

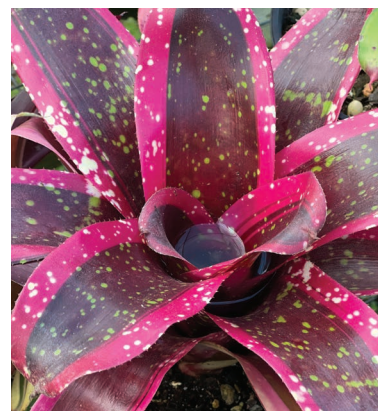
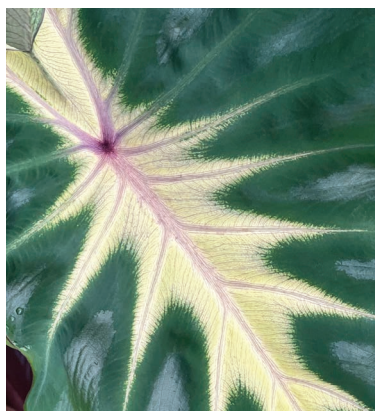


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LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY
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BRILLIANT BROMELIADS!



On any given day, Mark Mese can field messages from growers and nursery owners around the world about acquiring some of the hundreds of plants in his Baton Rouge nursery. Mese, a retired attorney, has about 3,000 square feet of greenhouses on his property, where he carefully tends each day to bromeliads, rare ferns, begonias, succulents and more.

“One of the things I enjoy the most is that there are so many different kinds of plants you can work with,” Mese said. “The internet has opened up so many avenues because you see plants you want and you can do trades with other nursery owners. I know someone in Portland who wants rare plants native to the Southeast and he grows rare mosses. I can work out a trade with someone like him to help each of us diversify our crops and bring something new to our areas.”

Mese runs one of nearly 600 certified nursery crop operations in Louisiana. Such nurseries must be licensed by the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry (LDAF), who works with the U.S. Department of Agriculture on matters such as controlling diseases and invasive species. LDAF Commissioner Mike Strain said that in Louisiana, such nurseries generate more than \$200 million a year, which

puts the state at 16th in the nation for nursery crop production.

“In Louisiana, nursery crops are considered specialty crops and are a major part of the state’s economy,” Strain said. “Some nursery owners sell strictly wholesale. Some sell to licensed horticulturalists or businesses. Some sell to big box stores. If you shop at one of those, you’ll often see that the plants have stickers identifying them as coming from a Louisiana nursery. That’s great because we want local products to be sold locally because they grow better in our environment.”

Strain said the size of Louisiana’s nurseries vary from a few dozen plants to large operations with thousands growing at any given time. Most nursery owners stick to a handful of crops, although there are a multitude of options in terms of which plants can be grown in Louisiana. For example, there are nurseries in the state with azaleas, camellias, magnolia trees, grasses, Hibiscus, citrus, fig trees and more.

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“I love what I’m doing,” says Louisiana nursery owner Mark Mese.

LOUISIANA AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY TODAY

Extreme heat, drought bring burn bans and state of emergency

Due to the extremely dry conditions statewide and the concern over first responder safety in these dangerously high temperatures, Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry (LDAF) Commissioner Mike Strain, D.V.M., along with State Fire Marshal Dan Wallis, have issued a statewide cease and desist order for all private burning, pursuant to authority under R.S. 40:1602.

This order was effective as of 5 PM, August 7, and will remain in effect until rescinded.

LDAF's Office of Forestry is tasked with responding to wildfires at any hour, and crews stand ready to take action. In the event of an emergency that requires their assistance, you can call the LDAF 24-Hour Emergency Hotline at 1-855-452-5323 or dial 911.

On August 14, Gov. John Bel Edwards declared a state of emergency due to the multiple impacts of extreme heat affecting the state.



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"This summer, the National Weather Service has issued a record number of excessive heat warnings for Louisiana," said Gov. Edwards. "The Louisiana Department of Health reports that the state has already exceeded the average number of annual heat-related emergency room visits. Additionally, drought conditions and a significant drop in the Mississippi River's water level have added stress on water supplies and agriculture.

This declaration will allow the state to mobilize resources and aid those most affected. Please continue to take precautions when you are outside and check on neighbors who might need assistance."

A state of emergency is an administrative step that authorizes the use of state resources to aid in emergency response efforts. The Governor's Office and GOHSEP will continue to update the public on heat-related threats, in addition to any other weather emergencies.

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Bermuda Medium	Premium	\$150-\$200
Bermuda Small Square	Premium	\$280-\$440

SOUTH TEXAS WEEKLY HAY REPORT, AUG 11, 2023

Bermuda Large Round	Good/Premium	\$130-\$150/bale
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VISIT YOUR LOCAL FARMERS MARKET

ACADIA PARISH

Iota
Iota Farmers Market
Gazebo on Main St, 2nd/4th Sat,
8AM-12PM, closed in Jan

Crowley
Crowley Farmers Market
Located at Tractor Supply
1st Sat, 9AM-3PM, closed in Jan

Rayne
Rayne Farmers Market
Frog Fest Pavilion, 210 Frog Fest Dr
2nd Sat, 8AM-2PM

ALLEN PARISH

Oberlin
Oberlin Farmers Market
228 West 6th Ave
Wed 9AM-12PM, year round

ASCENSION PARISH

Hwy. 621 Outdoor Market
39275 Hwy 621, Gonzales
(corner of KC Road and 621)
Seasonal on Saturdays 8AM-12PM
April-Aug, Oct-Dec

Prairieville
Riverside Farmers Market of LA
45020 Manny Guitreau Rd
Sat, 8AM-1PM

ASSUMPTION PARISH

Napoleonville
Barcelo Gardens
211 Franklin Ave
Fri, 11AM-3PM, Jan 14 & 29

AVOYELLES PARISH

Marksville
Marksville Farmers Market
122 E. Mark St
Sat 8-11AM, June

BEAUREGARD PARISH

DeRidder
DeRidder Farmers Market
206 N. Washington Ave
Daily 7AM-6PM, year round

BOSSIER PARISH

Benton
Benton Farmers Market
495 Simpson
Sun 12-4PM

Bossier City
Bossier City Farmers Market
2950 E Texas St
Sat 9AM-1PM, April-Nov

CADDO PARISH

Greenwood
Greenwood Farmers Market
William Peters Town Park
Sat 8AM-12PM, June-Aug

Shreveport
Shreveport Farmers Market
River front at Festival Plaza
Sat 8AM-1PM, May-Aug

CALCASIEU PARISH

Lake Charles
Cash & Carry Farmers Market
801 Enterprise Blvd
Corner of Broad & Enterprise
Tues, 4-6PM, year round

Charlestown Farmers Market
Bilbo St. behind old City Hall
Sat. 8AM-12PM, year round

Moss Bluff
MB Farmers & Crafters Market
Sam Houston Jones Pkwy
Sat. 8AM-12PM, April-Oct

CALDWELL PARISH

Columbia Farmers Market
Courthouse Square
Sat. 8AM-12PM, Jun-Aug

CONCORDIA PARISH

Vidalia
Delta Farmers Market
405 Carter St - Old Courthouse
Wed 9AM-1PM, June-1st freeze

EAST BATON ROUGE PARISH

Baton Rouge
Red Stick Farmers Market #1
Fifth St & Main St
Sat 8AM-12PM, year round

Red Stick Farmers Market #2
Pennington Biomedical (Perkins)
Thurs 8AM-12PM, year round

Red Stick Farmers Market #3
EBRP Library, 7711 Goodwood Blvd
Tues 8AM-12PM, Apr-Jul, Oct-Dec

Red Stick Farmers Mobile
Market, 7717 Howell Blvd,
ExxonMobil YMCA,
Thurs 9AM-12PM, May-Jul, Oct-Nov

Zachary
Zachary Famers Market
City Hall side parking lot
Sat 8AM-12PM, year round

EVANGELINE PARISH

Ville Platte
Ville Platte Farmers Market
East Main St
May-Aug, Fri 4-6PM

GRANT PARISH

Cofax
Cofax Farmers Market
8th St near Pecan Festival Building
Sat 9AM-12PM, May-Nov

IBERIA PARISH

Delcambre
Delcambre Farmers Market, Bayou
Carlin Cove, 605 S Railroad St
1st Sat 9AM-1PM, Mar-Dec

New Iberia
Da Berry Fresh Market
520 S. Hopkins St
Wed 10AM-6PM, year round

Teche Area Farmers Market
Main St. Bouligny Plaza
Tues 2-6PM, Sat 7-11AM, year round

IBERVILLE PARISH

St. Gabriel
St. Gabriel Farmers Market
3495 Hwy 75 @ 5755 Hwy 74
2nd Sat, 8AM-1PM
www.stgabrielfarmersmarket.com

JEFFERSON PARISH

Grand Isle
Rotary Grand Isle Farmers Market
Oak Lane
2nd Sat, 8AM-1PM, year round

Gretna
Gretna Farmers Market
Huey P. Long Ave
Sat 8:30AM-12:30PM, year round

Jefferson
Crescent City Farmers Market #1
2614 Jefferson Hwy @ Maine St.
(Ochsner) Wed 3-7PM Oct-Jul

Metairie
Crescent City Farmers Market #2
325 Metairie-Hammond Hwy.
@ the Lake (Bucktown)
Fri 3-7PM, year-round

Lafreniere Park Farmers Arts Market
3000 Downs Blvd, Metairie
Wed, Jan-Nov, 2-7PM
Sat, Dec 3, 10, and 17, 9AM-1PM

JEFFERSON DAVIS PARISH

Elton
Coushatta Farmers Market
Hwy 190 & Pine St
1st Sat 7:30AM-12PM, Oct-Jun

China Country Farms Roadside
Produce
26105 Liberty Cemetery Rd
Seasonal - Call Sarah 337-368-7404

Jennings
Main Street Farmers Market
1333 Elton Rd
Sat 9AM-12PM, March-Dec

Welsh
Welsh Farmers Market
103 W. Grove St
Tues 3:30-6PM, May-Sept

LAFAYETTE PARISH

Lafayette
Acadiana Farmers Market
801 Foreman Dr & Dulles St
Tues & Sat, 5-10AM, year round

Lafayette Jockey Lot Flea Market
3011 NW Evangeline Thruway
Sat 9AM-5PM, Sun 10AM-5PM,
year round

Farmers & Artisans Market Horse
Farm, 2913 Johnston St
Sat 8AM-12PM, year round

LAFORCHE PARISH

Raceland
Lafourche Central Market
4484 Hwy 1 at US 90
Sat 9AM-12PM, year round

LASALLE PARISH

Olla
Olla Town Square Market
2990 Front St
Tues 1-5PM, May-Aug 11

Tullos
Town of Tullos Farmers' Market
Corner of S Main & Park St
Fri, 12-4PM, May 1-Aug 28

LINCOLN PARISH

Ruston
Ruston Farmer's Market
220 East Mississippi
Sat 9AM-1PM, year round

LIVINGSTON PARISH

Denham Springs
Livingston Farmers Market
215 Florida St
Sat 7AM-12PM, year round

MADISON PARISH

Tallulah
Tallulah Farmers Market #1
404 N Cedar St, Hwy. 65
Tues, Thurs & Sat, 6AM-5PM
Sat 8AM-12PM, Jun-Dec

Tallulah Farmers Market #2
Court House Square
Tues, Thurs, 6AM-5PM
Sat 8AM-12PM, Jun-Dec

MOREHOUSE PARISH

Bastrop
Morehouse Parish Farmers Market
305 E Madison
Mon-Sat 7AM-5PM, year round

NATCHITOCHE PARISH

Natchitoches
River Front Downtown
Sat 8AM-12PM, Apr-Aug, Oct-Nov

Natchitoches Farmers Market
Mobile Market #1 (City Park)
Tues-Fri 10AM-6PM, Apr-Aug, Oct-Nov

Natchitoches Mobile Farmers
Market
Mobile Market #2 (Riverbank)
Mon-Wed 10AM-6PM, Apr-Aug,
Oct-Nov

ORLEANS PARISH

Barcelo Gardens
2301 Gallier St
Sat 10AM-1PM, Jan 22

New Orleans
Crescent City Farmers Market #1
750 Carondelet @ Julia
(Downtown)
Sat 8AM-12PM, year round

Crescent City Farmers Market #2
Uptown Square, 200 Broadway
Tues 9AM-1PM, year round

Crescent City Farmers Market #3
3700 Orleans Ave
Thurs 3-7PM, year round

Crescent City Farmers Market #4
Chartres & Piety @ Crescent Park
(Bywater)
Wed 3-7PM, year round

Main gates of Armstrong Park
Thurs 3-7 PM, Mar-Nov

OUACHITA PARISH

Monroe
Monroe Farmers Market
1212 Washington St
Mon-Sat 6 AM-1PM, May-Nov

West Monroe
West Monroe Farmers Market
1700 North 7th St
Mon-Sat 8AM-5PM, May-Oct

