 600 Ford diesel: \$3800. James Sullivan **Vidalia** 912-537-4944

16 ft Chandler Litter Spreader floor chain, 24 in wide, 176 links; \$50 OBO. Earl Barnhart **Waynesboro** 30830 706-554-7241

16.5 ft. Hydraulic litter spreader, like new, used very little, never spread anything but new shavings, always sheltered: \$15,000. Tommy Waldrop **Winston** 770-861-1968

1946 Farmall (A) w/planters, cultivators, turning plow, bush hog, disk harrow, m/ spreader: \$1200. Don Bennett **Ball Ground** 404-374-5975

1949 9N Ford tractor, good condition, and 5 ft. Field General bush hog: \$2200. Barry **Mcdonough** 478-808-7382 678-409-7245

1949 John Deere M.T. 12 volt system, new paint, new seat, new decals; \$3500. Ralph Mccart Loganville 770-466-2197 195? Farmall A tractor, new rear tires, restoration or parts: \$1500. Herman Bennett Dawsonville 706-216-8250

1950 Farmall Cub tractor, runs, w/ good sheet metal, new seat and steering wheel: \$1200. Farmall Cub engine: \$400. Thomas Tucker **Lithia Springs** 770-941-2354

1951 Ford 8N tractor: \$2800. 4900 Kubota, 415 hrs.: \$9000. 7' finish mower: \$600. 8' double section harrow: \$900. Ken Chadwick **Villa Rica** 770-616-0505 1952 Allis Chalmers CA w/harrow and

bottom plow; running condition: \$500. Joe Rustin **Abbeville** 229-425-3148 1952 Farmall Cub, good condition w/

cultivators, 14" hilling discs, new rear tires; rebuilt carburator; \$2200. Hal Crisp **Blairsville** 706-745-4565

1953 Ford Jubilee; \$2500. Call after 5 pm Roy Holt **Dudley** 478-676-2760

1955 Allis Chalmers WD45 tractor, narrow frontend, gasoline, will run, needs tire: \$1,500 OBO. Larry **McDonough** 770-954-1157

1961 Farmall Cub tractor, very good condition; work or parade-ready, deluxe seat, includes belly mower and drawbar: \$3500. John Crenshaw **Kennesaw** 404-925-7731

1961 JD 4010 tractor: excellent condition, used very little, always parked in pole barn, looks like new; \$10,000. Oglethorpe County. Berton E Card **Cumming** 678-513-0703 404-402-1189

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 2019

1967 cub, recently refreshed, cultivates, cole planter, harrow, belly mower, hilling dish, spring tooth: \$3500 Alan Mabry Marietta 770-880-3542

1967 Ford F600 dump truck, 6-cyl., 300Ci, 5-speed trans., 2-speed rear end, not running: \$600. Jerry Clark **Sparta** 478-251-0536

1968 David Brown Tractor, 1200A, 72Hp; \$2,700. Mike Zito **Aragon** 678-641-9411

1970s Midland no-till planter/seeder; large and small seed hoppers and fertilizer hopper; 3 point hitch: \$1200. Chris Shirley **Jefferson** 706-224-3993

1973 Mack tractor, not running, can be repaired, tandem unit: \$1200 OBO. Kyle Lynn **Powder Springs** 404-545-1614

1974 Ford dump truck w/good bed, runs well, needs brake work, windshield good; \$1800. Benny Richards **Canton** 770-633-2009

1976 3600 Ford tractor, diesel, power steering, locking differential, rebuilt injector pump, rebuilt eng., 1 piece equip.: \$6000. Kenny **Powder Springs** 770-366-5687

1979 JD 4440, a/c, snap duals, quad range, front wts., one owner, good condition: \$21,500. Raleigh Gibbs **Abbeville** 229-365-3538

1980 Ford Tractor TW10, cab air radio 110 hp 4260 hrs showing: \$12,500. Will send pictures. Joe Neill **Newnan** 770-253-4261

1986 Ford tractor, 3610, 649 hours, bush hog squealer, disc harrow, boom, 16 utility trailer. Sharon Norris **Loganville** 404-788-1617

1986 International tractor, 284 tractor, good condition, 3PT hitch stored inside, cultivators available. \$3200. Thomas Gayton **Alpharetta** 770-475-4803

1988 Belarus tractor, 800, 80hp, 309 hrs., one owner, five pieces of equipment: \$7000. Tom Haynes **Fayetteville** 404-245-1969

1989 International CO9670 and 1969 Hobbs lowboy for sale: \$14,000. Willing to negotiate. Douglas Roberts **Abbeville** 229-425-9396

2 dirt scoops: \$40 each. Aluminum camper top w/windows, early '80s Ford short bed: \$100. B.J. Meadows **Ellen**wood 770-981-2997

2-row cultivator frame, 3 pt. swepts on it, set to use: \$200 OBO. K.W. Phelps Thomasville 229-224-0935

2-row cultivator, g-whizz, opening and sliding feet and coulter: \$475. Heavy-duty 5 ft cutter: \$650. Emily Kenney **Vidalia** 912-537-2890

2015 JD450J dozer LGP, cab, root rake, 2219 hours, ext. warranty until March 2020 or 3500 hrs.: \$79,000. Darrell Williams **Swainsboro** 478-494-3237

2015 John Deere 5045E, 70hrs, 4x4 h240 loader, MX6 bush hog. construction tires: \$24,000. Hugh Mcmichael **Logan**ville 770-560-4167

2015 John Deere 5100M, 4wd, cab/ loader, F/R hay spikes, like new, 390hrs, barn kept: \$60,000 OBO. Kenneth Swim Lincolnton 706-830-0210

2015 Kubota L3800 with loader, 4X4, 120 hours, 6' Bush Hog finish mower: \$22,500. Matthew Rouse **Braselton** 770-540-2047

2015 New Holland Powerstar, T4.75, 34.1 hours. A/C and radio, very clean. Call, text or email. James Oates, Jr **Register** lawton@jlo3ent.com 912-601-2293 2017 JD 5065E, 4x4, 16 hrs, like new: \$24,000. Brown 7' mower, very good cond. Call/ text Jody Walker **Rhine** 229-332-0180

2018 BIGTEX Trailer 14 ton, 25 ft & 5 ft, dove tail, only used twice, like new, easy lift ramps: \$6000. James Johnson **Wash**ington 706-990-0078

24' hay conveyor; \$500. No calls on Sunday. J. Timothy Peifer **Metter** 912-685-6853 24' tilt bed equipment trailer, dual ax-

les, almost new. Ronald Parten Ashburn

2500 International spreader truck, 9000

Ford spreader truck, 2500 Dodge spray

truck. Robert Bobo Cumming 770-887-

253MF tractor, \$8000; Kuhn hay cutter,

\$2500; 16 ft. trailer, \$2150; PTO wood splitter, \$400; 26' Gooseneck trailer,

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Magneto for John Deere 1939 A Model

Tractor: \$100. Frank Agerton Waynes-

Mahindra 6000 tractor, Massey Fer-

guson disc mower, 8-wheel rake, M&W

baler for sale. Randy Gazaway Cum-

Maxim till plow, 5 hp, new: \$500. James McLane Hartwell 706-436-4476

McCormick-Farmall Disc Plows, 2 disc

A-151: \$350: 3 disc HM-150: \$400: Grist

Mill, 24 in. belt-driven: \$600. Charles

MTD Yard Machinery garden tiller, Model 410: \$300 OBO. Peter Taylor

Myers 500 gal. Pecan Sprayer, De-

troitFord 453 engine, low hours, truck-

mounted, excellent condition: \$18.000.

Rhett Stilwell Ochlocknee 229-200-

N.H. Round Baler. Vicon Cutter, Kuhn

Rake, Kuhn Fluffer; good cond.; \$9500 all, will separate. C.L. Grizzle Dahlone-

New 2050 N.H. baler, DMD 20/50

5-disc mower, bar rake, 2-barrel fluffer,

Int. model 37 baler, 4-barrel Lely fluffer.

New Holland 1049s stackwagon, good

condition: \$12,500. Josh White Cole-

New Holland 311 square baler, low

hrs., real good condition, sheltered,

field-ready: \$3000. Bill Bryan Summer-

New Holland 570 Hay baler, great con-

dition, wide pick up, twine box holds six

bales of twine. Alvah Adams Byron 478-

New Holland Boomer 40, 250L, front

loader, 4WD, 16x16 transmission, 40HP

81 hrs.: \$17,500. John Pierson Culloden

New Holland BR 7070, 4/4-4/6 baler is

in excellent condition w/low bale count;

always sheltered: \$16,500. Cook Lo-

New Holland BR750 round baler,

string-tie, good condition, barn-kept:

New Holland square baler, model

#310, older model, works great: \$2800.

Also, Hossfeld universal iron bender.

size #2: \$2500 OBO. Curtis Durden Ly-

NH 900 pull type chopper, both heads,

wagon, well sheltered, one owner:

\$5000 OBO. Branden Anderson Lou-

isville brandenr0806@yahoo.com 706-

NH BC 5070 square baler, excellent

condition, stored inside: \$18,000. Byron

Cook Fort Valley bfc0259@bellsouth.

No-till attachment for JD Maxemerge

planter; 8 rows, complete, like new:

\$3500. Price negotiable. James L Bailey

Old Bush Hog rotary mower, for parts;

One row Covington planter: \$200 or

best offer. 5' Land Pride finishing mow-

er: \$550 OBO. Robert Kendall Byron

gearbox and tail wheel: \$75. Tim Lively

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foot wide, new blades, new paint, model 709, good shape. Wesley Dawson Summerville 706-859-1607

3910 Ford tractor, runs good, asking \$7000, or might trade for square hay baler. Please call after 9 a.m. Rodney Brumbalow Gainesville 770-534-1734 4', 5' and 6' blades 1,2 and 4 rolling cultivator, 1.2 and 4 cultivators, planters and fertilizer dist. Carl Crosby Blackshear 912-449-6573

4-row equipment: KMC bedder. hooded sprayer, ripper spider with JD 71 Planters, Paulk chisel plow. Donald Akins Collins 912-557-4616 912-245-9837

4000SU Ford tractor, power steering and canopy: \$5500. Niemeyer rake RS 425 DA Super: \$1250. Glenda Gober Buchanan 770-646-9677

4020 JD, 5000 Ford, 4504 Duetz, Farmall Cub, JD bush hogs, harrow, Chevy farm trucks, gooseneck trailer, cattle trailer. Dennis Hinton Covington 770-786-2014

4630 Ford Tractor Turbo, New Holland Loader, excellent condition, 1569 hrs, serial number 95608; \$18000 cash Roger Ansley Cornelia 706-778-4165 5-spline universal plow, probably used

less than 20 hours: \$350 firm. Jeff Manley Thomaston 470-765-6260

5th wheel hitch truckbed: \$200. 1988 Chevrolet 2500, 350 engine, 5-speed straightshift transmission: \$3000. Carter Stewart Baldwin 706-778-5204

6 ft KMC tiller, good condition: \$800 Ken Walters Byron 478-956-3133

6 ft. TW72 Rhino bush hog, H.D., used very little; paid \$3000, selling for \$1500. Tommy Haralson LaGrange 706-523-6724

6 ton Newton Crouch variable rate (trimble) spreader buggy, good condition, turf-type tires, 24 in, chain; \$16,000 Colby Deal Statesboro 912-682-6689 60" Covington gear box and blade

holder: \$150. 11R245 truck tires: \$300 ea. 10-16.5 skid steer tires. Jimmy Garvin Warner Robins 478-396-2409 7' pull bush hog mower, rebuilt deck,

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7ft Gyro 84 Servis mower/shredder, pull behind 1: \$1700. Rick Davidson Odum 912-256-2963

7ft King Cutter rotary tiller, like new condition: \$1800. Robert Conkle Hampton 770-584-2373

8-row 1720JD Maxemerge Plus planter, Yetter cleaners, insecticide boxes and lift assist Unverferth for planters; both areat condition. Danny Hogan **Dexter** 478-984-6415

801 Ford tractor tires, 50% tread or better, good sheet metal, good strong lift. Harrow scrape blade: \$2895. Samuel English Jackson 770-584-5998

801 Ford tractor, all tires good, good strong lift, works great; also have harrow and scrape blade. Sammy English Jackson 770-228-3019

850B John Deere Dozer, good condition: \$22,500.00. Westgate Resort 2371Sam Sells Rd Doerun 31744 229-891-0548

8N Ford tractor w/5' Bush Hog, ready to use: \$2000. Heavy duty 2-axle trailer w/ramps: \$2000. Starlyn J Austin Toccoa 864-723-2428

9ft drag harrow, 7ft JD 2-row cultivator, 215-gal spray tank, 1-row JD71 planter. Mark Rivers Stapleton 30823 706-830-4327

9W Ford Tractor, runs great, lots of new parts; \$1500. Clay Lewis Mcintyre 478-251-1979

AGCO Hesston 530 round hay baler: \$5000. 4x4, other hay equipment for sale. Clifford E Dellinger Bishop 706-296-7600

Agris V-rake A1085, Rhino mower TW72, Demco sprayer P3, JD hayspear Keith Stewart Buford 404-538-9092 Antique tractor collection: two Allis

Chalmers WD40s, one WD45, one model B and one Farmall H; none running. Jesse Arnett Tifton 229-382-6517

Arts-Way 2-ton Feedmill w/2 screens: \$1500. 2 SnapOn dual 34 in rims: \$150. Tony Fulford Glenwood 229-239-0531 Athens 16-disc tandem disc: \$295 Also, heavy duty 5-shank chisel plow: \$295. Paul Stacey Toccoa 706-886 6994

Backhoe loader, JD 4x4, 410E w/ extension hoe, root rake, new rubber; good condition: \$18,500. Susan Odom Åshburn 229-364-3703

Bobcat backhoe attachment, model 909, two buckets, near Tifton: \$1800. Henry Glover Stone Mountain 770-934-3808 404-626-1501

Breeder hen equipment: fans, feeders, drinkers, cooling pads, generator, controls. Denney Rogers Ephesus 770-301-1290

Burch two-row/one-row planter: \$400 OBO. Leave message. Bill Prueter Adairsville 216-802-8580

Bush Hog 2400 QT front-end loader: \$2,000. B. Finch Thomson 706-513-6930

Bush Hog 50-06, 6 ft adjustable angle scrape blade, in excellent condition. Rick Worrell Morganton 404-314-1498 Caking machine house keeper, lump \$3500. One-row Cole planter: type: \$600. Clayton Johnson Jasper 706-253-2258

Case IH cotton picker bars, doffers, gearboxes, cylinders, motor, transmission; NHtr85 complete rebuilt clean grain gearbox: more. Linda Akins Col-

lins 912-557-4616 912-245-9837 Case/IH 1660 combine w/1020 head: \$18000 Athens 116 26ft harrow: \$3500 4rw JD7100 w/strip-till: \$6500. Steve Allen Mount Airy 336-314-4841

