

There are so many things to love about the holidays... time away from work, family get togethers, fun festive days, and cozy fireside nights. Picture taking, memory making... let's see what are we forgetting? THE FOOD! Here in Louisiana, we're always cooking something good, but the tabletops in the Bayou State really shine for Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year.

When planning your holiday menu this year, be sure to check your list twice for fresh, local Louisiana goods, including products from Certified Louisiana members.

The Certified Program includes Certified Louisiana, Certified Cajun, Certified Creole, Certified Craft Beverage, and Certified Farm to Table. The logo program was established by the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry in accordance with R.S. 3:4721 for the promotion of Louisiana-made, grown, manufactured, or processed products that are aimed at enhancing and promoting Louisiana's agricultural industry. The logo aids

> in marketing these products to consumers for farmers, processors, producers, and suppliers alike. With the recognition of the Certified logos, buyers can help support their local homegrown companies.

Show your support by looking for the Certified logo when shopping. When you see one of the logos in stores, farmer's markets, or restaurants, you can be confident you are getting a product with an authentic Louisiana flavor from someone right here in Louisiana.

> **Commissioner Strain and** some of the members of the Certified family... when you shop Certified Louisiana products, you support your community!

Why keep it local?

- Every dollar spent on Certified Louisiana products circulates more than five times in your local economy.
- Local businesses generate \$68 of local economic return for every \$100 spent, while spending \$100 at a national chain generates only \$43 of local economic return.
- Small businesses, which are almost exclusively locally owned, employ 54% of Louisiana employees.
- Small local businesses contribute five times as much to nonprofit organizations and community causes as large businesses.

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COMMISSIONER'S CORNER

Enjoy Louisiana specialty crops for Thanksgiving

As you gather to celebrate Thanksgiving next week, we hope that your home is filled with loved ones and that your table is bountiful with all the good things that grow in Louisiana.

> I'm sure it's no surprise to you that the latest Consumer Price Index report reveals the inflation rate for food at home increased by two percent over the last 12 months.

The price of canned peas, pumpkin, and many other things have gone up. Everything from flour to butter and cranberry sauce are higher.

> In fact, a Thanksgiving dinner for a family of four will cost around \$30 this

year, and the average cost for Thanksgiving dinner will be about \$6.50 to \$7 per person.

There is some good news... the price of turkeys has come down because there is a higher supply than demand.

As you prepare your holiday menu, don't bypass having Louisiana homegrown produce on your Thanksgiving table.

Stock up at your local farmers market or roadside stand with splendid squash, sweet potatoes, satsumas, pecans, peppers, greens, and local Louisiana seafood.

Look for Certified Louisiana products at the grocery store.

No matter what's on your plate, be sure to start with fresh, local Louisiana ingredients. Happy Thanksgiving!



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Bermuda Large Round	Premium	\$200
Bermuda Medium Round	Premium	\$150-\$200

SOUTH TEXAS WEEKLY HAY REPORT, NOV 3, 2023

Bermuda Large Round.......Good/Premium......\$130-\$150/bale

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Seasonal - Call Sarah 337-368-7404

Produce 26105 Liberty Cemetery Rd

Main Street Farmers Market 1333 Elton Rd

Sat 9AM-12PM, March-Dec

Tues 3:30-6PM, May-Sept

Acadiana Farmers Market 801 Foreman Dr & Dulles St

Tues & Sat, 5-10AM, year round

Lafayette Jockey Lot Flea Market 3011 NW Evangeline Thrwy

Farmers & Artisans Market Horse

Sat 9AM-5PM, Sun 10AM-5PM,

Farm. 2913 Johnston St

LAFOURCHE PARISH

Lafourche Central Market

Olla Town Square Market

Town of Tullos Farmers' Market

Corner of S Main & Park St Fri, 12-4PM, May 1-Aug 28

LINCOLN PARISH

220 East Mississippi Sat 9AM-1PM, year round

Denham Springs

MADISON PARISH

215 Florida St

Tallulah

Bastrop

Natchitoches

Nov

Market

Oct-Nov

Ruston Farmer's Market

LIVINGSTON PARISH

Livingston Farmers Market

Sat 7AM-12PM, year round

Tallulah Farmers Market #1

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

Morehouse Parish Farmers Market

Sat 8AM-12PM, Apr-Aug, Oct-Nov

Mobile Market #1 (City Park) Tues-Fri10AM-6PM, Apr-Aug, Oct-

Natchitoches Farmers Market

Natchitoches Mobile Farmers

Mobile Market #2 (Riverbank)