RAPIDES PARISH

Alexandria
Alexandria Farmers Market #1
2727 Jackson St
Tues 3-6PM, year round

Boyce
Boyce Farmers' Market
627 Pacific Ave
Wed 3-6PM, year round

RICHLAND PARISH

Delhi
Delhi Farmers Market
1104 Broadway St
Mon-Sat 8AM-6PM, Apr-Nov

ST. CHARLES PARISH

Destrehan
German Coast Farmers Market 1
Parking lot of Ormond Plantation
Sat 8AM-12PM, year round

Luling
German Coast Farmers Market 2
1313 Paul Maillard Rd
Wed 1-5PM, year round

ST. HELENA PARISH

Greensburg
St. Helena Parish Farmers Market
6032 LA-10, Greensburg
Fri, 8AM-1PM

ST. LANDRY PARISH

Opelousas
St. Landry Farmers Market
952 East Landry St, Hwy 190
Tu/Th/Sat 6:30-11AM, Apr-Nov

Eunice
Eunice Farmers Market
Second St & Park Ave
Sat 9AM-12PM, May-Nov

ST. MARTIN PARISH

Morgan City
Stephensville Market Rec Park
3257 Hwy 70, Morgan City
2nd Sat, 10AM

ST. MARY PARISH

Berwick
Berwick Town Market
Under bridge at 3rd & Lima St
3rd Sat 9AM-1PM
(Mar-Jun & Sept-Dec)

ST. TAMMANY PARISH

Abita Springs
Abita Springs Farmers Market
22049 Main St
Sun 11-3PM, year round

Covington
Covington Farmers Market #1
609 North Columbia (City Hall)
Sat 8AM-noon, year round

Covington Farmers Market #2
419 North New Hampshire
Wed 10AM-2PM, year round

Madisonville
Madisonville Market
1007 Pine St.
Sun, July 1, 10AM - 3PM
Sun, July 11-Sept 26, 10AM-2PM

Mandeville
Mandeville Trailhead Market
675 Lafitte St
Sat 9AM-1PM, year round

Slidell
Camellia City Farmers Market
333 Erlanger, Old Towne Slidell
Sat 8AM-12PM, year round

TANGIPAHOA PARISH

Hammond
Hammond Farmers Market
2 West Thomas St,
Sat 8AM-12PM, year round

TENSAS PARISH

St. Joseph
St. Joseph Tailgate Market
Gazebo on Plank Rd
Sat 8-11AM, Memorial-Labor Day

TERREBONNE PARISH

Houma
Cajun Farmers Market of Houma
Naquin St & Martin L. King Blvd
Mon-Sat 6AM-6PM, year round

VERMILION PARISH

Abbeville
Abbeville Farmers Market,
Magdalen Sq, downtown Abbeville
Jun 20, Jul 11, Aug 15, Sept 19,
Oct 17 & Nov 21, 8AM-1PM

Kaplan
Kaplan Farmers Market
Turnley Park, 119 N Irvin Ave
2nd Sat, 8AM-12PM, year round

VERNON PARISH

Leesville
S. 3rd St
Wed 10AM-2PM, Sat 8AM-2PM
Year round

WASHINGTON PARISH

Franklinton
Franklinton Farmers Market
Washington St & 15th Ave
Mon-Sat, 6:30AM-7PM, year round

WEBSTER PARISH

Minden
Market on Turner's Pond
301 Lakeshore
1st & 3rd Sat, 8AM-1PM, Jul-Oct

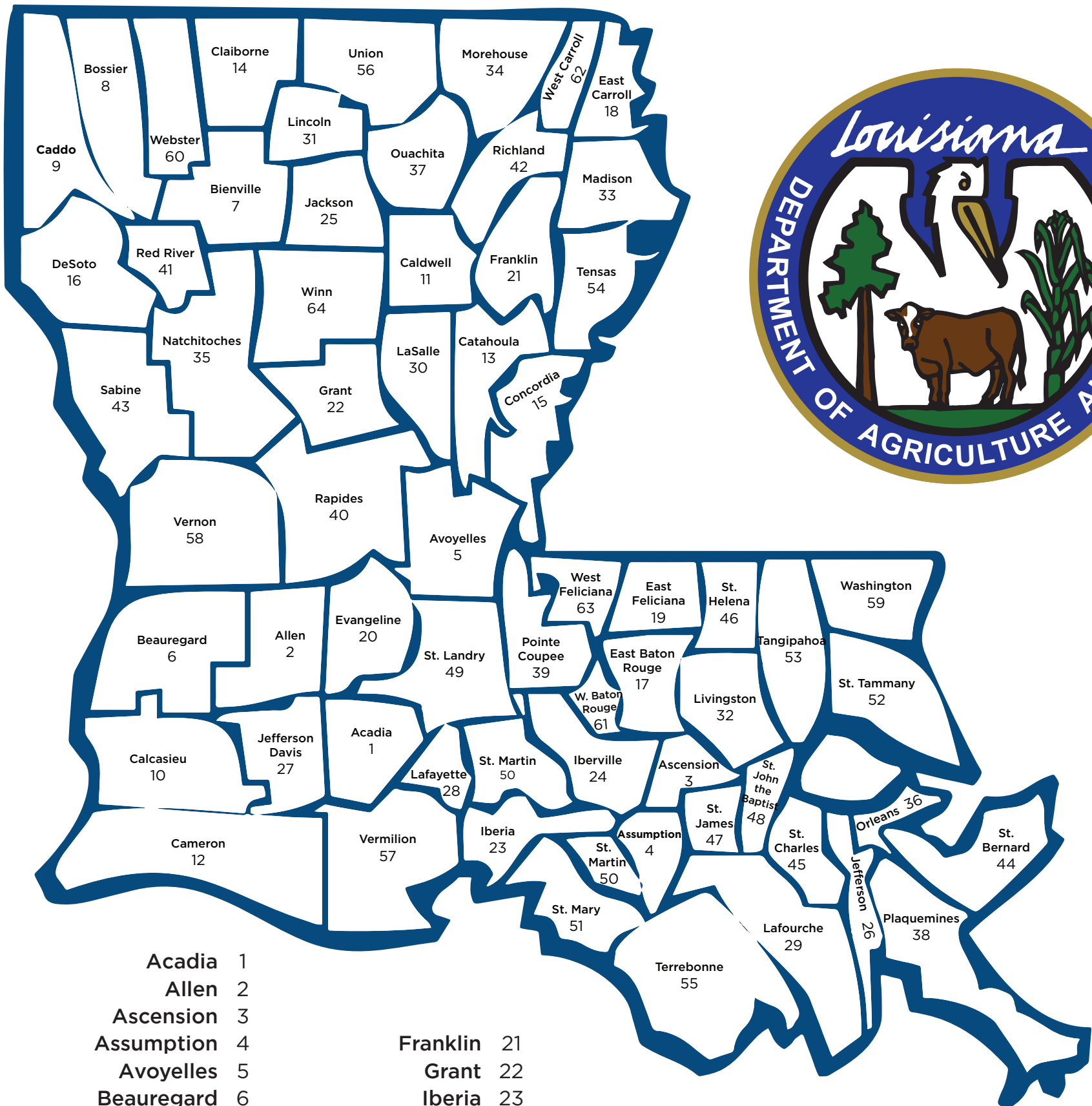
WEST FELICIANA PARISH

St. Francisville
St. Francisville Farmers Market
9992 Wilcox St (Fair Barn)
Thurs 9AM-1PM, May-Nov

WINN PARISH

Winnfield
Winn Farmers Market
301 West Main
Tues-Fri, 7AM-until sold out,
year round





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CATTLE

ATTENTION bull sellers and buyers: All non-virgin bulls and bulls older than 24 months for sale in Louisiana must have a current negative trichomoniasis test from an accredited veterinarian before they may be sold. Virgin bulls must have a breeder's certification of virgin status signed by the breeder, the breeder's agent, or an accredited veterinarian. For more information, contact LDAF Animal Health Services and Food Safety at 225-925-3980 or visit the LDAF website at www.ldaf.louisiana.gov.

REMINDER: Have all your heifer calves between four and 12 months of age been vaccinated against brucellosis? For information, contact your local veterinarian, LDAF animal health personnel, parish Cattlemen's Association, or parish Farm Bureau.

ANGUS

Black Angus bulls, pasture raised, 16-22 months old, \$1,950/1. John Collins, Lincoln Parish; 318-548-3761.

Reg Black Angus bull, connealy consensus, DOB 12/26/18, \$3,000. Hugh Junca, Franklin, St. Mary Parish; 337-940-3512.

(1) Reg. Angus bull- epic/ Tour of Duty pedigree, 19-month-old, \$2,300. (1) Reg. Angus heifer-16.5-month-old, epic, consensus pedigree, \$1,600. Joel Tassin, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-9789.

Reg. Angus cow- 5 years old, bred- due Nov 2023, good bloodlines, \$1,800. Jerry Salisbury, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-325-6736.

(4) each 9 month, open, black, \$950 each or \$3,650 for 4. Philip Istre, Dequincy, Calcasieu Parish; 337-660-1053.

PB Angus 2 bulls, 7 months old, \$750 each. Clinton Breland, Angie, Washington Parish; 985-515-8883.

(6) 1 year old registered Black Angus calves \$1,200 each. Rhett Dugas, Saint Landry, Evangeline Parish; 225-571-6386.

(2) 2-year-old registered Black Angus bulls, ready for heifers, good EPDs, \$2,500 each negotiable. Rhett Dugas, Saint Landry; 225-571-6386.

1- 4 ½ old registered Black Angus bull, good EPDs, \$3,500. Rhett Dugas, Saint Landry, Evangeline Parish; 225-571-6386.

Reg. Black angus, 2 cow calf pairs, born 7/2/23, cows priced individually, \$1,500 per. LD Lacour, Robert, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-345-0441.

BEEFMASTER

Reg. Beefmaster Bull, C1166957, 20 months, dehorned, all vaccines, ready to go, \$3,250. Ellie Brouillette, Church Point, St Landry Parish; 337-344-6004.

Beefmaster Feeder/Freezer calves, vaccinated, dehorned,

castrated and on feed, \$2.25/lb. live weight. Ellie Brouillette, Church Point, St Landry Parish; 337-344-6004.

PB Beefmaster bulls can register, one year old, 7 to select from, \$1,200-1,600. Hilery Gobert, Jefferson Davis Parish; 770-480-9887.

BRAFORD

(15) F1 chocolate Braford heifers, 20 months, bred to LBW Angus bulls, \$2,800/1. Lane Leonards, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-2056.

(3) each 9 month, open, F1 Golden certified, ABBA- \$1,850 each or \$5,200 for 3. Phillip Istre, Dequincy, Calcasieu Parish; 337-660-1053.

2-year-old Braford bull, tiger striped, very gentle and correct, moderate frame, \$1,800, 2-year-old black bull ½ Brahman, ¼ Angus, ¼ Hereford, very gentle and correct, large frame, \$2,000, both in great condition and tested. Ben Baggett, Mittie, Allen Parish; 337-370-8254.

Braford heifers, 5/8 x 3/8, all vaccines, 1,000 lbs., open \$1,500/1. John Boudreaux, Abbeville, Vermillion Parish; 337-356-6206.

BRAHMAN

(2) each 9-month, open, gray heifers-ABBA- \$2,500 each or \$4,800 for both. Philip Istre, Dequincy, Calcasieu Parish; 337-660-1053.

PB Brahman females, very gentle, great bloodline, some bred, some open, one has calf at side, red and grey, \$1,500/1. Sam Broussard, Maurice, Vermillion Parish; 979-479-0929.

(22) reg. and PB Brahman cows, (18) reg. & (4) PB, (1) reg. Brahman herd bull, (21) calves on the ground, average age of cows 12-years, \$40,000, will not break up herd. Dwayne Hollier, Lafayette, Vermillion Parish; 337-658-6641.

Red Brahman cattle from registered showing stock, gentle, top bloodline, all shots, grain fed, heifers, 14-19 mo., \$1,800, Bulls, 16-24 mo., \$1,800-2,300. Evert Talbot, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-978-1798.

(2) Reg. gray Brahman heifers, ages 24 and 36 months, \$2,600. Cresward Broussard, Abbeville, Vermillion Parish; 337-652-1203.

PB Brahman cows and heifers, some bred gentle and great bloodline, red and grey, \$1,500/1. Sam Broussard, Maurice, Vermillion Parish; 979-479-0929.

BRANGUS

(5) Reg. Brangus bulls, 16-18 months old, gentle, good looking, \$3,000 each, will seaman test, call for pictures.

Ronald Chiasson, Larose, Lafourche Parish; 985-291-5204.

Golden Certified F1 Brangus Bulls, 22 months old, out of registered Angus cattle and JD Huddins Brahman bulls, tested and ready, \$2,800 and up. Philip Chiasson, Galliano, Lafourche Parish; 985-637-7538.

