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## Ag-related bills pass Georgia General Assembly, head to governor's desk

By Jay Jones jay.jones@agr.georgia.gov

Legislative bills strengthening regulations on retail consumable hemp products and restricting foreign ownership of farmland were among the agricultural-related legislation that passed during the Georgia General Assembly session that ended on March 29.

Bills that passed both House and Senate chambers now proceed to Georgia Gov. Brian Kemp. Before a bill becomes law, it must undergo review by Kemp within 40 days after the General Session convenes. This year, the period ends on May 7. As governor, Kemp may take three actions on a bill: sign, veto, or no action. If he signs or takes no action on a bill, it will become law. Kemp can prevent a bill from becoming law by exercising his veto power.

Senate Bill 420 would prohibit the foreign acquisition of farmland by nonresident agents, businesses domiciled in, or governments of a nation deemed a foreign adversary by the federal government.

Georgia Agriculture Commissioner Tyler Harper touted the bill to improve food security. The bill was introduced last year following concerns about Chinese-based companies purchasing farmland in 2022 near the Grand Forks U.S. Air Force Base in North Dakota and large amounts of farmland in Texas.

Georgia's bill would restrict property ownership of those connected to countries desigas foreign adversaries. The list includes China, Cuba, Iran, North Korea and Russia.

SB 494 establishes a regulatory framework and other rules and requirements for businesses that sell or manufacture consumable hemp products, as long as the final product has less than 0.3 percent Delta-9-THC, the cannabinoid best known to produce a psychoactive effect.

The bill would also make it illegal to sell consumable hemp products to anyone under 21 years of age or for anyone under 21 years to purchase or possess any such hemp products.

Another part of SB 494 would require retailers and wholesalers to obtain a retail consumable hemp establishment license or

nated by the U.S. Department of Commerce a wholesale consumable hemp license, both granted by the Georgia Department of Agriculture.

Harper and his team saw the issue last year as a possible danger to public health due to the uncertainty of the content of retail consumable hemp products, especially from outside of Georgia. Harper supported SB 494 and said the bill provides "guard rails" to help stop unregulated products from being sold to the public.

News reports of two children being sent to the hospital after eating Delta 8-infused candy during the General Assembly session strengthened the call for the bill's passage. Delta 8 is another cannabinoid from hemp which is legal

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## Pest Management Awareness Month brings attention to vital role of pest control



Dr. Ben Hottel, Rollins technical services manager, leads a class of pest management professionals on identifying bed bugs during a workshop at the University of Georgia's Griffin Campus. Georgia requires pest management establishments and individual technicians to take continuing education classes to keep up with the latest techniques and standards in the field. (Jay Jones/GDA)

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April is National Pest Management Awareness Month, which brings industry and regulators together to highlight the vital role pest management plays in protecting public health, food, and property from pest threats. In Georgia, it is also an opportunity to shine a light on what has made the industry successful.

In a study published by the Entomological Society of America this year, researchers found that Georgia's professional pest management industry is one of the most robust industry sectors in the state, with revenue and employment growing 117 percent from 1997 to 2021. The study also found that Georgia's pest management industry contributed between \$1.7 billion and \$2 billion and over 13,000 jobs to the state's economy.

The study's authors, University of Georgia faculty members Jacob Winkles, Benjamin Campbell, and Brian Forschler, used data from the U.S. Census, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, the Georgia Department of Agriculture Structural Pest Division, and anonymous

surveys from business owners and employees. Derrick Lastinger, GDA Structural Pest Division

director, said those research findings are unsurprising when considering how much of an impact pests can have on Georgia's economy. 'We live in the South, and we have a lot of bugs,"

Lastinger said. "The importance of the industry to Georgia is much broader than controlling pests in the home. It plays a vital role in protecting our food supply and public health. Think about all of the food and goods coming through Port of Savannah and public health.'

Lastinger added that pest management is a very technical field that requires a lot of training. The GDA Structural Pest Division licenses 1,200 establishments and 12,000 individuals annually. All require an initial license certification and continuing education annually. "That's to ensure they have the minimum knowledge to apply pesticides efficiently and safely, along with other control measures, and to maintain that knowledge,"

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## New Creation Soda Works wins Flavor of Georgia grand prize

**By Jordan Powers** The University of Georgia

Georgia Grown member and family-owned company New Creation Soda Works won the grand prize at the 2024 Flavor of Georgia food contest for their product, PECHES Georgia Peach Soda.

Based in Bishop in Oconee County, New Creation Soda Works started selling their soda syrups at a local farmer's market in 2015. Today, their product line - comprised of sodas with flavors including strawberry habanero, butter pecan cream soda and the old-time root beer that inspired the company - sells in more than 700 locations nationwide.

PECHES Georgia Peach Soda combines the state fruit with purified carbonated water and pure cane sugar for what Head Brewer Alex Harding calls a light, refreshing beverage free from high fructose corn syrup and caffeine.

"We're proud to partner with Pearson Farm and for all our peaches to be sourced from Georgia. We're trying to create a great experience; an experience that you want to come back to," Harding said. "We test and pilot until



New Creation Soda Works founder and CEO Paul Kooistra, left, and Head Brewer Alex Harding, receive the grand prize at the 2024 Flavor of Georgia in Athens, from UGA-CAES Dean and Director Nick Place. (Dennis McDaniel/UGA-CAES)

we think the flavor is the best in the world." New Creation Soda Works was among 36 finalists narrowed down from 139 entries during the first round of judging last month. Products are judged on their Georgia theme, commercial appeal, taste, innovation and market potential. Judges for the contest include food brokers, grocery buyers and other food experts.

Flavor of Georgia, a University of Georgia College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences Signature Event organized by the UGA Department of Food Science and Technology, has helped launch small, startup food companies while garnering recognition in new markets for established brands since 2007. The contest is supported by presenting sponsor AGCO, as well as the Georgia Department of Agriculture and Georgia Grown, the CAES Alumni Association, Farm Credit Associations of Georgia and Corteva Agriscience.

"The Flavor of Georgia contest allows the Department of Food Science and Technology to engage and promote food entrepreneurs in Georgia," said Manpreet Singh, FST department head. "Experts from our department work with these food entrepreneurs in understanding food ingredients, product profiles and other key aspects of developing new products. Through this CAES Signature Event, the department and its (UGA Cooperative) Extension faculty provide a platform for entrepreneurs to showcase their innovations in food."

The 36 finalists received a personalized

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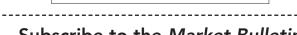
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flow wagon: \$8500; Miller-Yoder 1 horse surry buggy: \$1750; (5) 160 bushel gravity flow wagons: \$1700-\$1900. Paul Harrell Cairo 229-377

Parting out Gleaner F2 combine, good tires, motor, thresh er, transmission. Has damaged 432 corn head, small grain header 15ft. Scott Jones Ellijay 706-273-8745

HAY AND FORAGE

770-823-5127

Farm Antiques

Christmas Trees

· Farmland for Sale

Farmland Rent/Lease

Garden Space Rent/Lease

Real Estate

Services

Stud Services

Farm Services

Employment

Wanted

Boarding Facilities

Farm Help Needed

advertised here.

Seeking Farm Employment

• Items wanted in all categories will be

Other

Canning Supplies

## **Farmers and Consumers Market Bulletin Classified Categories**

Generators and Compressors

· Buildings and Materials

You must be a subscriber to advertise Heavy Equipment in the Market Bulletin Classifieds. All advertisements submitted to the · Construction Equipment Market Bulletin must be agriculture-related. Please note that some categories require supporting documentation before ads can be published. For questions about these categories, please call 404.656.3722 or email MBClassifieds@ agr.georgia.gov.

#### Farm Machinery

- Tractors Cutters and Mowers
- Planting and Tillage
- Graders and Blades
- Pickers and Harvesters Hay and Forage
- Sprayers and Spreaders
- Ag Parts and Tires
- Other Machinery and Implements

#### AG PARTS **AND TIRES**

3 mobile home axles: \$100 each; 2 mobile home tongues: \$75 each. Larry Rogers Camilla 229-328-1758

4 new Dunlaps off new Case 221F loader 365/70R/18. Tires never ran. Rubber tips still in place: \$1200/set of 4. Will trade for cow/farm equipment. Text. Larry Moore **Grantville** 678-278-5709

5.9 Cummins diesel engine model 6 BTA -208 HP, serial # 4523A345, 624hrs. Stationary engine used in a fire suppres-sion system. Keith Yawn Hazelhurst 912-375-7743

Horse-drawn equipment two sets of shafts, double bent, not painted: \$150/ea. Ron **Auburn** 770-307-7152

Tractor front tire Agstar 11.00-16 tubeless, 4-rib, 12 ply. New/never mounted: \$150. One only. Glenn Tharp Fayetteville 770-461-7767

#### **OTHER MACHINERY AND IMPLEMENTS**

(1) 3pt hitch fertilize spreader; (1) 3pt hitch Ford 2-bottom spring-trip turning plow; (1) 5ft 3pt hitch 20-disc harrow; (1) 3pt hitch, 2-disc turning plow with tailwheel. Darwin Blansit Trion 706-238-0465

4 Long brand 21ft crop drying trailers: \$3500 each; 6000-gal-Ion steel fertilizer tank: \$1500; Super B dryer, M# AS-400 1715hrs: \$1500. Paul Harrell **Cairo** 229-377-4020

5ft bushhog, 18ft hay elevator, Bronco model C-300 fertilizer spreader, 50-gallon Fimco sprayer. B. Roberts Canton 678-462-3123

Carlton stump grander, model 6500. Completely rebuilt VD65 Wisconsin engine. All new teeth, new chain: \$7500. Doug Sizemore Chickasaw 423 838-9453

Echo Bearcat model SC3265 chipper/shredder for sale. Handles shrubs & limbs up to 3in diameter, used very little: \$750. Roger Stover Auburn 404-444-6756

Grass Works Weed Wiper (used once) 30ft flex w/10ft back center, 40gal main tank, large foam marker. Was \$26,100 new: \$22,000 OBO. Leave contact information for callback. Robert Valdosta jstout@stoutsheffield.com

motor is bad. They come w/two buckets, one forklift: \$6,200. Charles Roach **Hi**-John Deere iMatch quick hitch for sale. Great shape: \$350. Text message. Jimmy Crane **Conyers** 770-633-6608 awassee 404-694-2348

## Forestry and Logging Equipment

- Trailers
- · Livestock Handling and Hauling Equipment Trailers and Carts Crop Trailers, Carts and Bins
- Vehicles
- Trucks
- Truck Accessories and Parts UTVs/ATVs
- Golf Cars
- · Boats
- Lawn and Garden
- Garden Tractors · Landscape Tools/Materials
- Farm Supplies
- Irrigation Equipment Tools and Hardware

 Lumber · Posts and Fencing

#### **Farm Animals**

- Cattle
- Swine Goats
- Sheep
- Equine
- Stock Dogs
- Barn Cats Rabbits
- Poultry/Fowl
- · Poultry/Fowl Requiring Permit or
- License Non-Traditional Livestock

#### **Animal Supplies** Cattle Supplies

Cycle Diesel Engine) with

with all implements & extra

carbine replacement teeth

for Trencher. \$11,500 770-

TRAILERS

LIVESTOCK

HANDLING

AND HAULING

16ft gooseneck livestock trail-

er, 2 gates at rear, 1 divider

gate, decent tires, good floor, metal roof, recent brake job:

\$4,000. Text only. Mike **Wash-**ington 706-401-6746

16ft Hale stock trailer, metal

top, new paint: \$3500. Dean

Adamson Sharpsburg 678-

**EQUIPMENT** 

**TRAILERS AND** 

CARTS

20ft X 8ft gooseneck trailer,

checker plate floor, 7,000lb ax-

els, good tires, brakes: \$3500

Text of call. Larry Newberry Lizella 478-972-2728

43in X 8ft, new tires, floor, sides, lights (including backup

lights), wiring and paint: \$800

Will send pictures upon re-

quest. Lynn Fayetteville 770-

Big Tex 20ft trailer. Excellent

condition, 1 owner, Two 7000 lbs. Axles: \$5500. Chuck Mc-

Crary Americus 229-815-6540

Flatbed truck bed, 7ftX12ft

made w/12ga steel and chan-

nel iron w/wooden side boards

complete w/lights. Make a good flatbed trailer: \$1200. By-

ron Irvin Gainesville 678-943-

Hydraulic tilt equipment trailer

18ft. Needs bed lumber, 8

tires, brakes. GI hitch: \$600.

Scott Jones Ellijay 706-273-

utility trailer,

w/spare tire, sells for \$1800:

\$1400. Lorene Durden Monti-

cello 706-468-1834

6x10

\$100.

Backhoe,

PTO

Swine Supplies

Goat Supplies

 Sheep Supplies Tack and Supplies

 Dog Supplies Rabbit Supplies Poultry Supplies

#### Miscellaneous

- Bees, Honey and Supplies Aquaculture and Supplies
- · Feed, Hay and Grain
- Mulch and Fertilizers Poultry Litter/Compost
- Plants, Trees and Flowers
- Hemp
- Herbs · Seeds
- Timber

One 20-ton tag-along tilt bed

**CROP TRAILERS**,

**AND CARTS** 

gton Gillsville 770-869-7851

dump truck: \$1500.

Jones Ellijay 706-273-8745

VEHICLES

Please specify if vehicles are in running condition.

TRUCKS

1926 Woody on S10 frame

exterior trimmed in

w/Chevy 350, power brakes & steering, interior trimmed in

Michael Margrum Rydal 706

1981 Ford Courier rebuilt 4

cylinder, 4-speed. New clutch

radiator and battery. Needs paint, runs great: \$3400. Leave

2003 Ford F-450 XLT 2-door

flatbed, 2WD, manual trans-mission 6.0 bullet proofed,

126,000 miles, 4 toolboxes

gooseneck hitch. James Mar-

tin **Waynesboro** 706-554-2480

2004 F350 bucket truck, 6.0L

auto, fully functional, 207k

most bucket hoses replaced

small engine oil leak, needs

used around

\$13,500 OBO. Marty or Paul Jefferson 217-556-6872 or

Good farm 1999 GMC C-

7500 3126 cat engine. Good

condition, current engine ser-

vice, 219k. Photos on request:

\$8200 cash only. R. Haley Villa

TRUCK

ACCESSORIES

**AND PARTS** 

For sale - 1937 Ford trans-

mission, needs rebuilding

Nicholson

Jack

Dahlonega 678-910-9086

tires,

217-556-9497

**Rica** 770-480-2468

message. Johnson

bridge 770-474-8965

hickory, exterior units oak: \$16,000. Calls

509-8576

436-0145

Richardton

- Firewood
- Farmers Markets Pick Your Own
- Things to Eat
- Oddities

Scott

only.