Cat 955L, good condition: \$14,500. 4x4 Massey Ferguson round baler: \$3500. 2 basket hay tedder: \$450. Sheri Smith Monticello nedmorris@att.net 678-462-0459

Claas baler: 260 variant, new belts, good condition, barn-kept: \$10,000. Used in 2018. Earl **Barnesville** 770-312-3974

Columbus No. 20 Cane Mill on trailer: needs some bearing work: \$2500. Felix Horne **Metcalf** 229-421-1015

Craftsman garden tiller, 5.5 hp, 24", excellent condition: \$150. Leonard Hampton Watkinsville 706-769-4669

Cub Cadet 104 w/cultivator and wheel weights: \$475. Also, 3 riding mowers \$200 ea. J Bruner Forest Park 770-968-4457

Custom-made six-foot-long barrel aerator, about 20 years old, in good shape. Ann Earley Canton 770-401-7355

D&R brush mower, 26" cut, 13HP, electric start, new battery, runs good: \$1100. Henry Moss Ball Ground 770-479-9454 Dirt scoop, 3 ft., reversible: \$150; Bos-

tic floor nailer: \$150; also pole boom lift: \$200. Charles Heath Rome 706-295-5104

Dual axle trailer, 16 ft. long, all metal for hauling tractors or autos: \$1200. Buddy Stockbridge 404-932-6949

Durand Wayland pecan orchard spray-er, 1000 gal., 200HP John Deere engine, everything rebuilt: \$25,000. Lee Mcgarity Royston 706-498-7695

Farm implements: Bushhog finishing mower, cultivator, 2-disc turning plow Jim Thompson Fayetteville 770-680-0817

Farmall 140, 3 pt. hitch, belly hitch, disc plows more everything work good. Frank B Mullinax Jasper 770-893-7399

Farmall cub, 2 partial sets of planters: \$250. Thomas Ayer Rome 706-266-1194

Fifth wheel farm trailer, 5x11 w/250 gal. water tank; also fits pickup bed, good condition: \$700. Danny Marshall Reynolds 478-391-3850

Finish mower, hole digger, box blade, Ford 1700 tractor: Make offer, separate or all together. Thomas Taylor Midway 912-312-2478

Ford 3600 diesel tractor with p/s, 1075 hrs.: \$6500. Allison Deal Brooklet 912-682-5097

Ford 3930, 2259 hrs., very excellent, canopy, good front to back. R. Thompson Vidalia 912-281-3030 Ford 800 tractor, runs great: \$3200; comes w/IH 5' bush hog: \$675. Both for \$3500. Gerald Haynes Covington 678-660-3584

Ford 8N tractor, gold condition: \$2695. J.D. Reece Powder Springs 770-439 6303

Ford row-crop tractor manual, series 2000 and 4000, copyright 1962, very good condition: \$20. Phyllis Futch Calhoun 706-625-5575

Four-bale hay feeder wagon. Donnie Allen **Dudley** 478-875-3496 Frontier Model MS1108G-80 Bushel Ground Driven Manure Spreader Nearly New Condition \$3450.00 OBO L. Wicker

Perry 478-952-6718 Gehl 7285 mixer wagon, pull type, good condition. Earnest Turk Eatonton

706-473-0385 Grappler thumb to fit Mahindra backhoe: \$250. George Scoville Macon 478-745-2524

Gravity flow wagon, galvanized body: \$400 firm. Tom Kitchens Sandersville 478-412-8009

H Farmall, Super H Farmall, both run good; pull-typeTaylor harrow; B John Deere tractor, not running. Harold Flanigan Hoschton 770-945-4818

Hay equip: Vicon 7' cutter, Kuhn fluffer, rotatory rake, 3 pt 4-wheel rake, 3 pt hav spear. William Carlyle Pendergrass 770-601-0125 706-654-1188 Hay equipment: Two balers, rd/sq; two

mowers. 9/7 ft.; two caddies, one rake one tedder. Call for prices and info. Sam Moon Homer 706-340-7237 Hay trailer, gooseneck, custom-built,

low boy, six bales: \$2400. Lloyd Mitchell Cochran 478-308-2483 Heavy-duty 6 ft. rototiller, King Kutter

brand, all gear-driven, self sharpening: \$2000. Albert Twickler Cataula 504-413-4210

Horse trailer, old-style, twin axle, good floor, two-horse trailer, bumper hitch: \$500. John Gibson Newborn 470-336-8721

Int. 2444 front-end loader, rear tires like new, 2 years parked under shed, running when parked: \$3000 OBO. Howard Glow Newborn 678-342-8101

J and M gravity flow wagon 250-7; 12' BHC shredder and Patz elevator. Leo Perfect Unadilla 478-955-2362

Jade 7000 6RN pull-type planter liquid fert, insecticide boxes, monitor, shedded: \$6500 OBO. Steve Peters Louisville 478-494-1204

JD 1010 gas and JD 400 diesel backhoe, both were running when parked: \$1,500 ea. OBO. Denny Robertson Moreland 770-714-6135

JD 2950, 4WD w/ loader, good condition. Buddy Stansel Resaca 770-597 4898

JD 310A, only drives backwards, hydraulics problem; motor runs great \$3000. William Wilson Adrian 678-668-3343 478-668-3795

JD 316 bottom plow. spring trip feet, category 2 hitch, extra new points and extra new shins. Wayne Tapley Sandersville 478-232-4083

JD 5301 w/JD 6 ft bush hog, very low hours. Ann Carroll **Lilburn** 770-527-8789

JD 535 hay baler, JD 9500 Combine, 2 heads and trailer. Robin Auldridge Blythe 706-825-2544

JD 670/w canopy and JD finishing mower, 467 hrs., 3 pt hitch, great condition. Carter Griffin 404-475-9650

JD 6700+GPS: \$36,500. 5610+ sidemower, canopy and weights, 2300 hrs: \$12,500.Valley 6000-6 tower pivot, working condition: \$6000. Jimmy Mixon Lyons 912-526-8564

JD backhoe bucket, 24", fits 710 B or D, maybe more: \$400. Gerald Pruett Blue Ridge 770-861-5572

JD model 707 14 ft bush hog, not batwing, excellent cond.: \$1400 OBO. David Odom Thomaston 706-646-9693 770-715-5761

JD silage head, NewtonCrouch fertilizer body, 2 Hesston 3717 tedders, Chevy boom truck, brass grain probes. David Stanford Sharpsburg 678-378-2026

JD2355 w/520 loader: \$7800. Case C90: \$9500. 26 ft. Bush Hog harrow: \$1800. All firm. Jeff Williams Milan 229-315-1261 / 229-315-9864

JD335 4x4 round baler, twin-tie, excellent condition, always sheltered: \$4000. Fuller Anderson **Palmetto** 770-946-2609

John Deere 3 moldboard turning plow: \$550; Gooseneck equipt. trailer, 20'x76" wide: \$1500; Hardee tiger 972LT mower \$900. Grady Clarkesville 706-499-6761 John Deere 3038E compact tractor, 4WD, 38hp, hydrostatic transmission, 5 hrs.: \$15,500. David Cagle Fairmount 770-796-2555

John Deere 4020, good condition, late model, hyd controls on fender. Tim Harper **Senoia** 770-527-1565

John Deere 4410, 500 hrs, front loader, nydrostat, cruise, canopy, serviced. Watkinsville. Pictures on request. Leave message. Robert Zack Watkinsville 404-229-5083

John Deere 5130 tractor, clean, good condition, low profile turf tires: \$11,500. Butch Gill Lagrange 770-329-9000

John Deere 5300 w/540 front loader, 2800 hrs, new14-ply tires, 3 remotes, canopy, 55 hp, great condition. Larry Baldwin 706-244-4348 706-Maney 886-9551

John Deere model 466 baler, New Hol-M. Chumley Jasper 770-894-1819 land mower and rake: \$16,000. Omer McCants Talbotton 706-573-5725

John Deere R58823 front suitcase weights for sale; 10 available, \$85 per weight OBO. Thomas Sandersville 478-247-6579

John Deere4455 tractor 4455, well cared for: \$30,000. Gary Sanders Montrose 478-278-3086

KMC 11-shank subsoil leveler w/ roller scraper, new points, field ready: \$10,000. James Hatcher Macon 478-954-1688

KMC 6-row with twin-row Cole planters, fiberglass hoppers, excellent shape. Joe Hart Statesboro 912-690-0120

Krone 323 AMT disc mower conditioner, used last vear, Michael Brown Avera 706-831-1225

Krone 323 S disc mower mounted on KMC Caddy; 500 gal. fuel tank mounted on trailer. James Martin Waynesboro 706-558-5005 Kubota 2012 L4600 with loader 361

hours, excellent condition: \$19,090

Dessie Carter Newington prtcco@

Kubota L3750 tractor, 4wd w/loader

and mower, 45 hp w/2195 hrs.: \$10.500.

Kubota ZD21 zero-turn mower, 802

hrs., diesel, 60" deck, garaged, serviced

at 800 hrs. Ben Worley Kennesaw 770-

Kuhn SR108 speedrake, 8-wheel w/

kicker, hydraulic fold, like new condition,

2 seasons: \$4235. Rex Palmer Auburn

Log splitter 205cc Briggs & Stratton motor, 30" x 3 3/4" cylinder; home-made, splits 24" logs, vertical/hori-

zontal: \$600. Sam Larimer Barnesville

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# **Livestock Sales and Events Calendar**

### **APPLING COUNTY**

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1st & 3rd Saturdays, 12:30 p.m.: Goats, sheep, small animals, feeder pigs; A&A Goat Sales, 187 Industrial Drive, Baxley. Call Allen Ahl, 912.590.2096

### I ATKINSON COUNTY

2nd & 4th Saturdays, 1 p.m.: Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; Pearson Livestock, 1168 Highway 441 N, Pearson. Call Roberto Silveria, 229.798.0271

### **BEN HILL COUNTY**

Every Monday, 1 p.m.: Cattle; South Central Livestock, 146 Broad Road, Fitzgerald. Call Thomas Stripling, 229.423.4400 or 229.423.4436

### **BLECKLEY COUNTY**

2nd& 4th Saturdays, 9 a.m.: Farm misc., 1:00 p.m. Ga. Lic. #3050; Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; Cochran Auction Barn, 290 Ash St., Cochran. Call Mark Arnold 478.230.2482 or 478.230.5397

### BUTTS COUNTY

Every Wednesday, 12:30 p.m.: Beef cattle; 2nd & 4th Wednesdays, 11:30 a.m.: Dairy cattle; Mid-Georgia Livestock Market, 467 Fairfield Church Road/Hwy. 16 W, Jackson. **Call** Seth Harvey, 770.775.7314

### **CARROLL COUNTY**

2nd & 4th Saturdays, 4 p.m.: Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; Long Branch Livestock, 813 Old Villa Rica Road, Temple. Call Ricky Summerville, 404.787.1865

Every Monday, noon: Cattle, goats, sheep; Carroll County Livestock Sales Barn, 225 Salebarn Road, Carrollton. Call Barry Robinson, 770.834.6608 or 770.834.6609

### CHATTOOGA COUNTY

Every Friday, 7 p.m.: Goats, sheep; Trion Livestock Auction, 15577 Hwy. 27, Trion. Call McKinley Evans, 678.276.5127

### CLARKE COUNTY

Every Wednesday, 11 a.m.: Goats and I sheep; noon, cattle. Northeast Georgia Livestock, 1200 Winterville Road, Athens. Call Todd Stephens, 706.549.4790

### **COLQUITT COUNTY**

Every Wednesday, 1 p.m.: Cattle; Moultrie Livestock Co., 1200 1st Street NE, Moultrie. Call Randy Bannister, 229.985.1019

### COOK COUNTY

1st, 3rd & 5th Saturdays, 1 p.m.: Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; Deer Run Auction, 1158 Parrish Road, Adel. Call John Strickland, 229.896.4553

----Orchard sprayer, PTO driven, 500 galpainted and engine rebuilt, VGC: \$3000. H.M. Adkison **Albany** 229-894-5115 lon, air blast, excellent condition. C.J. Orchards, Inc. Rutledge 706-318-9462

Parting out 555 B John Deere loader; 85 percent undercarriage, bad engine. Tye Kuykendall Ball Ground 770-735-3532 770-833-2808

404-538-9092 Tradewinds generator, single phase, 40 kW, Perkins diesel, 132hrs, no prob-Pecan sprayer, 3 point hitch, sprays 55-60 ft, \$2500. Melvin Paulk Sylvester lems: \$11,000. Rodney Martin East 229-776-5411 Dublin 478-278-1818

Post driver for skid steer loader or tractor: \$600. C L Tidwell Cartersville 404-379-7905 770-382-4477

Red ball 4-row hooded sprayer, good condition, field ready. \$2500 Ed Parent 550 Greer Rd Fort Valley 31030 478-822-9483

5GL S-585 Express cargo trailer. BE081X5000075, double door, tool box, spare tires, lined, 2" ball, jack. \$1500. W.G. Griffin Byron 478-396-2409 Snapper garden tiller, 5HP Briggs en-

gine, good condition: \$225. Jerry Cox Fayetteville 770-461-7938

Super A w/cultivators, 20 disc cutting harrow, International,1-pt hitch 2-disc plow, International. Clyde Parker Chatsworth 706-847-8517

TaylorWay offset 9' plow; new discs, new tires and rims. Justin Collins Woodbury 706-977-9702 Three-point hitch metal fence post

driver. Glen Lee Chase Oglethorpe 478-472-7726 478-472-1744

### **DECATUR COUNTY**

2nd Saturdays, 1 p.m.: Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; Waddell Auction Co., 979 Old Pelham Road, Climax. Call John Waddell, 229.246.4955

### **EMANUEL COUNTY**

Every Monday, 1 p.m.: Cattle, slaughter hogs; Swainsboro Stockyard, 310 Lambs Bridge Road, Swainsboro. Call Clay Floyd and David N. Floyd, 478.945.3793

2nd & 4th Saturdays, noon: Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; R&R Goat & Livestock Auction, 560 GA Hwy. 56 N, Swainsboro. Call Ron & Karen Claxton, 478.455.4765

Every Tuesday, 10 a.m. & 1st Fridays: Cattle special sale; Dixie Livestock Market, 133 Old Hwy. 46, Oak Park. Call Willis & Tammy Sikes, 912.578.3263

### **FORSYTH COUNTY**

Every Tuesday, noon: Cattle, goats, sheep; Lanier Farm's Livestock Corp., 8325 Jot-Em Down Road, Gainesville. Call Tyler Bagwell, 770.844.9223 or 770.844.9231