Brangus Cow/ calf pairs, on the bull \$1,800/ pair. Norman Young, Evangeline Parish, 337-303-3385.

(22) Brangus & Brangus baldie heifers, 14-16 months, very gentle, \$950-\$1,200. Russell Orgeron, Lockport, Lafourche Parish; 985-805-0049.

CHAROLAIS

1-14 mo. Charolais bull, pure, no paper, \$1,200. Ronnie Montgomery, Kaplan, Vermillion Parish; 337-288-9575.

Charolais bulls, \$4,000, Charolais cows, \$2,500; pairs \$3,000, Charolais heifers, \$2,000, Charolangu heifers, \$1,500, all vaccinated and branded. Dr. Fred Rodosta, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-331-3151 or 337-948-6511.

Reg full blood Charolais bulls, \$2,500 and up, gentle, great bloodlines, out of a grand meat sire bull vaccinated and tested. Marylyn Fitzsimons, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-515-8527.

DEXTER

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(3)-year old chocolate mini/ small jack standing at stud, Elm Grove, LA, \$200 breeding fee, text only please. Sadie Roberie, Caddo Parish; 318-423-5075.

AQHA WYO-Blue Buddy, born July 03, 2012, blue roan stallion, Reg.#5505700, \$500. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

AQHA horse, Peppi Figure Four, #5403078 BD, foundation bred stud, 4/20/11, bay roan, health cert. & neg. Coggins required, \$500/\$8 mare. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

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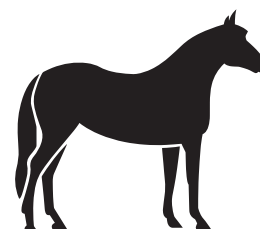
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Longhorn/Billy Cook saddle, combination pleasure-barrel, used only a few times, beautiful tool work, 15½ seat, kept in house + covered, \$700. Lolly Drodody, Dodson, Winn Parish; 318-680-3531.

SHEEP & GOATS

1 Spanish Billy goat, 2 + yrs. old \$200. Aaron Slayter, Colfax, Grant Parish; 318-652-8107.

Katahdin Sheep, flock reduction, commercial flock including 1 registered ram, 4 years old, 3 yearling rams, 4 ram lambs born March/April 2023, and 15 ewes between lamb, 5 years old, would like to sell as group, but may be broken up, \$5,500 for all, call for individual pricing, if no immediate answer leave a message or text. Pat

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Males, females, wethers, newborn to 5 yr. old, prices start at \$125. Danny Hyorth, Killian, Livingston Parish; 504-450-9350.

1 1/2 yr. old Katahdin Ram, \$250, and 6-month-old Katahdin males and females, \$100, negotiable. Jeremy LeDoux, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-643-3222.

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3-month old Katahdin ram lambs, \$100; wooly ewe lamb, \$125, located in Moss Bluff. Justin Pearson, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-304-5463.

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NALC registered Catahoulas, tri colors, black and tan glass, ready to go 8/20/2023, \$450 obo per. Randall McElwee, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-466-8857.

Miniature/toy Australian Shepherd puppies, beautiful litter, ASDR registered, and parents are genetic tested, born 6/21/2023, (2) blue merle males with blue eyes, (2) black tri females, and (1) black tri male available, \$700, text for pictures or more information. Chris Berza, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-305-1276.

Pure bred Australian Shepherd puppies born July 5, 2023, 6 beautiful merles, 2 females, 4 males, one red tri male, photos available, \$250-300. Debra Faust, Pearl River, St. Tammany; 601-569-9151.

One male Australian shepherd for sale needs a good home, wormed and had shots don't know his age, his name is Buddy, \$150. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

6x10x6 Dog Kennel, one new and one used, good for dogs, chickens, ducks, guinea, sheep, swine, \$350. Dallas Richard, Morse, Acadia parish; 337-517-3750.

ASDR registered mini- Australian Shepherd puppies, will be ready to go in early September, \$800 merle and \$600 for tri/bi. Courtney Thompson, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-600-7025.

Pure Australian shepherd, male, red merle, 2-years old, current on shots, free to good home. Cresward Broussard, Abbeville, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-1236.

Free Great Pyrenees and lab mix puppies, 5 males and 1 female. Kelsey LeJeune, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-466-8733.

Australian Shepherd puppies will be born by 9/16/23, family and id friendly, working cow dogs, \$250, \$100 deposit. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

Great Pyrenees DOB 2/16/23, wormed 4 times & at 6 weeks & 14 days later another 10N1 shot, (3) females, \$250 each. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

Standard Type A Rat Terrier pups, farm dogs, \$600. George Synder, Ascension Parish; 225-588-5757.

Reg. toy rat terriers, assorted colors, UTD on shots, worming, \$300. Jerome Hammons, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-508-0800.

6-month-old tri-colored, registered, lassie collie, up to date on all shots and heart wormer, would be a great pet for kids, \$350 firm. Gail Dunbar, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-640-9675.

Pure bred out of registered stock, Catahoula Leopard, male, 8 months old, smart, \$300. Penny Baker, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-396-5051.

Standard Poodle puppies, tail and dew claws docked, shots, wormed, and microchipped, AKC registered, \$1200. Zula Istre, Gueydan, Vermillion Parish; 337-368-1595.

Rat Terrier pups, small type. Shots and wormed. \$100. Harold Vercher, Rapides Parish, 318-447-0244.

Basset Hounds shots, wormed, vet checked. \$600. Suzanne McAlister, Tangipahoa Parish, 985-507-0877.

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Lots of breeds of hens & roosters, \$25 apiece for hens, roosters are \$10 apiece. Tracey Wagley, Glenmora, Rapides Parish; 318-664-5131.

Muscovy ducks and ducklings, lots to choose from, ducklings 2 for \$5, grown ducks 2 for \$10. David Rigsby, Converse, Sabine Parish; 318-602-9455 or 318-796-2796.

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4 Guinea fowl, 7 mo. old, \$60. Dallas Richard, Morse, Acadia Parish; 337-517-3750.

Old English game bantams, BB Reds, very nice, pox vaccination,

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Meat rabbits all sizes, price depends on age. Dennis Laverne, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-1596.

Rabbits and cages for sale, 70 meat does, 20 bucks, 22 mini-Rex does, 4 bucks, we also have many teenagers, call for price. Bradley Smith, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-969-2673.

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Pond stocking, blue catfish, 45¢/1; channel catfish, 40¢/1; copper nose, bluegill, 35¢/1; Louisiana bluegill, 35¢/1; hybrid bluegill, \$.40/1; red-ear bream, .40¢/1; blk. crappie, 45¢/1; bass, \$1/1; fathead minnows, \$12.50/lb.; del. avail. David Lowe, Minden, Webster Parish; 318-377-1525.

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Custom plowing for hire, up to 30 acres, call for more information. Joseph or Patrick, Jennings, Acadia Parish; 337-526-8826 or 337-526-8825.

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Horse boarding, herd environment, \$100/1 per month, multi. feeding options. Kathern Hollifield, Deridder, Beauregard Parish; 337-462-0964.

Horse boarding, pasture & full board avail., new horse facility on 22 acres, vinyl fencing & rope elec. fencing, mare/foal & trailers welcome. Beau or Taylor Fontenot, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-329-5582 or 337-387-9854.

Horse boarding, near Carencro & Evangeline Training Center, 170 acres, feed & hay 2x day, deworming, fly control, covered lighted arena, a/c tack rooms, hot/cold wash racks, wood round pen, walking wheel, outdoor arena, private paddock w/shelter, \$400/month, stalls avail. at additional cost. Bill Langford, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-280-1535.

Horse boarding, 1.5 miles from I-10, overnight or monthly, 5-acre coastal pasture w/barn, place to work horse & trail ride, \$100/month & up; overnight, \$20/1; two or more nights, \$15/1. Lisa Lyon, Welsh, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-370-3479.

EQUIPMENT SERVICES FOR HIRE

Bennie's Pressure washing, serving the Baton Rouge and surrounding areas, free estimates, houses, barns, driveway, pool decks, insured. Bennie Martin, Livingston Parish; 225-287-3878.

Land prepared, cleared, contoured, fields mowed, mulched, cultivated, trees

removed, recycled on site for mulch, recondition arenas & gravel roads 8" deep, install ponds, roads, walls, fences, sub-surface drainage. John Cleary, Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-634-0074.

Land clearing, dirt work, excavator work, bush hogging, mulching, culvert setting, small or big jobs, call for estimate. Rick Hardee, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-249-9500.

Forestry mulching, debris clean up, stump grinding and dirt work, will travel, free estimates and reasonable rates. Grizzly Land Services LLC, Quitman, Jackson Parish; 318-533-5097.

For RENT-7-ft till drill, \$100 deposit plus \$8/acre plus \$20/day; feral hog trapping equipment w/camera, \$150 deposit plus \$100/mth. St. Martin Soil & Water Cons. Dist., Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-332-2910, ext. 3.

Brush/land clearing/mulching, stump grinding, dirt work, storm clean-up, call for estimate, will travel. Paul Benoit, Maurice, Vermilion Parish; 337-319-9831.

Dump truck, tractor work, excavator work, limestone, crush concrete, ash, asphalt, dirt, culverts, anywhere, small or big jobs. Alvin Joseph, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-526-1102.

Dozer & excavator work services, land clearing, limestone, dirt, ponds, crawfish ponds, roads, house pads, culvert settings & level work. Chad Helming, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-5767 or 318-964-2380.

Land clearing, ponds, drainage, bush hogging, and much more, call for a free estimate. Ethan Wilson, Dry Creek, Beauregard Parish; 337-396-8489.

Bush-hog & dirt work, clean up brush & fence rows, \$50/hr. John Marcantel, Mittie, Allen Parish; 318-306-1564.

Stump grinding, Baton Rouge & surrounding area/parishes, call or text with pictures for details. Peter O'Neal, Baton Rouge, EBRP; 225-715-2284.

Bush hogging, by the hour or job, free estimates. Charles Longino, Natchitoches, Natchitoches Parish; 318-715-4814.

Pasture cutting and small reclaim jobs, reliable, unbeatable price and weekends only, text or call day or night. Derek Schilling, Clinton, East Feliciana Parish; 225-939-4402.

Land clearing cleaning, bush hogging, excavator work, price depends on job. John Schexnayder, Church Point, St. Landry Parish; 337-668-4777.

Bush hogging, free estimates. Larry Bears, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-501-4349.

Environmental Testing (sewer water & runoff water included), dozer, track hoe, backhoe & tractor work, \$1,000 minimum, state licensed, insured/

bonded. George Martin, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-405-5229.

NUISANCE ANIMAL REMOVAL

Wooden Armadillo trap, \$40. Don Sayes, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-445-0600.

Hog traps, 8' long x 48" wide x 34" high, (2) push-in gates, \$350. E.E. Colston, Provencal, Natchitoches Parish; 318-472-6490.

Professional licensed trapper, central La. trapping & removal of beavers, coyotes, hogs & other nuisance animals, free estimates. Harry Vermaelen, Pineville, Rapides Parish; 318-201-5632.

RURAL PROPERTY FOR LEASE

Must offer 10 or more adjoining acres of land located in Louisiana. Farmland ads MUST include accompaniments (house, barn, hay field, garden) and what the land is best suited for. Proof of ownership may be required. All ads MUST be accompanied by the following owner-signed statement: "This property is personally owned by me and is not offered for sale or lease by a licensed real estate dealer, broker, or salesman."

463 acres of rice land for rent, \$75/acre in Vermilion Parish, highway 82. John Miller, Lafayette, Vermilion Parish; 208-354-3571.

Lots of deer, 230 acres wooded, surrounded by forest. Well-watered by springs and creeks. \$700/ gun, four guns total. Call D.D. Claiborne Parish, 225-718-3787.

Looking to lease 27 acres in Vermilion Parish for cattle. The address is 1334 Boyance Road, Erath, LA 70533, Cost is \$5,000/year. Christine Harrigan, Vermilion Parish, 281-919-5100.

Wanted: Looking for 50-100 acres of fenced pasture around Central/ Zachary/Clinton. Cole Wilson, Baker, EBR Parish; 225-247-3719.

FERTILIZER

SCALES - Any person selling goods by weight or creating packages of commodities to be labeled by net weight must use a legal-for-trade scale. This scale must be registered annually with LDAF Weights & Measures. Call 225-925-3780 or email weightsinfo@ldaf.state.la.us for more information.

Compost Cow manure, \$40 a yard, Brent Duncan, Washington Parish, 985-515-6655.

Ag lime, \$32/ton, within a (100)-mile radius. Brent Duncan,

Franklinton, Washington Parish; call 985-515-6655.

We spread chicken litter by the 18-wheeler load, \$ varies by how many loads you buy and your location, call for pricing. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

Free horse manure, excellent fertilizer for gardens, will load in your pick-up or trailer w/ tractor. Lloyd Cabellero, Maurice, Vermilion Parish; 337-781-2580.