Stock-

farm:

· Handicrafts and Supplies

trailer, 22-foot deck, air brakes, Budd wheels: \$18,000. air dually rim, General AW tire. Never been on ground. Photo available. Barbara Osborne **Americus** 229-886-7386 Jimmy McLane Hartwell 706-LAWN AND GARDEN GC3500 grain cart, good condition: \$4500 or trade for silage Please specify if machinery is in running condition or not. dump wagon. Kenneth Buffin GARDEN multipurpose dump wagon. Will dump into

LT M/S 225/75 R 16 tire and

## TRACTORS

(3) Snapper mowers tractor style, (1) rear engine. All will run & cut grass, but need vork: \$250. Buster Jackson 770-560some work: Jenkins 7782



Cub Cadet XT 1 LT42 with a Kohler 5400 series 19.5HP for sale. Used for 2 seasons and runs great: \$1750. Starla Allen Mitchell 706-466-4590

John Deere lawn & garden 318 w/48in mower and 430 w/60in mower. John Deere P10 cart & AgriFab 48in aerator: \$5,400/all. James Harber Hiawassee 706-896-2445

LA125 John Deere tractor. 42in cut, 21hp, runs good, belt needs adjustment: \$350 firm. Michael Richardson Elberton 706-283-7134

Snapper front tine tiller: \$75 Merry Tiller front tine: \$125 Both operable. Roy Bruce Marble Hill 678-925-7660

Troy-Bilt Bronco riding mow er, 42in cut, 19hp B/S engine, hydrostatic automatic transmission, brand new battery Rides & cuts good. Call/text. Gail **Bryon** 478-951-6603

Two Troy-Bilt Horse tillers for sale. One complete original B&S motor. Other completely cleaned and repainted. Both have new digging tines, ready for garden work: \$650/ea. Larry Smith Rome 706-234-1347

Very nice Scotts riding lawn mower, 42-inch cut, 15HP Briggs engine. All tires are good: \$500. May take a trade in. David Combs Jefferson 706-367-4107

#### LANDSCAPE TOOLS **AND MATERIALS**

14ft 1680 Woods rotary cutter or sale: \$2500. Jimmy Forrest Ward, SC 803-685-7735 jforrest@dixiebellepeaches.com

Echo Bearcat model SC3265 chipper/shredder for sale. Handles shrubs & limbs up to 3in diameter, used very little: \$750. Roger Stover Auburn 404-444-6756

Fresh pine straw installed. 20+ years experience: \$4.75-\$5.75/bale, no additional fees, (50) bale minimum. American owned/operated. Serves north metro Atlanta and surrounding areas. Gloria Williamson Atlanta ysrvc@hotmail.com 770-912-6671

Long needle pine straw for sale. Clean with no sticks or debris. Pick up or delivery available. Call. Cody **Bremen** 678-315-7946

Sears Craftsman edger, like new, excellent condition, used only 6hrs, all decals still intact, always shelter kept: \$75. Ronnie Waycross 912-550-9245

**FARM SUPPLIES** 

#### IRRIGATION EQUIPMENT

10-inch Fresno chemical check valve: \$350; 20mm Toro drip tubing solid: \$85 per 1000 feet. Bill Crocker Albany 229-881-5382

#### **TOOLS AND** HARDWARE

Craftsman table saw and Craftsman radial arm saw. Make a offer. Roy The Rock 706-741-9279

Hand tools and ladders for sale. Joseph Benise Fayetteville 770-634-1408

Metal shop table, 4ftX7ft: \$300; (5) electric fence chargers: \$25/ea or \$100/all; storage tank, 4,000gal, poly: \$800. William Sparrow **Pinehurst** 478-954-5903

Milwaukee starter kit, M18/12 charger, XC 5.0 battery & CP 2.0 battery, Model 48-59-1852, brand new in unopened box: \$180. Paul Perdue Evans 706-863-3518

Rigid heavy duty pipe cutter, good straight cuts, up to 2.5in pipe: \$60; Bosch heavy duty hammer drill/jack hammer, great for anchor bolts: \$200. Pete Scott Covington 770-367-3281



Trencher,

860-8989

416-0325

653-1852

9910

8745.

New

Ditch Witch 2300 (2008 2cycle diesel engine) with trencher, backhoe, PTO with all implements and extra carbine replacement teeth for trencher: \$11,500. Peacock Hill Farm Stockbridge 770-860-8989

Penta 4130 Hurricane feed

mixer, 2017 model, excellent

condition, new discharge chain, Digi-Star scales:

\$25,000. Call for pictures. James Yoder Wrightsville

Terramite backhoe loader T-

5. Ready to work. No text. Lar-

**HEAVY** 

EQUIPMENT

Please specify if equipment is in running condition or not.

FORESTRY

AND LOGGING

**EQUIPMENT** 

Heavy log forks w/clamp for rubber tire loader: \$1500. S.

CONSTRUCTION

**EQUIPMENT** 

2018 Deere 210G LC excava-

tor, 3505hrs, 50%UC 40Inch

bucket, pin on thumb: \$142,000; 2017 Wacker Neu-

son ET90 excavator, 2042hrs,

75%UC, 18Inch bucket, third

function: \$52,500. Paul Harrell

455-E John Deere track load-

er, 90% undercarriage, runs

good: \$16,500. Call or text.

Dillo Horn Carrollton 770-841-

Bobcat backhoe attachment

911 two buckets 12inch and

20inch. Works great in good

condition: \$1200. Tony Fowler

John Deere 675 skid steers,

have two. One runs, needs

foot paddles adjusted and one

Union Point 706-347-0105

**Cairo** 229-377-4020

8728

Jones Ellijay 706-273-8745

ry D. Albany 229-255-5656

478-304-2857

#### PAGE 5

**TAYLOR COUNTY** 

1st & 3rd Saturdays, 6:30 p.m.:

Receiving: 8 a.m.; Animals sale

2 p.m. Taylor County Livestock

Auction, 1357 Tommy Purvis

Every Tuesday, 1 p.m.: Cattle.

Thomas County Stockyards, 20975 Hwy. 19 N, Thomasville. **Call** Danny Burkhart,

1st & 3rd Saturdavs. 11 a.m.:

chickens, small animals; Metter

Every Wednesday, 1 p.m.: Cattle;

Turner County Stockyards, 1315

Hwy. 41 S, Ashburn. Call Alan

Every Tuesday, 12 p.m.: Cattle,

County Livestock, 2626 Yatesville

and Anna White, 864.704.2487 or

goats, sheep, horses. Upson

Hwy., Thomaston. Call Aaron

Every Tuesday, noon: Cattle, goats, sheep; Wilkes County

Stockyard, Hwy. 78 Bypass/302

Third Street, Washington. Call

Josh Saggus, J.F. Hansford,

Mason Cronic and Walker

Moore, 706.678.2632

Notices for auctions

selling farm-related items

other than livestock must

auction license number of

the principal auctioneer or

the auction, per regulations

from the Georgia Secretary

of State. Auctions without

this information will not be

jay.jones@agr.georgia.gov.

published. Have an auction to

put on our calendar? Contact

Jay Jones at 404.656.3722 or

auction firm conducting

be accompanied by the

Livestock Auction, 621 Hwy. 1

S, Lyons. Call Lewie Fortner,

Feeder pigs, goats, sheep,

Feeder pigs, goats, sheep,

chickens, small animals.

Jr. Road, Reynolds. Call

**THOMAS COUNTY** 

TOOMBS COUNTY

**TURNER COUNTY** 

Wiggins, 229.567.3371

**UPSON COUNTY** 

WILKES COUNTY

770.713.5045

678.914.7333

229.228.6960

478.553.6066

#### **TOOLS AND** HARDWARE

Rockwell vertical band saw Craftsman table saw, two-sided grinder, Sears radial arm Delta radial arm saw saw Craftsman chop saw, 5ft drill press, plus more: make offer. Dawsonville 404-787 Tom 7509

Sears Craftsman 10in radial arm saw: \$100; 24ft wood extension ladder, has always been stored indoors: \$50 Cleaning out my basement workshop. Al Pilkinton Stone Mountain 404-316-6204

#### **GENERATORS AND** COMPRESSORS

Atlas Copco XAS 85 diesel air Compressor compressor. needs work, will pump air good three cylinder Deutz engine: \$500. Scott Jones Ellijay 706-273-8745

#### **BUILDINGS AND** MATERIALS

125-gallon horizontal propane tank, replaced the seals: \$200. Kenneth Burnam Lizella 478-235-8649

12ftX60ft trailer, would make a good trailer for hunting camp, heat and air: \$3.000 you move. Danny Fausett Dawsonville 706-429-8491, 706-974-5718. or 706-265 8432

8x8 storage building; \$500 you move; (1) mineral circular box: \$50; (3) electric fences: \$40/ea, \$100/all. D. Jones Flowery Branch 770-718-7253

Mid to late 1800s 2-story farmhouse to be removed from property in Wilkes County. Edward Walker Rayle 706-401 1363

Modular classroom trailer, 14ft wide X 43ft long. Use for office, storage, dwelling. Complete AC & heat, new carpet no roof leaks: \$9700. Call William Solomon Brooks 678-723-9265

New 20x30x12 Gold Mountain canvas storage shelters. 2 available: \$1800/ea 0 \$3400/both. Heavy, weighing 794lb/ea. Text or call. Bill **Lula** 678-936-3602

Plastic pallets - black, large heavy duty, over-sized, 43.5in (W) x 55in (L) x 6in (H). Good condition, durable: \$19/ea. Alexander Brooks 678-723-9265

Used 5V tin, 10-12ft lengths: \$1/ft. Marvin Wilson Pelham 229-886-0719

#### LUMBER

Band-sawn lumber - pine or hardwood, siding or framing and beams, oak trailer decking or blocking, T&G shiplap. Text or call. Larry Moore Grantville 678-278-5709

Sawmill lumber. Rough, fin-ished, kiln-dried, air-dried or green. Pine, red/white oak, poplar, cherry, black walnut, available for counter slabs tops. Can cut up to 24ft. AA Farms Hartwell 706-376-8968

We have inventory of hard and soft woods. Rough cut, planed, air-dried, & kiln-dried. Can custom mill & will mill your logs. Justin Boutwell Thomson 706-699-2067

Wood-Mizer custom-cut lumber, milled, air-dried, restorations, timber frames, flooring, barns, fencing, tables, mantles, live-edge, reclaimed lumber, and trailer flooring. John Sell Milner 770-480-2326 sellj@bellsouth.net www.selland associates inc.com

**POSTS AND FENCING** 

275ft chain link fence w/hardware & gate: \$700. David Blasczyk Dallas 770-445-5646 6 rolls heavy gauge barbed wire, kept dry in barn for many years: \$60 per roll. Rudy Wehunt Jasper 770-894-3072

#### **FARM ANIMALS**

Livestock listed must be for specific animals. Ads for free or unwanted livestock will not be published. All animals offered for sale in the *Market* Bulletin must be healthy and apparently free of any contagious, infectious or communicable disease. Out-of-state animals offered for sale in the Market Bulletin must meet all Interstate Animal Health Movement Requirements, in-cluding appropriate testing for the species and a current official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection or NPIP 9-3 for poultry. Individuals may sell heir own animals; however, livestock dealers are required to have a Livestock Dealer License from GDA. For more information, please call the GDA Livestock and Poultry Division at 404.656.3665.

#### CATTLE

(1) SimAngus bull, born Feb, 2023; (2) Black Baldy bulls, born June, 2023. Contact for prices. Can text pics. Scott Price Grantville 404-326-6189 (50) yearling Hereford bulls; (30) yearling Bradford bulls. Jonny Harris **Odum** 912-294-2470

(6) Black Angus heifers, 7m/o, purebred from reg'd bull and cows. calfhood vaccination. and wormed: \$1250 each. Larry Maney Baldwin 706-244-**4**348

(6) Red Angus heifers, (2) black Angus heifers, 12-18 months old: \$1,400; (3) red Angus bulls: \$1,800-\$2,200. Williams Baldwin 404-234-0174

(6) registered black Angus, 1<sup>st</sup> heifers. (4) w/calve: calf \$16,000; (2) bred: \$7,000; regblack Angus bull istered 18m/o: \$4,500. Frank Eaves Elberton 706-201-7267

1 cow-calf pair for sale. Cow is 4y/o Holstein cross. Calf is a bull, Holstein/Angus cross 4 weeks old: \$2500.00 for pair. R. Smith Elberton 706-318-9166

15 weaned purebred polled Hereford heifers, 30 purebred polled Hereford heifers pasture exposed, (3) 2-year-old bulls. James Jeanes Gray 478-972-0912 or 478-363-0915

2 commercial Angus steers, pasture-raised, unvaccinated, 1.5y/o: \$1500/both. Text for info/photos. Ellijay 706-889-7724

20 Registered Charolais replacement heifers for sale: \$1750 each or \$1500 each for aroups of five or more. Franklin Dowell Cartersville 678-520-0026 Commercial black Angus

heifers – (2) yearlings, 3-7m/o. All farm-raised, vaccinated & gentle. Deanna Purther **Ellijay** 530-263-3638 530-263-3638

Jersey milking short horn cross bulls 2 polled one horn 7 months old. Text for photos. Matt Williams Resaca 706-459-4242

Jerseys - 3y/o bred cow: \$1,600; polled heifer: \$500; proven polled bull from A2 sire: \$1,600; halter trained hand-milkable bred Holstein/J mix: \$2,500. Delivery available. Adel edenarkorg@gmail.com 229-237-0445

## Livestock Sales and Events Calendar

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#### APPLING COUNTY

1st & 3rd Saturdays, 12:30 p.m. at the Baxley Fairgrounds Goats, sheep, feeder pigs, hogs, calves, poultry and rabbits: A&A Goat Sales, 187 Industrial Drive, Baxley. Call Allen Ahl, 912.590.2096

#### ATKINSON COUNTY

2nd & 4th Saturdays, 12:30 p.m. Goats, Sheep, Chickens, other livestock; Pearson Livestock, 1168 Hwy 441 N, Pearson. Call Jorge Caycay 912-253-1247