#### FRANKLIN COUNTY

Every Tuesday, noon: Cattle, goats, sheep; Franklin County Livestock Sales, 6461 Stone Bridge Road, Carnesville. Call Chad and Clay Ellison, 706.384.2975 or 706.384.2105

### **GORDON COUNTY**

Every Thursday, 12:30 p.m.: Cattle, goats, sheep, slaughter hogs; Calhoun Stockyard Hwy. 53, 2270 Rome Road SW, Calhoun. Call Dennis Little & Gene Williams, 706.629.1900

### **GREENE COUNTY**

Every Thursday, noon: Cattle, goats, sheep; Duvall Livestock Market, 101 Apalachee Ave., Greensboro. Call Jim Malcom, 706.453.7368

### 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)

#### JOHNSON COUNTY

1st & 3rd Mondays, 7:30 p.m.: Chickens; Ol' Times Auction, 503 Hill Salter Road, Kite. Call Robert Colston, 478.299.6240

### LAMAR COUNTY

TO-30 Ferguson, 1952, has been

Tractors: JD 5425R, NH TS100 CS, IH I385, Kuhn cutter, GMD 700 w/ Kelly

caddy KEEJ01. Keith Stewart Buford

Trailer for sale, 6 x10, good shape, used two times; \$600 obo. Charles L Moss **Stockbridge** 770-957-5707

Trailer, 20 ft. including beaver tail, 8 ft.

wide, 3 axles, ramps, 8 in. I-beam, Gl

hitch: \$800. Johnny Keasler Woodbury

Tree Spade: Big John 90" on 1997

Ford 9000, 8LL trans, CAT eng., 137K

Troy-Bilt Pro-Line 5.5 HP rear-tine

garden tiller. Honda motor, original owner, like new: \$750. Jeffrey Vandyke

Winston 49case@gmail.com 678-525-

Troy-Bilt rear line tiller, horse model, new condition: \$550 firm. Garden sea-

son approaches. Max L Brand Ellijay

TroyBilt tiller, 8 hp w/some attach-

ments, V.G.C., heavy duty. Tommy Walker Rockmart 678-684-9770 770-

mi. Jerry Garber **Rex** 770-823-6789

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Every Friday, 6 p.m.: Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; 5 p.m., farm miscellaneous, Ga. Lic. #4213; Buggy Town Auction Market, 1315 Highway 341 S, Barnesville. Call Krystal Burnett 678.972.4599

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\$400 each. Bill Mcdowell Thomaston

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V-rake on caddy: \$800. Bill Ellis Vienna

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draulic string tie, good condition, baled 2018: \$1600. Alton Garner **Adrian** 912-

Vermeer 504 Super I baler: \$5800. Gehl

418 8-wheel rake: \$1800. Pat Broder

Vermeer M 7040 mower, TE 170 ted-

der, VR 820 rake; all in excellent condi-

tion. Johnny Varner Carnesville 706-

Wood-Mizer sawmill; LT35 with de-

Yanmar 1300D, runs great. \$2300.

John Deere 2020; \$5000. Runs great, both diesel. Need head for Kioti. Bill

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barker, 9.3 hours: \$21,500 OBO. Steph-

anie Smith **Byron** 478-919-5527

Stockbridge 404-401-6134

BushHog 307 and FTH 600. Sitrex fluff-er ST520H. Keith Stewart **Buford** 404-

Fayetteville 770-461-5585

mcdowellbill@hotmail.com

LAURENS COUNTY

2nd & 4th Thursday, 6 p.m.: Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; Horse Creek Auction Co., 5971 Hwy. 441 S, Dublin. Call Daniel Harrelson, 478.595.5418

### MADISON COUNTY

Every Friday, 6 p.m.: Chickens, small animals; Gray Bell Animal Auction, Hwy. 281, Royston. Call Billy Joe Bell, 706.245.4205

### MARION COUNTY

1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7 p.m.: Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; Auction 41, 4275 GA Hwy. 41 N, Buena Vista. Call Jim Rush, 706.326.3549. Email rushfam4275@ windstream.net

### **PULASKI COUNTY**

Every Tuesday, 1:30 p.m.: Cattle, goats, sheep; Pulaski County Stockyard, 1 Houston Street, Hawkinsville. Call John Walker, 478.892.9071

### **SEMINOLE COUNTY**

Every Wednesday, 1:30 p.m., 3rd Saturday Special Sale, 1:30 p.m.: Cattle, goats, sheep; Seminole Stockyard, 5061 Hwy. 91, Donalsonville. Call Bryant Garland and Edwina Skipper, 229.524.2305

### **STEPHENS COUNTY**

2nd Saturdays, 5 p.m.: W&W Livestock, Eastanollee Livestock Auction, Eastanollee. Call Brad Wood, 864.903.0296

3rd Saturdays, noon: Goats, sheep; 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

Every Monday, noon: Cattle, goats, sheep; Eastanollee Livestock, 40 Cattle Drive, Eastanollee. Call Mark Smith, 706.779.5944

### SUMTER COUNTY

Every Monday, 1 p.m.: Cattle; Sumter County Stockyard, 505 Southerfield Road, Americus. Call Dr. LeAnna Wilder and Sam Steele, 229.380.4901

### **TAYLOR COUNTY**

1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m.: Feeder pigs, goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; RockRidge Livestock Auction, 1357 Tommy Purvis Jr. Road, Reynolds. Call Melba Strickland, 706.975.5732

### **TELFAIR COUNTY**

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2nd & 4th Thursdays: Chickens, fowl, goats and sheep; check-in at 1 p.m., sale at 6:30 p.m. Horse Creek Auction, between Dublin and McRae off Highway 441. Call 478.595.5418

#### Yanmar 2610 tractor: 31 hp, great con-Model 1TMF71618BF, 2-gang adjustable 3 pt. hitch type, always sheltered, about 2 dition w/rotary mower, dirt scoop, disc harrow, turning plow; \$4500. Bill Culpepper Ringgold 706-937-8815 hrs. use, 8-10 y/o: \$800. Calvin Norred

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- lug. Leave msg. Roy Gibson **Taylors-**ville 770-377-8779
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- Grill and head light assembly for 2002 Branson tractor. Floyd Tanner **Dawson**in this category, call 404-656-3722. (3) Chore 2 Ring Feed Bins, (7) 4 ft ville 706-265-2692
- John Deere 55 gallon oil drum, yellow color. Please leave message. Howard
- Meyer Arnoldsville 706-742-2286 Kubota 4-wheeler w/enclosed cab, close to Ellijay, Jasper, Blue Ridge, Blairsville. Logan Ellijay 706-635-5166 Kuhn hay tedder for parts, model GF440. Stanley Cauthen Moreland sl-

cauthen@aol.com 770-927-6411

THOMAS COUNTY

Every Tuesday, 1 p.m.: Cattle. 1st & 3rd Tuesdays: Slaughter hogs; Thomas County Stockyards, 20975 Hwy. 19 N, Thomasville. Call Jimmy P. Benton, 229.228.6960

### **TOOMBS COUNTY**

1st & 3rd Saturdays, 11 a.m.: Feeder pigs, goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; Metter Livestock Auction, 621 Hwy. 1 S, Lyons. Call Lewie Fortner, 478.553.6066

### **TURNER COUNTY**

Every Wednesday, 1 p.m.: Cattle; Turner County Stockyards, 1315 Hwy. 41 S, Ashburn. Call Alan Wiggins, 229.567.3371

Friday, March 29th, 7 p.m.: Breeder cattle sale, selling cow-calf pairs, springers and bulls, all mouthed and preg checked, bulls semen tested, trucking available. Turner County Stockyards, Ashburn. Call 800.344.9808

Friday, April 5th, 1 p.m.: Bob Greene Pasture Sale; approx. 120 cow-calf pairs and bulls; cattle selling in groups in the pastures. Turner County Stockyards, Ashburn. Call 800.344.9808

### **UPSON COUNTY**

Every Tuesday, 12:30 p.m.: Cattle, goats, sheep. L&K Farmers Livestock Market, 2626 Yatesville Hwy., Thomaston. Call Kathy and Lewis Rice, 706.468.0019.

#### WHITE COUNTY

First and third Saturdays, 4 p.m.: Chickens and goats; Coker's Sale Barn, 9648 Duncan Bridge Road, Cleveland. Call Wayne Coker Sr., 706.540.8418

### WILKES COUNTY

Every Wednesday, noon: Cattle, goats, sheep; Wilkes County Stockyard, Hwy. 78 Bypass/302 Third Street, Washington. Call Kenny Durden and Linda Robertson, 706.678.2632

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ADP 250,000 BTU Propane Heater, For greenhouse or shop; never used. \$900. Ben Williams **Bartow** 478-552-2283

Anvils: 150lb, \$59; 100, \$475; 50lb, \$95. Ben Hendrick **Austell** 770-948-9842

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ATV/4 wheeler cattle guards, 92" wide X 8' long, drive over heavy duty metal: \$350. Video: https://youtu.be/v\_Fl3A-44vuw. Vickie Barrett **Mount Airy** vickie@curraheetrailers.com 706-499-8009

Concrete blocks: \$1 ea., over 200 available. 1000 gallon fuel tank: \$400. Lee Rusk **Woodstock** 770-928-1195

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Oak and pine shoe molding, trim and bead board. Call for prices. William Briggs **Atlanta** 404-861-9269 404-349-2315

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10 purebred black Angus bulls: 1/2/3 y/o, docile, vaccinated, Al'd & natural service. K. Schwock **Homer** 404-735-9524

12 purebred black Angus bulls: 1/2/3 y/o, docile, vaccinated, Al'd & natural service. K. Schwock **Homer** 404-735-9524

15 black Angus and SimAngus young cows, should calve Aug.-Oct.: \$1600 ea. John Smith **Commerce** 706-335-7709

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Angus bulls, Al sired, calving ease, semen tested, long yearlings, ready to work, maternal pedigrees: \$2,250. Adam Verner **Smithville** 706-474-0091 Angus Cross heifers, bred, high quality, Al bred: \$1500 ea., 4 for sale. https:// youtu.be/74EDPyePDCQ. Chet Barrett **Mount Airy** chetbarrett61@gmail.com 706-499-8008

Angus Sim, Shorthorn heifer available. Weaned, vaccinated, dewormed and on feed. Born October 2018. call or text Earl Carter **Villa Rica** 678-251-6075

Angus yearling bull, gentle, deepbodied, trained to bucket, handled daily. Pictures on request. Tom Brown **Canton** 404-259-0998

Beefmaster bulls/heifers, all ages, good bloodlines and disposition. Cary Bittick **Forsyth** 478-957-0095 Belted Galloway yearling bull and heifer, \$1000 ea; No calls after 9 pm. Email for pictures. Kenneth Cook **Dallas** spreadingoaksfarm@att.net 770-231-4632

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Bottle bulls and heifers available, guaranteed colostrum from momma, given Multimin 90, Triangle 5 and the One shot. Brittney Peters **Social Circle** 470-

334-1933 Brangus bulls, 16 to 17 m/o, low birthweight, all data recorded, semen checked. Videos available. Seth Hunt

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Reg. Angus bulls, 10X and Sitz bloodlines; add weaning and yearling weight to your animals; low birth weight calving: \$1850. Vernon Hagen **Douglasville** 404-520-4511

Reg. Charolais and Polled Hereford bulls and heifers. Rollins Ranch. Franklin Dowell **Cartersville** 678-520-0026 770-386-4464

Reg. Polled Hereford bulls: rugged, pasture-reared, gentle, exc. bloodlines and EPDs, small calves, exc. growth. Bobby R Brantley **Tennille** 478-553-8598 478-552-9328

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Brett McLain was named Grower of the Year at the 2019 Vidalia Onion Banquet, pictured here with family and employees of the farm.

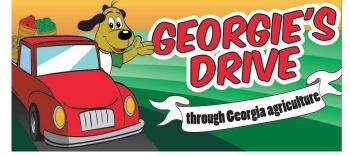
## Vidalia<sup>®</sup> Onion industry holds banquet

#### **By Lee Lancaster** lee.lancaster@agr.georgia.gov

VIDALIA - The Vidalia Onion Committee held its annual Vidalia® Onion Banquet & Awards Ceremony at the Vidalia Community Center March 16. Bob Stafford, executive director of the Vidalia Onion Business Council, announced Brittany Braddy from Mount Vernon as the winner of the Courtney Wilkes Agriculture Scholarship. The scholarship is presented each year to a student who plans to attend college in an agricultural or veterinary field of study. The scholarship is funded by the Vidalia Onion community in memory of Courtney Wilkes, a Lyons area teen who was tragically murdered during a family vacation in 2011.

Aries Haygood, vice chairman of the Vidalia Onion Committee, presented the Grower of the Year Award to Brett McLain of McLain Farms. McLain Farms grows Vidalia Onions in Toombs County, with many of their onions marketed under the Shuman Sweet brand. McLain accepted the award with family and farm employees, who, he said, "are just as dedicated to this farm and our precious Vidalia industry as we are.'

Cliff Riner, production manager for G&N Farms, introduced this year's inductee into the Vidalia Onion Hall of Fame, Roy Kreizenbeck. Kreizenbeck is an onion breeder with Bejo Seed Co. and is credited with developing many important onion varieties used in the production of Vidalia Onions, including Sweet Vidalia and Pirate.



### Georgie's Drive Thru Jeffersonville

Hello! I'm Georgie, the Georgia Grown mascot. I travel the state of Georgia promoting our No. 1 industry - agriculture! One day, I was traveling through Twiggs County on GA Hwy 96 when I spotted a huge white ball on what looked like a giant tee just west of Jeffersonville. I didn't know of any golf courses around Twiggs County and there hadn't been any giants spotted in middle Georgia since back in the 1940s, so I had to dig a little deeper. As it turns out, it's not a giant golf ball at all. It's a Doppler Radar antenna that supplies the weather images used by the Macon TV stations to predict the weather. The Doppler Radar, situated in the Fall Line hills of Twiggs County, can detect the amount and type of precipitation in clouds throughout the Macon viewing area, from Thomaston all the way to McRae. The information from the radar kept us safe during Hurricanes Irma and Michael. More recently, meteorologists used the images from Doppler Radars all around the state to monitor one of the worst tornado outbreaks I've seen since I was a pup.



Doppler Radar station outside Jeffersonville.

## COOK GEORGIA GROWN: The Vidalia® Onions are coming!

And we're ready to put them in our bellies via these tasty recipes pulled from the Market Bulletin archives.

### Vidalia Onion and Pear Salsa

- Ingredients:
- 2 cups chopped Vidalia onions
- 1 cup diced unpeeled pear 1/2 cup chopped roasted red pepper (from a 7
- oz. jar) 2 Tbsps. chopped fresh jalapeño pepper
- 2 Tbsps. chopped fresh cilantro
- 2 Tbsps, lime juice
- 3/4 tsp. salt

### **Directions:**

Combine all ingredients in a medium bowl. Cover and refrigerate up to 2 days. Serve with grilled seafood, chicken, hamburgers or tortilla chips. Yields 3 cups or 12 (1/4 cup) servings.