Mon-Wed 10AM-6PM, Apr-Aug,

Find a farmer's market near you @ www.usdalocalfoodportal.com

305 E Madison Mon-Sat 7AM-5PM, year round

NATCHITOCHES PARISH

River Front Downtown

404 N Cedar St, Hwy. 65

2990 Front St Tues 1-5PM, May-Aug 11

LASALLE PARISH

4484 Hwy 1 at US 90 Sat 9AM-12PM, year round

Sat 8AM-12PM, year round

Welsh Farmers Market

LAFAYETTE PARISH

103 W. Grove St

Jennings

Welsh

Lafayette

year round

Raceland

Olla

Tullos

Ruston

ACADIA PARISH

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

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

Ravne Ravne 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

Hwv. 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

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

AVOYELLES PARISH

<u>Marksville</u> 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 <u>Colfax</u>

Colfax 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 <u>St. Gabriel</u>

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

ORLEANS PARISH

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

New Orleans Crescent City Farmers Market — UPTOWN 200 Broadway Tues 8AM - 12PM, year round

Crescent City Farmers Market — MID-CITY Lafitte Greenway Plaza 500 N. Norman Parkway Thurs 3 PM - 7 PM, year round

Crescent City Farmers Market — CITY PARK Tad Gormely Stadium Marconi @ Navarre Sun 8 AM - 12PM, year round

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

<u>Delhi</u> 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. Mav-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

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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

<u>Hammond</u> 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 Dav

TERREBONNE PARISH

Houma Caiun 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

Franklinton Farmers Market

Mon-Sat, 6:30AM-7PM, year round

1st & 3rd Sat, 8AM-1PM, Jul-Oct

WEST FELICIANA PARISH

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

Washington St & 15th Ave

Market on Turner's Pond

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301 Lakeshore

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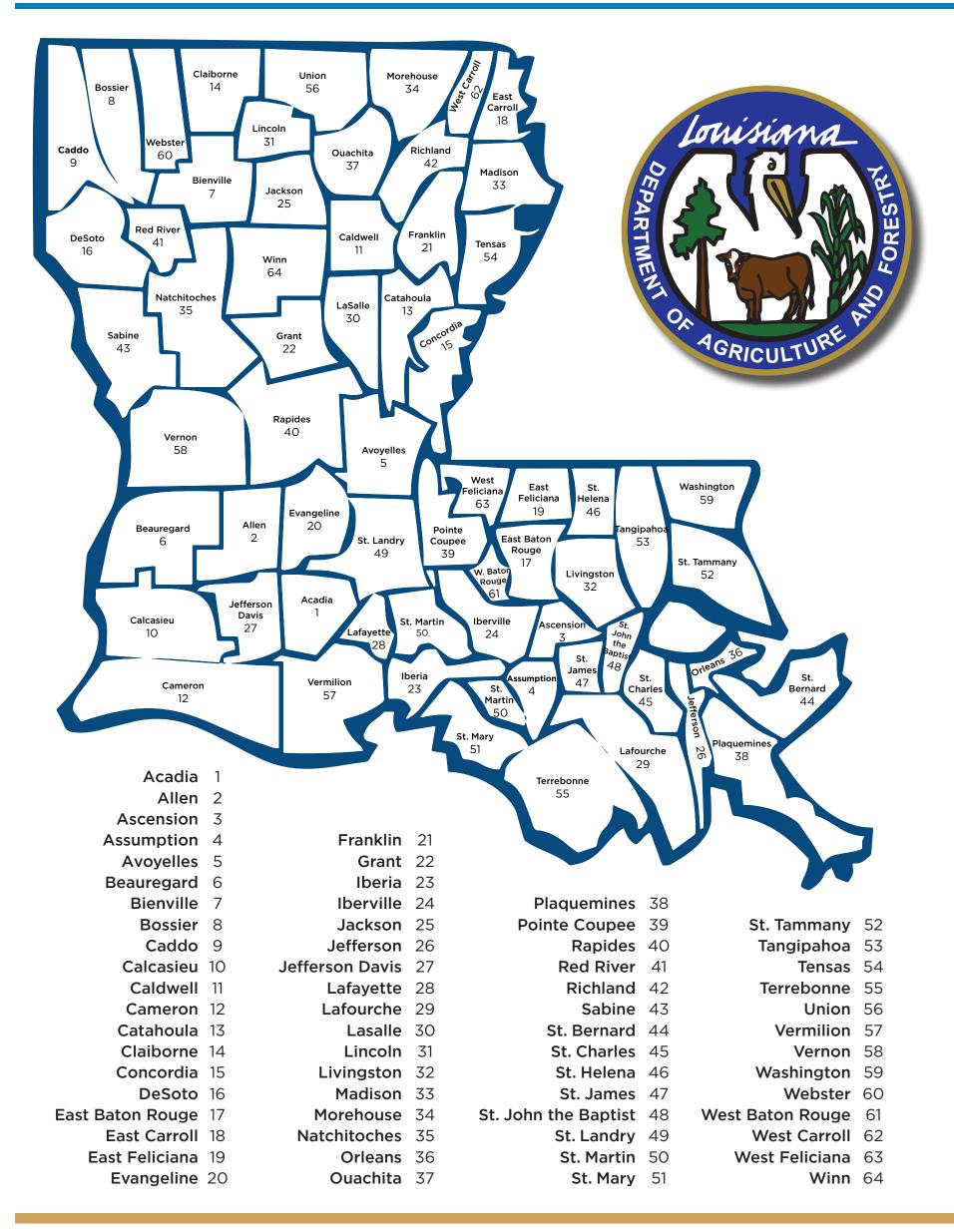
WINN PARISH