#### **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 Saturday, 1 p.m.: Goats, sheep, calves, rabbits, poultry. Every Saturday miscellaneous at 10 a.m. Col. Wayne's Auction Co., Bleckley County Barn, 293 Ash St., Cochran. Call Wayne Chambley, 678.544.3105. Lic# AU004496

#### **BUTTS COUNTY**

Every Wednesday, 12:30 p.m.: Beef cattle: 2nd & 4th Wednesdays, 11:30 a.m.: Dairv cattle: Jackson Regional Stockyard, 467 Fairfield Church Road/Hwy. 16 W, Jackson. Call Barry Robinson, 770.775.7314

**CAROLL COUNTY** Every Monday, noon: Cattle,

goats, sheep; Carroll County Livestock Sales Barn, 225 Salebarn Road, Carrollton. Call Eric Thompson, 678,372,3776

**CLARKE COUNTY** Every Wednesday, 11 a.m.: Goats and 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



22 head. 6 pregnant Brangus cows: \$1500 each; 3 cows with calves: \$2300; 100% Akaushi (Wagyu) bull: \$3000; 9each 2023 weanling 50% Akaushi calves at \$3.20/pound. Cash only. Rick Perry 478-320-6519

Purebred Angus bulls AI sired Commodore /Enhance. 18/32months. 1100 /1600 lb. Vacciwormed. GENTLE, nated, Farm raised: \$2400 to \$3600

Red Angus & South Poll X Longhorn and pure Longhorn herd dispersal. Buy one or all on farm. Text. Tim Smith Milledgeville 478-363-6631

Reg'd Beefmaster bulls black and polled: \$1800 and up. have been breeding black Beefmaster bulls for 15yrs. Larry Bowen Woodland, AL 770-826-2512

#### COOK COUNTY 1st & 3rd Saturdays, 1 p.m.: Cows, Every Friday, 6 p.m.: Goats, goats, sheep, chickens, small

animals; Deer Run Auction, 1158 Parrish Road, Adel. Call Matthew Culpepper, 229.560.0595

#### **DECATUR COUNTY** 2nd Saturdays, 1 p.m.: Goats,

Waddell, 229,246,4955

**EMANUEL COUNTY** 

912.578.3263.

478.455.4765

706.384.2105

706.629.1900

706.453.7368

Southern Livestock, 131 Old Hwy

46, Oak Park. Call Clay Floyd,

Dustin Miller and Cody Copelan,

2nd & 4th Saturdays, noon: Goats,

sheep, chickens, small animals;

560 GA Hwy. 56 N, Swainsboro.

R&R Goat & Livestock Auction.

Call Ron & Karen Claxton,

FRANKLIN COUNTY

Every Tuesday, noon: Cattle, goats, sheep; Franklin County

Livestock Sales, 6461 Stone

Bridge Road, Carnesville. Call

Chad Ellison, 706.384.2975 or

Every Tuesday, 9:30 a.m. and

9:30 a.m.. Cattle at 12:30 p.m:

Rome Road SW, Calhoun. Call

Gene Williams & Adam Williams,

12:30 p.m.: Sheep and goats at

Calhoun Stockyard Hwy. 53, 2270

**GORDON COUNTY** 

**GREENE COUNTY** 

Every Monday, noon: Cattle,

goats, sheep; Duvall Livestock

Market, 101 Apalachee Ave.,

Greensboro. Call Jim Malcom,

706.342.5655; JD Hidgon, 706.817.6829; or main office,

JEFF DAVIS COUNTY

or 912.375.5543 (day)

1st Fridays: Horse sale, 7:30 p.m.; Circle Double S, 102 Lumber City

Highway, Hazlehurst. Call Steve

Underwood, 912.594.6200 (night)

sheep, chickens, small animals; LAURENS COUNTY Waddell Auction Co., 979 Old Pelham Road, Climax. Call John Harrelson, 478.595.5418 Every Tuesday, 12:30 p.m.: Cattle;

#### 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

#### 478.892.9071

SEMINOLE COUNTY Every Wednesday, 1:30 p.m., 3rd Saturday Special Sale, 1:30 p.m.: Cattle, doats, sheep: Seminole Livestock Exchange, 5061 Hwy. 91, Donalsonville. Call Luke

**STEPHENS COUNTY** 

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, 1 p.m.: Cattle;

**SWINE** 

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 brucellosis-free herd and/or qualified pseudorabies-free herd; these operations must submit proof of those certifications. Buyers are urged to request proof of a negative brucellosis pseudorabies test prior to purchase. Feral hogs may not be offered for sale or advertised in the Market Bulletin.

Hampshire, Yorkshire, Berkshire, Duroc boars weaned to service age, validated herd #211. Performance info. Lawton Kemp Dudley 478-697-2521

Young pigs, male and female, and cut hogs. Tasha Gratham Villa Rica 770-313-0088



Also, bred cows, pairs. Ken McMichael Monticello 706-819-9295 Reg'd Hereford bull, grandson of THM Avatar; also Angus/Hereford cross bull. Ennis Ryals **Dublin** 478-278-0678 Reg'd polled Hereford bulls -

30m/o,BSE/DNA tested, top EPPs. AI sired by nhance, Fire-

ball, Veracious, Growth Fund.

rugged, pasture raised, gentle exc bloodlines & EPDs, small calves, exc growth, western genetics, Ga bred. Bobby Tennille 478-553-Brantley 8598

Reg'd polled Hereford bulls. bloodlines, excellent Good EPDs. Several to choose from 16 months to 2 1/2 years old. Prices start at: \$2500. Andy Hames Trion 706-639-6044

Reg. black Angus bull. 2years old. BSE tested. Docile, low birth weight genetics. Forge raised: \$2800. Lalla Tanner Monroe 770-267-7179 Registered black Lima bull for

sale: \$2500. D. Davis Commerce 770-616-6038

Registered Jersey heifer, halter broke, very gentle, excellent genetics, will make great nurse cow, family milk cow, ready to breed, Pictures, videos available: \$2000. Text. Anne Crawley Hope Hull, AL 251-564-1623

### sheep, chickens, small animals;

LAMAR COUNTY

5 p.m., farm miscellaneous, Ga. Lic. #4213; Buggy Town Auction Market, 1315 Highway 341 S, Barnesville. Call Krystal Burnett 678.972.4599

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

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

Spooner, 229.524.2305

2nd Saturdays, 5 p.m.: W&W

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

#### SUMTER COUNTY

Sumter County Stockyard, 505 Southerfield Road. Americus. Call Aaron and Anna White, 229.380.4901 or 864.704.2487

Reg'd black Angus bulls, 16-Registered Texas Longhorns for sale with calves. They all have been exposed to a registered bull with over 80inch TT horns. Price from \$800 to \$1400. Kevin Loyd Grantville 404-569-9020

> Santa Gertrudis bulls for sale excellent EPDs, semen tested, pasture conditioned. Leave message. Wavne Jernigan Sr. 531 Doyle RD Buena Vista 229-649-7724

Weaned dairy steers: \$500 per head. Most are 2 months old. Call to see what I have ready. Thomas Collins Byron 478-256-3213

Yearling registered Hereford

bulls available. Very well bred: \$3000 each. Hardy Edwards Winterville 706-714-9012

## **Bulletin Calendar**

#### April 17

Egg candling class Georgia Department of Agriculture Honey Ridge Agricenter 477 Honey Ridge Rd Guyton, Ga. 31312 229.386.3489 glenda.adams@agr.georgia.gov

#### April 18

Egg candling class Georgia Department of Agriculture Cherokee Veterans Park Recreation Center 7345 Cumming Hwy Canton, Ga. 30115 404.656.3627 bradley.brown@agr.georgia.gov

April 19-20 Valdosta Bluesberry Festival Unity Park Amphitheater Downtown Valdosta https://valdostabluesberry.com bdame@valdostacity.com

April 19-21 Annual Magnolia Spring Classic Magnolia Arabian Horse Association Georgia National Fairgrounds 401 Larry Walker Parkway Perry, Ga. 31069 478.955.3030 magnoliaaha.com

#### April 20

2024 Agri-Business Expo & Career Fair Rockdale County SWCD Rockdale Career Academy 1064 Culpepper Dr S.W. Conyers, Ga. 30094 478.387.3125 https://bit.ly/3wa8AFh

Atlanta Grillfest Union Hill Park 1590 Little Pine Trl Alpharetta, Ga. 30005 https://bit.ly/3J4Gpuv

#### April 20-21 Big Shanty Festival Downtown Kennesaw 2829 Cherokee St Kennesaw, Ga. 30144 770.423.1330 www.kennesawbusiness.org/bsf

April 24 Georgia Grown Networking Event Polaris Restaurant and Lounge Hyatt Regency Atlanta 265 Peachtree St, N.E. Atlanta, Ga. 30303

georgiagrown.com

404.656.3680 April 24-27 Georgia FFA State Convention Macon Coliseum 200 Coliseum Dr Macon, Ga. 31217 www.georgiaffa.org

#### **GOATS**

All goats offered for sale must be individually identified in compliance with the USDA Scrapie Program. For more information, please call the GDA Animal Health Division at 404.656.3667.

(2) 10 month old Nigerian dwarf goats. One white female w/black spots & one solid white wether with waddles: \$150/ea. Text or call. Richard Carrollton 770-301-5912

(9) Adult Pygmy goats, females & wethers, healthy; \$900/all. Jim Dawe Watkinsville 706-202-7531

100% Kiko buck, 6y/o, good breeder: \$800. (Ken) Hughes-James K. **Oxford** 770-596-2381

3 nannies, 1 billy, 6 baby goats for \$1500 as group. See hancock farm website for individuals and pricing. Glenn Hancock Jackson 678-436-6737

#### April 25 FFA Career & Trade Show Georgia FFA Association Macon Centreplex 200 Coliseum Dr Macon, Ga. 31217 770.786.6926 rjohnson@gaaged.org https://bit.ly/3OAViYR

Homeowner Landscape Basics Lunch and Learn Topic: Pruning Online workshop UGA Extension McDuffie County Register at tinyurl.com/landscapeLnL24 706.595.1815 Sarah.Cranston@uga.edu

April 26-27 Heart of Georgia Shoot Out PBR Touring Pro Division Jubilee Farms Georgia National Fairgrounds 401 Larry Walker Parkway Perry, Ga. 31069 pbr.com/events

#### April 27

Blue Ridge Trout and Outdoor Adventure Festival Downtown Blue Ridge 706.838.5259 https://blueridgetroutfest.com/

Georgia Iris Society Meeting Iris Goes to the Movies St. Bartholomew Episcopal Church 1790 LaVista Rd, N.E. Atlanta, Ga. 30329 770.414.4766

#### Daylilies Sale Cobb County Daylily Society Marietta First United Methodist Church 56 Whitlock Ave Marietta, Ga. 30064 770.265.2894 https://www.cobbdaylily.com/

Athens Area Master Gardener Annual Spring Plant Sale UGA Extension Athens-Clarke County 275 Cleveland Rd Bogart, Ga. 30622 706.613.3640 https://bit.ly/4alW30u Iney@uga.edu

#### May 2

Agribusiness Clay Shoot Georgia Agribusiness Council Meadows Clay Shoots 1064 Rumble Rd Forsyth, Ga. 31029 706.336.6830 www.ga-agribusiness.org

May 4 5th Annual Awesome Blossom Spring Fest Bethel United Methodist Church

245 Fairview Road Stockbridge, Ga. 30281 770.474.2570 www.awesomeblossomfestival.com

#### May 4-5 Gay Cotton Pickin' Fair Gay Family Farmstead 18830 Ga. Highway 85 Gay, Ga. 30218 706.538.6814 info@thecottonfair.org www.thecottonfair.com

May 6 Equine Exchange: Assessing Equine Welfare Online Webinar series Register at https://bit.ly/3Rjmjla 706.359.3233 rlstew2@uga.edu

#### May 6-12

ATL Burger Week Various metro Atlanta locations Instagram: atlburgerweek

#### May 7 Alfalfa in the South Workshop and Field Day UGA Tifton Campus Blackshank Pavilion 467 N. Carpenter Rd Tifton, Ga. 31793 229.386.3215 Email for registration jjtucker@uga.edu

May 8 Lunch and Learn: Beef Cuts Online workshop UGA Extension Pike County Email for registration 770.567.2010 brooklyne.wassel@uga.edu

#### May 10-12 Fiber Festival in the Valley Sautee Nacoochee Center 283 Highway 255 North Sautee Nacoochee, Ga. 30571 jthomas@snca.org 706.878.3300 ext. 305 www.snca.org

#### May 11 Hiawassee Highlands Wine Festival Georgia Mountain Fairgrounds 1311 Music Hall Rd Hiawassee, Ga. 30546 706.896.4191

http://bit.ly/3kUVFI6

Spring Plant Sale Master Gardeners UGA Extension Clayton County 1262 Government Ćircle Jonesboro, Ga. 30236 770.473.3945 clayton.extension@uga.edu

Saturday in the South Goat Sale Georgia National Fairgrounds 401 Larry Walker Parkway Perry, Ga. 31069 432,605,2431 Facebook: Saturday in the South

## May 15

Egg candling class Georgia Department of Agriculture Sumter County Extension Office 127 William Bowen Pointe Americus, Ga. 31719 229.386.3489 Glenda.Adams@agr.georgia.gov May 16 Container Gardens: Pretty and

Productive Online Workshop UGA Extension Gwinnett County Call/email for registration 678.377.4010 lisa.klein@gwinnettcounty.com

#### May 18 In Our Own Back Yards biennial Garden Walk Hall County Master Gardeners 770.535.8293 hallcountymggardenwalk.com

May 20 Eating Alone and Loving it Online Workshop UGA Extension Gwinnett County Call/email for registration 678.377.4010 inesb@uga.edu

#### May 23 Homeowner Landscape Basics Lunch and Learn Topic: Turf Online workshop UGA Extension McDuffie County Register at tinyurl.com/landscapeLnL24 706.595.1815 Sarah.Cranston@uga.edu

May 24-26 Georgia High School and Jr. High State Finals Rodeo

#### Georgia National Fairgrounds 401 Larry Walker Parkway Perry, Ga. 31069 850.566.4008 ghsra.com May 31-June 1

50th Georgia Blueberry Festival Goldwasser Park Downtown Alma 912.300.1180 www.georgiablueberryfestival.org GABlueberryFestival@gmail.com

June 1 Annual Daylily Show and Plant Sale Cobb County Daylily Society Marietta First United Methodist Church 56 Whitlock Ave Marietta, Ga. 30064 770.265.2894 https://www.cobbdaylily.com/

Honeybee Festival 100 Lafayette Square Lafayette, Ga. 30728 706.639.1500 www.myhoneybeefestival.com

#### June 4-6

Georgia Green Industry Association's Southeast Green Conference and Tradeshow Gas South Center 6400 Sugarloaf Parkway Duluth, Ga. 30097 706.443.1440 https://bit.ly/3J4IQ07

June 6 Equine Exchange: Ethical Horse Training Online Webinar series Register at https://bit.ly/3Rjmjla 706.359.3233

#### rlstew2@uga.edu June 13

Georgia Prescribed Fire Council North Georgia Meeting Chattahoochee Technical College 100 Campus Dr Jasper, Ga. 30143 706.894.1591 https://garxfire.com/

#### June 14-15

Spring Open Dairy Goat Show Georgia Dairy Goat Breeders Association FFA-FCCLA Ag Center Mort Ewing Arena 720 FFA FHA Camp Rd Covington, Ga 30014 706.816.9100 yrfgoats@gmail.com

#### June 22

Watermelon Days Festival Georgia Veterans Memorial State Park 2459-H Highway 280 West Cordele, Ga. 31015 229.273.1668 https://bit.ly/4cJJUnS

Have an event to put on our calendar? Contact Jay Jones at 404.656.3722 or jay.jones@agr. aeoraia.aov

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(2) gorgeous spotted jenny

mini donkeys, tame/gentle, great with farrier/vet, 5-6y/o.