Cow manure in sacks, call for more information. Robert, Oakdale, Allen Parish; 318-335-1414.

Garden compost \$20/scoop. Delos Thompson, Folsom, Tangipahoa Parish, 985-373-4067.

SEEDS, FLOWERS, & ORNAMENTALS

Any person who sells, distributes, offers, or handles for sale agriculture, vegetable, or flower seeds or other propagating stock of one pound or more shall obtain a Seed Dealer's License from the LDAF Seed Programs Division. Call 225-925-4733 or email seed@ldaf.state.la.us for more information.

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Wanted: I am looking for small pole butter bean seeds. Royal Noel, Maringouin, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-1265.

Wanted: 2-3 lbs. of velvet bean seed. Jimmie Newsom, Kelly, Caldwell Parish; 318-732-8040.

Wanted: Stephanotis seed. James Gauthier, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-563-8482.

TREES & FRUITING VINES

Any person who intends to grow, buy, or sell trees, shrubs, ornamental plants, grass sod, or foliage plants shall obtain a license or permit from LDAF prior to engaging in such activity. For more information, contact LDAF's Horticulture and Quarantine Programs Division at 225-952-8100 or horticulture@ldaf.state.la.us.

Watermelon at \$15/melon, and Cantaloupe at \$8/loupe ready for delivery now to you, mid-October Autumn Tomatoes and Butternut Squash will be ready to sell and deliver, and the last of October Sweet Potatoes will be ready to sell and deliver,

call or text for your order for delivery to you. LM Ward Farm, Saline, Bienville Parish; 318-576-3639.

Swingle Citrumelo orange tree in 5-gallon pot, \$50. Leland Songe, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-229-2530.

BEEES & HONEY

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Raw Honey - from wildflowers. 1 pint \$8. Greg Brian, Rapides Parish, 318-447-1360.

Mann Lake Sideliner uncapper, excellent condition, \$1000. Jerry Burg, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 504-810-9171.

Wanted: Looking for farm or pastureland to place beehives around Central Louisiana Parishes. Judd Decuir, Avoyelles Parish, 318-305-0888.

FRUITS & VEGETABLES

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3-Gal. Blueberry Bushes for Sale, Austin, Climax, Powder blue, Tifblue, and Ochlocknee, Most in Clinton, some in Baton Rouge, \$15. Kevin Murphy Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-281-3130.

Wanted: mirliton plants in the Lafayette area. Doug Duhon, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-257-1761.

JAMS, JELLIES, & PRESERVES

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Mayhaw Juice, 5-cup frozen packs, ready for jelly making, etc. \$10 per pack. Rick Stutes, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-298-1931.

HAY & GRAIN

Taking Orders: 2023 Bermuda square bales \$7 per bale in the field or \$8 per bale in the barn. Call, email, or text. Bob Murphy, Acadia Parish, 337-230-5634, big_country1967@yahoo.com.

We sell and deliver hay, cut and clean pastures, sell slaughter calves, prices vary by type of hay, starting at \$55 round bales. Scotty Howell, Pollock, Grant Parish; 318-451-3377.

Hay for sale, Jiggs 4x5 round bales, call for prices. Tamara Payne, Broussard, Lafayette Parish; 337-349-4173.

2023 Stored net- wrap 4x5 weed free Bahia hay, 11.7 crude protein test supplied with purchase, call for pricing. Cedric Magee, Washington Parish; call or text 318-792-6575, or email mageefarms@hughes.net.

Square bales Bermuda mix, \$8 per bale, also 12 bales 4x4 \$30 per bale. Loles J. Duhon, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-380-9610.

Jiggs Bermuda performance horse square bales, well fertilized, weed free, all fields sprayed and fertilized after every baling to keep clean, no rain after cutting, bales re tight and heavy, delivery of 200 bale loads available if you can unload, \$9/bale. Chris Douget, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-224-2896.

Square bales for sale, coming 2nd cutting, fertilized on 6/24/23 (28/19/19), \$4/bale in field, we can load for an extra charge. Damon Kirk, Deville, Rapides Parish; 318-709-8101.





REPORT OR SOLVE A CRIME

Cattle theft or other ag-related crimes

Contact the Crimestopper Hotline at 1-800-558-9741

Forestry-related crimes

Contact the Forestry Enforcement Program at 225-925-4500

Good clean hay, no weeds, \$40 in field, \$45 in the barn. Charles Bell, Washington Parish; 985-839-9222.

Wanted: Silage equipment, forage choppers, wagons, etc. D. VanMol, Lecompte, Rapides Parish; 318-308-4829.

TRACTORS

International 244 24 hp., 1,390 hours, good shape with 5' woods finish mower, new blades, will part, \$4,100. Johnny Veard, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-6318.

Allis Chambers high crop D-17 Thompson conversion kit, \$2,000, Case 830 LP, gas, high crop, \$3,500, John Deere H, runs good, \$1,800. David Bass, Longville, Beauregard Parish; 337-396-5955.

2013 TYM 4WD, Hydrostat 23HP, 750 hours, front loader & forks, and rotary cutter included, one owner with extras! \$10,500. Ronney Broussard, Pollack, Grant Parish; 318-765-3398.

Yanmar tractor 2000B, 975.3 hrs., asking \$2,500. Javis Noel, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-230-8326.

White tractor 2,155 with cab & air, 160HP w/new allied loader, hay spear, 1,800 hrs., \$12,500. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

21 Mahindra 8,100, cab, air, 4wd, 528 hrs., loader, radio, Bluetooth, shed kept, like new, \$64,000. David Bordelon, Covington, St. Tammany Parish; 985-867-0037.

4030 Kubota Tractor, good shape, roll bar, \$8,000. W.J. Mims, Calhoun, Ouachita Parish; 318-644-2236.

Brand New, (Iron Bull brand) ROPS and canopy fits the following international tractors, 706,756,766,806,826,856,966, 1066,1206,1256,1456,1466,1486, and hydro 100, \$1,800. Thad Broussard, Erath, Vermilion Parish; 337-937-6781.

185 Allis Chambers, runs well, asking \$5,000 cash. Charles

Tate, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-514-3782.

IH 4 cyl. stationary engine, with 90-degree belt pulley, not running, but loose engine, would be good for grist mill or cane grinder, \$700. Gerald Davis, Amite, St. Helena Parish; 985-320-8703.

JD tractor 4,450, cab, AC, air ride seat, duals, front weights, \$37,500. Mack Brown, Mt. Hermon, Washington Parish; 985-515-3505.

Wanted: Set of 21" Thomson Conversion front wheels off a WD-45, D14, D15, or D17 series I or II with a 5-hole bolt pattern. Leo Geoffery, Erath, Vermilion Parish; 337-517-0086.

Wanted: Ford 946 tractor, call or text Joel if you have one that you would sell. Joel Roy, Rayne, Lafayette Parish; 337-322-2885.

CUTTERS & MOWERS

John Deere DTR 54 in. cut, 10 hrs., \$3500, 6ft. bush hog, \$550, lawn aerator \$100. Tony Temple, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-356-2094.

15' Stalk chopper, 3pt., rear crazy wheels, extra heavy duty, excellent condition, \$1,999. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Point Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

Bush Hog 3008, 8-foot pull type cutter, very good condition, \$5,500 firm. Robert Roy, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-787-3677.

New Holland 616, disc cutter for repair and paint, \$1,550 cash only. Ralph Racca, Broussard, Lafayette Parish; 337-789-1024.

(2) snapper riding mowers, new tires & battery on one, \$250 for both. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

Clipper XL, Defender Boss 72" mower, new engine, new deck bearings, good tires, good solid mower, \$5,250 OBO. Myron Mayard, Calcasieu Parish; 337-274-8405.

Woods BB60 five ft bush hog, needs deck work, \$475. Calvin Waskom, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-373-2832.

Wanted: Husqvarna lawn mower with 48" cut dec, in excellent, or like new condition. Robert LeMaster, Summit, Pike County, MS; 601-684-4540.

PLANTING & TILLAGE

Sweet pot. equip., 2 and 4 row planters, hipers, rolling colts, lay-by-buster, 20-bushel bins, etc., call for price. Ricky Juneau, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-0697.

For Sale 10' two-way plow (good shape), 10' water buffalo for small tractor, used for duck blinds, call or text for more info, \$1,500 for both. Jerome Cormier, Morse, Acadia Parish; 337-581-8542.

IH 16-ft. heavy duty disc, \$1,500; JD 3-pt. 15-ft. grain drill w/markers, \$2,500. Michael Dupre, Bunkie, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-5333.

One mechanical sweet potato transplanter in excellent shape, \$500. 300 plastic sweet potato crates, \$5 each. John Deere 4 row hipper, \$800. Todd Cullen, Avoyelles Parish, 318-240-3862.

PICKERS & HARVESTERS

Brent 776 grain cart, field ready, kept under shed, call for pricing. Russell Deselle, Bunkie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-481-5745.

JD 9760 Grain combine, stainless package, shed kept, 30 ft. Hydra flex header full fingered auger, highspeed

header trailer, call for pricing. Russell Deselle, Bunkie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-481-5745.

Savage Harvester 804z, great shape, shed kept, used very little, \$8,000 negotiable, 5.7-350 chevy engine \$800. Lynwood Wiley, Ferriday, Concordia Parish; 318-719-2245.

2010 John Deere 9770 STS Combine, 2,324 engine hours, 1,828 separator hours, bullet rotor dual wheels, 4-wheel drive, Mauer bin extension straw chopper, \$75,000. Thomas Carlson, Morse, Acadia Parish; 337-581-0571.

2014 Case 7230 Combine, engine hours 1,486, separator 1,090, \$180,000, 2013 FD70, 35' MacDon draper header, \$38,000, Unverferth 860 Grain Cart, \$44,000. Sidney Plaisance, Ferriday, Concordia Parish; 318-758-2834.

OTHER AG IMPLEMENTS

66 New disc blades, 20", 22", 24", sell as a bundle, \$25/each. Russell Deselle, Bunkie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-481-5745.

3 pt. one row sweep, \$100, 3 pt. one row maker, John Deere, \$200. Michael Daigle, Branch, Acadia Parish; 337-224-0501.

Generator, PTO driven on wheels, 20,000 watts, 120 and 240 volts, like new, call for price. C. Aguilard, Evangeline Parish; 337-336-0226.

Cattle Squeeze chute, older model, excellent condition, scissor type head catch, just reworked in shop, lifetime iron floor, sliding back gate, ready to work, \$1,650. Chris Douget, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-224-2896.

200 gallon 3-pt. spray rig, 20- ft. spray boom, lots of options, \$2,500, text only. Gable Cormier, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-794-3236.

W&A 8-row hipers w/Ortham row markers, \$2,000; Taylorway (8)-row cultivator, 5-pow gangs w/shields, \$800; Ditch Witch w/4-way blade, land boring unit, drill pipe & bits, trailer, excel. cond., \$12,500. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

S, S, fertilizer Buggy, ground driven with tarp, \$2,500. Bobby G. Denton, Jena, La Salle Parish; 318-992-4504.

3,000 lbs. Yale forklift, has one leak, will go anywhere on dry ground, used to stack hay in the barn, \$3,600. Joe Bellelo, Livonia, Point Coupee Parish; 225-485-0525.

Continental Belton 200-gallon 3pt boomless sprayer, with old 25 boom, \$400. Calvin Waskom,

Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-373-2832.

Pilco 3-pt. levee plow, (6) blades on each side, \$1,500. Michael Dupre, Bunkie, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-5333.

Wanted: Pull behind aerator. Jim Smith, Stonewall, Desoto Parish; 318-218-9690.

Wanted: Used pea sheller in good condition, reasonable price. Garrett Taylor, Mansfield, Desoto Parish; 318-872-6923.

Wanted: 20' or 6-row folding disc. Patrick Richmond, Glenmora, Rapides Parish; 337-344-3732.

HAY EQUIPMENT

John Deere 894A side delivery rake, good working condition, perfect for small hay farm, owner's manual and some spare parts, \$995. Kenneth Lyon, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-849-8907.

Kubota cutter 9'2", runs great, good condition, \$4,500. Greg LaFleur, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-0889.

4x4 New Holland 848 for parts, good tires, hyd. Cylinders, hoses, air bags, gear box, PTO, call for prices. Loles J. Duhon, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-380-9610.

New Holland 570 square baler, in very good condition, (1) new knotter, plunger reworked 3 years ago, very dependable, pics/video of baler in use, \$9,250. Chris Douget, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-224-2896.

Vicon hay cutter, 5', good condition, \$3,000 obo. David Bordes, Sunset; 337-278-0872.

Vermeer Hydraulic bale fork, heavy duty, 3-point, CAT 2, good condition, \$1,000. John Swindler, New Roads, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-937-4694.

2021 New Holland 210M hay cutter pull type, 10 ft., like new, \$14,000. Lamar Holmes, Keatchie, Desoto Parish; 318-286-7406.