Winn Farmers Market 301 West Main

Tues-Fri. 7AM-until sold out.

Winnfield

year round



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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

Reg. Black Angus proven herd sire, Bd. 10/03/2019, wt. 2315lbs., Reg. # 19760162, Bwt. 60 lbs., Wwt 700 lbs., lightly bred, outstanding EPD's and progeny, very docile, ready for fall breeding season, photo available, \$5,500. Zachary Comeaux, Scott, Lafayette Parish; 337-288-6526 337-896-9296, email: cquin1@bellsouth. net.

Reg. Black Angus cow, #19481420, BD 6/2/2019, good performance, milker and low maintenance, gentle with daughter retained, due 12/1/2023 to bull Reg. #19760162, \$1,875. Zachary Comeaux, Scott, Lafayette Parish; 337-288-6526 or 337-896-9296, email: cquin1@ bellsouth.net.

Registered Black Angus virgin bull, 30 months old, \$3,000. Rhett Dugas, St. Landry, Evangeline Parish; 225-571-6386.

Reregistered Black Angus bull, 4 yrs. old, gentle, vaccinated, reregistration papers available, great bloodline, serious inquiries call, text or leave a message with phone number, \$2,500 OBO. Letha Kluka, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-687-3158.

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

Three Reg. Black Angus cows with late summer heifer calves, top line bred genetics, closed herd tested free of unfavorable genetic conditions, \$1,600 for a pair, \$4,500 for 3 pair. Ms. LD Lacour, Robert, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-345-0441.

BEEFMASTER

Purebred 2 yr. old Beefmaster bulls, red, one dun, 7+ generations bred here, avg. 205 wts. was 643 lbs., your choice with papers in your name and a current breeding soundness evaluation is \$2,500, sire of these bulls is a Wallen Prairie Ranch Total Package son. Mel Jackson, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-308-0921 or 318-443-0203.

Reg. Beefmaster Bull, C1166957, 19 months, dehorned, all vaccines, ready to go, \$3,250. Ellie Brouillette, Church Point, St Landry Parish; 337-344-6004.

BRAFORD

Braford bull, ¾ Hereford, ¼ Brahman, 18 months old, semen tested and ready to go to work, see pics at choctawcattle.com, \$2,500. RoyLee Hebert, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-581-5504.

Six-month-old, very gentle, Braford bull, \$1,500 OBO. Dwight Stockstill, Bush, St. Tammany Parish; 985-246-0082.

(15) F1 chocolate Braford heifers, 22 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. Philip Istre, Dequincy, Calcasieu Parish; 337-660-1053.

BRAHMAN

Reg. gray Brahman heifers, easy calving and gentle, bloodline JDH Mr Manso 854 and Maddox 684, \$2,000/each. Eric Wingate, Church point, Acadia Parish; 337-257-9071.

(2) Two-year-old gray Brahman bulls, ready for service, very gentle with a lot of meat, grandsons of Maddox 684, \$2,500/each. Eric Wingate, Church point, Acadia Parish; 337-257-9071.

(2) Two-year-old pure pred registered Brahman bulls for sale, semen tested, \$2,500 each. Eric Wingate, Church Pointe, Acadia Parish; 337-257-9071.

(6) Reg. Grey Brahman virgin bulls, 23-24 mos., checked for breeding soundness, ready to go, bucket fed, \$2,500 each. David or Jarret Rachal, Prairieville, Ascension Parish; 225-235-9080 or 225-290-3627.

Four-year-old, pure bred Brahman bull, very gentle, \$2,000 OBO. Dwight Stockstill, Bush, St. Tammany Parish; 985-246-0082.

PB Brahman heifers, red and grey, very gentle, great bloodline, some bred, some open, one has calf at side, \$1,200/1. Sam Broussard, Maurice, Vermilion Parish; 979-479-0929.