Would prefer to stay together.

Shots UTD. Call for more info.

Debbie Tucker Blythe 706-

at 404.656.3713.

829-6116

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 2024

Joe is 10y/o black QH geld-ing. 14.2, UTD medical, trailridden, calm but has energy. Stands for mounting & farrier. Good feet, neck reins. Good ground manners: \$4900. C. Bryson **Bowman** 706-988-0085

Proven mini stallion, double reg, black, 31in, 9y/o, excellent conformation, very showy, handles well: \$3,000. Theresa Alford **Commerce** 770-815-2453

#### **STOCK DOGS**

Ads in this category are limited to breeds recognized by the American Kennel Club as herding and/or working dogs (in an agricultural context). Ads for breeds that do not meet those definitions will not be nublished.

Advertisers must submit a copy of a current Rabies Vaccination Certificate signed by a licensed veterinarian for dogs 12 weeks and older and include the ages of all dogs being advertised. Ads submitted without this will not information be published.

3/4 Great Pyrenees and 1/4 Anatolian shepherd puppies, 2males, 1female, 10 weeks, all shots, parents are on farm. been around farm animals, with children: \$100. good Nickolas Sosby Royston 706-680-0440

ABCA reg'd border collie fe-males, born 3/13, Scottish bloodlines, smooth coat, excellent markings, litter of 9, only 4 remain. Ready May 15. References available. Face-book Deborah's Border Collies Dawsonville 706-403-3323

ABCA registered Border Collie pups for sale. I have 2 males & 1 female left. Pups come from working parents. If interested, please call. Josh Cartersville 678-858-4217

Australia shepherd dog, 2 years old male, brown, black and white. Registered and UTD on shots. James Brown Ty Ty 229-272-2653

Great Pyrenees and Anatolian pups, 7 females, 3 males. All checked by vet, dewormed, both parents on farm, born on 1/17/24: \$300/ea. C. Durrence **Glennville** 615-999-9531

Great Pyrenees, Anatolian Shepherd mix puppies, DOB 01/11/2024, raised around chickens & cows: \$200/ea. Call or text. Ayers Carrollton 678-373-8722

Kangal guardian livestock puppies Registered. Also 100% South east Spanish Registered. goats predominately low country. Heritage breed turkeys, chickens all Forage Fed Rota-Grazing Peacock Hill tional Farm Stockbridge 770-860-8989

Livestock working dogs born on Feb. 1. Karakachan Pyrenees puppies. Rec'd first shots, wormed, raised with goats, chickens, turkeys and a mule. Males and females: \$300. C. Oglesby Watkinsville 706-540-7861

Registered Blue Heeler or Australian cattle dog puppies. Registry papers, wormed and first round of shots. Delivered free within 50miles of Lakeland. Delbert Zirkel Lakeland 229-482-5200

#### **BARN CATS**

Barn cats available: no charge. Calls only. Jeannette **Temple** 770-316-9480

#### months old. Very friendly. Can be registered with ADGA: \$250. Up to date on vaccina-tions. Mary Grimes **Carlton** 706-202-8784 Baby bottle fed Mini Nigerian goats. Parents registered. Ba-bies have been dehorned and vaccinated. They are super friendly, very healthy: \$300+. Tanya Moore Williamson 770-228-9752 Boer goats. 2 year-old black tri-color Dapple herd sire: \$725; 9 month-old traditional buck: \$250; Red buck: \$32 Call or text. Steve Gore Tallapoosa 470-241-0483 Fancy black and white billy born 1-7-24: \$125. Just don't want him breeding back to family. Photos available. Randy Teal Thomaston 706-647-6082

Goats South East Spanish 100% predominately low country, forage fed, rotational grazing. Also, heritage breed \$150; weanling bucks: \$200, turkeys and chickens Peacock some spotted, lots of color. Hill Farm Stockbridge 770-860-8989

American Nubian buck, 3 Kangal livestock guardian puppies Registered. Also 100% South east Spanish goats predominately low country. Heritage breed turkeys, chickens all Forage Fed Rotational Grazing Peacock Hil Farm **Stockbridge** 770-860-8989 herd sire with moor Kiko spots, 3y/o high parasite resis-

tance and proven breeder \$400 OBO. Also have a small billy less than a year old: \$150 OBO. Michael Luthersville 678-378-4822 Kikos wethers, buckling, does

and kids. Pictures available. W. Battle **Haddock** 478-250-3272

Nigerian Dwarf and 1/2 fainting 1/2 NG goats for sale. Lots of babies. George Vaughn Waco 404-989-0923

Pure bred Nubians, (4) 1y/o does possible bred: \$250; 1 bottle baby doe, 2 weeks old: Ken McMichael Monticello 706-819-9295

Reg'd Tennessee Fainting goats - buck, 1y/o, horned; wether, 1y/o, polled; male/female twins, born 1/22/24 males: \$300/ea; females \$500/ea. Email for more info Bethel bethelflahardy@yahoo.com Savanna percentage & ful blood doelings & bucklings.

75% Savanna/Kiko Savanna/Boer: \$350 for bucklings, \$400 for doelings. Call or text. Can send pictures. Emma

#### SHEEP

100% Katahdin rams. Onevear-old and 2-year-old. John Cusick Morganton 706-994-1203

Full-blooded Katahdin lambs for sale: \$250. Dale Bennet Calhoun 678-986-7302

Registered Katahdin ram. 1 year old. Red. Produces white black, red. Long backed, Good temperament, breeder. Near Hartwell. Patrea Pabst Dewy Rose 404-217-8471

St. Croix rams for sale, pure bred and registered. Rachel Estes Forsyth 770-468-9767 Advertisers in the Equine cate-Flahardy Kingston gory must submit a current negative Coggins test for each equine advertised. This in-

cludes horses, ponies and donkeys. Buyers are urged to re-

Hartwell 706-391-7267

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#### **BARN CATS**



Barn cats available for rodent control (shelter rescues). Neutered, vaccinated, delivered to you, at no cost. Linda **Watkinsville** Call or text. 706-343-8173 barncatsgeorgia@gmail.com

Floyd Felines has barn cats in NW GA at no cost to you. Cats are neutered/vaccinated. Must provide daily food, water. Email/text. Floyd Felines, Angie **Rome** spayfloydfelines@gmail.com 706-512-7004

#### RABBITS

Flemish Giant rabbits for sale. They are sandy in color. Born on 11/22/23: \$75 each; Standard Rex rabbits born on 1/21/24: \$30 each. Ask for Bill. S&B Farms **Mitchell** 706-466-4590

Flemish giants for sale. Lee Eason **Hogansville** 706-594-6916

I have 10 baby rabbits that need homes. They are New Zealand crossed with Flemish: \$30 each. Anthony Pless **Elberton** 678-283-9241

Rabbits for sale. Rex and Marten crosses. Assorted colors, males and females: \$20 for females, \$15 for males. Marshall Atkins **Cartersville** 770-773-5708

Silver Fox rabbits: \$30.00 each; American Blue rabbits: \$40.00 each. Call. Gerry **Piedmont, AL** 256-447-7941

**POULTRY/FOWL** Any person engaged in buying live poultry of any kind for resale, or in selling live poultry of any kind bought for resale, must be licensed by the GDA. Possessing such a license does not by itself disqualify an individual from advertising poultry in the Market Bulletin. Mallard ducks must be at least three generations from the wild before they can be advertised in the Market Bulletin. Advertisers must include this information in notices submitted for publication. Out-of-state poultry must have a negative Avian Influenza test and negative pullorum test within 21 days of entering Georgia. For more information, call the GDA Livestock Poultry and Division.

404.656.3665. (11) 2023 peacock; \$100/ea or \$950/all. Call only, no text. Harry Flowery Branch 770-855-5124

(5) Wyandotte roosters, 7m/o: \$13/ea. Joyce **Dahlonega** 678-725-2137

1 year old roosters, hens and guinea hens for sale: \$10 each. All hens laying eggs. Donald Ledford **Demorest** 706-244-0305

3 white pea hens, 1 year old, Red Star laying hens. Eggs for eating. Gerald Hayes **Flowery Branch** 470-208-0309

Assorted chickens – baby to adult; ducks, guineas, rabbits, goats, sheep also. Sherry Amerson-White **Augusta** blackberrycreekminifarm@gmail.com 706-833-5535

Baby chicks for sale: \$4/ea. Call for details. Levi Milstead Rome 706-291-9915

Baby chicks. Pure Silver Phoenix: \$8 each; Farm yard mix of Ameraucana hens with Ameraucana rooster or Faverolle rooster: \$4 each. Jill Beverly **Talbotton** 706-577-3680

Barnyard mix chicks, Appleyard ducklings and fertilized duck eggs and chicken eggs. Maurice Muhammad **Maxeys** 706-424-1777

Blue Australorp roosters, 13m/o, 6m/o, & 5m/o: \$20 & \$25 each. Larry B. **Comer** 706-614-9079

Blue Slate, Bourbon Red, Narragansett turkey poults/ hatching eggs. Sexed started chicks, eggs - Black Australorp, Delaware, Olive Egger, Barred Rock, Welsummer, New Hampshire, RIR. Bourbon Red toms. Daniel **LaGrange** 678-687-6746

Bourbon Red and Narragansett turkeys, 8-9m/o. Males and females. They will start to breed in spring. Edward Sezonov **Snellville** 770-361-1871 Coturnix Quail. Various ages and colors available: \$1 per week of age. Text. Hood &

Holler Homestead **Sparks** 229-733-5224 Guinea chicks (keets): \$5 each. Also, Black Australorp mix chicks: \$3 each. Straight runs. Call or text. M. Saponari **Elberton** 706-498-5277

Laying hens, French Black Copper Marans and Buff Orpingtons. Roosters (1) Copper Maran, (1) Dominecker, (1) Speckled Sussex. All \$25 ea.-George Vaughn **Waco** 404-989-0923.

Mille Fleur Cochin bantams, Black Copper Marans, Royal palm & BR turkey poults; also Nurture Right 360 incubator, used twice: \$150. B. Eubanks **Sandersville** 478 456 6606

Modern game Bantams, lots of colors, pairs or trios. Amber Leary **Stockbridge** 404-438-5304

Old English Bantams, 2 hens and 3 roosters. Hens are laying: \$60 for all. Phillip Bryant **Murrayville** 770-535-1433

Pigeons - white rollers, turner rollers, colored rollers & white homers: \$22/pair. Wyatt Johnson **Midville** 478-494-3240

Pure white leghorn & pure Rhode island red chick's from just hatched to 4w/o, hatching weekly: \$4 & up. Pick up on Fridays & Saturdays only. Call/text. Cole Johnson Jasper 770-894-1244

Rhode Island Reds & BBS (Blue, Black, Splash) Ameraucana Chickens for sale. Fertilized Eggs also available. Philip Register **Cumming** 770-377-3117

RIR 3 hens, rooster. Traditional crimson color ready to lay this summer, high-egg producers: \$140; Young Splash Polish rooster looks like a rock star: \$25. Wee Woods Farm **Danielsville** 706-254-7717 Sebastopol geese for sale.

Straight run: \$175. White, Grey, Buff. Pickup only. Text or call. Bobbie Davidson Milledgeville 478-443-1112

Silver Laced Wyandottes pullets and chicks, hatched out on Feb 14<sup>th</sup> & March 12<sup>th</sup> – pullets: \$25/ea; chicks: \$8/ea. Text/video/call. Summer Hunt **Thomson** 706-825-1455

White doves, any age. Release for weddings, funerals & events. Also good for eating. Also have cages, traps and displays. Call for details. Clifford Cabe **Toccoa** 706-244-2799

White ring-neck doves for sale. I have a few mated pairs: \$50 a pair; single birds: \$20 each. No calls after 9 p.m. J.D. Jackson **Roberta** 478-731-0135



**CATTLE SUPPLIES** 

Hanging bull/weather proof plastic barrel mineral/salt feeder: \$35; Stall metal hay feeder: \$35; Oak head catch gate: \$50; Vintage free-standing bathtub: \$75, and alcove bathtub: \$50. Ronald Monroe Alpharetta 404-432-8127



Concrete J bunks, water troughs and Interlocking blocks available. Kyle Potts Jefferson 706-367-5824 Older Priefert style manual head gate: \$250; Small bale three point hitch hay spear: \$75. Alan Kenniston Newnan 770-251-3371

#### TACK AND SUPPLIES

Australian stock saddle. 17inch seat. Excellent, like new condition: \$275. Joyce Bridges **Jackson** 404-931-5500

#### DOG SUPPLIES

(2) 4x6 chain link cages with doors: \$75 each. Michael Knox **Douglasville** 770-403-1560

#### POULTRY SUPPLIES

De-caker/spreader, Lewis Bros #4. Spinners, extra slats, good shape, all hydraulic, sheltered: \$7900. Eddie **Com**er 706-247-5267

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## FOCUS ON FOOD: Be a team player in your business and connect with others

By Diana Sutherland For Georgia Tech, GaMEP



Me, writing an article? I could rattle off a variety of reasons. I'm not cut out for this. Let's start with the fact that whatever I say isn't going to be groundbreaking and journalism? Instead of saying no, I dove right in. I'm here to connect and encourage fellow Ag enthusiasts.