New Holland 273 square baler, needs tires, \$1,000. Jimmy Witherwax, Iowa, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-526-0426.

Hay Rake Hodge built 8-wheels, \$1,000, Vermeer Delta tedder/rake \$1,000. Gabriel Gonzalez, Lafayette Parish; 337-344-1140.

2008 John Deere 458 Round Baler, bale counter included, 6,900 total bales, \$14,000. Ben Hodson, Lafourche Parish; 985-696-1112.

Hay Spears for sale, front loader and 3pt. hook ups, single and double spears, new, \$500-\$650. Lacey Mouton, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-250-1810.



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CERTIFIED DELICIOUS RECIPES



CRAB DUMPLINS

Submitted by Jimmy Babin of Creative Cajun Cooking

Ingredients:

1 pack of Creative Cajun Cooking's Dumplin' Magic Seasoning
 5 cups water
 4-5 cups heavy cream or half and half
 1 ¼ cups all-purpose flour
 1 can of biscuits
 1 pound crab meat, picked for shell pieces
 Optional: Frozen/canned green peas and sliced carrots, sliced green onions for garnish

Instructions:

In a 6 quart or larger pot, mix water, and Creative Cajun Cooking's Dumplin' Magic seasoning. Bring to a boil over medium high heat. While that's heating up, break out a large cutting board and spread out flour, then pile most of it in the corner, leaving a thin coating on the cutting board. Open the can of biscuits and one at a time roll each one out to about 1/8 inch thickness using a light sprinkle of flour to keep them from sticking. Cut the flat biscuits into 6-8 pieces pending size of dumplings you want. Pile the cut biscuits in one corner of cutting board for placing in a pot at a later time. Scrape up the extra flour and place in a bowl, then pour the cream into it and whisk until smooth. Pour in the cream and flour mixture making sure it is stirred frequently by scraping the bottom so it doesn't stick. Once the liquid thickens up and it has a slow bubbling, add in the biscuit pieces a few at a time, stirring softly until they swell up. Once the dumplings are cooked and no longer doughy, gently add in the crab meat. Then add in, if you would like, a few green peas and or carrots. Stir and cook just until heated through. Once the Crab and Dumplings are placed in a bowl, you can sprinkle some finely chopped green onion tops for added color.

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BRAISED BEEF SHORTRIBS

Submitted by New Orleans Distillers, LLC

Ingredients:

5-6 beef short ribs
 1 ½ teaspoons each salt and pepper
 2 tablespoons olive oil
 3 garlic cloves
 1 large onion, chopped
 2 celery ribs, chopped
 2 carrots, chopped
 2 tablespoons tomato paste
 1 cup Grantham Cabernet Sauvignon Liqueur
 1 cup New Orleans Distillers Gold Rum
 2 cups (500ml) beef stock/broth, low sodium
 2 sprigs thyme
 1 sprig rosemary
 2 bay leaves

Instructions:

Preheat oven to 325°F. Sprinkle beef all over with salt and pepper. Heat oil in a large ovenproof pot over high heat. Add half the ribs and brown aggressively all over (5-7 minutes in total). Remove and repeat with remaining ribs, then remove. Turn heat down to medium. Add onion and garlic into the same pot and cook for 2 minutes. Add carrot and celery, cook for 5 minutes until carrot is softened and sweet. Add tomato paste and cook for 1 minute. Add the Cabernet Sauvignon Liqueur, Gold Rum, broth, thyme, rosemary and bay leaves. Stir until tomato paste is dissolved. Return beef into liquid, arranging them so they are submerged. Cover with lid and transfer to oven for 3 hours, or until the meat can easily be pried apart with forks.

Remove beef carefully, keeping the meat on the bone. Cover to keep warm. Strain all liquid in the pot, pressing juices out of the onion, carrot etc. Return sauce into pot, bring to simmer and stir. Adjust seasoning as necessary and simmer to reduce. Place beef on serving plate, spoon over sauce. Serve.

Certifiably delicious!

APPLE HONEY RABBIT

Submitted by *Kjun Bees*

Ingredients:

2 rabbits*, quartered or deboned
 2 tablespoons Cajun seasoning
 ½ tablespoons ground white pepper
 ½ tablespoons dried rosemary
 ½ tablespoons dried thyme
 1 medium apple, sliced thin
 ½ cup apple juice
 ½ cup KJUN honey
 ½ cup butter
 12 ounces smoked bacon



Instructions:

Preheat oven to 350°F. Place quartered or deboned rabbit into an iron skillet. Sprinkle rabbit with Cajun seasoning, white pepper, rosemary, and thyme. Place thinly sliced apple pieces over the rabbit. Cover the apples and rabbit with the sliced bacon. Add the butter, honey, and apple juice to a glass bowl and microwave until butter is soft. Mix thoroughly and pour over the bacon covered rabbit. Cover the skillet with aluminum foil and bake for 60 minutes or until cooked throughout. Remove aluminum foil cover, increase oven temperature to 425°F, and bake for 15 minutes until bacon is crisp. Remove from oven and serve. Notes: Use a medium flavored honey for this recipe. A good choice would be any of our southern parish honeys.

*This recipe works great with young wild rabbits or 11-12 week old domestic rabbits weighing 5-6 pounds life and 3-3.5 pounds field dressed. We bake the front and hind quarters whole with the ribs and backbone deboned for this recipe. We recommend a mild, low salt type of season all such as Jean Pierre's Special Blend Season-All for this recipe.

This also works great with chicken. If chicken is used, we recommend not using the sliced apples so that the bacon can be placed directly on the chicken itself.

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COMPOUND BUTTERS

Submitted by *180° Cajun Blendz & Seasonings*

Ingredients:

Cajun Trinity Butter:

2 sticks of butter, softened
 2 tablespoons of Cajun Trinity Seasoning

180 Dry Mojo Butter:

2 sticks of butter, softened
 1 tablespoon 180 Dry Mojo Seasoning

Instructions:

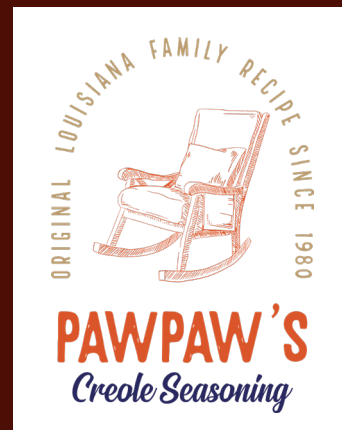
Start with the 2 sticks of softened butter. Do not melt! Do not use the microwave! The butter will separate. Add your chosen seasoning to the softened butter. Mix thoroughly, blending all the seasoning into the butter. Once mixed, there are a number of ways to store it. 4 ounce soufflé cups work well. I have used large ice trays to make block, or you can roll it in plastic wrap and make a cylinder out of it so you can slice off what you need as you need it. Once in a sealed container, keep refrigerated.

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GET REAL



Hay Rake, \$300. Edie Begnaud, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-277-6543.

H & W 10-wheel hydraulic
V-rake, \$1000. Michael Dupre, Bunkie, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-5333.

CONTRACTOR EQUIPMENT

(3)10ft. roll-up doors, 1 year
old, charcoal gray, very good condition, call or text for photos, 1 for \$600, 2 for \$1,000, all 3 for \$1,400. Mike Demarie, Deridder, Beauregard Parish; 337-540-4685.

Concrete breaker, fits backhoe
or excavator, job ready, \$2,750. ML Towns, Arcadia, Bienville Parish; 318-548-8500.

10" oilfield casing \$14/foot
obo; 20" steel pipe, new casing, ½" all, 20' & 40' lengths, \$100/foot. ML Towns, Arcadia, Bienville Parish; 318-548-8500.

20-24" concrete culverts,
"new", 7.5' long, \$150/each. ML Towns, Arcadia, Bienville Parish; 318-548-8500.

25-ft. concrete bridge beams,
reinforced 24"x18", weigh 10,000/each, \$300/ one. ML Towns, Arcadia, Bienville Parish; 318-548-8500.

(5) LED shop lights, \$85/each.
ML Towns, Arcadia, Bienville Parish; 318-548-8500.

(10) sets oilfield pipe racks, 30'
in length, \$1,200-\$3,500/ set. ML Towns, Arcadia, Bienville Parish; 318-548-8500.

300 ft. of 3" sewage PVC pipe,
1,000 ft. of 1 ½ "light wall PVC, 3" is \$18 for 10 ft. joint, 1 ½" is \$8 for 8-10 ft. joint. Rhett Dugas, Saint Landry, Evangeline Parish; 225-571-6386.

1953 Craftsman level and
tripod, \$150, 3 eye levels, \$40/each, 4-foot smart level, \$75. Charles Longino, Natchitoches, Natchitoches Parish; 318-715-4814.

JET JDM-18 vertical bench
milling machine w/h 21 bits, used good working condition, \$1,250. Aaron Slayter, Colfax, Grant Parish; 318-652-8107.

Wanted: Drill Doctor, Model DD
750 X, sharpens drill bits, 3/32 to ¾" size. Robert M. LeMaster, Summit, Pike County; 601-248-8843.

FARM TRUCKS

2004 Dodge 1500 work truck,
4 door, motor problems, clean title, will have title, \$800. Henry L. Goodwin, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-280-9955.

2006 Peterbilt w60 series
engine, 10 speed Eaton-Fuller trans., Unibuilt suspension, 2007 Timpete hopper bottom, high sides, spring ride, call for pricing. Russell Deselle, Bunkie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-481-5745.

2001 Duramax diesel, 324
thousand miles, runs well, 2 new batteries, needs power steering pump, gooseneck hookup, \$5,500. Jimmy Bas, Longville, Beauregard Parish; 337-661-9638.

2013 International single axle
auto dump truck, \$39,000; 98 Ford F700 dump truck, \$15,000; 2005 GMC dually, tool bed, \$5,500; trash truck \$3,500. Alvin Joseph, Calcasieu Parish; 337-526-1102.

1993 Dodge 1-ton diesel flat
bed, automatic, \$5,500. Joseph or Patrick, Jennings, Acadia Parish; 337-526-8826 or 337-526-8825.

TRAILERS, WAGONS, & EQUIPMENT

2014 Gooseneck aluminum
livestock trailer, 24 ft. x 6 ft. 8-inch, 2 divider gates, 5 brand new 12 pl. radial tires, \$13,500. Larry Ponder, Bienville Parish; 318-548-4688.

5.5'x10' Utility trailer, new tires
and rims- 10 ply., new 2" hitch, good floor, asking \$900. Douglas Guillory, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 37-581-9484.

1997 aluminum Sundowner 3
horse slant load gooseneck trailer with tack room, great condition, \$9,000. Edie Begnaud, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-277-6543.

Gooseneck trailer 16'x6'8",
\$9,000. Jim Varnado, Greensburg, St. Helena; 225-222-6343.

2015 Lakota Charger, 3 horse
gooseneck trailer, 30' long 7' wide 9' short wall, new batteries and tires, very clean and covered, \$30,000. Mike Demarie, Deridder, Beauregard Parish; 337-540-4685.

1998 Sooner 3 horse slant with
rear tack and front dressing room, fold down windows, new tires and breaks, rear ramp, excellent condition, \$10,500. William Krielow, Roanoke, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-275-0027.

Goose-neck trailer, 18' long 8'
wide, 2-7,000 lb. axles, does not have a dove tail, \$3,000. Russel Suire, Erath, Vermilion Parish; 337-937-5897.

Honeywell Generator with
transfer switch and pad to sit generator on, brand new, never used, bought July 2023, \$7,000. Lamar Holmes, Keatchie, Desoto Parish; 318-286-7406.

3 500-gallon diesel fuel used
tanks, \$1,000 for all three, Kenneth Romero, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-519-3062.

WW- Bumper pull- horse trailer,
ready to pull, everything works, 2006, new tires and bearings, \$2,750. I.H. Fair, Castor, Bienville Parish; 318-259-1837.

SEWING & FABRIC

Antique sewing machine,
standard brand, 4 drawers treadle type (foot pedals), \$100 OBO. Joe Mitchell, Vinton, Calcasieu Parish; 337-884-0196.

Baby Lock coronet long arm,
6-foot frame, rear handlebars, ruler base, casters, bobbin winder, \$2,000 or best offer. Renee Gubert, Jefferson Parish; 504-454-0652 or 504-812-6513.

Sewing hooks, simplicity's
simply the best singer, sewing secrets fitting finesse, sewing with Nancy, sewing step by step, \$10/each. Earline Landry, Roanoke, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-275-8741.

CRAFTS & WOODWORK

Cypress Mantel, \$300. Tony Templet, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-356-2094.

Old time mule drawn wagon, all
hardware & seat, also available, mule drawn turning plow, \$300, pics available. David Wood, Ashland, Natchitoches Parish; 318-544-2481.

Cypress wood duck nest boxes,
\$45/each; predator guards, \$25/each. Greg "Red" Vidrine, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-230-7295.