-Published May 3, 1995

### Sweet Vidalia Green Bean Salad

- Ingredients: 2 cups (about 8 oz.) fresh green beans and/or
- yellow wax beans
- cups thinly sliced Vidalia onions (about 12 oz.) 2 Tbsps. chopped fresh cilantro
- 1/3 cup raspberry vinegar\*

### 3 Tbsps. peanut or vegetable oil 2 Tbsps. sugar

- 34 tsp. salt
- 1/4 tsp. black pepper 4 cups Boston lettuce, torn into bite-size pieces 1/2 cup chopped roasted peanuts
- \*Substitute white wine vinegar if raspberry is not available.

### **Directions:**

Fill a medium saucepan <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> full of water: bring to a boil. Add beans, cook until nearly crisp-tender, 2-3 minutes

Drain; rinse under cold water until beans are cool. Cut in half lengthwise, then in 1-inch pieces. Place in a large bowl along with Vidalia onions and cilantro; set aside.

In the same saucepan, combine vinegar, oil, sugar, salt and black pepper. Bring to a boil over medium-high heat; pour over reserved onion mixture. Cover and refrigerate until cool, about

1 hour. On four serving plates arrange lettuce. Using a slotted spoon, place onion mixture over lettuce: drizzle slightly with vinegar mixture. Sprinkle with peanuts.

Yields 4 servings

-Published April 17, 1996

### Vidalia Onion Casserole Ingredients: 1/2 cup melted butter or margarine, divided

- 1 cup crushed Saltine crackers 4 cups sliced Vidalia onions
- 4 eggs, beaten

1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cups milk

3/4 cup sharp Cheddar cheese

#### **Directions:** Preheat oven to 350 degrees.

Combine 1/4 cup melted butter with crushed crackers. Press into 9-inch pie pan or 9-inch baking dish.

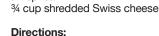
Sauté onion in remaining butter. Spoon onions over cracker layer. Combine eggs and milk; pour over onions. Sprinkle with Cheddar cheese Bake for 30 minutes Yield: 4-6 servings.

-Published April 22, 2009

### **Vidalia Sweetest Onionlicious** Pie

Ingredients: 1½ buttery round crackers, crumbled 6 Tbsps. butter, softened

2 cups thinly sliced sweet Vidalia onions cloves darlic. minced 3/4 cup heavy cream



2 eggs

1/2 tsp. salt

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. In a mixing bowl, combine crackers and 4 tablespoons of the butter in a bowl until well blended.

Press into the bottom and 1 inch up the sides of a 1-inch pie plate to form a shell. Refrigerate until needed.

Melt remaining 2 tablespoons of butter in heavy skillet over medium heat. Sauté onions and garlic slowly until tender, about 12 minutes. Brown cracker crust slightly and arrange cooked

onions in the bottom of the crust. Beat eggs, heavy cream and salt in a bowl until

blended. Pour the mixture over the onions. Sprinkle with cheese.

Bake at 350 degrees for 35 minutes, or until a knife comes out clean.

Serve hot as a side dish to any meal.

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## COMMISSIONER'S COLUMN: Georgia Leads on Bioenergy



By Gary W. Black Georgia Agriculture Commissioner

Odds are if you're reading the *Farmers and Consumers Market Bulletin* you already know that Georgia is Nature's Favorite State. Our state leads the nation in the production of peanuts, pecans, poultry, forestry products and blueberries. We are also among the nation's leaders in cotton, rye and many fruits and vegetables. Georgia farmers help feed, clothe and provide shelter to communities around the world. However, did you know that Georgia is emerging as a leader in bioenergy as well? No other state in the nation has made more progress in its quest for renewable energy, and I am proud to say that Georgia's rural communities and farm families

are leading the way.

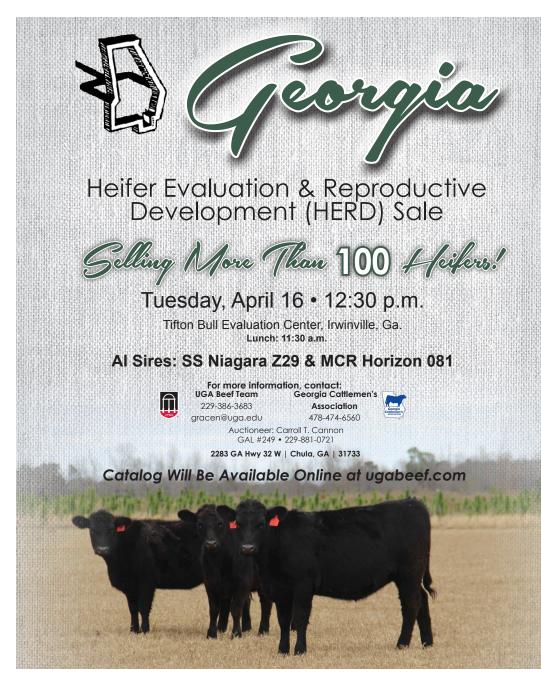
With an abundance of well-managed timberland, Georgia has quickly become a leader in biofuel production. More than 22 million acres of working forests make Georgia the top forestry state in the na-

tion. Among the many forest products produced in Georgia are wood pellets, a leading form of biofuel. Georgia Biomass in Waycross is the world's largest biomass wood pellet facility. They currently produce and export more than 750,000 tons of wood pellets annually to Europe. International demand for biofuel is rising, and projects like the port expansion in Brunswick will help Georgia foresters continue to fuel international markets. The biofuel industry in Georgia is the third largest in the country, and it is projected to add \$5 billion to our economy over the next decade.

Georgia also ranks 10th in the nation in solar capacity. Last year, more than 250 Georgia-based solar companies helped create more jobs than any other state. In total, the solar industry has added 4,000 jobs to our economy, and a good portion of those jobs are in rural communities. Our large tracts of sundrenched land provide the perfect environment for the industry to grow, providing valuable, skilled jobs for rural Georgia.

These renewable energy industries have grown rapidly in Georgia, and they will continue to flourish with the investments made by our federal agencies and the University System of Georgia. The Center of Excellence for Photovoltaics Research at Georgia Tech – one of only two such research centers in the country – is conducting groundbreaking research in solar technology that will lead to more efficient and sustainable inputs to the energy industry. Furthermore, the United States Environmental Protection Agency recently classified biofuel from managed timberland as "carbon neutral." This acknowledgement will bolster the biomass industry and demand for Georgia-grown biofuel. These efforts and our investments as a state have helped create the 7th largest Clean-Tech economy in the country with more than 43,000 jobs.

Georgia is harnessing the power of Georgia-grown energy. Renewable biomass energy is not just important for a reliable source of fuel, national security and a cleaner environment. It also provides economic growth and skilled jobs in rural Georgia. The Department of Agriculture and our many partners throughout the state will continue to play a pivotal role in supporting this growth for a better Georgia and a better country.



## GUEST COLUMN:

New digital platform makes it easier to certify animal heath when traveling with equines



By Janemarie Hennebelle, DVM, MPVM Assistant State Veterinarian

Do you travel with your horse, donkey or zebra? Have you ever used a six-month Equine Event Permit along with your official Coggins form to move to and from different states? If your answer is yes, this news is for you.

Over the last decade or more, the Georgia Department of Agriculture's Animal Industry Division has relied on the U.S. Postal Service to deliver paper health certificates and Coggins forms, along with an application form, for Georgia equine own-

ers to request an Equine Event Permit for movement purposes. Imagine the nailbiting and nervousness of owners who hope that their paperwork makes it on time and an Equine Event permit is returned to them prior to travel with their horses. No less the concern of GDA employees when they can't meet a customer's request in a timely manner.

GDA has worked diligently with other states over the last couple of years to develop a set of standards for extended equine movement documents that are easier for the veterinarian and owner, digital (no government middleman), and accessible anytime an owner needs it. The result of this effort is the Extended Equine CVI (EECVI), a permit that owners can use for movement purposes among 21 states, with more states expected to join in the next few years.

The current Equine Event Permit will be available through June 30, 2019. Starting on Jan. 1, 2020, the EECVI will be the only option in Georgia as an extended equine movement permit. The EECVI still requires an inspection of your equine by your veterinarian and a current, negative Equine Infectious Anemia result (EIA or Coggins form). The EECVI is valid for six months or until your EIA result is no longer valid. These are the main differences between the EECVI and the current Event Permit:

- More states will accept the EECVI for movement purposes.
- Digital format with 24/7 access.
- Your veterinarian inspects your equine, but doesn't issue any paperwork other than a Coggins, if needed.
- When you are ready to move with your equine, log on to the EECVI application and enter certain information, including your destination. You will also affirm that your equine hasn't shown any signs of illness within the previous seven days. Then download the digital Health Declaration and Movement Permit (HDMP) for that destination at no charge.
- States will accept a digital copy of the HDMP show it on your phone or tablet; no printing needed!

As always, you can and will be able to move your equine with a standard 30-day health certificate (CVI) if you travel to a state that doesn't accept the EECVI or if you really don't need a six-month movement permit.

As a veterinarian who thinks about the health of animals all day (every day), I expect this new platform to provide better information about the health of our equine companions that travel all over the country. I also expect that after the inevitable growing pains that come with any type of change, it will provide an on-demand application for owners with no nail-biting, no nervousness, and confidence that they can move their horse, donkey or zebra for six months in compliance with participating states' law.

If you would like more information, call 404.656.3667, email AnimalHealth@agr. georgia.gov, or visit our website at: bit.ly/eecvi.

### UGA Block & Bridle Club hosts 45th Great Southland Stampede Rodeo

The University of Georgia Block & Bridle Club will be hosting the 45th Great Southland Stampede Rodeo from Thursday, March 28 to Saturday, March 30 at the UGA Livestock Instructional Area located at 2600 S. Milledge Ave., Athens, GA, 30606. The doors will open at 6 p.m. and the rodeo starts at 8 p.m.

For 45 years, the UGA Block & Bridle club has put on this renowned UGA event. What started as a simple fundraiser for the UGA livestock judging team is now a time-honored tradition for students and families alike. The rodeo chair, Caroline Hinton, is grateful to be a part of an event the entire university can be proud of, she said.

"I cannot put into words the pride I feel to be a part of this event," Hinton said. "For over four decades, UGA students have put on an event that has become a trademark of the College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences. To carry on this tradition is an incredible and humbling experience."

The Great Southland Stampede Rodeo is operated entirely by University



of Georgia students with a mission of providing a quality rodeo experience according to the National Cowboy Professional Rodeo Association guidelines while developing skills that will allow them to advance both personally and professionally.

For more information and to buy tickets, please visit gssrodeo.com.

-Sadie Hobbs, GSSR Committee

### Swine

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

Advertisers submitting swine ads must submit proof of a negative brucellosis and pseudorabies test from within the past 30 days. Exceptions are swine from a validated brucellosisfree and qualified pseudorabies-free herd; these operations must submit proof of that certification. If you are faxing or mailing in an ad, the test needs to be sent along with it. For ads submitted online, the test can be attached using the attachments button. Buyers are urged to request proof of a negative brucellosis and pseudorabies test prior to purchase.

10 Yorkshire Berkshire crossed piglets, \$60 ea. Travis Ellington Senoia 678-787-9341

15 Hereford pigs, around 150 lbs. would make great replacement gilts. Wesley Lassiter Ty Ty 229-326-9862

Baby pot belly pigs, 1 male, 2 females. Both due early spring. Take all. Kathy French Clermont 770-708-7003

Ready for processing, Hampshire/ Berkshire/Duroc cross; two hogs, one sow, 275 lbs+/-: \$400 each. Bryan Roseberry Locust Grove 678-409-7214

Tamworth pigs and piglets for sale. Gainesville. whitesulphurfarms.com Lee Hemmer Gainesville whitesulphurfarm@gmail.com 770-519-0923

### **Goats And Sheep**

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

2 Boer/Toggenburg cross billies for sale, 10 w/o and very healthy: \$70 ea. Christopher Thompson Thomaston 762-208-0539

4 male goats, 1 female goat; 10 w/o, \$125 ea. Billy Biles Jackson 678-763-3983

ABGA registered 50 percent Boer doe, tan/white/spotted, DOB 3/5/2018: \$285 Miranda Huggins Summerville 423-598-6364

ADGA Nubian goats for sale; 3 bucklings, 1 doe, born Jan. 4, 10, 11. Disbudded. Erek Mimms Alpharetta 678-283-4355

Adult pygmy goats, four wethers and nannies, wormed and vaccinated. Jim Dawe Watkinsville 706-202-7531

Alpine goats, one 1 v/o buck and one 1 y/o doe. Text/call. Emma Shadburn Cumming 678-772-2144

Market Bulletin Ad Form

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Nubian mix goats: females, \$125: males, \$100. Text Tanner Thomas Macon 478-228-6508

Beautiful blue-eyed Mini Oberhasli ba-

bies, super friendly, CD&T, registration

if needed, disbudded: \$150. Alexander

Billy goats for sale, 6-to-10 w/o, pic-

ture available upon request: \$125 OBO

Kenny Holt Jacksonville 229-315-5784

breeding with current herd. Larry Farmer

Boer bucks and wethers for sale. Herd

sires, 4H/FFA projects, All colors avail,

Brandy Austin Jackson 678-251-6075

Boer Spanish cross, herd dispersal

more than 300 goats; you pick. Patrick

Buck American Nubian Herd Sire.

Superb Genetics, ADGA registered. Friendly, but randy. Your herd must be

CAE-Free: \$400. obo Michael Battey

Dorset, Dorper and Katahdin lambs

\$150 ea. Also have breeding pairs. Joan

Blose Cartersville jmcpherson@berry.

Fainting goats, reg., UTD all: mini silky

bucks, does, babies; great bloodlines,

dehorned, some blue-eved, Marsha

Katahdin sheep herd for sale: 17 ewes,

18 lambs. 1 ram. Lambs born in Jan

2019. Bishop Herrington Forsyth 478-

Katahdin-Dorper sheep, lambs; dap-

pled grev mini mare-used as party and

therapy pony. Susan Cobb Cedartown

Kids (born Jan.2019) for sale: \$75-

100\$/head. Also, 8 does: \$75/head.

Marion Hindman Brooks 404-273-9584

tahdin sheep: ewes \$350; rams \$250.

Excellent bloodlines, pics available,

text/email. Suzanne Kozee Molena

sunridgefarms01@gmail.com 678-877

Nigerian Dwarf babies, beautiful pat-

terns, m/f. parents on site, polled, verv

friendly, handled daily. Text for more

info. Brigitte Sobik Locust Grove 770-

Nigerian Dwarf goats, many colors.