When people ask about my consulting business, plain.stated, LLC. I simply say I'm a connector in the

Ag industry. Agriculture has been interwoven throughout my entire life. Helping the adventurous souls in this industry push ahead gives me true satisfaction. Drawing from my roots, 'Connect' is the magic word for today. Occasionally, you may notice 'cooperate' and 'collaborate' being used interchangeably. As my dad would say, "You might learn something." These words revolve around the same idea of sticking together and lifting each other up.

When it comes to life, work and Ag, two things I know are true. One, I am not an expert on all subjects, and two, I cannot reach my goals alone. These are hard truths for a self-identified control freak. This lesson wasn't easy, as I had to experience the 'try-and-do-itall-yourself" approach before recognizing my need for others.

My small business needs are based on my mix of time, energy, and money. I can't establish every connection at once, but I've got my eye on the big picture and know what's first in the batting order. Flexibility is essential since things seldom go exactly as planned. In researching and establishing connections, it's important to weigh my business needs against what's 'on fire.' Do I need to connect with experts in marketing, sales, networking, education, finance, operations, mentorship, accountability, or other areas on the ever-expanding list of growth and improvements?

Additionally, on what principles will I not compromise? I call those my non-negotiables. Do I need a challenger? Can I handle 'real talk'? Do I need a sounding board? What does a successful connection look like? What responsibilities will



The first installment of the "Farming is a Team Sport" workshop series was held at the Georgia Grown Innovation Center in March. The workshop provided farmers the opportunity to expand their expertise and knowledge on topics like, moving from farm to market, building farm alliances and how to best utilize resources from seed to shelf. Learn more online at ggicmetter.com. (Special Photo/GGIC)

I pry out of my hands, so that my time is better spent? These are tough but necessary questions.

I've got a vision, but marketing, branding, and making things look pretty are not my specialty. So, I team up with folks who understand me and my company and can sprinkle fairy dust on my image. Organization and administration could eat up all my time, but that's not where I shine. Instead, I find pros who show me smarter ways to work. I tend to overthink (or ruminate in the Ag dictionary), which means I've got to stay connected with others to keep me grounded. Being my own worst critic, I lean heavily on my industry pals for that essential reality check and support when I stumble.

And because no good story is complete without a quote or two, here's a double dose for you. The actor Rob Lowe once said, "I think it was Alfred Hitchcock who said 90 percent of successful movie-making is in the casting. The same is true in life. Who you are exposed to, who you choose to surround yourself with is a unique variable in all of our experience and is hugely important in making us who we are." And straight from a Sunday sermon: "If I'm doing everything equally, I can't do anything intentionally."

What's stopping you? It's time to be deliberate. Build new connections or rekindle old ones. Your world, especially your business, only stands to gain when you join, bind, associate, or link with others.

Diana Sutherland has over 30 years of experience working in the agriculture sector. She helps Ag businesses get the most out of their marketing sales and retail operations through workshops, consulting and connecting people. For more information, visit www.plainstated.com.

## Kel-Mac Saddle Club announces donations, show dates

#### **Staff Reports**

Kel-Mac Saddle Club of Morgan County recently announced donations to equine organizations and non-profit organizations as part of the club's annual fundraising efforts.

Kel-Mac was founded in 1976 and is the oldest saddle club in Georgia. The club offers horse enthusiasts an opportunity to sharpen their skills for competing in the American Quarter Horse Association, Georgia 4-H, Ponies of the Americas, Arabian and other purebred shows.

The club officials announced they had awarded \$4,000 to local organizations this year. During the past 48 years, Kel-Mac has raised more than \$167,500 for local charitable causes. Recipients include:

- The Georgia Equine Rescue League
- ReDux Equine Rescue, Colbert
- Sweet Olive Rescue, Winterville
- The Barbara Reilly Cummings Scholarship Fund, DeKalb County, Illinois
- The Morgan County Sherriff's Empty Stocking Fund, Madison
- · Equestrian facilities of state and county parks

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The Kel-Mac Saddle Club of Morgan County offers classes to sharpen equine riding skills for competition including 4-H, AQHA, POP, Arabian and other breeds. The club will hold seasonal shows on May 18, Sept. 7, and Oct. 5 at the Morgan County Agricultural Center in Madison. (Special Photo/Kel-Mac Saddle Club)

Four volunteer-run horse shows and the club's sponsors May 18, Sept. 7, and Oct. 5 at the Morgan County Agricul- to accept and edit submitted articles. Submissions can be raise all contributions. Upcoming shows for this year are tural Center, 2380 Athens Hwy, Madison, Ga. 30650. The sent to marketbulletin@agr.georgia.gov.

Tyler Harper, Commissioner

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shows are open to equestrians of all ages and experience levels.

Kel-Mac also holds trail rides, camping trips, meetings and special events throughout the year.

The club also organizes classes, which include hunter, western, gaited, trail obstacles, ranch riding, ranch reining, dressage on the rail, halter/showmanship, "small fry" and more.

Look for the show sheet on our website, Facebook, and flyers in feed stores.

Kel-Mac will hold a Meet & Greet trail ride at 10 a.m. Saturday, Apr. 27, on the easy and beautiful trails at Heritage Park, 2543 Athens Hwy (441), Watkinsville. After the ride, the club will provide lunch. Contact Sharon Wood at bullet2525@aol. com to reserve your lunch and for more details about this fun event.

For more info, go to the Kel-Mac Facebook page or the Kel-Mac website, kel-mac.com. For specific show information, contact Susie Cottongim at 706-342-3775.

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## MERCER MEDICAL: Celebrate National Donate Life Month and sign up as a donor

By Rebecca Ashton Taylor Second-year MD student Mercer University School of Medicine



Every April, National Donate Life Month is celebrated to bring awareness of the need for organ and tissue donors and to honor those who have selflessly donated their organs so that others receive a second chance at life. Many individuals have the "Organ Donor"

designation on their driver's license, but what does it mean to be an organ donor and why should

you consider becoming one? What is Organ Donation?

Organ donation is the process of surgically removing organs to be transplanted into another individual who needs a functioning organ. Organs that can be donated include kidneys, heart, lungs, pancreas, and liver while tissues that can be donated include bone, tendons, ligaments, corneas, skin, and heart valves. Most organ donations are from deceased donors and take place only after all efforts to save an individual's life have been made, multiple tests confirm the absence of brain activity, and death has been declared by doctors. However, there are a few organs, be donated by a living donor.

by the U.S. Health Resources and Ser-

vices Administration, ensuring an ethical and fair manner in which organs are distributed to those in need based on blood type, severity of illness, tissue type, and donor distance. Organ procurement organizations, such as LifeLink in Georgia, are dedicated to helping support and educate individuals and families through the process of organ donation.

People of all ages and medical histories can be considered potential organ donors, as choices about what organs can be

donated are made at the time of death. Organ donation does not affect the quality of care that you receive or the extent of life-saving measures that are taken. There is no cost associated with becoming an organ donor, and organ donation does not affect funeral plans for any individual, even viewings, as the donor is treated with the utmost care and respect.

#### Why be an organ donor?

In the United States, over 100,000 people are currently on the national transplant waiting list. On average, 16 people die each day waiting for their organ transplant. In 2023 alone, over 23,000 transplants helped change the quality of



such as a kidney or part of a liver, that can Observed in April each year, National Donate Life Month encourages Americans to register as organ, eye, and tissue donors and honors those who have saved lives through the gift of donation. According to Donate Life America, Organ donation is highly regulated donating your organs can save up to 8 lives. (Special Photo/Life Link Foundation)

life of other Americans. After an individual has passed away, their organs may no longer serve a purpose for themselves but they can serve a purpose for others who desperately need them. According to Donate Life America, donating your organs can save up to 8 lives. Tissue donations can help up to 75 people. For example, cornea donation can give two people their vision back.

Organ donation can mean a new liver to allow a grandpar-

ent more time with their grandkids or a heart for an infant whose own heart didn't work properly. This selfless action is a testament to the belief that even in our final moments, we can still bring hope and a new beginning to others. How can you become an organ donor?

Becoming an organ donor is easy. You can complete any of these processes to register yourself:

1. Register online: Individuals can register to be an organ donor online through the Donate Life Georgia website at donatelifegeorgia.org or the LifeLink website at lifelinkfoundation.org.

- 2. Driver's License or ID: When applying for or renewing a driver's license or ID at the Georgia Department of Driver Services, there is an option within the forms that allows you to designate yourself as an organ donor.
- Advance Directive: In an advance directive, an official document detailing wishes for medical treatment, individuals can specify their wishes for organ donation.

It is important to speak with your family about your decision and to make sure they are aware of your desire to be a donor. You may receive an organ donor card in the mail after registering. It is important to keep this card with you so that if you don't have a driver's license or ID, healthcare professionals will be aware of your wishes. If an individual does not specify that they wish to be an organ donor but their family is aware of their wishes, the family can decide to donate their organs after the individual is declared deceased by doctors.

Organ donation is an incredible gift that binds us together as a community by showing immeasurable compassion that leaves an impact long after we are gone. It profoundly changes not only an individual's quality of life but the lives of their families and communities as well.

For those interested, more information can be found at donatelifegeorgia.org or lifelinkfoundation.org.

## **GEORGIA COOKING:** Some of our favorite Vidalia® Onion recipes

Vidalia® Onions will be arriving at your local store this week, so in this issue, we are providing some excellent and sturdy sweet onion recipes. Our friends at the Vidalia Convention and Visitors Bureau offered these dishes to try:

#### **Steak and Vidalia sweet** onion salad

#### Ingredients

1 lb. flank steak 1 ¼ tsp salt, divided

1/4 tsp ground black pepper, divided



(Special Photo/Suzanne Thiele)

4 cups leaf lettuce torn into bite-size pieces 1 medium Vidalia® Onion, thinly sliced 1 cup sweet red bell pepper, thinly sliced

1/4 cup olive oil 3 Tbsps lime juice

1/4 cup fresh dill, chopped

#### Instructions

Preheat stove broiler. Season steak with 1/4 teaspoon salt and 1/8 teaspoon ground black pepper. Broil 1 to 2 inches from heat until desired doneness (3 to 4 minutes per side for medium rare.) Cut into thin slices; cool slightly. \*

#### The absolute best fried Vidalia<sup>®</sup> onion rings

#### Ingredients

Several large-sized Vidalia® Onions 1 cup all-purpose flour

- 1 tsp salt
- 11/2 tsp baking powder
- 1 egg 34 cup milk
- 1 Tbsp salad oil

#### Vidalia's favorite onion dip

#### Ingredients

3 cups chopped Vidalia® Onions 3 cups shredded Swiss cheese 21/2 cups mayonnaise pinch garlic salt

Place in large salad bowl with lettuce, onion slices, cucumber and sliced red bell pepper; set aside. Combine olive oil, lime juice, dill and remaining 1 teaspoon salt and 1/8 teaspoon black pepper; pour over salad; serve immediately.

Makes 4 to 6 servings.

\* Grilling flank steak is another option. Keep in mind flank is a lean beef cut and does not take long using medium flame. For air fryers, follow manufacturer's recommendations

#### Instructions

Slice large Vidalia® Onions into rings. In one bowl, mix together flour, salt and baking powder. In another bowl, beat 1 egg yolk then stir in milk and salad oil. Combine contents of both bowls and stir until smooth.

In a third bowl, beat the egg white until soft peaks form then fold in contents of the other bowl, stirring until smooth. Dip onion rings into batter and deep fry until golden brown.

This recipe may be doubled or tripled in order to satisfy your hunger desire for these delicious fried Vidalia® Onion rings.

#### Instructions

Mix all ingredients and pour into greased one and a half-quart baking dish. Bake at 350 degrees for 35-45 minutes until lightly brown. Serve with corn chips.

Recipes courtesv of the Vidalia Convention and Visitors Bureau.