Wood duck nesting boxes, all
made of cypress, \$40/each. Jimmy Laborde, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-240-4772.

LUMBER & SAWING

Portable Sawmill service, 30
cent BF or depends on job. Donald Armond, Krotz Springs, St. Landry Parish; 337-592-0505.

Cypress Post, 8"x8"x10', \$150,
8"x8"x8', \$120, 6"x6"x8', \$80. Donald Armond, Krotz Springs, St. Landry Parish; 337-592-0505.

Black walnut lumber, logs &
trees, bargain priced. David Wood, Ashland, Natchitoches Parish; 318-544-2451.

FARM & LIVESTOCK SUPPLIES

Priefert 5 horse walker,
excellent condition, \$6500. Edie Begnaud, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-277-6543.

Horse racing farm closing,
everything for sale, tack, rubber mats, buckets, troughs, polytape electric fencing, horse walker, horse trailer, etc., Pricing

\$10-\$9000. Edie Begnaud, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-277-6543.

2 sets 3-inch freeze brands 0-8,
5-gallon tanks, oyster clippers used twice, \$700. Philip Istre, Dequincy, Calcasieu Parish; 337-660-1053.

New Rabbit cage, 68" wide, by
32" deep, metallic roof, two compartment, painted, good for chicks, quail, pets, heavy duty, \$220. Larry J. Duhon, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-6200.

Brand new 26-gauge metallic
sheets, 7 sheets, 12 foot long, emerald, green, \$50 per sheet, 5 corrugated sheets of green ridge caps, 26-gauge metal, \$20 each. Larry Duhon, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-6200.

3 pt. hay forks, one homemade
and one factory made, \$200 each. Greg LaFleur, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-0889.

Priefert squeeze chute,
excellent condition, \$2400, Pallet fork, like new, \$800, Plastic 10' feed troughs, \$100, metal hay ring, \$120. Jim Varnado, Greensburg, St. Helena Parish; 225-222-6343.

John Deere 7700 combine final
drives, \$500 each, 3 propane tanks \$999. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Point Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

3-Grain carts, 2-tristate 250
and 350 bu., 1- Rayne grain 250 bu. All in good condition, all \$3,000, 2 combine sieves for JD 95 \$250 for both. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Point Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

Tire- LT 275 x 70 x18, Mickey
Thomson, 75%, 10Ply, \$75, 4-10 Ply 265 x 75 x R16 Klever M/T Kenda, \$40 each. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Point Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

Five flat roof metal trusses, 30
feet long, \$250 each. Jimmy Witherwax, Iowa, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-526-0426.

Factory built portable animal
steel & wire cage, 3'x4'x5', excellent condition, \$425. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

2-axle trailer mounted hydraulic
seed mixer & loader, used to mix chemicals & auto load seed hoppers on planters, \$2,000. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

FROM THE FARM

Fresh Gumbo File, call for price.
Brenda, Oakdale, Allen Parish; 318-335-1414.

36 Inch pipe, call for price. Dan Roque, Cloutierville, Natchitoches Parish; 318-201-1715.

Vintage Platform scale with
weights, \$150, and horse drawn Avery Planter with seed plates, \$140. Gerald Davis, Amite, St. Helena Parish; 985-320-8703.

Wanted: Looking for old split
rail fencing in any shape, willing

to pay a fair price. Marc Harris, St. Landry Parish; 337-315-1102.

HUNTING, FISHING, & CAMPING

Classified advertisements in
this category include ATVs, archery/accessories, boats and equipment, fishing tackle/supplies, sportsmen's leases, fishing/hunting leases and memberships, and guns/accessories.

2020 KZ Connect bunkhouse
camper, C312BHKSE, 37', rear bunk room, front queen bedroom, outdoor kitchen, ready to go, \$27,500. Cody Ibanez, Calhoun, Ouachita Parish; 318-372-5744.

Transit City Bus will make a
great fixer upper for a camp (does run), \$5,000 reduced price, title provided. Brent Duncan, Franklinton, Washington Parish; call 985-515-6655.

28-ft. travel trailer by Gulf
Stream w/ living room slide out, off white w/ blue trim in color, \$6,000. Houston Penn, Baton Rouge, EBR Parish; 225-355-4891.

09 Gooseneck Dutchmen
Denali, 2 slides, 2 A/C, sleeps 7, no leaks, solid floors, everything works ready to go, shed kept, \$16,000. Merritt Taylor, Ferriday, Concordia Parish; 601-334-1425.

Custom-built horse trailer/
camper, \$12,000. King bed, cypress cabinets, tv, shower. Kitchen, full refrigerator, microwave, stove/oven. Hauls three mules. Anne Darrah, Iberia Parish; 337-229-8264 or 337-380-4465.

Deer stand on 6x12 trailer,
3,000. Steven Stagg, Port Barre, St. Landry Parish; 337-308-0059.

Deer hunting club near Pearl
River, St. Tammany Parish, \$1,200/year and 598 acres, deer, hogs, turkey, rifle & archery hunting, camping allowed. KJ Lodrigue, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-789-1000 or lease@kjun.us.

ATV

4- out and back max tires and
rims, 32 X 10 -14 NHS, \$200. Rhett Dugas, Saint Landry, Evangeline Parish; 225-571-6386.

Windshield for a 2022
Kawasaki mule, \$150. Vernon Humphries, Zachary, East Baton Rouge; 225-937-6625.

Kawasaki Mule 4x4 \$1,500
Joseph or Patrick, Jennings, Acadia Parish; 337-526-8826 or 337-526-8825.

Wanted: Kawasaki mule parts.
Jim Smith, Stonewall, Desota Parish; 318-218-9690.

GUNS & ACCESSORIES

Mossberg 12-gauge pump shotgun, in good condition, \$125, also a western style 22 revolver pistol, New, \$125. Jimmy Laborde, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-240-4772.

Mossberg Model 835 Ulti-Mag 12 Gauge, Real tree hardwood camo synthetic stock, 24" ventilated rib barrel, full ported choke, fiber optic sight, \$425. Jerry Norwood, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-937-1142.

(2) AR-15 rifles, extra mags, \$1,000 each. Tyrone Dubroc, Jackson, East Feliciana Parish; 225-721-2730.

BOATS

Carolina Skiff, 16ft, 25hp, trolling motor, seats and trailer, good condition, ready to use, \$3,500. D. Aguillard, Evangeline Parish; 337-363-3427.

1998 Mercury boat motor 25 horsepower 4 stroke \$1,800 Joseph or Patrick, Jennings, Acadia Parish; 337-526-8826 or 337-526-8825.

14-ft. Alumaweld-25 hp Evinrude, 65 Minn Kota Trolling Motor with foot control, Boat

spray coated inside, boat cover, seats in excellent condition, \$2,800. Cedric Rabalais, Cottonport, Avoyelles Parish; 318-542-0096.

2009 16-ft alweld 50 HP Yamaha, 45 lb. thrust troll, live well, 2-casting decks, diamond city trailer, good condition, \$6,500 firm. Richard Watson, Jonesboro, Jackson Parish; 318-533-2631.

AGRITOURISM

Camper/tent rental by day, 1.5- mile woods trail, catch and release fishing, kayaks, waterfall, picnic areas, birthday parties, flowering plants, signage throughout, professional photographers welcome. Lee, Husser, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-981-7819 or 985-320-4478.

Farm Bus tour, \$1,000, all- inclusive ticket, the tour will go to multiple parishes in Louisiana (EBR, Rapides, Acadia, St. Landry), four day/ three-night tour to six agricultural locations, purchase tickets at heartlandtoursla.com. Taylor McCann, Pineville, Point Coupee Parish; 225-240-3376.

Honey Do Farms offering Western lessons, ages 4 & up, we supply everything, summer camps & birthday parties. Kori Schexnayder, Church Point, St. Landry Parish; 337-668-4777 or 337-316-4619.

LSU AGCENTER SURVEY: *Potting soil preferences*

LSU AgCenter Agricultural Economist, Jerrod Penn, and Consumer Horticulturist, Heather Kirk-Ballard, are collaborating to gain deeper insights into consumer preferences regarding potting soils used for plants cultivated in containers and raised beds.

Your valuable input is crucial to their research. Kindly scan the QR code or visit the link below to engage in the survey. Your feedback is greatly appreciated.

Take the survey at https://lsu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_4Z9WfBowUrJxS8m



LA DOTD issues special permits for transporting hay



The La. Dept. of Transportation and Development will begin issuing special permits to vehicles transporting hay during the current gubernatorially declared drought emergency.

Permit fees will be \$10 and will be valid for only as long as the declared drought emergency exists, not to exceed one year.

The following restrictions apply:

- Vehicles transporting hay bales loaded side by side shall not exceed 12 feet in width and 14 feet in height. All other weight and dimension restrictions and requirements still apply.
- Travel is limited to daylight hours beginning at sunrise and ending at sunset and is limited by all no-movement requirements on certain holidays.
- Vehicles must travel with the required signs and flags properly placed and indicating that they carry oversized loads.
- Vehicles must be equipped with mirrors that allow drivers to have a clear view of the highway to least 200 feet to the rear of the vehicle.

- Loads must be securely bound to the transporting vehicles.
- Carriers, owners and drivers of any vehicle being operated are responsible for verifying in advance that the actual dimensions and weights of the vehicles and loads are acceptable for all routes being traveled.
- It is the responsibility of the carriers, owners, and drivers to track the status of the declared emergencies. In the event the emergency expires prior to the one-year period, the owner, carrier, and driver shall be responsible for terminating use of the permit. Information regarding the status of declared emergencies and to obtain a special permit may call the DOTD Permit Office toll free at (800) 654-1433 or (225) 343-2345 for the Baton Rouge area.
- No vehicle shall exceed weight limits posted for bridges and similar structures, or relieve any vehicle or carrier, owner or driver of any vehicle from compliance with any restrictions other than those specified, or from any statute, rule, order or other legal requirement.

BRILLIANT BROMELIADS... *continued from front*



“Nursery owners want to diversify their selections because this isn’t a monoculture where you only grow one thing,” Strain explained. “However, you do often see nurseries that focus on certain types of plants, such as ground cover, grasses, fruit trees, products for reforestation, nut-bearing trees, succulents and more. Just about anything you can imagine grows in a nursery somewhere in Louisiana.” In addition to selling or trading plants with other nursery owners, Mese said he also sells occasionally to local gardening societies and sometimes gives small cuttings or plants to people just beginning their own nursery operations.

“We’re not open to the public, but we do sell, trade and exhibit at some of the plant societies in the area,” he said. “You can have some fun and make some money doing it. Some people do it as their full-time work, but for a lot of people like me, it’s more of a hobby that lets you do something you enjoy while connecting with a lot of other people.”

Strain said that in his visits with nursery owners across Louisiana, he has seen other benefits as well.

“The money continues to flow locally and you can see it happening in real time,” he said. “If you are in the nursery business, you have to build greenhouses and buy equipment. You need fertilizer and plant food. That money is circulating in your area, so it’s helping a lot of people. I also find that being around plants is good for the human condition. There’s a lot of pride associated with helping something to grow and become beautiful. That’s why we



always say buy fresh, buy local, buy Louisiana – that’s where the good things grow.”

Mese said anyone interested in growing nursery crops should start by focusing on one or two types of plants, then expand their operations as they learn more. He also encourages people to grow plants they enjoy working with and focus on the satisfaction they get from being a grower instead of financial rewards.

There are more than 600 certified nurseries in Louisiana that grow a wide variety of crops and plants.

Strain said many nursery owners can often be found at local farmers markets and gardening

societies, and are always willing to answer questions and offer suggestions to people who are new to nursery operations.

“The LSU AgCenter and Southern AgCenter are other great resources with experts who can help anyone,” Strain said. “People can also connect with local master gardeners or garden clubs. You can also contact the USDA to see what kind of programs or incentives you may qualify for. There are people and places out there who are willing to help if you want to get into nursery crop operations.”

Nursery crops are considered specialty crops in Louisiana and may be eligible to participate in the Specialty Crop Block Grant Program. This program funds projects related to promotion, research development, advertising, education and more. To learn more, visit www.ldaf.state.la.us/consumers/agro-consumer-services-dairy/specialty-crops-program.

Are you a nursery grower?

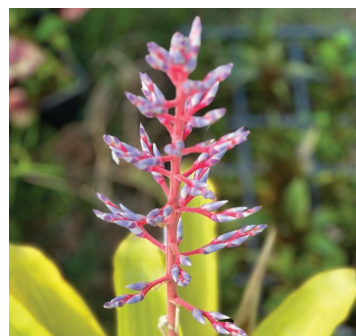
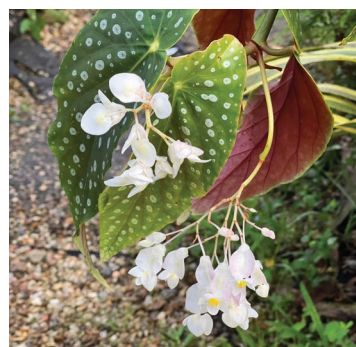
If you are a grower, you must have a Nursery Certificate Permit (also called a Grower’s Permit) to sell nursery stock, cut flowers, and bulbs that you grow.