Please call for price before 9 pm. Larry

Nigerian Dwarf Goats, registered and

unregistered, some blue-eved, great

starter herd: \$200 up. Eddie Benedit

Nubian and mixed goats, 9 m/o-4 y/o.

Some spotted. Not for slaughter: \$60

and up. Jose Gonzalez Mcdonough

Canton 678-977-0964 404-333-9951

R. Pirkle Dawsonville 706-216-2954

Lambs born Jan 2019, registered Ka-

Kelly Newnan 770-251-8896

McShane Clarkesville patrickkmc

shane@yahoo.com 706-768-0161

Lindale 727-480-3288

edu 678-522-3890

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678-898-5555

404-218-1615

Gainesville 678-997-7586

Boer billy, 3 y/o; selling to prevent in-

Flaherty Danielsville 706-254-7717

Oberhasli, mini Oberhasli, Nigerian, pygmy, Niger/Pygmy mix goats; have 3-to-6-w/o kids. Carol Murray Forsyth 478-297-7439

Old miniature goat, female, brown and white. Suitable for pet or livestock companion \$20. Joe Burns Grayson joeb@ color-burst.com 678-591-9422 Registered Katahdin rams and ewes, from weaning to breeding age, x-large Midwest bloodlines. Duke Burgess Lou-

isville 478-625-9542 305-923-0262 Two Alpine does w/kids, ready to milk, one Toggenburg buck: \$800 for all. Marty Morgan Crandall 706-980-0447 Two Nigerian dwarf doelings, 1 buck-ling: \$150 ea for does, \$75 for buck. Paul Belk Clarkesville 423-834-5301

### Stock Dogs

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722 Advertisers must submit a copy of a current Rabies Vaccination Certificate signed by a licensed veterinarian for dogs 12 weeks and older. Ads submitted without this information will not be published.

Border collie puppies born 12/20/2018 from working parents. Sire imported. Brooke York Braselton 404-944-1574 Great Pyrenees male, 3 1/2 m/o, wormed and shots: \$300. Tommy Veal **Dublin** 478-279-1146

Great Pyrenees, born Jan 12, males and females; \$450 each. Deborah Shuman Winterville 706-546-8610 Registered Anatolian shepherd dogs (I GD), 6 m/o; 2 females, 2 males, Brin dle and pinto. Robin Valentine Calhoun

770-314-2609 Registered Border Collie puppies: 4 females, born 12/10/2018. All vaccinations are up to date. Cinda Hulsey Cler-

mont 770-718-8369 Working Line German Shepherd male pup - wants to work on your farm. import sire, AKC. Sable. Lynn Schlup Tennille 478-552-1119

### **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, donkevs, etc. Buvers 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.

2 mini horses to a good home: \$50. ea. 2 friends sold only as a pair. Shots current. Luca Gianturco Alpharetta 770-826-4738

2 miniature mares: 5 y/o white, 8 y/o sorrel, both gentle, both bred; \$500 choice. Will trade, can deliver. Wynn Copelan **Greensboro** 706-453-7687

6 male donkeys, black in color: \$100. You load. Buddy Howard 7291 Buckeye Rd Perry 31069 buddy.howard@yahoo.

com 478-256-1861 9 y/o, 15 H.H. Chestnut geld., KY mt. saddle horse, good trail horse; \$1500. Troy Bradshaw Williamson 770-467

8446 Arabian mare chestnut, 15 y/o, 14.1,

broke, needs refresher, contract/references required: \$575.Text/call. Gabriele Pollmeier Cumming 770-846-0674 Min-Min miniature donkey for sale; very gentle, good guard. H.N. Ralston Eatonton 706-473-3119

Need Jenny donkey as mate for my jack. Leave msg or text. Ronnie Braswell Tifton 229-349-7205

Reg. Quarter Horse gelding, 1998, sorrel, white star, Bartlet Ranch, excellent performance horse, good youth/senior, great home. Ken Monroe 770-267-8759

broodmare. Rea. Thoroughbred beautiful, grey, 16 hands, correct and top, bloodlines. For lease or for sale w/ options. G. Gibson Atlanta 678-595-2790

Selling due to health: mini horses, donkeys and mini mules: \$250 ea. Gene Cantrell Monroe trailblazeroo7@ ahoo.com 770-312-6224 770-267-9905

#### **Equine At Stud**

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

### Equine Miscellaneous

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

2 saddles, lots of tack; any or all. Joe Rowan Mcdonough 770-957-3131 Looking for reg. AQHA foundation bred broodmares and stallions for free or free lease for breeding purposes only. Wendell Simmons Alto 706-716-4856

Pioneer cart with padded bench seat ready to hitch to, good condition: \$850 Ronald Wiley Auburn 770-963-0050 Silver show saddle and bridle; \$1,200 Grooming items, bits, leg wraps and stable blankets. Patti Mcleroy Kathleen mcleroy@windstream.net 478-987 0019

Want to buy small pony, gentle enough for small children to ride, and is good with cows. Marvin Garner Resaca 706 625-5291

Wedge seat for carriage driving, photo available: \$10. Valette Adkins Milledgeville 478-968-5261

### **Boarding Facilities**

If you have questions regarding ads in his category, call 404-656-3722 Advertisers must submit a current stable 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.

5-acre pasture, dry lot, run-in shelter, padded stalls, round pen, wash rack, secure tack room. Dan or Ellen Mccavsville 706-492-3399

Pasture board on horse farm. No pets other than horses. Linda Bullock Dallas 770-445-9392

Pasture board: 256 acres, plenty of grass. lakes and trails; 6 spots. Paige Bullock **Dallas** 770-402-242<sup>.</sup>

**Poultry/Fowl For Sale** If you have any questions regarding ads n this category, call 404-656-3722.

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. (6) 10 m/o white leghorn hens, \$16 each 1 rooster. \$100. No Sundav calls David Rylee Monroe 770-267-3051

14 varieties peafowl. Game chickens: red quill warhorse, minor blue, mugs orangequill, pumpkin hulsey, grey hatch, brownred, kelso splash. Ray Watts Macon 478-361-3468

2018 Pumpkin Hulsey Stags, \$30; Egyptian Geese, \$80/pair; Mikado Pheasant male, \$80; Pharaoh Quail chicks and others. John Mason Macon 478-986-3709

4 laying hens, Silver Laced Wyandotte, 2 Golden Laced Wyandotte, black sexlink; \$15 ea. Lester Mclendon Conyers 678-462-7295

Baby chicks, \$1 ea.: turkens, wyandottes, red stars barred rocks. Hens: \$15. Gary Ridley Lafayette 706-638-1911

Black Copper French Maran chicks for sale, 2 y/o: \$3 and up for older Tanya Moore Williamson 770-228-9752

Chicks sexed and unsexed; ducks, baby and adult, assorted breeds; also, Ayam Cemani. Sherry Amerson - White Augusta blackberrycreekminifarm@ gmail.com 706-833-5535

Different breeds of pullet chicks and a few breeds of ducklings available: \$4 and up. Marie Evans Adairsville 678-276-5127

Drake, Black Swedish, 6 m/o, \$10. Fertile Mallard duck eggs: \$1 each (3rd gen.). Joel Webster Acworth 770-425-8235

Guinea Keets. Now taking orders for the 2019 hatching season. Flint River Guinea. Local pick up/shipping available. Angelique Weldon Thomaston 706-741-2904

Peacocks, 1 y/o, various colors developing, Spaulding Pied mix, males and females available. Christy Champagne Comer 706-207-1851

Peafowl: one trio white-eyed India Blue; one trio pale India Blue; 4-and5y/o. Jerry Mock Colquitt 229-758-3717 Pheasants ringneck, 1-100: \$12 ea., over 101, \$11 ea. Serious inquiries please. Alex Becker Dawsonville 678-410-0983

Pigeons: white rollers, Turner rollers, colored rollers and white homers: \$20/ pair. Wyatt Johnson Midville 478-494-3240

Portuguese tumbler pigeons, Partridge Wyandotte bantam chickens. William Davis 2110 Flippen Rd Stockbridge 30281 770-474-1154

Pullets: Rhode Island Red, Golden Comets and Black Sex link. Quality birds. Brian Sturdy Dahlonega 706-865-9201

Racing homers, white king, white homing pigeons; nice rabbit pens. Paul Coleman Cartersville 404-276-4801

Ringneck pheasants and 2 pair of melanistic pheasants for sale. Bobby Owensby Nicholson 706-224-3284

Roosters for breeding or butcher, young, 10-12 lbs., several breeds.Trade for other fowl or goats. Mike Tackett Braselton 678-617-0873

Ten white homing pigeons: \$35. Robert Ray Eatonton 706-485-8180

White Silkie rooster, 1 y/o; have 2 and need to find good home for one: \$10. Sheila Tiller Monroe 707-262-1553

Young, healthy and handsome Barred Rock roosters for sale: \$10 ea. Kate Wheeles Monroe 404-957-0097

### 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/Coturnix quail eggs: \$90/100; \$170/500; \$320/1000. Willie Strickland Pooler 912-748-5769

### **Poultry/Fowl Wanted**

1 male Toulouse goose within 30 miles of Alpharetta. Brenda Filer Alpharetta 678-549-1447

12 fertile Cornish Game chicken eggs to hatch. Donald Oakes Suches 770-853-2629

ISO peacock, chickens and guineas. West Point area. Kristie Hart West Point 706-586-8036

ISO Polish roosters. Elizabeth Almon Newnan 678-416-9250

Looking for any type of free poultry: ducks, geese, turkey, chickens, pigeons. Billy Montgomery Homer 678-591-6410 Looking for female Indian runner ducks. Ralph Covington benjamin613@ att.net 770-371-0994

Looking for fertile emu eggs for incubating in Northeast Ga. at reasonable price. Call or text Cody Dalton Hartwell 706-207-5705

Looking for game chickens: black. white and brown game hennies. Chuck **Riverdale** 770-478-0900

Two Porcelain Bantam hens. Otis Colson East Dublin 478-272-2215

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Emu chicks for sale. Leave a voicemail

or text. Donna James Madison 706-

**Alternative Livestock Requiring** 

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If you have questions regarding ads in

Advertisers selling fallow deer,

axis deer, sika deer, elk, red deer,

reindeer and caribou must submit

a current deer farming license with

their ads. Ads submitted without this

license will not be published. If you

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For ads submitted online, the license

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ments button. For information about

the deer farming license, contact the

Georgia Department of Agriculture

at 404-656-3667. For information on

other hoofed stock, excluding llamas

and buffalo, contact the Georgia De-

partment of Natural Resources at

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## quality, dry and in barn; \$6 each. Paige

If you have questions regarding this

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.

Alicia, Coastal, Russell and Tifton 85 sprigs for sale. Also, custom sprigging available. Ronnie Hart Guyton 912-665-

207-4356 Horse-quality, rain-free hay, barn-2019 Coastal Bermuda hay, dry, stored stored, 4x5 bales, mixed pasture grass: \$45 per bale. Terry Dishroon Mansfield 770-317-8455 Johnson grass mixed with fescue, net-

under shelter; \$25 in the field. Hank Mizell **Axson** 912-381-5783 4x5 rolls Coastal hay, \$45; square

935-8180 4x5 rolls, mixed grass, good horse quality, inside. Joe Cronan McDonough

Bermuda hay for sale, round or square bales; irrigated, fertilized well and tested. Norman Williams Millen 478-982-9308

able. Cow mulch hay, \$2.50/bale. Randy Guillebeau **Monroe** 770-316-8715

about 15 bales left: \$6/bale. K. Morris Barnesville 770-358-6800 Bermuda mixed hay, heavily fert, rainfree, horse quality; square, \$7; round \$50. Large qty. delivery available. Stephen Stana Carrollton 770-241-3201 Bermuda/Fescue Hay, premium quality,4x5 rounds, \$60; squares, \$6; fertilized, weed free. Outside cow hay, \$45. Rex Palmer Auburn 770-867 9589

50lb square bales: \$5. Russ Elliott Li-

bermuda grass: \$35, outside. Willis

'18 Coastal bermuda, J.D. 4x6 netwrapped, tight, weed-free, rain-free, good quality: \$35. E. Brown Avera 706-831-3442

'18 Russell bermuda hay, round bales, 50 bales: \$40 per bale. W.T. Davis Haddock 478-951-9693

'18 Russell Bermudagrass, 4x5.5, fertilized, wrapped, sheltered, 80+ bales: \$55/bale;10+ @ \$50; 20+ @\$45/ bale. Delivery negotiable. Wayne Pruitt **Statesboro** 912-682-4481 '18 Russell Bermudagrass, 4x5.5, fer-

tilized, wrapped, sheltered, HQ, 200+ bales: \$60/bale;10+ @ \$55; 20+ @\$50/ bale. Delivery negotiable. Wayne Pruitt **Statesboro** 912-682-4481 2018 4x5 bales mixed grass, stored in barn: \$30/\$35 per bale, depends on

quantity. Sam Standard Jackson 770-362-0475 2018 bermuda Fescue hay, mixed, horse-quality: \$5 square bales in barn.