Brahman and F1 Golden Certified heifers, 9-10 months, ABBA Reg., \$1,850-\$2,500 each. Philip Istre, Dequincy, Calcasieu Parish; 337-660-1053.

BRANGUS

Golden Certified F1 Brangus Bulls, 2 years old, out of

registered Angus cattle and JD Hudgins Brahman bulls, tested and ready, \$2,800-\$3,500. Philip Chiasson, Galliano, Lafourche Parish; 985-637-7538.

Brangus Bull 5 yrs. old, registered bloodline, but no papers, gentle calves to show, \$2,500. Tim Gautreau, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-519-3335.

Golden Certified F1 Brangus Bulls, virgin 2-year-olds that are tested and ready, \$2,800 and up. Philip Chiasson, Galliano, Lafourche Parish; 985-637-7538.

(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.

BRAUNBIEH

2- Reg. Braunbeih bulls, 7-mths old, sired by the calving ease specialist, MHF Xerox, one traditional coloring and one is chocolate coloring, \$1,600/ each. Alvin Williams, Angie, Washington Parish; 985-570-3224.

CHAROLAIS

Registered Charolais bulls, 18 months and older, \$3,500 and up, Registered Charolais heifers, bred, \$2,500 and up, Open Charolais heifers, \$1,200 and up, Grain fed butcher calves, \$4/lb. dressed. Coy Fitch, Jeanerette, Iberia Parish; 337-276-5991.

Registered Charolais cow with

4-month-old registered Charolais bull calf (bull calf should make excellent herd bull) cow may be bred back, \$1,800/ both. Garry Lavergne, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-6345.

Charolais bulls, \$4,400,

Charolais cows, \$3,300; pairs \$4,000, Charlangus cows, \$2,200, pairs \$2,800, Open Charolais heifers, \$1,600, Charlangus heifers, \$1,300. Dr. Fred Rodosta, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-331-3151 or 337-948-6511.

DEXTER

Dexter cattle, heifers, all are running with registered A2/A2 bull and should be bred, \$450. Karen Grubb, Caldwell Parish; 318-801-3342.

Reducing Herd, 4 mini Dexters, 3 white, 1 black (heifer calf, 2 bull calves, breeding bull has had 15 offspring), whole group price \$6,000, text for pics & info. Celia Lupin, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish; 504-312-8282.

HEREFORD

Reg. 4-year-old Polled Hereford bull, very gentle with calves to show, \$3,500. Chris Brouillette, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-3279.

4 Registered Polled Hereford

bulls, 18-20 months old, excellent quality, \$2,800-\$3,500. Jim Fannin, Jonesboro, Jackson Parish; 318-259-4535. **Polled Hereford show heifer for** ale, halter broken, \$1,500. Lamar Holmes, DeSoto Parish; 318-286-7406.

Polled Hereford heifer & bull calves, great EPD's, low birth weights, super thick and very gentle, all shots and wormed, 6-18 mos. old, \$1,200-1 & up, delivery available for an additional charge. Laura Hughes, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-933-2997.

SCOTTISH HIGHLAND

I am selling 600-800-pound

Scottish Highland bulls for, \$2.25 per pound on the hoof, 97% fat free beef, the most delicious beef in the world. Skip Russell, Ruston, Lincoln Parish; 318-548-5050.

Baby Scottish Highland calves, boys \$1,000, girls \$4,000. Skip Russell, Ruston, Lincoln Parish; 318-548-5050.

ZEBU

Reg. mini zebu bulls, cows, calves, show quality, \$500 and up for each. Jerome Hammons, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-508-0800.

DAIRY

Purebred Holstein cow with 2nd heifer calf, may be bred, back to low-birth weight, Charolais bull, \$1,500/both. Garry Lavergne, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-6345.

WANTED: 1 or 2 Holstein cows with calf. Skip Russell, Ruston, Lincoln Parish; 318-548-5050.

WANTED: Brown Swiss cow wanted, no crosses, registered or unregistered ok, converting dairy to all Brown Swiss, premium price paid for nice cow, Will Fleenor, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-351-2311.

OTHER

3-year-old Balancer bull,

\$2,300, 2-year-old Simmental bull, \$1,750. Darrin Olivier, Terrebonne Parish; 985-209-8975.

Bull calf, registered with

American Aberdeen Association, sire is a reg. Hereford, dam is reg. Aberdeen, black with white face, born 8/9/23, \$900. Rebecca White, LeCompte, Rapides Parish; 318-613-8890.