**Mushrooms Strawberries** Onions **Turnips** 

Vidalia



(Special Photo/GDA)

## **2024 Advertising Deadlines**

Publication date:	Ad due date:	2023 Alicia Bermuda hay, 4x5 net wrapped rolls, RFQ rang-
May 1, 2024	April 19, 2024	ing from 83-138, 340 bales available: \$55-75/bale, accord-
May 15, 2024	May 3, 2024	ing to quality. Danny Var- nadore <b>Alma</b> 912-282-5330
May 29, 2024	May 17, 2024	2023 Alicia hay, fertilized, horse quality: \$8 per square bale. Jim Grant <b>Elko</b> 478-217-
June 12, 2024	May 31, 2024	0626
June 26, 2024	June 14, 2024	2023 Bermuda hay, horse quality, fertilized, weed-free, rain-free, barn-stored. 4x5
July 10, 2024	June 28, 2024	rolls: \$90; square bales: \$10. James Vinson <b>Rutledge</b> 478-
July 24, 2024	July 12, 2024	360-3931 2023 Bermuda hay. 2000+
Aug. 7, 2024	July 26, 2024	square bales, fertilized, weed- and rain-free: \$7 per bale. Cur-
Aug. 21, 2024	Aug. 9, 2024	tis Durden <b>Lyons</b> 912-245- 1081
Sept. 4, 2024	Aug. 23, 2024	2023 coastal Bermuda Bahia mix, 4x5 rolls, fertilized &
Sept. 18, 2024	Sept. 6, 2024	limed, triple net-wrapped: \$55/roll, delivery available, 3 bale minimum. Jim Rogers
Oct. 2, 2024	Sept. 20, 2024	Cochran 386-416-9901
Oct. 16, 2024	Oct. 4, 2024	2023 Coastal bermuda hay, stored in barn, approx 50-70 bales: \$5/bale, you pick up.
Oct. 30, 2024	Oct. 18, 2024	Winder 706-658-6058
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Nov. 27, 2024	Nov. 15, 2024	Mulch hay square bales: \$3.50 per bale Glen Edmonds <b>Mount</b> <b>Airy</b> 706-599-3673
Dec. 11, 2024	Nov. 29, 2024	2023 Fescue/Bermuda mix
Dec. 25, 2024	Dec. 13, 2024	4x5 rolls horse hay in barn. Delivery available for a fee. Tim Garmon <b>Jefferson</b> 706-367-
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## **Spring Vegetable Planting Chart**

Vegetable	Days to Maturity	Planting Dates	Seeds/ Plants per 100 ft.	Spacing Rows per plants	Depth to Plant
Asparagus	2nd year	Jan. 15-Mar. 15	50 roots	36" x 18"-24"	6"
Beans, bush	50-60	Mar. 15-May 1	½ pound	36" x 2"-4"	1"-1 ½"
pole	65-75	Mar. 15-May 10	½ pound	36" x 4"-12"	1"-1 ½"
lima	65-75	Mar. 15-June 1	½ pound	36" x 3"-4" 36" x 6"-8"	1"-1 ½"
pole lima	80-85	Mar. 15-June 1	½ pound		1"-1 ½"
Beets	55-65	Feb. 15-April 1	1 ounce	18"-36" x 2"	1/2"
Broccoli	60-80	Feb. 15-March 15	100 plants	36" x 12"	
Butterpea	70	April 1-May 1	½ pound	36" x 3"-4"	1"-1 ½"
Cabbage	70-120	Jan. 15-Mar. 15	100 plants	36" x 12"	
Cantaloupe	80-90	Mar. 20-June 20	1 ounce	60" x 36"	1"
Carrot	70-95	Jan. 15-March 20	½ ounce	18-36" x 2"-3"	1/4"
Cauliflower	60-75	Mar. 1-April 1	100 plants	36″ x 12″	
Collards	55-85	Feb. 1-March 15	<sup>1</sup> ⁄ <sub>2</sub> ounce	36" x 8"-16"	1/2"
Corn, yellow	65-90	Mar. 15-June 1	<sup>72</sup> ounce ¼ pound	36" x 12"-18"	<sup>72</sup> 1"-1 ½"
white	65-90	Mar. 15-June 1 Mar. 15-June 1	½ pound ¼ pound	36" x 12"-18"	1"-1½"
bi-color	65-90	Mar. 15-June 1	1/4 pound	36" x 12"-18"	1"-1 ½"
Cucumber:					
slicing	50-65	April 1-May 15	1 ounce	60" x 12"	1/2''-3/4''
pickling	50-65	April 1-May 15	1 ounce	60" x 12"	$\frac{1}{2}'' - \frac{3}{4}''$
gynoecious	50-65	April 1-May 15	1 ounce	60" x 12"	1/2"-3/4"
Eggplant	75-90	April 1-May 15	50 plants	36" x 24"	
Kale	50-70	Feb. 1-Mar. 10	½ ounce	36" x 8"-16"	1/2"
Lettuce	60-85	Jan. 15-Mar. 1	¼ ounce	18"-36" x 8-12"	1⁄8″
Mustard	40-50	Jan. 15-April 1	½ ounce	18"-36" x 2"	1/2"
Okra	55-65	April 1-June 1	1 ounce	36" x 12"	1″
Onion, green	60-90	Jan. 1-Mar. 15	300 plants	18"-36" x 3"	
dry bulb	100-120	Jan. 1-Mar. 15	300 plants	18"-36" x 3"-4"	
Peas:					
garden (English)	60-70	Jan. 15-Feb. 15	1 pound	36" x 2"	1"-2"
edible pod	60-70	Jan. 15-Feb. 15	1 pound	36" x 2"	1"-2"
Southern	60-70	April-Aug. 10	½ pound	36" x 3"-4"	1"-2"
Peppers, bell	65-80	April 1-June 1	50 plants	36" x 24"	
hot	65-95	April 1-June 1	50 plants	36" x 24"	
hot-sweet		April 1-June 1	50 plants	36" x 24"	
Potatoes, Irish	70-90	Jan.15-Mar. 1	12 pounds	36" x 12"	4"-5"
Sweet	90-120	April 15-June 15	100 plants	36" x 12"	
Pumpkin, tiny	85-120		1 ounce	72" x 48"	1" 1"
pie type small	85-120 85-120	May 15-July 1 (Depending on	1 ounce 1 ounce	72″ x 48″ 72″ x 48″	1″ 1″
large	85-120	maturity date)	1 ounce	72″ x 48″	1″
giant	85-120		1 ounce	72" x 48"	1″
Radish	25-30	Jan. 15-April 1	1 ounce	24" x 1"	1/2"
Spinach	40-45	Jan. 15-Mar. 15	1 ounce	18"-36" x 2"	1/2"-3/4"
Squash:					
summer	40-55	April 1-May 15	½ ounce	36″ x 24″	1"-2"
(zuchini) winter	85-120	April 1 July 1	½ ounce	60" x 36"	1"-2"
		April 1-July 1			<u> </u>
Tomato: cherry grape	70-90 70-90	Mar. 25-May 1 Mar. 25-May 1	50 plants 50 plants	48″ x 24″ 48″ x 24″	
determinate	70-90	Mar. 25-May 1	50 plants	48″ x 24″	
indeterminate	70-90	Mar. 25-May 1	50 plants	48" x 24"	
Turnip	40-60	Jan. 15-April 1	½ ounce	18"-36" x 2"	1/2"
Watermelon: lg.	80-90	Mar. 20-May 1	1 ounce	72" x 36-48"	1"-2"
round	80-90	Mar. 20-May 1	1 ounce	72″ x 36-48″	
small	80-90	Mar. 20-May 1	1 ounce	72″ x 36-48″	

#### PLANTS, TREES AND FLOWERS

Advertisements selling officially protected plants must include a permit to sell such plants. Ads submitted without this permit will not be published. For information on the sale or shipment of protected plants, visit www.fws.org/Endangered/permits/index.html or call the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 404.679.7097. For questions about ginseng, visi https://www.fws.gov/Endangered/permits/index.html call the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 404.679.7097.

Variegated liriope & mondo grass, 1gal pots: \$2/each; nandina, 1gal pots: \$5/ea; Ginkgo trees, 1gal pots: \$10/each. K. Patman **Athens** 706-549-4487

Water iris pond plants for sale, White Lady variety, large quantity available: \$10/3 clumps, special pricing 20 or more. Sandra **Conyers** 770-851-5184

#### SEEDS

Advertisements selling seeds must include a current state laboratory report (fewer than nine months old) for purity, noxious weeks and germination for each seed lot advertised. Ads submitted without this information will not be published. For more information regarding certified seed, call the GDA Seed Division, 229.386.3557.

2023 Red or Lime with Blush Zinnia 50+ seeds, \$3 (cash) Self Addressed Stamped Envelope, specify color please. D. Miltimore 1766 Pleasant Hill Rd. NE, **Ranger**, GA 30734

Cherokee purple tomato seed. Lamar **Clayton** 706-490-9265

Four o'clocks (all colors), Rose of Sharon, sunflowers: \$3 per tablespoon plus SASE. M. Pursley 253 Ryan Rd **Winder** Ga. 30680 678-979-0057

Luffa seeds 15/\$1; Cleome seeds - white, pink, purple or a mix of all: 100/\$1. Send SASE to V. Cox 6504 Retreat CT, **Appling**, GA 30802

Mexican sunflower, cleome, 4 o'clock, yellow marigold, touch-me-not, tiger lily, orange marigold, money plant: \$2/TSP w/large SASE. B. L. Savage, 3017 Atkins Dr., **Gainesville** 30507

Old-timey Hot Cow Horn, Red Peter pepper seed, Rutger and German pink tomato seed: \$2/pack with SASE. Amory Hall 130 Ellison St **Maysville** GA 30558 470-201-9105

#### TIMBER

Timber must be individually owned and produced by the advertiser on his or her personal property. No companies or businesses are permitted to advertise timberland in this Category. Timberland advertised must be at least one acre. Timber wanted ads will not be published.

Several large Oak trees, already cut down, some cut smaller pieces, some need cutting to handle: free. Text/call. **Clarkesville** 706-239-3199

Walnut saw logs available to be cut to length. Call for details. Bobby Robinson Adairsville 678-767-8731

#### FIREWOOD

Firewood must be cut from the advertiser's personal property. Ads for firewood must use the cord when specifying the amount of firewood for sale.

Mixed seasoned split & green hardwood firewood available: price based on quantity. AA Farms **Hartwell** 706-376-8968 Seasoned Hickory firewood. Terry Armistead **Statham** 706-

#### FARMERS MARKETS

817-0103

New farmers market coming to North Brookhaven, one of the wealthiest communities in Atlanta – vendor spaces available. Located in front of established restaurants. Call for details. www.oldfivepoints.com Atlanta 404-936-1818

Vendors sought for a **Social Circle** Farmers Market to operate this spring/summer/fall for locally grown produce, honey, flowers, baked goods and more. Call 770-464-1866 amckibben@socialcirclega.gov

#### THINGS TO EAT

Advertisers producing and offering for sale shell eggs at retail to the end consumer must obtain an egg candling certificate from the Georgia Department of Agriculture. The department offers training in egg candling. Email candling@agr.georgia.gov or call 404.656.3627 for more information.

2023 Desirable pecans, ready to eat: \$12/pound plus postage. Russell Eaton **Stockbridge** 770-506-2727

2023 Pecans for sale shelled and cleaned, ready for freezer: \$11.00/lb; 2023 Black walnuts for sale, ready for freezer: \$20.00/quart. Peggy **Clarkesville** 706-768-8417

2023 shelled Elliott pecans, ready to eat-bake-freeze-enjoy: \$12/lb. +shipping. Call/text Mark Parker 229-726-4238 Tressie Parker 229-400-3304 **Moultrie** Facebook: Parker Pecans

2023 shelled pecans ready to eat: \$12/bag; or shelled walnuts: \$15/bag. Plus shipping. Charles Sawyer 2057 Toccoa HWY **Mount Airy** GA 30563 706-768-4776

Akaushi (Wagu) beef, half or whole, on feed for months, custom cut for you: \$5/lb hanging weight, plus butcher fee. Roy Strickland **Villa Rica** 404-975-8200

Locally-grown beef, USDA inspected, half/whole available, custom cuts: \$5.25/lb hanging weight. We offer ground beef, sausage, steaks, jerky & slaughter your cattle. Potts Family Meats **Jefferson** 706-367-5823

Pecans, not shelled, in 5lb bags: \$7/bag. No shipping. J. Cook **Dawsonville** 706-429-2898

Water-ground meal, whole wheat flour & grits: \$5/5lbs + postage. Will grind your grain. Mike Buckner **Junction City** GA 706-269-3630

#### ODDITIES

Gourds for sale. New crop, all sizes. Jimmy McDonald **Sylvester** 229-777-0444

Martin gourds for sale. Larry Heard **Chula** 229-402-0375

Visit our farm or call for gourds. The Gourd Pile, 874 Morrison Road, **Barney** 229-775-2123

Adapted from the University of Georgia Cooperative Extension Service Adairsville 678-767-8731

#### HANDICRAFTS AND SUPPLIES

4-Leaf clovers are lucky. Real 4-Leaf clovers laminated with decorations added. Beautiful gifts. Good price. Please call before 8pm. Please leave message. Chris **Loganville** 770-466-2173

All types of chair caning, refinishing & repairs. James Lewis **Perry** 478-987-4243 or 478-550-5122

Beautify emerald green emu eggs. Cleaned out and empty. Can be used for decorating, painting or carving. Jackie Paul **Oxford** 770-597-1510

Birdhouse & feeder kits. Great for craft or hobby. Assemble and give as gift. 29-83 pieces, Cypress wood, only glue required: \$13.95-\$14.95. Alan Johnston **Rutledge** 706-474-0379 www.wood-r-us.com

Chair caning in Tiger. Please call for estimate. Donald Becker **Rabun County** 770-807-9783

Chair/rocker caning of all kinds. Wicker/rattan repair. Over 40 years of experience. Also antique furniture for sale, call for current inventory. Duke Dufresne **Statham** 770-725-2554 or (cell) 706-340-5523

Memory Bears made out of your loved ones clothing. Call for more info. Sherry McDaniel **Buford** 770-366-1306

Nelco sewing machine, in good condition: \$250. Terry Edins **Riverdale** 770-210-0475

#### **FARM ANTIQUES**

Black wash pot, 15gal, three bottom feet, two side hooks, used as flower pot w/two drain near bottom: \$100. Bob Pollard **Kennesaw** 770-427-1201

Buzz saw for yard art or a fixer upper. Needs a little welding on the stand: \$115. Larry Ansley **Watkinsville** 706-255-7174 Cole Planter, distributed, turning plow and two plow stocks. Mule drawn equipment. Jerry Casey **Fairmount** 

770-773-6384 Corn shellers; grinders; crosscut saws; plow stocks; old farm tools; post striking anvil; wood toolboxes; vises, furniture; farmhouse sinks; cauldrons; tractor boom/seats; scythes; fishing equipment;

post hole diggers. E Blairsville 706-897-0106

Fly wheel engines – 3hp Witte; 3hp Fairbanks & 1.5hp Fairbank Headless. W. C. Quarels **Dawsonville** 706-344-7595

Great collection of antiques including farm tools, tractor implements, glassware, furniture and more. Downsizing, everything must go. TH Williams **Madison** 404-291-1129

Green white vintage Sheffield wood/electric stove in good condition. Also, white Universal wood/electric stove in fair condition. Jane Saunders **Bethlehem** 770-601-1821

I have flat irons: \$12; handturned meat grinders: \$15; old soda bottles, early 1900-1960s: \$2 and up; also old farm tools. Jackie Copelan **Madinson** 706-474-5066

Mule-drawn mower, Champion shop blower, cross cut saw, Cushman fly wheel engine, corn shellers, cast iron wash pots. Kenneth Keller **Toccoa** 706-886-8754

Push cycle mower: \$50; stool: \$150; siren: \$45; lantern: \$20; butter mold: \$20. M. P. Daily **Redan** 470-479-7393 Steel hardware for a buckboard horse drawn wagon. Wood has since long rotted away. Free to a good home. Robert Baste **Shady Dale** 404-216-4280

Very nice old corn sheller, looks & works great. Never thought I'd part with it. Text for photos & video: \$425 OBO. Must see to appreciate. D. Ross **Comer** 706-338-3475