Nancy Harris Winder 770-867-0733 2018 bermuda hay, horse quality, barn stored, net wrapped, 4x5 roll: \$50/roll. Steve Matthews Griffin 404-247-9789

2018 bermuda/Fescue mixed hay, 4x5 rolls, fertilized, rain-free, in barn: \$40/roll. Mike Keesee Monroe 470-899-9668

2018 Coastal 4 x 5 net wrapped round bales, fertilized and ant free. Dawn Smith Unadilla 229-938-0290

2018 Coastal bermuda hay, 4x5 round and square bales. Larry Morgan Lizella

2018 Coastal bermuda hay, 4x5.5 bales, excellent quality, barn stored. Bruce Parker Butler. Bruce Parker Butler 478-214-0473

2018 Coastal bermuda hay, highly fertilized, weed free, rain free. Square bales; \$4.50. Rolls \$40 to \$45 each. Curtis Durden Lyons 912-245-1081

2018 Coastal bermuda or rve grass. horse quality, fertilized UGA soil/specs, barned 4x5 round bales: \$25 and up. Olin Trammell Forsyth 478-960-7239

478-994-6463 2018 cow hay for sale, bermuda/Johnson grass mix, 4x5 rolls, twine and net. Stored in field. Jake Gower Covington 404-391-6182

2018 Fescue bermuda mix 4x5 rolls: \$45 horse quality hay; cow roll, \$35. Jack Jones Dahlonega 706-429-7130 2018 Fescue hay, rain free, fertilized, limed, in barn: \$4 per bale. Doug Medley Ellijay 706-273-6762

2018 Fescue mixed hay, net-wrapped, 4x5 rolls, fertilized, delivery available: \$20. Robert Pennington Madison 706-474-3150

2018 Fescue-bermuda mixed: \$4.50/ bale at barn; Walton County. Wade Cown Monroe 770-207-6983

2018 Fescue/bermuda mixed, horsequality, net-wrapped; \$50-60/inside, \$35-40/outside. Coy Baker Loganville

770-466-4609 2018 Fescue/Mixed Grasses sg. Bales \$5.50 each. Barn stored. Delivery available James Robinson Good Hope 770-363-6406

2018 Fescue: 1st cut, well-fertilized, weed-free, stored in dry container, square bales: \$5/bale. Stephen Crowder Dawsonville 404-925-1630

2018 hay: Coastal bermuda/Bahia, 4x5 netwrapped, RFQ tested, only barnstored left: \$40. Phil Amos Louisville 706-260-8720

2018 horse and cow hay. Net-wrapped 4x6 rolls. Fertilized Bermuda/Bahia. Will load. Charles Shaw Atlanta 706-818-2025

2018 horse quality square bales, Fescue mix: \$4/bale. John Fluegge Ar-muchee 404-759-3928

2018 horse-quality hay for sale, 4x5, net-wrapped, weed-free, fertilized: \$40/ roll. Michael Joyner Perkins 706-551-0217

2018 mixed Alicia and Bahia hay, 4x6 net-wrapped: \$55/roll. Delivery available, \$3/mile for a load of 9. Donnie Hart Jr. Chauncey 229-315-9782

2018 net-wrapped bermuda and Bahia mixed hay. \$40 bales. Delivery available. Brad Macdonald Waverly Hall 706-561-7860 706-582-3530 2018 peanut hay, 4x6 rolls: \$40/roll at

barn, delivery available. Glenn Brinson 1800 Corsey Grove Way Tarrytown 30470 912-288-5960

2018 Russell bermuda, 4x5, round bales, string-wrapped, horse-quality: \$35/roll. Danny Varnadore Alma 912-282-5330 912-632-6552

2018 Tift 44 bermuda, 4x5 rolls net Fescue cattle hay, 4X5 round bales, wrapped, under cover, fertilized, and fertilized, stored dry, net wrapped, exlimed: \$45 per roll. Everett Parrott Gay cellent quality: \$35/roll. Sherrel Astin 404-319-5326 Villa Rica 30180 678-794-0880 Fescue mixed round bales, 4X5 in

2018 Tift bermuda hay, square and round, horse-quality, stored in barn, delivery available. Dick Stratton Locust Grove 770-842-9317

in barn. 4X5 rolls; \$50. Tim Hunter **Conyers** 770-331-7749

4x5 net-wrapped Tifquik hay rolls: \$35

bales, \$7.50. Russ Elliott Lizella 478-

770-235-3586

Bermuda hav. \$6/bale. delivery avail-

Bermuda mix, 2018, square bales,

Coastal bermuda rolls. 4x5: \$25/roll.

hay. Bob Himes Summerville 706-512-2261 5293 Morgan County 4-H Vidalia Onion Fundraiser Pre-Paid Orders ONLY! Order Deadline: May 14th, 2019 Address: Name: City:\_\_\_\_\_ Zip:\_\_\_\_\_ Home #\_\_\_\_\_ Cell #\_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail:

\*Onions will be harvested at the perfect time for best flavor. We can't rush mother nature; you will be notified with delivery dates which should be BEFORE May 20th. Orders must be picked up at the Morgan County

| Pounds per Bag                   | Price | Quantity | Total |
|----------------------------------|-------|----------|-------|
| 10 # Bag Vidalia Onions          | \$10  |          |       |
| 25 # Bag Vidalia Onions          | \$20  |          |       |
| 50 # Bag Vidalia Onions          | \$35  |          |       |
| 10 # Bag Red Onions *Not Vidalia | \$10  |          |       |

### Mail orders to:

Morgan County Extension Office 440 Hancock Street

Madison, GA 30650

\*please make checks payable to: Morgan County Extension/4-H



| Grand Total Due: _ |  |
|--------------------|--|
| Total Paid:        |  |
| Date Paid:         |  |
| Receipt #:         |  |
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\*All proceeds are used to provide educational programs, materials, 4-H scholarships and awards. Questions?? Contact Shannon Cagle at scagle@uga.edu or 706-342-2214

Extension office.

zella 478-935-8180 Cow hay, 4x5 rolls, net-wrapped, 2018 Brown Byron 478-956-2798

770-761-3044. 478-972-5977 478-781-1990 LIVESTOCK WANTED

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722. Looking for a Jersey bull. Benjamin Durden Odum muleman1956@gmail com 912-256-3378

Want 8 400-500 lb steers off a farm within 100 miles of Villa Rica. Can pick up animals. Neal Ochs Villa Rica 678-877-9398

### LIVESTOCK HANDLING

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

16ft bumperpull livestock trailer: new floor, wiring and paint, front escape door and cut gate; \$2500. Suzannah Taylor **Chester** 478-559-0138

Colt 2 Horse slant load BP trailer w/ tack room, great condition \$3600. 2 Horse straight load BP trailer, good condition \$2100. James Alton Conner Folkston 912-286-7081

Ponderosa horse trailer, 3-horse slant load, front dressing room, rear tackroom, good light/brakes work: \$3500, Wade Hardin Tifton 229-392-3833

Roping equipment alley, roping chute, trip chute, horse boxes and stripping chutes: \$3675. Randy Proctor Brooklet 912-536-1511

Sioux sweep tub system, will work anything; cost \$19,000 new, plus \$3500 shipping; asking \$15,000. Vern Sanders Forsyth 706-302-1376 706-302-1376

### RABBITS

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722. Lop Eared Lionhead bunnies: tan,

white, brown, patterned, available April 10: \$35. Valerie Marietta valeriepc@att. net 404-822-6394 Mini Rex/Dwarf Lionhead-cross bun-

nies; beautiful small rabbits, very docile, hand-raised: \$20 OBO. Erwin Thomas Dawson 404-401-1588

Pedigreed Florida whites, born 10/1/2018; 3 males. Wesley Smith Athens 706-247-5254

Rabbit pen and 12 waterers; raise chickens in pen: \$50 for all. Richard Douglas Loganville 470-418-9064

Silver fox bunnies, \$30 and up. Brady Bala Oxford 404-456-4333

### 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 hav will not be accepted in this category; they will be published in the Fertilizers & Mulches category.

'18 4x5 net-wrapped Fescue mix hay, stored in barn: \$40/roll. Jeremy Means Lula jeremy\_means@hotmail.com 770-539-3405

free 4x5 roll: \$75. Also, bermuda mix: \$50. Tim Hunter Conyers 770-483-8712 770-331-7749 Quality coastal bermuda, 4x5.5 netwrapped rolls: \$25-\$45, delivery available. Chad Hendrix Collins 912-237 3430

Russell 5x5 2017 hay and 2018 mixed grass 4x5 hay: \$30/bale. Blake Callaway Rayle 706-274-3392

barn: \$45. Steve Arnold Nicholson 706-

wrapped, in barn: \$25/roll. Linda Camp-

Large quantity square bermuda hay,

round hay and haylage; round peanut

Oats in grain bin: \$4.25/bushel. Lesley

Orchard grass or Fescue hay, 4x5 rolls.

fertilized/sprayed, rain free; \$45. Square

bales, \$6. Delivery available. William Gil-

Pearl millet for food plots: \$35 per

50 lbs. Bryan W Maw Tifton 229-382-

Premium 2018 Tifton 44 bermuda,

horse quality, fertilized, weed/crabgrass

Giesbrecht Davisboro 478-494-2944

bell Molena 706-647-8478

Gingerich Metter 912-314-9568

strap **Dahlonega** 706-300-6592

6832

Square bales, horse-quality Fescue

Tift 44 square bales, excellent horse Bullock Dallas 770-402-2421 Wheat straw, individual bales available

or in 21-bale bundle: \$3.75 a bale. Wade Whitaker Rutledge 706-318-4526

Your horse will neigh for our hay! Forage-tested by UGA, squares and rounds. Loring Heard Washington 706-401-7441

Feed, Hay and Grain Wanted

### AG SEED FOR SALE

hay. Paul Harris Screven 912-294-2470 <u>category, c</u>all 404-656-3722. Large quantity Tift 85, 4x5 bales; cow hay, \$35; horse hay (inside), \$55; small Advertisers must submit a current square, \$5.50. Delivery available. Dannie

Mondo and Variegated Liriope, 1- gal.

# **Bulletin Calendar**

### I April 3

- Georgia Department of Agriculture
- Burke County Pesticide Clean Day Event
- University of Georgia Southeast Research Center
- 9638 Hwy. 56 S
- Midville, Ga. 30441 404.656.4958
- ricky.hayes@agr.georgia.gov

### April 4

UGA Cherokee Extension Apple Grafting Workshop Ball Ground Community Center 250 Civic Drive Ball Ground, Ga. 30107 770.721.7803 ifuder@uga.edu

#### April 5-6

Hall County Master Gardeners Spring Garden Expo 1855 Calvary Church Road Gainesville, Ga. 30507 770.535.8293 www.hallmastergardeners.com/garden-expos

### April 6

Kel-Mac Saddle Club Benefit Show Morgan County Agri-livestock Facility 2268 Athens Hwy. (U.S. 441 N.) Madison, GA 30650 706.342.3775 www.kel-mac.com

UGA Cherokee Extension Master Gardeners Spring Symposium

Register/learn more online CherokeeMasterGardenersInc.wildapricot.org

Gordon County Antique Engine and Tractor Club Bartow County Spring Tractor Show American Legion Post 42 525 Martin Luther King Jr. St. Cartersville, Ga. 30120 770.527.5376 77.382.4165 678.986.0362 770.382.5750

Junkin and Pickin Day Madison County Fairgrounds Lexington Hwy. Comer, Ga. 30629 ms.elaine.brown@gmail.com

### April 12-13

Forsyth County Master Gardeners 2019 Plant Sale The Barn@Cumming Fairgrounds 235 Castleberry Road Cumming, Ga. 30040

12th Annual Daylily Sale Daylily Society Greater Atlanta Big Red Barn at Cumming Fairgrounds 235 Castleberry Road Cumming, Ga. 30040 404.316.9412

Browntop Millet, cleaned and bagged, Bermuda, Coastal and Tift 85 sprigs 85 percent germination, no weed seed, 50 lb bags: \$22 per bag. Wayne Syms Waynesboro 706-526-7154 GCIA-Certified Tifton 9 Bahiagrass

Seed. Excellent for hay and forage. James Gaston Americus 229-924-7460 sprigs for sale; custom planting also available. Alton White **Dry Branch** 478-229-938-9115

Old-timey cayenne, yellow cayenne, rooster spur, peter pepper: 25 seeds, \$2/pk + SASE. Terry Madaris 2017 Cloud Springs Rd Rossville 30741

Old-timey cayenne, yellow cayenne, rooster spur, peter pepper: 25 seeds/\$2 pk: please SASE. Angela Hutchins 370 Hutchins Rd Summerville 30747

Old-timey hot cowhorn pepper, hot peter pepper, Rutgers and German pink tomato seed: \$1/pkg+SASE. Amory Hall 130 Ellison St Maysville 30558

### Ag Plants for Sale

Apache Tame blackberry plants, no briars, some grow as big as a half-dollar: \$7 ea. Gene Shumake Greensboro 470-235-9448

April 13 FVSU, GANN and Teach A Man Dot Fish Aquaponics Workshop Backyard System Build 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Registration required aquaponicsworkshops@gmail.com 478.335.8253 or 478.955.6571

Georgia Iris Society Meeting "How to Prepare and Present Your Irises for the Spring Show" St. Bartholomew Episcopal Church 1790 Lavista Road Atlanta, Ga. 30329 678.471.2604

McDonough Garden Club Plant Sale McDonough City Market Hazlehurst Street and John Frank Ward Blvd. McDonough, Ga. 30253 678.583.0727 Facebook: McDonough Garden Club

### April 13-14

West Georgia Two-Cylinder Tractor Club Old Time Farm Days Show VFW Fairgrounds 1625 Bankhead Hwy. Carrollton, Ga. 30116 770.301.6319

### April 27

Georgia Iris Society 'Color My World" Flower Show and Sale St. Bartholomew Episcopal Church 1790 Lavista Road Atlanta, Ga. 30329 678.471.2604

Athens Area Master Gardener Association Annual Spring Plant Sale Athens-Clarke County Extension Office 2152 West Broad Street Athens, Ga. 30606

#### April 28

5th Annual Taste of Richland & Market Benefitting REACH GA Richland Rum Distillery Richland, Ga. 31825 www.tasteofrichland.org Facebook: Taste Of Richland & Market - Annual Event Instagram: tasteofrichland

### May 4

for sale, custom planting also available. Chester Kight **Tarrytown** 478-290-

Coastal, Tift 85 and Russell bermuda

Heirloom tomato plants, 4 w/o., pot-

ted, 4": \$2 ea. Call for list and to reserve.

Bonnie Moon Monroe 404-245-9006

Pecan trees growing in 3-gallon pots,

starts or seedlings; bare-root native

persimmons. Jimmy Crum Bainbridge

Rooted bronze scuppernong vines in

Tree yearlings for sale: Catalpas, Red-

bud and more: \$8-\$15. Call for more

information. Grace Walsh Jonesboro

White peach tree seedlings, foot tall:

\$1 ea. Can mail, postage extra. Robert

Hottle 4220 Union Rd Sw Atlanta 30349

2-gallon pots, ready to go. Bennie Hes-

ter Social Circle 770-267-3650

5558

214-1197

678-314-1221

229-220-3907

404-307-8113

404-344-0568

Douglas County Master Gardeners Annual Greenhouse Plant Sale 8750 Dorris Road Douglasville, Ga. 30134 770.949.1003 www.facebook.com/dcdirt.org

Watkinsville Garden Club Annual Plant Sale 35 North Main Street Watkinsville, Ga. 30677 706.310.0452 www.watkinsvillegardenclub.org

> Ag Seed/Plants Wanted Old timey multiplying nest onions. Tessie T Vickers **Hahira** 229-292-4604

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

4" perennials, 350 varieties, all \$1.50 each including helleborus. Also 1 gal. grafted Japanese maples, \$20-\$25 Display garden. Selah Ahlstrom Jackson 770-775-4967

Achimenes "Widow's Tears," 30 for \$15 including postage. A.R. Cox 6504 Retreat Ct Appling 30802 706-541-0402

Angel trumpets, Christmas roses; \$5, Hydrangeas, forsythia, burning bushes, confederate roses, double althea, beauty berries; \$3.50. Carla Houghton Marietta 770-428-2227

Bethel's 4th Annual Awesome Blossom Spring

Fest Bethel United Methodist Church Campus 245 Fairview Road Stockbridge, Ga. 30281 770.474.2570 www.awesomeblossomfestival.com

#### May 11

Kel-Mac Saddle Club Benefit Show Morgan County Agri-livestock Facility 2268 Athens Hwy. (U.S. 441 N.) Madison, GA 30650 706.342.3775 www.kel-mac.com

### May 17-18

Georgia Dairy Goat Breeders Association 43rd Spring Show Walton County Agricultural Education Center 1208 Criswell Road Monroe, Ga. 30655 706.308.4770 www.georgiadairygoats.com/monroe-springshow

### June 6

North Georgia Prescribed Fire Council Chattahoochee Technical College-Appalachian Campus 100 Campus Drive Jasper, Ga. 30143 770.528.4545 www.garxfire.com/events.htm

### Sept. 21

Kel-Mac Saddle Club Benefit Show Morgan County Agri-livestock Facility 2268 Athens Hwy. (U.S. 441 N.) Madison, GA 30650 706.342.3775 www.kel-mac.com

### Oct. 12

Kel-Mac Saddle Club Benefit Show Morgan County Agri-livestock Facility 2268 Athens Hwy. (U.S. 441 N.) Madison, GA 30650 706.342.3775 www.kel-mac.com

### Nov. 14-16

Georgia National Antique Agriculture Show Georgia National Fairgrounds and Agricenter 401 Larry Walker Pkwy. Perry, Ga. 31069 478.988.6522 pgentry@gnfa.com

Have an event to put on our calendar? Contact Amy Carter at 404.656.3722 or amy.carter@ agr.georgia.gov

We accept calendar submissions for food, craft and agriculture festivals and events. Submissions for festivals that do not specifically promote those industries will not be printed.

