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Casey County Ag News

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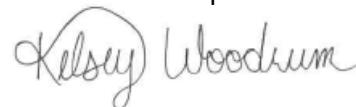
Agent Notes:

Soil samples can be collected at any time during the year, but collecting samples in either the spring or fall is ideal. More importantly, always soil sample a given pasture/hayfield at the same time of the year. This allows comparisons over time, permitting evaluation of long-term changes in soil fertility.

Sample pastures and hayfields every two to three years. In order to track changes over time, typical pastures and hayfields should be sampled every two to three years.

Intensively managed hayfields with high yields that result in high levels of nutrient removal, such as alfalfa, should be sampled every year.

Contact me if you have any other questions about sampling, and don't forget to stop by the office to check out a soil probe.



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accommodated
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Upcoming Events

Casey County Cattlemen's Annual Meeting

October 6th

6:30pm

Pork Producers Building

Guest Speaker: Ryan Quarles, Kentucky Agriculture Commissioner

A meal will be provided.

Call 606-787-7384 to RSVP.

Gardening Club

October 10th

5:00pm

Casey County Extension Office

Education Building

Call 606-787-7384 to register.

"Hay" Day

October 11th

5:00-8:00pm

Casey County Extension Office

Join us for our 2nd annual harvest festival educating the community about what is going in Casey County. There will be food, games, crafts, and prize giveaways!

Tri-County Predator Workshop

October 14th

2-8pm EST

Russell County Extension Office

2688 S. Hwy 127

Russell Springs, KY 42642

On-Farm Demos at 2:00pm

Classroom Portion at 5:00pm

Cost: \$15

Registration includes lamb dinner and one year membership to Southeast

Kentucky Sheep Producers Association

To register call: 270-866-4477

Ag Advisory Council Meeting

October 18th

12:00pm

Bread of Life Cafe

Upcoming Events

Jr Cattlemen's Meeting

October 18th

5:00pm

Casey County Extension Office

We will be traveling to a farm from here, all attendees must wear closed-toed shoes.

A meal will be provided.

Beef Bash 2022

October 20th

UK Research and Education Center

348 University Dr Princeton, KY 42445

Registration starts at 9:30 EST

Program starts at 10:00 EST

Green River Beekeepers

October 20th

7:00pm

Casey County Extension Office

Education Building

KY Annual Sheep & Goat Producers Conference

October 22nd

KSU Research Farm

1525 Mills Ln Frankfort, KY 40601

Register by October 17th.

\$30/person

Hunter Education

October 22nd

8:00-3:00pm

Casey County Extension Office

or

November 4th

Russell County Sportsman's Club

All attendees must have their own transportation.

Registration is required online at: <https://www.registered.com/programs/kentucky/120-kentucky-hunter-education-course>

Upcoming Events

KY Grazing Conference

October 26th - Grayson Co. Extension Office

October 27th - Clark Co. Extension Office

7:30 - 3:15pm

Registration must be completed online at:

<https://2022grazingleitchfield.eventbrite.com/> (Grayson Co.)

or

<https://2022grazingwinchester.eventbrite.com/> (Clark Co.)

Fencing Schools

November 1st - Marion Co. Extension Office

November 3rd - Clay Co. Extension Office

This program is designed for producers and agricultural professionals to learn the newest fencing methods and sound fencing construction through a combination of classroom and hands-on learning.

Cost - \$30 (includes lunch)

Registration must be completed online at:

<https://22fencinglebanon.eventbrite.com/> (Marion Co.)

or

<https://22grazingmanchester1.eventbrite.com/> (Clay Co.)

Estate Planning & Farm Transitioning Series

November 8th & 17th

Casey and Lincoln County Extension Offices

Speakers will be covering topics such as: creating a will, estate planning tips, Kentucky laws, & more.

Call 606-787-7384 to register.

Liberty Belle Sale

November 11th

6:30pm

Central KY Ag Expo Center

North American International Livestock Exposition

November 3rd-17th

Louisville, KY

Artificial Insemination School

December 6th-8th

Adair Co. Extension Office

Cost: \$450

This class will consist of classroom and hands-on learning.

To apply for the program call 606-787-7384.

From the Woods Today Zoom

Every Wednesday at 11:00am

A weekly internet show co-hosted by Renee Williams and Billy Thomas with UK Forestry and Natural Resources Extension.

October Foods in Season:

Apples	Lettuce
Beets	Pears
Blackberries	Potatoes
Broccoli	Pumpkins
Brussels Sprouts	Radishes
Cabbage	Sorghum
Carrots	Summer Squash
Cauliflower	Tomatoes
Green Onions	Turnips
Greens	Watermelon
Kohlrabi	Winter Squash



Forage Seeding Dates:

Alfalfa: Aug. 15 - Sept 15.

Tall Fescue: Aug. 20 - Oct. 1

Orchardgrass: Aug. 20 - Sept. 20

Timothy: Aug. 20 - Oct. 1

Triticale: Oct. 1 - Oct. 30

Wheat: Oct. 1 - Oct. 15

For questions about seeding rates give us a call.

Horticulture Webinar Wednesdays

Every Wednesday at 12:30pm

A weekly discussion for garden geeks about anything horticultural! There will be zoom lessons, gardening talks and some shenanigans. This is for non-commercial gardeners!

Find more on Facebook!

October Herbicide Weed Control

Chicory

Dandelion

Buckhorn Plantain (Broadleaf)

Multiflora Rose

Red Sorrel

Thistle (Bull, Canada, Musk & Plumeless)

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

Game Stuffed Peppers



Ingredients:

- 6 medium bell peppers
- 1 medium onion, diced
- 2 garlic cloves, minced, or 1 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 1 pound ground venison, elk, or beef
- 1 tablespoon salt-free herb blend
- 1 teaspoon ground pepper
- 1 teaspoon dried oregano
- 1 15-ounce can no-salt added tomato sauce
- 1 cup cooked rice
- 4 ounces Monterey Jack Cheese, shredded

Directions:

Wash hands with warm water and soap, scrubbing for at least 20 seconds, especially after handling raw meat.

Preheat the oven to 350 degrees F.

Gently scrub peppers with a clean vegetable brush under cool running water.

Cut off curved top of pepper. Remove stem only and throw away. Dice remaining part of pepper top.

Scoop out and discard seeds and pith from bottom part of each pepper. Preheat a 12-inch cast iron skillet over medium heat.

Add olive oil to the skillet. Sauté the diced pepper and onion for 3 to 5 minutes, until they begin to soften. Add ground venison, garlic, salt-free herb blend, pepper, and oregano. Cook 3 to 5 minutes longer. Stir often.

Add the tomato sauce and rice to the skillet. Stir to combine.

Fill peppers with rice and meat mixture. Top with shredded cheese.

Bake for 30 to 40 minutes, or until peppers are soft and cheese is melted.

Serve immediately. Store leftovers in the refrigerator within 2 hours.

Nutrition Facts: 280 calories; 9g total fat; 3.5g saturated fat; 0g trans fat; 75mg cholesterol; 380mg sodium; 25g carbohydrate; 4g dietary fiber; 9g total sugars; 0g added sugar; 26g protein; 0% Daily Value of vitamin D; 15% Daily Value of calcium; 30% daily value of iron; 6% Daily Value of potassium.