Vintage Magic Hostess food slicer \$50; Gas cooker with gas tank and hose: \$50; Plastic and metal barrels: \$20. Ronald Rush **Franklin** 706-675-3417

Walk-behind wood and ironbeam plow stocks, turning plows, Cole planter w/sprocket/plates, Cole fertilizer plow, cultivator plow. Stored in the dry, great condition and ready to use. Stephen Monroe **Alpharetta** 404-432-8127

CANNING SUPPLIES I have canning jars - (84) quart size, (50) pint size & (50) small jelly jars. Please call for prices. Homer Conner Pitts 229-365-3318 or 229-805-1822

OTHER

(1) 500gal fuel tank, always sheltered, no rust, ready to use: \$400. Jim Markley **Rut**ledge 706-318-9462

2017 Coachman Viking travel trailer, perfect for ranch hand. 17Ft long, like new, heater, A/c, microwave, propane cook top, refrigerator, radio, bath w/shower, awning: \$6,500. Scott Stewart **Stockbridge** 678-600-6464

250gal propane tank: \$100. Albert White **Villa Rica** 404-775-4405 4ft dragline bucket, ideal for dredging pond: \$400; 2.5ton military truck parts, diffs, trans, motors, wheels, tires: \$1200, you remove. Richard Thompson **Rossville** 423-991-7530 A2/A2 raw Jersey pet milk: \$7

per half gallon on first order, \$2 credit with returned mason jar on subsequent orders. Andrew Aldridge **Tennille** 478-247-0146

Barrels – stainless steel, plastic & metal; also totes, 275gal & cages. Liz Allanson **Cumming** 770-639-7939

Carpenter bees eating your bldgs? I make traps to catch and control them, shipped to you in lots of 5: \$85.00, shipping PPD. Instructions, hdw included. William Timmerman Harlem 803-640-6265

For sale – empty 55gal hydraulic oil drums, approx. 15 available: \$15/ea. Nathan Myer Metter 912-685-5385

Ranch hand quarters, 2018 Catalina Legacy Edition, 28ft, kept under shelter, excellent condition: \$25,000; also full size twin bed, excellent shape. James Causey **Dawson** 229-395-6300

Syrup kettle, 80 or 100gal, small chip in lip. T. Hall **Pavo** 229-859-2764

Very large stack of Mt. Laurel good for building railing, furniture, a lot more. Well seasoned, bark on. Have pictures Text. **Clarkesville** 706-239-3199



All farm property listed within this category (for sale or rent/lease) must consist of 10 acres or more. Out-of-state subscribers owning farm property within Georgia are allowed to advertise in this category. Real estate agents, businesses, brokers or dealers that sell land on a commission basis are not eligible to advertise.

REAL ESTATE



10.5acres 4BR/3BA 2500sq/ft house, 2 miles from HWY 78/124 interchange. 3-stall horse barn w/loft, utility sheds, small workshop, small riding arena, 2 fenced pastures: \$575,000. Randall Plumber **Gwinnett** 470-269-6920

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		Pre-Paid Order Order Dead May 10, 2	lline:	# COOP
Name:		Address:		
City: E-Mail:	Zip:	Home #	Cell #	

\*Onions will be harvested at the perfect time for best flavor. We anticipate your pick up times to be Friday, May 17th from 3-6pm and Saturday, May 18th from 8-10am. If pickup dates change, you will be notified. Orders must be picked up at the Morgan County Extension office.

Orders not picked up will be donated to the local food bank.

Pounds per Bag	<b>Onion Size</b>	Price	Quantity	Total
10# Bag Vidalia Onions	Medium	\$10		
10# Bag Vidalia Onions	Jumbo	\$10		
25# Bag Vidalia Onions	Medium	\$20		
25# Bag Vidalia Onions	Jumbo	\$20		
40# Bag Vidalia Onions	Medium	\$35		
40# Bag Vidalia Onions	Jumbo	\$35		

Mail orders to:

Morgan County Extension Office 440 Hancock Street Madison, GA 30650

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



\*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

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#### LEGISLATIVE BILLS: Diesel exhaust fluid for GATE, shellfish inspectors part of FY 24-25 state budget **Continued From Page 1**

and produces a mild euphoric high.

Other Ag-related bills passed by the Georgia General Assembly and heading to the governor's desk:

- SB 340 would make diesel exhaust fluid, DEF, an eligible purchase under the Georgia Agricultural Tax Exemption (GATE) program.
- HB 1223 would amend the Georgia Soil Amendment Act of 1976 to prohibit the application of soil amendments to a site currently subject to a consent order issued by the Georgia Environmental Protection Division or an existing enforcement action of EPD.

Items included in state budget for FY 2024 and FY 2025 include with department allocation noted:

- An increase of \$35,000 for the Veterinary Loan Repayment Program service cancelable loans (Student Finance Commission).
- Construction of a new goat, sheep, and swine barn at the

#### **FARMLAND FOR** SALE

11.2ac, cypress log cabin completely fenced, two out drive-thru barn buildings. creek, Harrison school district, no liens, two highway en-trances: \$1.28 million. Sam Saliba Cobb County 770-514 1431

15acres, Loganville near HWY 20 in Walton County w/fence, creek, pasture & timber. Backside has some StMtr outcrops/hiking granite fun Owner financing down. L/Msg Rod \$570k. w/20% Walton County 770-401-8586

33acres wooded, rolling hill, close to Gainesville \$20,000/acre. Willie Harrisor Hall County 678-231-8636

45.5 acres, half open, rest woods, spring, stream, fronts ST HWY 37, near Morgan: \$3500/acre. Jim Andrews 45 AVE Edison GA 39846 jtajr51@yahoo.com 229-308-4892

6.5ac w/2BR, 2BA, 1500sq/ft ranch w/9ft ceilings, organic gardens with 25gal/min well. No sprays on landscape or house. Call for price, photos & details. Eddie Upson County 706-333-9820

#### **SERVICES**

#### **BOARDING** FACILITIES

**The Georgia Animal Protection** Act requires boarding and breeding facilities to be licensed. A current license number must be submitted with notices for publication in the "Boarding Facilities" category Notices submitted without this information will not be published. For more information, please call the GDA Equine . Health Division, 404.656.3713.

Boarding services - spaces now available. Stall & pasture boarding. Call for details and rates. SBE Farms, Shane Wil son Kingston 404-210-5227

#### **FARM SERVICES**

16 years in business. Georgia Farmworks, LLC. Fence contractor and farm services. Ag/Farm fencing installed/repaired. Land/pasture management services. Wildlife habitat/foot plots. Casey Kent **Good Hope** 678-446-8520

20+ years experience Bobcat backhoe, BushHog and more Farm, commercial and residential. We can dig it. WGA and EAL. Chad Zeis Whitesburg 678-201-2386

20+ years experience w/all types tractor/bobcat farm/residential work, bush hogging & mowing, fertilizing, clearing & plowing, seeding/drainage, roads/driveways, grading erosion control, pasture land maintenance. Will travel. W. Finch Conyers 770-714-7464 25 years experience in farm,

tractor & Bobcat work, bush hogging/lawn mowing, grading/clearing, plowing/garden plots, fence/welding deer heavy equipment, post holes Larry Houston Covington 770-235-3082/770-235-3782

40 years' experience - horse arenas laser graded, tree clearing, driveways built/regraded, gravel, barns graded, drainage correction, trucking, demolition. Luke Butle Braselton 770-685-0288

45 years of experience. Bush hogging, light clearing, grading, post holes, gardens, food plots, aerating, seeding, discing, fertilizing hauling fence removal, etc. Rick Allison Buford 678-200-2040

Ag/farm fencing, all types. Specialize in NRCS. Covers NE GA. Install waterlines, livestock drinkers, corrals, gates. Build barns, also skid steer & excavator work. Kevin Mc-Clure Cleveland 770-527-6943

Bobcat/tractor work, seed drill, bush-hogging, post-hole, food plots, land clearing, driveways, roads, grading, plowing/tilling, pasture maintenance. Oconee and surroundng counties. www.mikesfar mandpropertymgmt.com. Michael Ebright Watkinsville 770-363-5092

Bush hog your pasture or field and till your garden. Larry Boatright Dallas 678-386-1466 Bush hog, rotary mow, garden and food plot, harrow and plow, bale square hay. Monroe County area. Jimmy Waldrep Forsyth 478-951-5563

Bush hogging and mowing serviced in Henry County. I can do bush hogging and finish mowing, till gardens, bore holes for fence posts. Johr McDonough 678-684-9689

Custom and USDA inspected processing for beef. Now booking. Retail store with great selection of beef, pork, chicken. Southern Cuts Processing. Rick Hopper Pitts 229-648-8000

Dump truck, excavator trackloader, bush hog ser Gravel driveways vice. sand, soil, rock, stone, culvert clean-outs/installs, clearing, area grading, trenching, site work. Serving clearing, area Northwest Georgia, Northeast Alabama. Mark **Dallas** 678-923-0561

Capital Project Fund).

- Purchasing vocational and agricultural education equipment statewide, \$10 million (state Capital Project Fund).
- Renovation of Chambliss Hall at Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College in Tifton, \$2.9 million (state Capital Project Fund).
- Design and renovation of the Georgia Department of Agriculture building in Atlanta, \$4.47 million (state Capital Project Fund).
- Funding for two GDA shellfish inspection and certification specialist positions, \$267,861 (GDA).
- Contracts to support the global export of Georgia manufactured and agricultural products, \$200,000 (Department of Economic Development).
- Establishing the Georgia Farmland Conservation Fund, \$2 million (GDA).

Farm 911® Signs - farm safety and emergency signage. An information source for greater mind. Website peace of www.farm911signs.com Darer Sue Truex Cumming 678-628-6767

Farm tractor and implement repair; also welding service 40+ years experience, retired mechanic. Carey Macon 478-491-3660

Fence specialist - installation paint, pressure-wash & repair All fences come with low prices. Free gate installment with pasture fence. Serving NE Georgia. Dan Gilbert Cumming 229-325-3163

Grading & landscaping, gravel driveway repair and install, underbrush clearing, stump re-moval, burn piles restacked Call. Cody Bremen 678-315 7946

Hauling horses or horse transportation, new 2022 twohorse trailer. Any distance anytime. Call for more info. AN Horsemanship Atlanta 678-308-4002

Lakes/ponds built, repaired, new pipe systems, and clearing, swamps drained, creeks rerouted, drainage problems wetlands restoration, bush hogging home sites. Tim Harp bush er Peachtree City 770-527 1565

Lawnmower repair and pickup and delivery, riders and push mowers. Terry Mikle push mowers. Snellville 770-979-8981

Loader/backhoe, grading bush hogging, aeration, tree trimming cutting, branch lawn mowing, leat pruning, mulching, chain saw & blade sharpening. Rockdale and surrounding counties. G Kelecheck Conyers 770-597

4878 Metal buildings & carport covers. Great for storing hay tractors, trucks, etc. Free deinstallation. Tonva liver & www.maxsteel Cumming 770-757-4226 buildings.com Mobile professional horse training, 30+ years of experience. Working initiate colts horse behavior issues, etc. For more info, call. AM Horsemanship Atlanta 678-308-4002

Mobile welding service all types of welding, certified, 45 lears of experience. Call to details. Within 60mi. Campbell's Welding, Randy Campbell **Griffin** 678-603-0175

Sawmill blade resharpen sharpen, set, and oil: \$10 each; Woodmizer expert. 30 years experience, advanced sharpening equipment, satisfaction guaranteed. 10 blade minimum. Daniel Athens 706-224-6830 Williams

Small buildings/fences built hay cutting & baling, & bush hogging. Jerry Glancy **Spald**ing County 404-433-3568

Stump service removal w/stump grinder, 17 vears of experience, insured. Reasonably priced, free estimates Serving areas within 55 mile radius of Cartersville. Ron 770-715 **Feems** Kingston 1368 Stumps ground neatly below ground level, free estimate and

reasonably priced. Glen Whit lev **Bethlehem** 770-307-7098 Will furnish sprigs and cus-

tom plant Tift85 grass. Chester Kight **Tarrytown** 478-290-5558

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

Farm Help Needed and Seeking Farm Employment ads must be related to agricultural farm work. Ads submitted for domestic help, companions baby sitters, housekeepers etc. will not be published.

#### **FARM HELP** NEEDED

Family farm needs truck driv er. Clean class A CDL re quired. Drop/hook dry var loads from Montezuma to At lanta and surrounding areas \$175/load. Call for details. Prickett Montezuma 478-244-4759

Honest, mature person to maintain property and equip ment. Salary based on experi ence. 1BR furnished house in cluded. Drug and background check required. Good driving record. No pets. L. Simmons Conyers 770-605-6107

#### SEEKING FARM **EMPLOYMENT**

Responsible adult male look ing for local farm work. Years of experience in tractor work bush hogging, carpentry fencing. Michael Mar 8 Martin Thomaston 678-416-1424

Responsible, adult female available to caretake organic farm, manage greenhouse, care for poultry, pets, garden. quiet housing. Need Prefe Cobb, Cherokee, Fulton counties. H.J. Rubin Marietta 404 626-5535

#### WANTED

Items wanted in all Classified Categories will be advertised here.

3 point hitch PTO 500lb spreader, good condition Melvin Paulk **Sylvestor** 229-776-5411 3pt hitch post hole digger w/

either 6in, 9in or 12in augers. Kenneth Taylor Cleveland 706-224-6169 Cow manure fertilizer for garden wanted in Monticello area.

James Wells Monticello 770-316-6737

- Georgia National Fairgrounds in Perry, \$22 million (state One-time funds for renovations and repairs to the Atlanta Farmers' Market, \$37 million (Bond issuance through State Financing and Investment Commission).
  - Funding for eight extended day/year programs within Ag Education, \$88,000.
  - Funding for the processing of venison donations to encourage deer harvests, \$300,000 (Ga. Department of Natural Resources).
  - Contribution to the Feral Hog Task Force, \$150,000 (GDA in collaboration with USDA and Ga. DNR)

To view the complete list of Ag-related legislative bills passed by the Georgia General Assembly, go to the Industry News section of the GDA website, www.agr.georgia.gov.

This article includes contributions from Commissioner Harper's policy team and resources from the Georgia Farm Bureau Public Policy Center and the Georgia Fruit and Vegetable Growers Association.