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

> Cosmos, tall, orange. 60+ seeds; \$1+SASE. Ira Bray Newnan 770-253-0693 Daylilies, \$2.50 up; 5 hydrangeas,

3-gal, \$75; crape myrtle and forsythia, \$5 and \$6. Leave a message. Jean Phillips **Bonaire** 478-988-4926

Iris tubers, mixed colors (blue, pink, white with yellow trim): \$3 each plus shipping (call). Mary Ann Durrough 70-25 3 - 74

Lenten rose, \$6, all colors; Helleborus babies are less, many other shrubs and perennials. Gail Hollimon 1540 Plunketts Rd **Buford** 30519 770-945-4252 Lenten roses in bloom: \$6 ea. Pachysandra, 50 bare-root plants for

\$10. Carol Olson Marietta 770-490-5685 Loofah sponge seeds, 25/\$3 OR 100/\$10. Send cash/SASE. J. Shelnutt

P.O. Box 1212 Loganville 30052

Marigolds: dynamic bi-color blooms orange and deep red: \$3/Tbsp.+SASE. Larry Odom 868 Maerick Rd Dawson 39842

\$2 each; Iris 3-gal, \$4 each. Jonguils, \$2 per pot. Katherine Patman Athens 706-. 549-4487 Native Azaleas: orange, yellow, red, pink, white; \$8 and up. J. Y. Adcock Newnan 770-251-2613 Old roses, daylillies, canas, red Amarillo, columbine, foxglove, hosta, coreopsis; plants, seeds, shipping. Carole Scott 16007 Ollifftown Rd Metter 30439 912-685-6984 Queen red-lime Zinnia or light pink Cleome: 50 seeds, \$3 cash + SASE. Donna Miltimore 1766 Pleasant Hill Rd Ne Ranger 30734 Reseeding petunias, mixed; angel trumpet, double purple or double yel-low: \$1/pkt.+SASE. Carolyn Arnold 644 Lynn Ave Jefferson 30549 Seed: Tall cosmos, zinnias, swamp lilies, amaryllis, pink poppies: \$2/

pkg.+SASE. Extra orders=extra post-age. Call before 10 p.m. Gerri Ward 4496 Fowlstown Rd Attapulgus 39815 229-465-3641

Seeds: Devil's trumpet, mullein pink, touch-me-nots, morning glory, hibiscus, four-o-clocks, money plant, \$2 cash/ teaspoon +SASE; mole bean, other. E. Beach 2966 Cardinal Lake Cir Duluth 30096 770-476-1163

Star of Bethlehem bulbs for sale. Vickie Robinson Auburn vrobinson1012@

gmail.com 770-680-1895 Flowers and Ornamentals

### Wanted

Old-timey red cluster Seven Sisters rose bushes and Mountain Laurel. Wil-liam Butler **Demorest** 706-778-8736 Seeds for money plant, Queen Anne's lace, and black-eye susans. Carole Gibbs Ty Ty achgibbs@aol.com 803-530-0148

### **FLOWERS REQUIRING** PERMITS

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

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**

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722 2004 walk-behind Ditch Witch 1330, new rock teeth w/Ditch trailer included: \$3750. Johnny Akin Tallapoosa 770-550-8128

21 bridge timbers with creosote, 8"x13"x11', will separate: \$50 ea/all for \$1,000. You load/haul. Suzanne Broussard Americus 770-778-8682

30' windmill, 3.5' blade, nice tower, concrete pad; \$1200. Long wheel-base truck fiber glass cover: \$200. Cash only. James Snow Hampton 678-759-8277

400W used hanging light fixtures for pole barns, shops: \$35 ea. Text for picture. Dennis Bates Carrollton 770-597-0767

Aquaponics workshop: Backyard System Build, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., April 13; call or email to register. Isaac **Macon** aquaponicsworkshops@gmail.com 478-335-8253 478-955-6571

Asphalt roller, Vibrastat II: \$1800. Ford F-250, 2004, 5.4 gas w/dumpbed insert: \$4500. 2001 F-250 pickup: \$1800. Mark Blank Dawsonville 770-905-6235

Bale barns to protect hav in pastures: eliminate colic/heaves due to mold/ mildew, www.balebarns.com, Rita Mcbride Canton trailhorsefarm@gmail. com 678-350-6638

Black Hawk cast iron corn sheller, perfect: \$125. Joe Denson Summerville 706-676-3078

Custom built flower baskets, bird houses, rabbit boxes, and wishing wells. Bennie Norton Barnesville 770-358-4544

Farm 911 Signs-Farm Safety and Emergency Signage. An information source for greater peace of mind. Website: farm911signs.com Daren Sue Truex Cumming 678-628-6767

Fisher (stove) fireplace insert: \$250. Leave message if calling/will return your call. Freddie Sanders Kennesaw flsander@hotmail.com 770-428-5542

Five steel rods, 1'x7'2" and 1"x9'2' threaded at ends with turnbuckles. K Hendricks Atlanta 404-307-1784

Franklin 170 back section, no winchvokes drive shafts rear end arch rollers \$1000. Wes Kimsey Blue Ridge 706-455-7692

Glass wine-making carboys: 5-gal, \$25; 6-gal, \$30. Joe G Markert Gaines**ville** 770-532-9080

KeroHeat kerosene heater. Model CV2230, 22,300 BTU, excellent condition: \$50. Cecil Hulsev Acworth cecil1946@comcast.net 404-824-7833

MG #1200 Disassembled engine. New parts re-assembled. Old parts. New tools for assembly. Parts list available. Dave Nolan Valdosta 229-506-3698

Need members for hunting club in Hartwell; 500 acres, house, electric, water: \$540. Jimmy Satterfield Commerce 770-527-1246

Old barn to be taken down for material: metal roof, 1x6-8 weathered boards, 2x4, 2x6, wind-damaged. Jerry Kilby Rabun Gap 706-746-2459

One pellet heater insert, works great: \$400. 4 ft. tiller for tractor w/3 pt. hitch: \$400. Bobby Crawford Sharpsburg 770-328-1569

Presto Canner, 20 pints or 7 quarts like new. If you can use it, come and get it: \$25. Bonnie Bright Molena 404-243-9607 404-520-7307

Trailer, 4'x8', heavy duty dump bed, wood side rails, wood bed, metal ramp, pix available: \$550. Robert Crittenden Kennesaw 770-428-5105

Two wood-burning stoves: \$500 ea. or \$800 for the pair. Roger Keebaugh Gainesville 770-540-3005

Wacker Compactor, brought new, used very little; Jumping jack, good condition. Joe Verdone **Lexington** 706-743-3994 Walk-in cooler, 4'Dx6'Wx6.5'H; great

for hunting club or produce stand: \$400 OBO. Wallace Dunn **Stockbridge** 770-378-5546

White Whirlpool side-by-side refrigerator, 2 y/o, exc. condition, filtered water: \$500. Bobbie Garrison Marietta 770-509-3752

Wood balusters, 205 spindles, 36' long, 16 posts, 53" long, never used. Turned gray from weather: \$200 for all. George Loebig Covington 770-786-3214

**Miscellaneous Wanted** Ashley auto model AH11 wood-burning heater w/#270066 and No. 06924 with class front door. Ellis Dennis Franklin 770-880-8960

Corn drag-type conveyor wanted: must be in working condition, any brand. Send picture. Ben Parrish Statesboro ben@benparrish.net 912-536-2200

Looking for old Stihl 08S saw for parts, need ignition parts; made in Germany in 1960s, no longer available. Ray Schmeck Favetteville 770-461-1897

Need cradle for C.S. Bell antique bell #2. 16 inches across. Charles Holland Cobbtown char01@pineland.net 912-618-3502

New or good used 2'4"x 4'6" 6/6 double/hung wood window unity. George W Smith Athens 706-546-7266

### **Bees, Honey & Supplies**

10-8-5 frame equipment, beekeep ing supplies, Nucs, packages, classes, wildflower honey, swarm capture: Buford, Flowery Branch, Oakwood, Suwanee, Winder, Commerce. Harold Lanier Commerce harold@lanierbeebarn.com 678-471-7758

10-frame bee hive, \$85. 5 frame bee hive NUCs, \$65. Also make inner covers/supers/Top Bar Bee Hive/inside feeder. Eliseo Delia Mineral Bluff 706-492-5119

2019 5-frame nucs, \$160 ea. 15 orders left to fill Italian bees. Jack Jones Dahlonega 706-429-7130

3# packaged bees, \$120; 5-frame NUCs, \$165; queens, \$35; supplies available. David McDaniel Rome 706-389-5425

5-frame NUCS w/brand new gueens, honey producers: \$150, Michael Surles Blairsville 706-781-3343

Bee removal, work guaranteed; Metro Atlanta and West Georgia areas. W.O. Canady Villa Rica 770-942-3887

Free removal of bee swarms near the ground or in buildings; will remove unwanted hives East of Atlanta. Robert Pruden Monroe 770-466-9100

Fresh, unprocessed honey: quart, \$14; pint, \$8; 8oz bear, \$5. Jimmy Brown Jackson 770-775-0157

honey in Georgia: \$52/gallon, ship-

brucesnutnhoney.com 912-487-5001 Qt .4 Latshaw Apiaries Italian breeder

Gallberry honey, voted best-tasting ping included. Ben Bruce Homerville

FF Rita 7W16 of 3Q41 4W10

queens, tagged and numbered; raised late 2018. Each \$575. Bj Weeks Ball Ground weeksworks@gmail.com 770

735-3263

Georgia Cattlemen's Convention and Trade Show

Over 100 vendors, cattlemen's meetings, seminars, & nationally acclaimed speakers

Georgia National Fairgrounds in Perry, GA

April 4-6, 2019

Watch for these 2 big auctions!

\*On Saturday, April 6 at 11:00 a.m. • *Georgia's Tinest Hereford Sale* • 50 Females sell!

FOR SALE CATALOGS CONTACT

Mike Jones (Lic 978) - Manager/Auctioneer

Cell - 706-773-3612 • Email - mikejonesauctioneer@gmail.com

Friday, April 5 at 11:30 a.m.

Southeast Elite Temale Sale

45 Angus & SimAngus Females will sell!

Friday, April 5 at 2:30 p.m.

Georgia Expo Commercial Heifer Sale

150 Commercial Females will sell!

Georgia Beef Expo

Swarm capture and removal; will remove bees from structures, and unwanted bee equipment. Derry Oliver Commerce 706-335-7226 Wanted: bee equipment, will pick up swarms for free. Remove bees from structure for a fee. Leonard Day Macon 478-719-5588

Will pick up swarms, no charge. Will remove from structures for a fee. Burke, Columbia, Richmond counties. Justin Stitt Augusta 706-799-0153

### Things To Eat

2018 Desirable pecans, \$11/lb + postage; Will crack, shell, separate your pecans, \$.50 cents/lb. Russell Eaton Stockbridge 770-506-2727 2018 pecans in shell, 150 lbs., buver takes all: \$4/lb. Charles Sawver Mount Airv 706-768-4776

2018 pecans shelled and cleaned: \$9 per pound. Ready for freezer. Peggy Griffin Clarkesville 706-768-8417 All natural grassfed beef: \$3.59/

lb. hanging weight, no processing fee. Lightning R&B Ranch. Dee Mcdonough 404-569-6184 All-natural black Angus beef, sold

whole, half or quarter; grass-fed, grainfinished. David Sharpton Commerce 770-596-3538 Angus beef, raised on grass, finished

on grain, half or whole: \$3.25/lb. hanging weight, includes processing. Tom Brown Canton 404-259-0998

Dozen eggs: \$4. We do not use chemicals or poisons in our yard. Mrs. Mc-Cart Loganville 770-466-8023 Free range duck eggs, \$7/dozen; free

range chicken eggs, \$4/dozen. Joanna Driver Ellijay 404-915-9701 404-372-2498

Grain-finished Angus beef, cut, wrapped, ready for your freezer: \$3.50/ Ib hanging weight. Jason Cox Social Circle 404-925-5412 Spring clearance sale: blackberries, elderberries, huckleberries, fias, mushrooms, wildflower honey, blueberry honey, shelled and unshelled black walnuts. Charles Eaves Elberton 706-436-0310

Sugarcane syrup, pure premium qualitv. three 25.4 oz bottles shipped; \$44 total. pavpal.me/parrishcanesvrup Ben Parrish Statesboro 912-536-2200

Vacuum packed, lean, healthy beef delivered to your door. Visit www.wellsfarmhealthymeats.com for details. Joey Wells Buena Vista 229-649-7181 Water-ground meal, whole wheat

flour, grits; will also grind your grain: \$5/5 lbs + postage. Mike H Buckner Junction City 706-269-3630

### Herbs

Advertisers selling ginseng must be registered with the Georgia Department of Natural Resources and proof of this registration must be submitted with each ad. Ads for ginseng submitted without this registration will not be published. For more information. contact the Georgia Natural Heritage program at 770-918-6411.

### Pick-Your-Own

U-pick strawberries in two locations: 476<sup>1</sup> Holley Road, Lizella, and 9515 Feagin Road. Macon: 9 a.m.-7 p.m. daily; call for pick days. Elliott Farms Lizella 478-935-8180

#### Fish & Supplies

Advertisers selling sterile triploid grass carp must submit a current Wild Animal License from the Georgia Department of Natural Resources. Ads submitted without this license will not be published. If you are faxing or mailing in an ad, the license needs to be sent along with it. For ads submitted online, the license can be attached using the attachments button. For license information, call 770-761-3044.