After a successful inspection for any major insects or diseases, we will issue your permit. No exam is required, but the following fees apply.

- \$100 per year for NC1: Area greater than 2,500 square feet and/or greenhouse greater than 200 square feet
- \$25 per year for NC2: Home Yard (less than 2,500 sq. ft.) and/or greenhouse less than 200 square feet


If you want to sell nursery stock you have grown or purchased from a single location, you need either a Grower’s Permit or a Nursery Stock Dealer Permit, not both. If you grow the majority of your stock, you may operate under a Nursery Grower’s Permit. However, if you grow and sell at one location and also sell from other locations, you need a single Grower’s Permit plus a Nursery Stock Dealer Permit for each additional location.

Visit ldaf.la.gov for more information.




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SWCD Spotlight

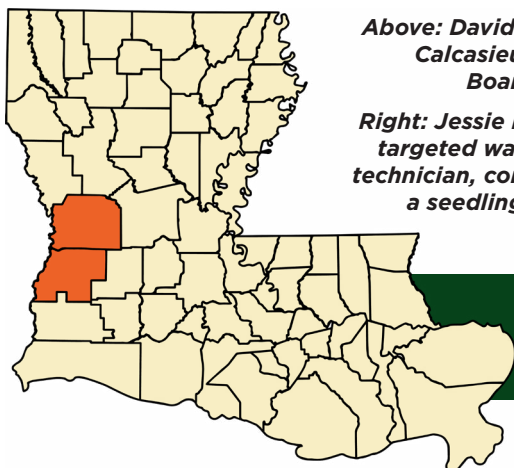


Calcasieu SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

The Calcasieu Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) was established on May 12, 1939, when landowners in Vernon and Beauregard parishes saw the need to provide conservation resources and assistance to neighboring landowners and producers.

Covering over 1.6 million acres, with **over 3,400 cooperators**, the Calcasieu SWCD creates conservation opportunities for all landowners. Through federal, state, and local partnership initiatives, they make conservation technical and financial assistance available to cropland, pastureland, woodland, and urban landowners.

Conservation enthusiasts and professionals throughout Calcasieu SWCD continue to increase conservation efforts toward soil health and habitat on working lands. **Nationally recognized Soil Health Champion** David Daigle uses agricultural processes and practices to reestablish and maintain beneficial and declining ecosystems through



Above: David Daigle, Calcasieu SWCD Board Chair

Right: Jessie Louvier, targeted watershed technician, completes a seedling count.

his successful cattle and longleaf pine timber production operation. Mr. Daigle is a long-time member of the Calcasieu SWCD board and currently serves as the board's chairman.

The Calcasieu SWCD has contributed to **evolving partnerships** with the National Wild Turkey Federation, Texas-Louisiana Longleaf Pine Task Force, Vernon and Beauregard Cattleman's Association, Southwest Louisiana Forestry Association, Louisiana Nature Conservancy, Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, Department of Defense (Fort Polk), and the U.S. Forest Service (USFS).

Calcasieu SWCD's growing partnership with the USFS has created the opportunity for a **shared technician** whose purpose is to assist the district's cooperators with technical assistance and conservation planning. This position has facilitated a succession of very productive SWCD agreements for the purpose of prescribed burning for forest health and productivity, enhancing rare and declining longleaf dominated habitats for red-cockaded woodpecker, LA pine snake, eastern wild turkey, and more.

Calcasieu SWCD recently facilitated the nation's first **"Good Neighbor Authority" agreement** between a soil and water conservation district and the USFS, allowing



critical management work to keep forests healthy and productive. Projects including water quality and quantity improvement, watershed restoration, vegetation management, soil and water improvement, and wildlife habitat improvement will be completed through this valuable partnership.



LA NRCS State Conservationist Chad Kacir (right) awards SWCD Board Chair David Daigle with the Hugh Hammond Bennett Award.



Board members Preston Broxson, Michael Lavergne, Jason Nolde, and David Daigle present Wesley Coffman (center) with the Conservationist of the Year Award. Mr. Coffman, who continues to maintain his LA Master Farmer certification, will soon retire from the Calcasieu SWCD after 19 years of service.

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To learn more about **SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICTS** in Louisiana, or to find your local SWCD office, visit www.ldaf.la.gov.

USDA reminds livestock producers of available drought assistance

USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) reminds drought-impacted producers in Louisiana that they may be eligible for assistance through the Emergency Assistance for Livestock, Honey Bees, and Farm-Raised Fish Program (ELAP).

ELAP provides financial assistance in the following areas for eligible livestock in qualifying counties/parishes:

- the transportation of water to livestock;
- the above normal cost of mileage for transporting feed to livestock; and
- the above normal cost of transporting livestock to forage/grazing acres.*

*Hauling livestock both ways starting in 2023, one haul per animal reimbursement and no payment for "empty miles."

Eligible livestock include cattle, bison, goats and sheep, among others, that are maintained for commercial use and located in a county where qualifying drought conditions occur. A county must have had D2 severe drought intensity on the U.S. Drought Monitor for eight consecutive weeks during the normal grazing period, or D3 or D4 drought intensity at any time during the normal grazing period. Producers must have risk in both eligible livestock and eligible grazing land in an eligible county to qualify for ELAP assistance.

Transporting water

Producers must be transporting water to eligible livestock on eligible grazing land where adequate livestock watering systems or facilities were in place before the drought occurred and where water transportation is not normally required. ELAP covers costs associated with personal labor, equipment, hired labor, and contracted water transportation fees. Cost of the water itself is not covered. ELAP covers \$0.07 per gallon to transport water.

Transporting feed

ELAP provides financial assistance to livestock producers who incur above normal expenses for transporting feed to livestock during drought. The payment formula excludes the first 25 miles and any mileage over 1,000 miles. The reimbursement rate is 60% of the cost above what would normally would have been incurred during the same time period in a normal (non-drought) year.

Livestock feed that is transported to livestock located on land enrolled in the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) is eligible if the producer has an approved conservation plan with acceptable grazing practices developed in coordination with the Natural Resources Conservation Service

The payment rate to transport feed is \$6.60/loaded mile for

expenses above what would have normally been incurred.

Transporting livestock

ELAP provides financial assistance to livestock producers who are hauling livestock to a new location for feed resources due to insufficient feed or grazing in drought-impacted areas. As with transporting feed, the payment formula for transporting livestock excludes the first 25 miles and any mileage over 1,000 miles. The reimbursement rate is 60% of the costs above what would normally have been incurred during the same time period in a normal (non-drought) year.

The payment rate to transport livestock is \$6.60/loaded mile for expenses above what would have normally been incurred and covers hauling livestock one-way, one haul per animal reimbursement and no payment for "empty miles."

An online tool is now available to help ranchers document and estimate payments to cover feed and livestock transportation costs caused by drought.

Reporting losses

Producers should contact FSA as soon as the loss of water or feed resources are known.

Documentation of expenses is critical for ELAP eligibility. Producers should maintain records and receipts associated with the costs of transporting water to eligible livestock, the costs of transporting feed to eligible livestock, the costs of additional feed purchases, and the costs of transporting eligible livestock to forage or other grazing acres.

Producers interested in ELAP assistance can contact their local USDA Service Center to learn more or to apply for programs.

Livestock producers in certain parishes are eligible for drought recovery assistance

Farm Service Agency (FSA) is now accepting applications for the Livestock Forage Disaster Program (LFP) for grazing losses due to drought in certain areas. The deadline to apply for 2023 LFP assistance is Jan. 30, 2024.

LFP provides compensation to eligible livestock producers who suffered grazing losses for covered livestock due to drought on privately owned or cash leased land or fire on federally managed

land. For LFP, qualifying drought intensity levels are determined using the U.S. Drought Monitor.

For a full list of eligible parishes and pasture types, visit the FSA LFP webpage at www.fsa.usda.gov/programs-and-services/disaster-assistance-program/livestock-forage/index.

More information in USDA disaster assistance is available at farmers.gov/recover.



Clean Out Your FREEZER DAY

<p>ACADIANA SUNDAY, AUGUST 27 10AM - 3PM</p> <p>ALEXANDRIA SUNDAY, AUGUST 27 1PM - 4PM</p> <p>BATON ROUGE AREA SUNDAY, AUGUST 27 1PM - 4PM</p> <p>COVINGTON SUNDAY, AUGUST 27 1PM - 4PM</p> <p>LAKE CHARLES SUNDAY, AUGUST 27 1PM - 4PM</p> <p>HOUMA SUNDAY, AUGUST 27 1PM - 4PM</p> <p>MARKSVILLE SUNDAY, AUGUST 27 1PM - 4PM</p> <p>MONROE AUGUST 21-23 & AUGUST 25 8:30AM - 2:30PM</p>	<p>NATCHEZ SATURDAY, AUGUST 26 1PM - 4PM</p> <p>NATCHITOCHE SATURDAY, AUGUST 26 8AM-12PM</p> <p>NEW ORLEANS SUNDAY, AUGUST 27 1PM - 4PM</p> <p>RUSTON SUNDAY, AUGUST 27 1PM - 4PM</p> <p>SHREVEPORT AUGUST 21-25 8AM - 3PM</p> <p>SLIDELL SUNDAY, AUGUST 27 1PM - 4PM</p> <p>ST. FRANCISVILLE SATURDAY, AUGUST 26 10AM - 2 PM</p>
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HUNTERS FOR THE HUNGRY is a nonprofit organization that has been working for over 20 years with hunters and sportsmen throughout the state of Louisiana to make a difference in the lives of neighbors by sharing our bounty of wild game and fish in order to combat hunger.

VISIT FOR MORE DROP-OFF LOCATION DETAILS
WWW.CLEANOUTYOURFREEZER.COM

BE PREPARED: Wildland fire safety

Amid the current drought and with a statewide burn ban still in effect, we all have a part to play in helping to keep our homes and community safer from wildfire.

Before a fire threatens, you can take action steps around your home to prepare for potential wildfires:

- **CLEAR** leaves and other vegetative debris from roofs, gutters, porches, and decks. This helps prevent embers from igniting your home.
- **REMOVE** dead vegetation and other items from under your deck or porch and within 10 feet of the house.
- **SCREEN** in areas below patios and decks with wire mesh to prevent debris and combustible materials from accumulating.
- **REMOVE** flammable materials (wood piles, propane tanks) within 30 feet of your home's foundation and outbuildings, including garages and sheds. If it can catch fire, don't let it touch your house, deck, or porch.
- **PRUNE** trees so the lowest branches are 6 to 10 feet from the ground. Wildfire can spread to tree tops.
- **KEEP** your lawn hydrated and maintained. If it is brown, cut it down to reduce fire intensity. Dry grass and shrubs are fuel for wildfire.
- **DISPOSE** of debris and lawn cuttings.
- **INSPECT** shingles or roof tiles. Replace or repair those that are loose or missing to prevent ember penetration.

- **COVER** exterior attic vents with metal wire mesh no larger than 1/8" to prevent sparks from entering the home.
- **ENCLOSE** eaves and screen soffit vents using 1/8" mesh metal screening to prevent ember entry.

Plan, prepare, & practice

A wildfire may make it necessary for you to evacuate. Plan, prepare, and practice these simple tips that can help make leaving your home quicker, easier, and safer.

- ✓ Sign up to receive local emergency alerts and warnings on all phones and devices.
- ✓ Know your community's emergency notification and evacuation plans.
- ✓ Plan an evacuation route (including alternates) away from your home.
- ✓ Designate a contact who knows your plan and how to communicate with you.
- ✓ Plan to help family, friends, or neighbors who have disabilities.
- ✓ Maintain roads/bridges on your property; build culverts with materials that won't melt; make sure everyone can open gates roads.
- ✓ Prepack emergency supply kits.
- ✓ Practice with your family and participate in community drills.
- ✓ Practice evacuating animals and pets, including how to operate trailers and other vehicles needed to transport them. Plan for the resources needed for their care in case of evacuation.



Louisiana Farm Bureau gathering drought data

Please help us ensure the Drought Monitor portrays a true picture of what farmers and ranchers are facing.

If you are an active producer and seeing impacts from severe drought, make your voice heard by filling out the form at this link: <https://shorturl.at/eqGL5>

Be sure to include location information (city, parish, etc.) and photographs showing the impacts of the drought conditions like depletion of water resources (dry ponds), cracked soil, bare pastures and dead vegetation.

We appreciate your help and will continue to keep you updated as we work to find relief for this difficult situation.

LDAF NEWS

Suspect arrested for initiating fire during burn ban

On August 11, 2023, Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry (LDAF) forestry enforcement agents in the southeast region began investigating a large wildfire in the area of Mount Hermon, Louisiana. During the course of the investigation, agents determined that the origin of the fire was near a campsite located off Firetower Road.