3pt, PTO ISO affordable spraver 55-110 gallon and 5-6ft flail mower 540 PTO. Don't mind making repairs. Beginner farmer, not much money to spare. Call or text. Abby Bremen 678-832-8884

ISO JD 720 parts or aban-doned 720 tractor. Needed for a restoration project for the North Georgia Two Cylinder Club, presenting our tractor Syd Lawson heritage. Clarkesville 706-754-4991

Looking for 3pt hitch PTOdriven hydraulic boom w/6ft sickle brush mower to cut ditches. John Gunn Reynolds 478-391-0330

Looking for a 62-72 short-bed (preferred) Chevy Farm truck Jeff Woodstock 678-499-4212 ogeecheeriverboatcompa or ny@gmail.com

Looking for a 931C Caterpillar engine. Engine model 3204PC Also, interested in selling 931C Caterpillar parts if engine is unobtainable. You pull parts. Parts negotiable. L. Simmons Convers 770-605-6107

Looking for a TD15C dozer prefer a semi U-blade. Don . Williams **Carrollton** 770-328-3782

Looking for a working mechanically-driven tiller & mule drive for John Deere 110 garden tractor. Lee Thomas Bain bridge 229-416-0117

Looking for any free or cheap poultry - chicken, duck, turkey geese, emu; also looking for cheap rabbits. Michael Phippen Newnan 770-755-8702

Looking for Blue Goose cow pea seeds, 2lbs; Peas, several different peas grow on some bush. Larry Aldridge Bremen 386-717-2541

Looking for Ford 800 tractor or 2-row Cole planter and 8-10ft rotary mower. Nelsor **Conyers** 770-483-Massey 2639

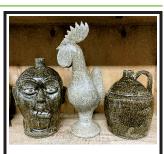
Looking for FT900 Husqvarna front tine rototiller for parts Not running OK. Please leave message if no answer, no text John Brown Lithonia 770-981 7490

Looking for James Harris evergreen hybrid azaleas not in commercial production, partic-"Rainfire. ulariy Plant or cui Todd Jonesboro 678 ting. 773-6921

Looking for Stihl 041 chain saw for parts. Any condition considered. Bill Cole Oxford 404-379-6330

Need a house trailer axle or a hub with good bearings and races. 14.5 inch wheel. Nelson Hollingsworth **Molena** 404-Would like to purchase water hyacinths and August lilies. 805-4156

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Looking for old pottery face jugs, crocks, etc. I'm interested in signed and unsigned examples. I will buy one piece or entire collection. Stan Clark Maysville 770-654-8422

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Want large standard black Jennet with white points. Wes-King Appling 706-830lev 3900

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Want old hay rake for parts, IHC No. 9, 3pt hitch, PTO operated. Wesley Carlan Homer 423-888-7272

Want someone to sprig Russell Bermuda in Banks County. Strickland Maysville Trent 706-654-7042

Wanted to buy - 5ft Bush

Hog brand finish mower, rear

discharge, in good condition.

Hershell Norris Mount Airy

Wanted tool bar w/the arms.

Wanted: Bomb proof gelding for trail riding. Prefer 14-16HH,

age < 15Y, & pickup 1-2 hours from metro Atlanta. Must be

UTD on vaccinations and

sound. Jessica Posey Atlanta

Wanting cultivator or cultiva-

tor parts for John Deere B or

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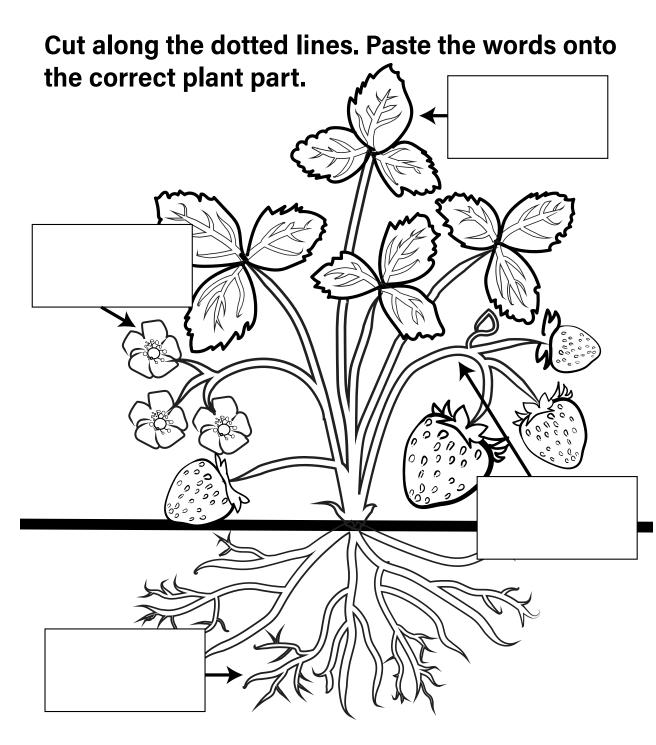
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**Directions** 

1. Grease a 9x13 inch pan.

over medium heat stir

sugar and honey until

2. In a large sauce pan

completely mixed.

## **Recipes for Tiny Tasters!** O'honey peanut butter breakfast bars

By Beautiful Griffy, seventh-grade, ingredients. Most of the items are given Makes: 16 servings Gwinnett County 4-H

This recipe calls for inexpensive

#### Ingredients

- 1/2 cup white sugar
- 1/2 cup honey
- 1/2 cup peanut butter 3 cups toasted oat cereal
- or rolled oats cup salted peanuts
- (optional)

at the food pantry. It is a healthier option than packaged cereal bars and it is fun to make at home.

- 3. Stir in cereal or oats and 6. Place leftovers in an peanuts, if desired.
- 4. Press mixture into greased pan and allow to cool.
- 5.Cut into bars and enjoy.

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## **Georgie's Drive** Thru Thomaston

Hello! I'm Georgie, the Georgia Grown mascot. I travel the state of Georgia promoting our #1 industry, agriculture! If there's one thing I've learned, it pays to stop and look around when you're in a place where you've never been before because you don't ever know what you might find. Last week, Georgina and I stopped in Thomaston, where a monument on the courthouse square caught my eye. I walked up to a monument with a cannonball on top of it and was shocked when I read the inscription:

"First cannon ball fired at the outbreak of the War Between the States. At Fort Sumter April 12, 1861. Presented to U.D.C. (United Daughters of the Confederacy) by Mrs. Sally White, to whom it was given in 1861 by P.W. Alexander, leading Confederate war correspondent, who was present when the ball was fired and knew it to be the first. The first marker supporting this ball, stating these facts, was erected on this square in 1919."

After Mr. Alexander gave the cannonball to Mrs. White in 1861, she used it as a doorstop at her house until it was donated for display in 1919. The current monument was built in 1953.



Thomaston in Upson County has a unique Civil War memorial on the courthouse grounds. A cannonball sits atop a marble pedestal. The base inscription says it is the first cannonball fired on Fort Sumter, South Carolina, at the outbreak of the war in 1861. The memorial sits on the southeast corner of the courthouse grounds at the corner of South Center and North Gordon streets. (Lee Lancaster/GDA)

Prep time: 25 minutes

airtight container.

Courtesy of Georgia 4-H Pantry Pride program



(Special Photo)

## Georgia Farm Bureau accepting entries for 2024 Farm Dog Contest

#### **Staff Reports**

The Georgia Farm Bureau is accepting nominations for its 2024 Farm Dog Contest to recognize farm dogs' special role in agriculture.

GFB is accepting entries for the contest until 10:59 p.m. Wednesday, May 1, or until 200 entries are received, whichever comes first.

The contest is open to GFB members ages 18 and over. For complete contest rules and the criteria entered dogs will be judged by, visit www.gfb.org/24-ga-farm-dog . Judging for the contest will take place in May.

GFB will recognize the winner and finalists in October during the 2024 Sunbelt Ag Expo in Moultrie. The grand prize winner will receive a \$500 gift card and be featured on the front cover of GFB's Georgia Neighbors magazine. Four runners-up will also be featured in an upcoming issue of Georgia Neighbors as finalists.

The GFB Farm Dog Contest follows the announcement by the American Farm Bureau Federation of two Georgia dogs



recognized nationally: Farm Dog of the Year, Skippy, owners Donald and Laura Adams of McDuffie County and AFBF People's Choice Pup, Casper, owner John Wierwille of the city of Decatur.

Farm dogs play a unique role on the farm. They can serve in various roles, such as herding livestock or guarding livestock and property. Farm dogs also provide an invaluable source of companionship and joy to their families. Many dogs make every step their farmers do as they complete their daily chores, according to the GFB press release announcing the contest.

Staff reports in the Market Bulletin are submitted by outside organizations concerning agricultural-related topics in Georgia. A submission does not guarantee publication. The editor retains the right to accept and edit submitted articles. Submissions can be sent to marketbulletin@agr.georgia.gov.

Georgia Farm Bureau's mascot, Lucky, encourages farm families to enter their furry friends in the 2024 Georgia Farm Dog Contest. Applications are being accepted through May 1. Go to the GFB's website for more information. (Special Photo/GFB)

#### PEST MANAGEMENT: Partnership between industry and state is asset to pest management in Georgia

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#### Lastinger said.

The Georgia Structural Pest Control Commission is the industry's oversight board, created by the 1955 Georgia Structural Pest Control Act. The commission members are appointed by the Georgia agricultural commissioner and are made up of industry representatives, consumers, researchers, and government officials. They advise the agriculture commissioner on regulation enforcement and ensure that companies and individuals are certified.

The Georgia Pest Control Association is the industry trade organization in the state. GPCA President Greg Holley said the state's success in pest management is based on the partnership between pest management companies, state regulators, and academic researchers.

"The success is partly due because the commission puts all of these folks together in the same room in a commission meeting," Holley said. "What is unique about Georgia is that when you go to the other states, the hand doesn't know what the foot is doing. There's no communication between those groups. Here, we have really good communication between those groups."

Holley explained that open communications among the parties promote trust among everyone. He credited former Georgia Agriculture Commissioner Gary Black for setting that tone. "Regulation used to be done with a big stick, but when Commissioner Black came in, he changed that not just for regulation but across the board,"

Holley said.

"Is it done with a big stick? Yeah, when it needs to be," Holley said. "But as far as the inspectors in the field being empowered to educate companies, the ability to self-report, which was never there before, has since been done so effectively that it continues to be done even with a new commissioner."

Lastinger reminds consumers of the importance of working with a licensed pest management professional if they have a pest issue. He said pest management professionals are highly trained to properly identify pests, which is always the first step in effective pest management.

Lastinger added that once the pest is identified, pest management professionals can access a wide range of control measures, such as specific insecticide baits or attractants. Some control measures require specialized application equipment to apply pesticides safely, and others require specialized training to use devices that provide control without pesticides.

Along with certification and continuing education of pest management professionals, the GDA Structural Pest Division responds to complaints related to pest management and the use of pesticides. The division also ensures consumer protection by conducting over 1,200 routine compliance monitoring inspections each year.

To learn more about the Structural Pest Division, visit the website agr.georgia.gov/structural-pest-control.

To help consumers prepare for peak pest season this spring and summer, the National Pest Management Association recommends the following expert tips:

- Prevent termites by installing downspouts, gutters and splash blocks to divert water away from the foundation. Be sure to also eliminate mulch or wood contact with the exterior of the structure.
- Prevent mosquitoes by removing sources of moisture around the property, as this pest only needs half an inch of water to reproduce.
- Prevent flies by regularly removing garbage and using well-sealed receptacles to help deter this pest from coming indoors.
- Prevent rodents by sealing any cracks throughout your property with an appropriate sealant.
- Prevent cockroaches by practicing proper sanitation. Avoid letting dishes pile up in the kitchen and be sure to wipe down counters to keep them free of food debris.

For more prevention tips, visit www.PestWorld.org . To find a licensed pest control professional, visit the GDA Structural Pest website, agr.georgia.gov/structuralpest-control, and click on the "License Types" link.

#### FLAVOR OF GEORGIA: Annual event celebrates innovation in Georgia's food industry

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press release, use of the Flavor of Georgia finalist logo on their label and promotional materials, and the opportunity to present their product to a panel of food industry experts at the final judging event. Finalists also received a one-year Georgia Grown membership, courtesy of the Georgia Department of Agriculture.

The grand prize winner was awarded an exhibit space at the Georgia Food Industry Association annual convention and three consultation sessions from the UGA Food Product Innovation and Commercialization Center (FoodPIC) on product or process design, ingredient functionality, sensory testing or shelf-life determination.

In his remarks at the award ceremony, CAES Dean and Director Nick T. Place detailed the high value the college places on innovation and entrepreneurship.

"We recognize that, without those two elements, it is challenging to address complex issues in agriculture and environment," Place said. "With entrepreneurs competing from all across the state, Flavor of Georgia is an opportunity to not only showcase all that Georgia has to offer, but also to propel these individuals and businesses forward as leaders in the food

industry."

To learn more about the contest, visit flavorofgeorgia.caes. uga.edu

#### The 2024 Flavor of Georgia winners

This year's winners represent all corners of the state and the best of Georgia's diverse culinary heritage. Winners are listed by company, product name and city within the 12 competition categories.

- Baked Goods: Pearson Farm, Peach Cobbler Kit, Fort Valley
- Barbecue Sauces: Braswell's Food Company, 1946 Sugar Free BBQ Sauce, Statesboro
- Beverages: New Creation Soda Works, **PECHES** Georgia Peach Soda, Bishop
- Condiments, Sauces and Seasonings: ResQue Rubs, Duke's Steak Rub, Cumming
- Confections: Goodson Pecans, Sweet Orange Pecans, Leesburg

Jordan Powers is the public relations coordinator and writer for UGA's College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences.

- Dairy Products: Jensen Reserve, Bacon French Onion Dip, Loganville
- Honey and Syrups: Noble Honey Company, Garlic Hot Honey, Dallas
- Jams and Jellies: Anna's Garden, Blue Satsuma Jam, Fitzgerald
- Meats and Seafood: Jensen Reserve, Little Lonzina, Loganville
- Miscellaneous: Goodson Pecans, Toasted Pecan Fudge Butter, Leesburg
- **Pickled Vegetables, Relish and Salsas:** Evergreen and Market, The Banana Pickle, Atlanta
- Snack Foods: Corks Popcorn, Buffalo Ranch Popcorn, Statesboro
- A People's Choice Award: The Chai Box, Chai Concentrate, Marietta.

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