Bull calf, 75% Hereford, registered with American Aberdeen Association, Dam is 50% Aberdeen 50% Hereford, sire is reg. Hereford. Polled Black Baldie, born 3/29/23, \$1,000. Rebecca White, LeCompte, Rapides Parish; 318-623-8890.

Miniature bulls, cows and calf, Zebu mix, not pets, but gentle because they are fed every day, pictures can be seen on FB Lazy Bear Farm LLC, prior bulls have been sold as youth bucking bulls, price varies from \$300-\$600. Anthony Hebert, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-324-8228.

Feeder freezer beef, \$2.25 lb. live wt. Glenda McKean, Greensburg, St. Helena Parish; 985-507-0211.

Package of three conventional frozen embryos, \$400 each,

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4 rare Tuli bulls for sale, more durable than a brahma and marble, as well as an angus without an ear and hump deductions, \$2,000/bull. John Campbell, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 318-470-0460.

One black Baldy and one Braford heifer 8 months old, estimated weight around 450-500 pounds for sale, \$900, or freezer calves for \$4 per pound with \$300 deposit, plus \$100 delivery fee to butcher, cash or cashier's check only. Wesley Green III, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-278-9630.

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All horses, mules, and jacks

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19 yr. old Friesian Star mare, show ring trail rides, \$15,000. Gene Lindner, Belle Chase, Plaquemine Parish; 504-427-9014.

Long Yearling son of Colonels Lil Scoot out of Dual Smart Rey-Haidas Little Pep mare, negative Coggins provided \$2,500. John D. Broussard, Erath, Vermilion Parish; 337-937-6719.

3 Mini. Baby horses for sale, \$350 each. Skip Russell, Ruston, Lincoln Parish; 318-548-5050.

Baby Miniature horses,

4-8-month-old, boys \$400, girls \$600. Skip Russell, Ruston, Lincoln Parish; 318-548-5050.

AQHA Heck No Cryin has a filly on her right now, born

7/10/2022, after colt has been weaned off of her Is when you can pick her up, ask for \$1,000 deposit, \$4,000. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

AQHA Filly DOB 7/10/23, CJ Heck No Dixie off stud Peponita



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and vet checked ultrasound. Dr.

text, or email. Joe Sylvestri,

rayvillefamily.com.

mini horses. Skip Russell,

(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/\$10 mare care. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

AGHA horse, Peppi Figure Four, #5403078 BD, foundation bred stud, 4/20/11, bay roan, health cert. & neg. Coggins required, \$500/\$10 mare care. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

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Equine weanling/ yearling desensitization and groundwork, two-week sessions. Perry Fontenot, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-351-3844.

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TACK

Saddles, bridles, pads, halters, nails, anvil, shoes, rope, etc., all or part, all for \$1,000. Robert Williams, Zachary, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-654-0271.

Handmade nylon cow whips, \$50/ up, repair whips too. Billy Anderson, Baker, EBR Parish; 225-592-2431.

Show supplies, ropes, halters, lead ropes, hay bags etc., make an offer. Ricky Juneau, Hessmer, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-0697.

SHEEP & GOATS

Brush goats, male, female, wethers, non-binary, \$125, taking deposits on future female births. Danny Hyorth, Killian, Livingston Parish; 504-450-9350.

Twin ewes (Barbado and Katahdin cross) born 1/25/2023, bred to Barbado ram, due in January, \$110 each. Buford Landreneau, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-461-5282. Female Barbado sheep with twins, male and female, born 10/6/2023, \$275 each. Buford Landreneau, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-461-5282.

Kiko Goats, to 8-month-old male Kiko goats, \$125 each or \$200 for both, photos on request. Steven Lansing, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-931-2856.

6 Kiko goats, and does for sale, pure bred, 8 months old, \$200 each, 10 Nigerian Dwarf goats for sale, wethers and does, \$75-\$100 each. Brian Still, Gibsland, Bienville Parish; 318-548-9059.

Pb Dorper ewes bred to registered Dorper ram, \$250, registered Dorper ram, \$350. Blake Bertrand, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-655-4851.

Nigerian dwarf/ Spanish cross, 4-month-old Billy goat, very healthy, \$85. Errol Savage, Plaucheville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-4610.

Katahdin Dorper Cross ewe, 1 year old, \$125. Oran Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish;337-458-0568.

St. Croix/Harlequin ewe lamb, 4 months old, \$150, 1 full St. Croix ram, 6 months, call for pricing. Melanie Moore, Deville, Rapides parish; 318-792-3007.

Nigerian dwarf/brush goat cross, 3-month-old Billy goat, very healthy, \$85. Errol Savage, Plaucheville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-4610. Katahdin and Katahdin/Dorper rams, 8-12 months old, \$150 and up. Shange Granger, Mamou, Evangeline Parish: 337-658-7257.