3"-14" grass carp, F1/bass, threadfin/shad, coppernose/bluegill, catfish cages. Ask about our genetic/delivery guarantee. Stocking by fishery biologist David Beall Greenville 706-289-1874

A-1 Quality, farm-grown channel catfish priced by size. Other species available upon request. Flynt Gilbert Zebulon 770-468-0725 770-567-1223

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Aeration, fountains, fish feeders, structure, bug light, pond liming, phosphorus mitigation, aquatic vegetation control, consultation. Ethan Edge Lumber City 912-602-1310

All sizes bass, bluegill, channel catfish, threadfin, gizzard shad, shellcracker and more. Free delivery or pickup. Danny Austin Roberta 478-836-4938

All sizes catfish: Minnows, shiners, bluegill, shellcracker, sterile carp, feeders, female bass, aeration, fish structure, consulting services. Keith Edge Soperton 478-697-8994

Bass, bluegill, catfish, sterile grass carp, hybrid bream, koi; state-wide deivery, lake management. David Cochran Ellijay 706-889-8113

Big Red worms/Euro, great fishing; \$35/lb. Red Wigglers, perfect for composting and fishing; \$20/lb. Lew Bush Byron bigreds1@cox.net 478-955-4780

Grass Carp, Bluegill and Shellcracker Bream, Channel Catfish fingerlings, Bass, Fathead Minnows; delivery or pick up, by appt. only. Robert Brown Brooks 770-719-8039

Grass carp, bluegill, shellcracker, redear, crappie, channel catfish, threadfin shad. Delivery available; \$2 per mile one way Brian Simmons Hawkinsville 478-892-3144

Koi, goldfish and albino catfish for sale. Call for more info. Glenn Kicklighter Sandersville 478-232-7704

Rainbow and brown trout: DNR-certified, quality stockers, hatched on our farm, various sizes, delivery/pick-up available. David Cantrell Ellijay 706-273-6199

Wild Threadfin shad for stocking, call now for spring delivery, first come. Terry Richardson Rutledge 706-474-9333

**Fertilizers & Mulches** 

2017 mulch hay, 4x5 twine wrap, stored in field: \$15 per roll. Jake Gower Covington 404-391-6182

2018 mulch hay, 4x5 rolls, stored outside: \$10 ea. John Lane Odum 912-294-1955

2018 mulch hay, 4x5 round bales, net-wrapped rolls: \$30. Lynn Stokes Lizella 478-808-8029

2018 mulch hay, round bales, 4x5, stored outside, 100+ available: \$15 ea. You haul, I load. Clay Washburn Macon 478-718-6263

9622 2018 mulch hay: \$50/roll at barn, delivery available. Gary Brinson 6786 Old ground, cut into logs. Easy access. Louisville Rd Tarrytown 30470 912-286-3191

2018 square bales mulch hay; \$2.50/ bale. Harry Hughes Warm Springs 706-655-2475

Cow manure for sale; have Bobcat to load, great all-around fertilizer, delivery available. Scotty Ingram Ball Ground 770-596-7718

Free aged horse manure, few shavings, easy access, you load and haul. Jim Campbell Monroe 770-527-5636 770-617-2912

Free horse manure. We load trucks and trailers Monday thru Saturday. Tawn Edwards 5295 Morton Road Johns Creek 30022 678-521-8869

Free manure, you pick up and load. Gary Ridley Conyers 770-365-4248 Fresh clean red pinestraw installed and cleaned: \$4/bale. Long Needle ninestraw also available. Travis Golden Conyers 770-895-8073

Fresh Pinestraw installed. \$4.25 per bale, no additional fees. Reliable service. Long needle available Gloria Williamson Gainesville ysrvc@hotmail. com 770-912-6671

Fresh worm castings: \$5/gallon. Shane Jones Cumming 404-964-7534 Longleaf pine straw delivered and spread or semi trailers dropped. Joshua Bulloch Manchester 404-925-1076 Mixed hay, 4x5, 40 rolls in barn: \$30 each; 80 rolls outside, \$25 ea.; all for \$20 ea. Bryan Shockley Locust Grove

678-409-4815 Mulch hay for sale: 4x5rolls, \$15 each. Glen Bailey Madison 770-714-8729

Pre-bagged horse manure: \$1.50/ bag (20-40 lbs. per bag). Price reduced for 100+ bags. You load. Call first. Martha Braumann Lawrenceville 678-662-9393

### **Poultry Litter/Compost**

Dried and screened Layer manure. 10-20 percent moisture content. Truckloads available. Andrew Rodriguez Greensboro 678-777-7990

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M/F penned paired Blue indigo peacocks, 1y/o: \$375. M/F penned paired piebald peacocks, 9 m/o: \$425. Betty Floyd Canon 706-498-7510

Poultry layer manure for sale, will load trucks, UGA tested, will deliver, spreading service available: \$30/ton. Delivery extra. Andrew Rodriguez Greensboro 678-777-7990

### Oddities

Gourds, many varieties. Martin Gourds fixed, ready to hang; at farm or shipped to you. Charles Lang Cordele 229-406-5039

Grow your own LUFFA washcloths from seed: \$5/40, \$7/60, \$10/200 + SASE. Davis Yaun 15412 Ga Highway 86 Soperton 30457 aikenyaun@gmail. com 912-399-1988

### Garden Space

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

### **Farmers Markets**

Markets may use this category to advertise vendor space for rent or lease, as well as days and hours of operation.

Henry Farm, barn, plant sale at Knight's Market; call for space. Tractors, plants and animal sales welcome. Joe Webb Mcdonough 404-207-7764

#### **Out-Of-State Wanted**

3 year old registered Brangus Bulls. Edward Sistrunk Auburn AL 334-727-1919 334-727-5252

Up to 50 Camarosa strawberry plants wanted. Jan Brammer High Springs FL 386-454-9711 Want land to hog hunt with dogs,

2019-2020 season. Mark Young Old

Firewood

Firewood must be cut from the ad-

vertiser's personal property. Ads for

firewood must use the cord when

specifying the amount of firewood

Firewood, mixture hickory/oak, \$75

per half cord. Smoke seasoning fruit

wood: peach, apple, nectarine, fig.

Free oak firewood: four trees on the

Joe Moon 155 Cochran Rd Covington

I have 65 trophies cooking BBQ with

pecan wood. I have 4 cords, cut and

seasoned at \$100 per cord. You pick up.

Mixed hardwood, 2 cords of seasoned

chunks. \$50. Michael Magrum Rydal

Red and white oak: \$195/cord. Great

for fire pit, cooking, heating. Frank Lun-

Red oak firewood for sale: different

sizes, lengths; will deliver. Travis Ulfik

Split seasoned hardwood; \$165 per

cord. Can deliver with dump trailer. You

pick up: Long-bed, \$85; short-bed, \$65.

Norm Johnson Taylorsville 770-684-

Timber

Timber must be individually owned

and produced by the advertiser on

his personal property. No companies

advertise timberland in this category.

Timberland advertised must be at

least one acre. Timber wanted ads

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45.5 acres, half open: spring and

stream, mixed woods, near Morgan:

\$3000/acre. Photos available, email is

best. Jim Andrews Edison jandrews@

Wilcox County. 92 acres with 65 acres

planted pine, 33 yrs. old. Balance in

cutover and hardwood, fenced on 3

sides, railroad frontage: \$3000 per acre.

Danny Hawkins Rochelle 229-365-

businesses are allowed to

Jesse H Arnett Tifton 229-382-6517

Flowers Decatur 770-987-

Fort TN 423-715-5857

30014 770-282-0070

dak White 770-668-6901

**Oxford** 470-896-1853

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yahoo.com 229-835-2483

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## Milk Makes Amazing

### Kroger partners with Georgia Grown to promote Georgia dairy products in stores statewide

The Georgia Department of Agriculture's Georgia Grown program is partnering with 168 Kroger stores across the state for the "Milk Makes Amazing" promotion. Driven by "Milk on My Mind," a dairy awareness program initiated by the Georgia Agriculture Commodity Commission for Milk, the partnership with Kroger aims to educate consumers about the benefits and versatility of milk and dairy foods.

"Part of the Georgia Grown mission is to support our local farmers by introducing our communities to some of the amazing products made right here in the state," said Georgia Agriculture Commissioner Gary W. Black. "We're proud to promote some of Georgia's most authentic products at Kroger

stores across the state."

Guests shopping at Kroger locations throughout the state can expect to see Georgia Grown milk and dairy products showcased through in-store and digital advertising. Recipes and video walkthroughs from local chefs demonstrate easy dishes to entertain friends and family.

Bainbridge dairy farmer Paul Johnson said the campaign will help consumers make informed decisions about their dairy products.

"The dairy farmer has such limited avenues to talk about their products that they sell, and with all the competition that's affecting dairy today – sports drinks, water, beer, all the non-milk milks like nut milk and soy milk – this is giving us an opportunity to get our message out," Johnson said.

Felix Turner, corporate affairs manager for Kroger Atlanta, said Milk Makes Amazing will further strengthen the grocery chain's ongoing partnership with Georgia Grown. Knowing that Kroger sources fresh foods locally is important to its customers, Turner said.

"Milk makes amazing is a wonderful program, and it sounds like it will spread outside of Georgia, so we are part of something historic," he said. "I could see us doing many more things in terms of partnerships, especially through Georgia Grown, because Georgia Grown is so important for our stores and our customers are giving us phenomenal feedback on the program."



## **FARMER: Three generations growing**

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on the farm while honoring his family's farm history.

When he noticed other peach farmers were planting more acres while Dickey Farms' production volume left the farm's packinghouse sitting underutilized during the season, Dickey began to offer packing services to meet other local farmers' packing needs and to generate additional income.

"When I first started working at the farm, we were packing about 75,000 packages a year," he said. "This year we expect to pack around 400,000 half-bushel boxes."

To deal with drought conditions, Dickey invested in irrigation equipment and added lakes, wells and piping which "helped immensely," he said.

Over the past 10 years, the farm transitioned to low-volume drip irrigation from high-volume reels of irrigation hose to increase efficiency and lower the farm's water and energy use. Peach yields are up and disease pressure is low.

The peach trees are still planted in traditional rows, but the areas between the rows are intentionally maintained in sod. This environmentally friendly practice prevents soil erosion, provides traction for farm equipment, adds organic matter to the soil, improves soil moisture and provides habitat for beneficial insects.

Following recommendations from the USDA's EQUIP program, Dickey reduces scale on his peach trees by using oil instead of a chemical treatment. The farm engages in crop rotations with a local row crop farmer to improve soil fertility and structure and reduce compaction.

Dickey manages the family's timberland with the help of a registered forester and the Georgia Forestry Commission, and they continue to plant new and improved second- and third-generation loblolly pine seedlings.

Dickey's father continues to be a part of the farm business. "He's the farm's biggest cheerleader, encourager and mentor for both me and my son," Dickey said. "His memory is amazing, and he has witnessed some of the

biggest changes in the industry."

Dickey has taken the farm into new areas with ideas from his children and insight from his wife, Cynde Dickey, the farm's chief financial officer. She was instrumental in starting the farm's retail business and mail-order operation, which began 25 years ago.

Daughter-in-law Stacy Dickey promotes the farm's market through social media, employee training and advertising. The Dickeys' daughter, Marjie, a 2013 graduate of the UGA College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences, develops new recipes for the farm's bakery. School groups often visit the farm for educational field trips, which are now in high demand.

Son Lee Dickey manages the farm's food safety program and installation of new peach trees and new crops like 100-acres of pecans and two-acres of strawberries. The farm plans to expand its vegetable acreage to meet the local school system's demand for Georgia Grown produce.

"When Crawford County lost its only grocery store in December 2016, Dickey Farms stepped up and provided fresh produce in season to meet the county's needs," said Sarah Greer, the UGA Cooperative Extension Agricultural and Natural Resources agent in Crawford County.

Greer nominated Dickey and his farm for the Farmer of the Year award.

"Dickey Farms exemplifies all that it means to be a steward of the land. They are innovative and progressive," she said. "Not only are they an amazing farm that has persisted over generations, but they are outstanding community members."

In addition to his work on the farm, Dickey is serving his fourth term in the Georgia House of Representatives for District 140, which covers Crawford County and parts of Bibb, Houston, Monroe and Peach counties. He represents his fellow farmers on the House Agriculture and Consumer Affairs Committee.

-Sharon Dowdy is a news editor with the University of Georgia College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences.



Cynde, Robert, Bob, Lee and Stacy Dickey. (Family photo)

### A Note to Our Subscribers Earlier this year, we told you about our conversion to a new software

system for managing our circulation and advertising functions. We are still working to make that conversion happen, but we are not yet prepared to go live with the new system.

As a result, we will be sticking to our traditional schedule of alternating certain Classified Advertising categories monthly. That schedule is posted here.

We will keep you informed as our software conversion continues, and we'll update you on the changes we'll be making and the ways they will impact you as soon as that conversion is complete.

Thank you for your patience, and thank you for your loyalty and support of the *Farmers and Consumers Market Bulletin.* Amy Carter, Editor

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### 2019 Market Bulletin Advertising Deadlines

| Issue Date | Special Ad Categories                                  | Deadline<br>Ads due by noon this<br>day |
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| April 10   | Farm Services; Farm<br>Services Wanted;<br>Handicrafts | March 27                                |
| April 24   | Farmland Rent/Lease;<br>Farmland Rent/Lease<br>Wanted  | April 10                                |
| May 8      | Farm Services; Farm<br>Services Wanted;<br>Handicrafts | April 24                                |
| May 22     | Farmland Rent/Lease;<br>Farmland Rent/Lease<br>Wanted  | May 8                                   |
| June 5     | Farm Services; Farm<br>Services Wanted;<br>Handicrafts | May 22                                  |
| June 19    | Farmland Rent/Lease;<br>Farmland Rent/Lease<br>Wanted  | June 5                                  |
| July 3     | Farm Services; Farm<br>Services Wanted;                | June 19                                 |
| July 17    | Handicrafts  | July 3                                  |
| July 31    | Farmland Rent/Lease;<br>Farmland Rent/Lease<br>Wanted  | July 17                                 |
| Aug. 14    | Farm Services; Farm<br>Services Wanted;<br>Handicrafts | July 31                                 |
| Aug. 28    | Farmland Rent/Lease;<br>Farmland Rent/Lease<br>Wanted  | Aug. 14                                 |
| Sept. 11   | Farm Services; Farm<br>Services Wanted;<br>Handicrafts | Aug. 28                                 |
| Sept. 25   | Farmland Rent/Lease;<br>Farmland Rent/Lease<br>Wanted  | Sept. 11                                |