Forestry enforcement agents, along with Washington Parish Sheriff's Office detectives, executed a search warrant at the campsite in an attempt to determine who was present to ignite the fire(s).

Agents later came into contact with 34-year-old Kenneth Beaubouef, who advised he resided at the campsite. Beaubouef admitted to having started a fire on August 10 and tending to the fire late into the night. Beaubouef further indicated he left the area unattended on the morning of August 11. It appears the

fire subsequently spread into the nearby wooded area, causing severe damage to property and structures. Agents also note Beaubouef started the original fire during a statewide burn ban.

Kenneth Beaubouef was taken into custody and booked into the Washington Parish Jail for violations of Louisiana revised statutes

14:204 (Fire-raising on lands of another by criminal negligence) and 40:1602 (Burn Ban Violation).

The Washington Parish Sheriff's Office and the Louisiana Office of State Fire Marshal assisted in the investigation.

LDAF's Office of Forestry is tasked with responding to wildfires at any hour, and crews stand ready to take action. In the event of an emergency that requires their assistance, you can call the LDAF 24-Hour Emergency Hotline at 1-855-452-5323 or dial 911.

Note: All persons accused of any crime are considered innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

The public is urged to report any and all forestry-related crimes to the LDAF 24-hr hotline at 1-855-452-5323.



Hurricane Impacted Forestry Landowner Meeting

Tuesday, August 29th

GOLDEN NUGGET HOTEL & CASINO RESORT
LAKE CHARLES
MEMORIAL ROOM

RSVP

CONTACT JEANNIE
225-925-4500

JSEVERIO@LDAF.STATE.LA.US

REGISTRATION STARTS AT 9:30AM
MEETING 10:00AM - 2:00PM



POULTRY SALES & SHOWS

Hammond Poultry Swap will be held 1st Sat. of the month at Tractor Supply on Florida Blvd. Only healthy animals. For more information, call Jenna at 225-439-9024.

Poultry Swap and Farmers Market every 1st and 3rd Sat. from 7AM until at the Moss Bluff Tractor Supply. For more information, call Joyce Conner at 337-391-1790.

Abbeville Poultry Sales and Swap will be held every 4th Sunday from 8AM until noon at the Tractor Supply, 3410 Veterans Memorial Drive. No sick animals and no dogs or cats. For more information, call Kenneth Richard at 337-319-5669.

Denham Springs Poultry Swap will be held every 2nd Sat. from 9AM until 1PM at the Tractor Supply on Florida Blvd., only healthy animals, no dogs or cats. For more info, call Daniel at 225-665-9042.

Opelousas Poultry Swap and Sales every 1st Sunday from 8AM until noon at the Tractor Supply, Hwy. 190. No sick animals and no dogs or cats. For more info, call Larry at 337-945-2804.

Reeves Auction and Livestock every 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month at 3PM. Located at 9271 Hwy 190 in Ragley. Includes general merchandise and poultry. For more information, call Danny Reeves at 337-309-9679.



Mike Strain, DVM Commissioner

Louisiana Department of
Agriculture & Forestry
5825 Florida Blvd.
Baton Rouge, LA 70806
225-922-1234

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Environmental Sciences
225-925-3770

Office of Agro-Consumer Services
225-922-1341

Office of Animal Health & Food Safety
225-935-2153

Office of Forestry
225-925-4500

Office Management & Finance
225-952-8143

Office of Soil & Water Conservation
225-922-1269

REGIONAL OFFICES

Crowley Office
337-788-7529

DeRidder Office - Forestry only
337-463-7801

Hammond Office
985-543-4057, 4024

Haughton Office
318-949-3225

Indian Creek Recreation Center
318-487-5058

Jena Office - Forestry only
318-992-1400, 1401

Monroe Office
318-345-7595

Natchitoches Office
318-357-3126

New Orleans Office
504-286-1125

Oak Grove Office
318-428-0116

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Opelousas Office
337-948-0230

Woodworth Office
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COMING YOUR WAY

HORSE EVENTS

Bogalusa Cow Sorting — For more information, call Troy Crain (985-516-7507) or Blake Chiasson (985-285-0892) or email sorting@3DOTS.us.

Cotton Country Open Horse Show Association — All shows are held at the NE LA Exhibition Center on Hwy 33 in Ruston. For more information, visit www.ccohsa.com.

Deep South Stock Horse Show Association — All shows are held at the covered Clinton Arena in Clinton, with exception of the March and November shows, which are held at the Pointe Coupee Multi-Use Center. Remaining show dates for 2023 include September 9, October 21, and November 11. All shows begin at 9AM. For more information visit www.dsshsa.org or find us on Facebook or Instagram. Email: dsshsa@gmail.com

Jeff Davis Riders Club — All shows are held at Crowley Rice Arena and begin at 9AM unless otherwise noted. For more info, call Cathy Meche (337-526-2281) or visit www.jeffdavisridersclub.org.

Livingston Horse Show Association — All shows are held at South Park Arena in Denham Springs unless otherwise noted. For more information, visit www.livingstonhorseshow.weebly.com or call 985-507-0605.

Louisiana Little Britches rodeo — All events are held at the West Cal Arena unless otherwise noted. For more information, visit lalbra.weebly.com or email lalbra@yahoo.com.

Louisiana Stock Horse Association — All shows start at 9AM each day. November 19 & 20 — LaSH Finals, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish Arena For more information, visit www.louisianastockhorse.com or call 337-208-2336.

LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS

CATTLE

Kinder Livestock (MON)

13008 Hwy. 190, West Kinder
337-738-2778, www.cattleusa.com

Dominique Stockyard (MON)

1462 Airline Hwy. Baton Rouge
225-356-5203

Amite Livestock Co. (TUES/SAT)

58449 Hwy. 51 Amite
985-748-8636, www.cattleusa.com

Dominique Stockyard (TUES)

2800 W. Landry St, Opelousas
337-942-5661

Mansura Livestock (WED)

8745 Hwy. 1 Mansura
318-964-5330, www.cattleusa.com

Red River Livestock Auction (WED)

P. O. Box 456 Hwy. 1, Coushatta
318-932-5691, www.cattleusa.com

Delhi Livestock Auction (WED)

774 Hwy. 80, Delhi, 318-878-2394

SHOW ARENAS, BARNES, ETC.

Acadia Parish Rice Arena

159 Cherokee Drive, Crowley
337-783-1442 or 337-384-4500
ricearena@appj.org

Assumption Parish Ag Complex & Arena

119 Robin St., Napoleonville
www.assumptionla.com/AgComplex

Bogalusa Community Arena

20239 Airport Road, Bogalusa

Clinton Covered Arena

14730 Hwy. 10, Clinton
225-316-6779
www.clintonarena.com

D'Arbonne Range Riders Arena

202 Rodeo Rd. Farmerville
www.darbonnerangeriders.com

Morehouse Activity Center

9525 Marlatt St., Bastrop
318-281-3164
www.morehouseactivitycenter.com

SugArena at Acadiana Fairgrounds

713 Northwest Bypass (Hwy. 3212)
New Iberia 337-365-7539
www.sugarena.com

Sweetwater Campground & Riding Stables Arena

57056 N. Cooper Road, Loranger
985-878-6868
www.sweetwater-campground.com

Terrebonne Livestock

Agricultural Fair Assoc. Arena
221 Moffet Rd., Houma
985-665-1005
www.terrebonne-livestock.org

Texas Longhorn Rodeo

Arena, 3274 Hwy. 109, S.Vinton
337-589-5647

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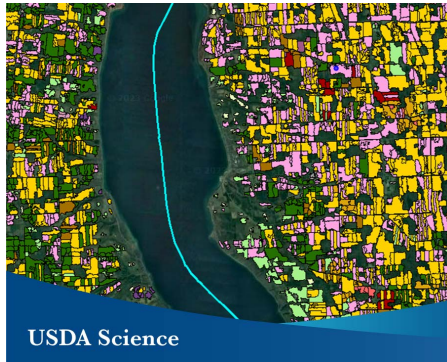
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USDA unveils cutting-edge map showing planted commodities

Imagine this. You are a new farmer who bought a plot of land in your hometown. You're making important decisions for your operation like what to plant and where. If only you had a tool to identify historical information for what's been grown on your land and in your area that would allow you to make better informed decisions to set up your new business for success.

Thanks to USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS) and Economic Research Service (ERS), this tool has become a reality. The public can now access a new geospatial product called **Crop Sequence Boundaries** (CSB).



CSB is a cutting-edge map of agricultural fields that provides crop acreage estimates and historical planting decisions across the contiguous United States. Created using satellite imagery and other public data, it allows users to conduct area and statistical analyses of planted U.S. commodities.

It can help producers make planting and farm practice decisions and researchers conduct analyses at the field level, such as the study of conservation practices. CSB fills a gap between existing data sources; most other field level spatial products offer only small areas of focus.

The CSB data sets for 2015 to 2022 are viewable and available for download at the state and county-level using an interactive map powered by Google Earth Engine. CSB contains no confidential or personally identifiable information.

Explore all the spatial data tools developed by NASS and its partners at www.nass.usda.gov/Research_and_Science.

Make plans now for next year's Envirothon

The next Louisiana Envirothon is set for March 6, 2024. Make plans now to get involved any of the ways below:

- **LEAD:** You can get involved with Louisiana Envirothon by organizing a team of five students from the same school or associated with an organized group such as FFA, 4-H or science clubs. The team registration fee is \$50.
- **ADVOCATE:** Share information! Please share this email with any teachers or groups you think may be interested! Follow us on Facebook and share the opportunity via social media. Envirothon is an exceptional opportunity for our youth to get hands-on experience in environmental problem-solving. Help us spread the word!
- **SPONSOR:** Become a Sponsor! Envirothon would not be possible without our wonderful sponsors. Sponsors receive recognition on competition posters, promotional items, DEQ website, social media and through press releases.

The Louisiana Envirothon is an environmental problem-solving competition for students in grades 6-12. Teams train and compete by demonstrating their knowledge of environmental science and natural resource management with the hope of going on to represent Louisiana at the North American Envirothon Competition. The competition focuses on five natural resource areas: soils and land use, aquatic resources, forestry, wildlife, and a current environmental issue.

Louisiana Envirothon is a success because of the ongoing partnership between academia, state government, and private entities to provide students with the opportunity to experience environmentally oriented activities, enabling them to become environmentally aware citizens. Become a part of our team by spreading the word to potential sponsors and groups of students that share the Envirothon spirit.

For more information at the Louisiana Envirothon, visit <http://deq.louisiana.gov/page/envirothon>.

EVENTS

Fish Identification – Educational Event at Indian Creek Rec Area

Saturday, August 26

Learn about the different species of fish you can catch at LDAF's Indian Creek Recreation Area. 100 Campground Way, Woodworth, LA. Admission: \$7 per vehicle.

For more information, visit www.facebook.com/IndianCreekRecArea.

LSU AgCenter Sweet Potato Field Day

Thursday, August 31

Black Gold Farms, 2305 La. Highway 17, Delhi, LA. Registration begins at 8:30 AM with field starting at 9 AM. Presentations by AgCenter faculty and staff will cover breeding lines, irrigation, nematode and weed management, and other industry updates.

For more information or to arrange for ADA accommodations, contact Tara Smith (tsmith@agcenter.lsu.edu or 318-557-9501), Cole Gregorie (cgregorie@agcenter.lsu.edu or 318-680-9833) or Myrl Sistrunk (msistrunk@agcenter.lsu.edu or 318-267-6712).

Putting Profit and Fun into Your Cattle Business

Friday, September 8

Louisiana Grazing Lands Conservation Initiative welcomes Kit Pharo and Weston Walker from the Pharo Cattle Company. 8:30 AM-12 PM at the Vidalia Convention Center. Tickets are \$25 per person and include lunch.

Pre-register at louisianaglci.org. Call Tara Morris at 225-721-1313 for more information.



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LRA SHOWCASE 2023



There was a fantastic turnout of Certified Louisiana families at the 2023 Louisiana Restaurant Association (LRA) Showcase in New Orleans this month.

The LRA Showcase is the largest foodservice and hospitality tradeshow in the Gulf South, so we love to help our Certified businesses show their products there. It's a tremendous opportunity to expand their products' reach by engaging with owners and managers from across Louisiana and surrounding states. With two full days of exhibiting and networking, filled with educational sessions, and culinary cookoffs, it was a great time for business and community.

The Certified Louisiana logo program, which includes Certified Louisiana, Certified Cajun, Certified Creole, Certified Craft Beverage, and Certified Farm to Table, was established to enhance and promote Louisiana's agricultural industry. The logo aids in marketing Louisiana products to consumers. Projects eligible for inclusion in the Certified Louisiana logo program must be made, grown, manufactured, processed, produced, or substantially transformed in the state of Louisiana.



Check out all the members of LDAF's Certified Louisiana family at www.certifiedlouisiana.org or Facebook.com/CertifiedLouisiana.