Boer full blood doe, exposed to a billy, reducing herd, asking \$300. Norris Deville, Plaguemine. Iberville Parish:

225-385-8503. **4-Saanen females goats, 6** months old, \$200 each. Jerral G. Jacobs, Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-355-5475.

Nigerian Dwarf goat, buckling and doe, 2-10 months, \$50-\$75. Diana Reeves, Mittie, Allen Parish; 337-488-5055.

DOGS

Reg. Toy Rat Terriers, assorted colors, UTD on shots, worming, \$400. Jerome Hammons, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-508-0800.

Anatolian/Great Pyrenees male born 4/29/23, shots up to date, been with cows, goats, and chickens, \$500 or best offer. Bonnie Decker, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-398-5003.

Standard Jack Russell Terrier, 13 months, male, 19 lbs., CKC registered, professionally trained with excellent recall, needs space to run, \$500. Ray Ogle, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-280-5879.

1 Great Pyrenees female due with puppies 11/28/23, will give all sots, they will protect farm animals, family, and farm, \$250 for each, I ask for a \$100 deposit. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

2 Jack Russell females going to have puppies on 11/12/23 and 11/18/23, will have all shots and wormed, will make squirrel and house dogs,1 for \$150, ask for a \$75 deposit. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

3 FREE male dogs, mixed

breeds, approx. 8 months to 1 year old, (1) smokey, (1) brown, (1) tan, loveable, friendly, affectionate and protective. Amanda Chatelain, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-452-3826.

AKC registered, beautiful, Black

Lab puppies, born October 9th, ready for new home by Thanksgiving week, 7 males, 2 females, first shots included, \$800. Linda David, Iberville Parish, 225-776-5051.

Yorkie puppies, one female and two males, tails are docked, and dew claws removed, each puppy will come with up-to-date shots and worming, contact for pricing. Sarah Walker, Basile; 337-298-8218 or sarahwalker7@ me.com.

AKC registered Corgis, 2

females and 1 male, fawn in color, selling as package only, \$1,200. Blake Bertrand, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-655-4851 (can text).

ASDR Mini Australian Shepherd puppies 6 weeks old and ready to go, 2 blue merle males, \$800 and 1 female blue merle, \$1,000, call her text. Travis Vincent, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-316-0877.

AKC German Shepherd pups, excellent family protection dogs, easily trained, super well socialized, to approved home only, \$2,000. Cindi Gascon, Gretna, Jefferson Parish; 601-299-0264.

AKC Belgian Malinois pups, both parents are imported working digs, they are well socialized, come when called and started crate training, to approved home only, \$2,000. Cindi Gascon, Gretna, Jefferson Parish; 601-299-0264.

Rat Terrier puppies, 5 females, 2 males, born October 1st, \$75 each. David McElwee, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-658-4426.

Pyrenees Anatolian LGD puppies, parents on site and are working a farm of goats, sheep, horses, cow, pigs, chickens, and ducks, born August 9th, 2023, no vet work yet, males and females, \$150 each. Summer Simpson, Avoyelles Parish; 337-302-3620.

Chocolate Heelers (4 females) for sale, \$400 each. David Middlebrooks, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-701-8310.

Pure bred Australian Shepherd puppies, born 9/19/23, beautiful red merles with blue eyes and red tris., both males and females available, photos available, taking deposits now, \$275. Debra Faust, Pearl River, St. Tammany Parish; 601-569-9151.

Mountain cur squirrel dog, call for more information. Brenda, Oakdale, Allen Parish; 318-335-1414.

Anatolian/Akbash pups born 8/12/23, two rounds of vaccines, working parents, exposed to sheep, chickens, and horses, \$150 each. David Yount Jr., Natchitoches Parish; 318-471-3681.

Aluminum Dog carrier; 4ft x 4ft x 19" tall, good for hunting six dogs, Pointers, Setters, Wire Hair, Border Collies, easy load, \$400. Michael Hanley, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-356-6693. **Sport Dog shocking collar, 6** dog system, 2-mile range, 6 shocking collars and 1 transmitter, is color related to collar system, in real good condition, \$700. John Ray Dickinson, Morganza, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-4407.

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SWINE

Two Kune pigs, full blooded but not registered, intact boar about 210 lbs. born 6/2022, Gilt about 30 lbs. born 4/2023, \$300 for both, or \$200 for gilt and \$100 for boar. Summer Simpson, Avoyelles Parish; 337-302-3620.

Berkshire piglets sired by registered boar, barrows & gilts \$100; 3-year-old boar and 10mth old available. Brad Bardy, Bush, St. Tammany Parish; 504-628-0936.

DOMESTICATED BIRDS

Hand fed Cockatiels and Lovebirds for sale, \$75-\$125. Sarah Walker, Basile; 337-298-8218 or sarahwalker7@me.com.

Peacocks, males and females, assorted colors, \$200 each. Jerome Hammons, Many, Sabine Parish; 318-508-0800.

Peacocks, Indian Blue, 1 year old male and females, \$100/ each, 3-month-old \$40/each. Robert Church, Scott, Acadia Parish; 337-873-7682.

Mature Peafowl, \$200 each. Jim Hatfield, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-981-2020.

One pair mated Diamond Doves, \$80, White Doves \$10-\$15 each. Michael Hanley, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-356-6693.

Featherman Chicken plucker set up, al stainless steel, see on YouTube, scalder w/ thermostat, plucker, kill cones, text or call, \$1,500 OBO. Sarah Bailly, Ville Platte, Evangeline; 337-831-1551.

American Parakeet's \$25/1,

\$35pair, English Budgies \$50-\$75, Love Bird's Peach face and Black Mask all colors \$90-\$120, Cockatiel's \$100. Green Quaker female's DNA \$300. Mike Lafleur, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-658-1625.

Ring Neck doves, \$5 each, Pure White doves, when available, \$10, minimum order 4 doves. Victor Dugas, St. Martinville, St. Martinville Parish; 337-258-7565.

POULTRY & FOWL

Pharoah quail, \$.20 an egg, pickle egg, \$.15 an egg day old, 1 week old, \$1.25, 2-week-old, \$1.75, Adult, \$3. Blaise Sonnier, Youngsville, Lafayette Parish; 337-856-5884.

Turkeys- 8 months old, female and male, \$45/each. David McElwee, Ville platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-658-4426.

Rare Cotton Patch Geese, need to go due to health issues, pairs are \$150 or \$800 for all. Penny Baker, DeRidder, Beauregard Parish; 337-396-5051.

Exhibition Black Rose comb Bantams, Rick Hare stock, \$25 each. Kelly McMullan, Princeton, Bossier Parish; 318-453-6569.

Java Green peafowl, \$850/pair, Black Shouldered Peafowl, \$200/pair, Reeve Pheasants, \$150/pair, Grey Jungle fowl, \$200/pair. Tim Bora, Princeton, Bossier Parish; 252-455-6601.

Young Red Golden Pheasant for sale, hatched in spring of 2023, \$40 each. Bill Strecker, Slidell, St. Tammany; 985-640-9982.

Orpington Roosters, 4 months, \$10/each. Robert Church, Scott, Acadia Parish; 337-873-7682.

Bobwhite quails, different ages so different prices, call for pricing. Chris Edwards, Cloutierville, Natchitoches Parish; 318-481-8293.

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Baby Chicks for sale, Lavender Orpingtons \$5/each, Black Copper Marans, \$5/each, Fertile eggs, \$20 per dozen. Timmy Dumatrait, Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-296-6021.

Jumbo Pharoah quail and Jumbo Whites for sale, start at \$1.25/chick. Prices increase weekly. Timmy Dumatrait, Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-296-6021.

Silkies, variety of colors, text for more information, \$10 each. Jennifer Trahan, Mire/Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-207-2601.

Button Quail 12+ color varieties, \$15 per pair hatching eggs too, will mail hatching eggs all over. Garrie Landry, Franklin, St. Mary Parish; 337-578-2311.

Egyptian Swifts, Nuremberg Larks \$20 each, Turkish Tumblers \$25-\$40. Garrie Landry, Franklin, St. Mary Parish; 337-578-2311.

Beautiful Silver Call duck males, no females, \$20 each. Garrie Landry, Franklin, St. Mary Parish; 337-578-2311.

1.5-year-old India Blue Peacocks for sale, starting to grow beautiful tails, \$100/birds. Becky Clay, Grant Parish; 318-451-3554.

PIGEONS

Racing homers, some white grizzle, \$10/1. Penny Baker, de Ridder, Beauregard Parish; 337-396-5051.

Racing Homing pigeons, different breeds: Blue Bars and Blue Checks speed birds (Janssens), Black eagles, red, and white, and black, and white blue check Grizzle Trenton birds, \$20 each. Vernon James Champagne, Houma, Terrebonne Parish; 985-873-8440.

Yellow Homers pigeons, \$10 each. James Soileau, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-4375

Homing Pigeons 2023 birds, 30 birds, Trenton's and Janssens breed, \$10/1. Vernon James Champagne, Houma, Terrebonne Parish 985-873-8440.

Homing Pigeon, blue bars, Black eagles, young and some 4 years, have too many, \$20 for one. A. Savoy Jr., Abbeville, Vermilion Parish; 337-400-6577.

EGGS

Quail eggs for sale, fresh eggs, \$.15 cents each, Fertile eggs, \$.20 cents each, Pickled eggs, \$8 per jar. Timmy Dumatrait, Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-296-6021.

Extra-large white leghorn farm fresh eggs, \$4 per dozen, call for info. If no answer, leave a message or text. Goldie Hebert, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-319-6538.

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New Zealand bunnies, multicolored, \$35 for one, or \$60 for two. Rhett Dugas, St. Landry, Evangeline Parish; 225-571-6386.

Polish rabbits for sale, colors are broken blacks & solid blacks, \$60/pair. Godfred Schexnayder, Labadieville, Assumption Parish; 985-859-8230.

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

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16' Crawfish boat, rear wheel drive, 25 HP Kohler, \$4,000. David Meaux, Gueydan, Vermilion Parish; 337-458-1730.

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DEER & EXOTICS

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Pecan cracking, and blowing, same day service, appointment if out of town for better service, proper equipment for all sizes and Elliot Pecans, call for pricing. Gene Domingue, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-962-8659.

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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.

Cattle/livestock hauling from Evangeline Parish to Opelousas or Kinder, call for price. Kendall Fontenot, Evangeline Parish; 337-459-1634.

Stump grinding and ISA certified arborist, consulting, Lic. AR1873. James Bourgeois, Raceland, Lafourche Parish; 985-637-7920.

Rear tire 14.9X24 removed from 580 backhoe, useable, \$175. M. Weeks, Grayson, Caldwell Parish; 318-322-2107.

Fencing & services, installation of farm, agriculture, and commercial fencing, decorative wood, barbed, net wire, pipe, pens, etc., will travel to surrounding areas/ out of state. Joe Hensgens, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 985-992-9119.

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Cattle penning, working & hauling, portable equip., large or small herd, problem cattle, 50 years exp., will travel. Terry or Jason, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-789-1927 or 337-322-7601.

We build & repair fences, buildings, barns, driveways, & drainage. George Martin, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-405-5229.

WANTED: Seeking experienced full-time Farm Manager to manage overall operation of privately owned, 1,500-acre, hunting and farming operation in Louisiana, please send resume to resumes@mpwproperties. com. William Mills, St. Landry Parish; 337-232-1438.

WANTED: T. Moise Farms is hiring, looking for individuals who have experience in meat processing, pay based on experience, call today to schedule a phone interview. Monica Melancon, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 504-812-1508.

LIVESTOCK BOARDING

Custom built horse wash holding rack, text for picture, \$300. Ted Smith, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-308-6506.

Stalls available for rent at the Folsom Training Center in Folsom, stall, walking wheel, breaking arena, feed and tack rooms, use of training track, \$5/day. Rebecca McLindon, St. Tammany Parish; 985-237-3950.

Horse boarding, pastures for lease w/ shelter & water. Dean Gentile, Port Allen, West Baton Rouge Parish; 225-328-2198.

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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, subsurface 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 Helminger, 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 SALE

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 by a licensed real estate dealer, broker, or salesman."

25 acres, pastureland, home with 3 beds, 1 bath, 1, 40x20 SSB, 1-30x20 hay barn, 1 small storage shed, 1- 30x40 welding hop, located Duson rural area, APP only, \$345,000. Steven Breaux, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-257-5206 text only.

RURAL PROPERTY FOR LEASE

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

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.

Ag lime, \$32/ton, within a (100)-mile radius. Brent Duncan, Franklinton, Washington Parish; call 985-515-6655.

Compost Cow manure, \$40 a yard, Brent Duncan, Washington Parish, 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-

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

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WANTED: 2-3 lbs. of velvet bean seed. Jimmie Newsom, Kelly, Caldwell Parish; 318-953-4237.

FRUITS & VEGETABLES

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WANTED: Wild black cherries by the gallon. Al Duhe, Slidell, St. Tammany Parish; 504-329-0052, or alduhe@cox.net.

JAMS, JELLIES, & PRESERVES

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Watermelon rinds preserves, watermelon jelly, grape jelly, pear preserves, and pear jelly, \$12 per pint, pick up only. Barbara Ward/LM Ward Farm, Saline, Bienville Parish; 318-576-3639 or 318-471-2508.

18 pints @ \$12/jar and 1 quart jar @ \$24/quart jar of cinnamon watermelon rinds, preserves and 19 ¾ pints jars @ \$12/pint jar of watermelon jelly. Barbara Ward/ LM Ward Farm, Saline, Bienville Parish; 318-576-3639 or 318-471-2508.

HAY & GRAIN

Roasted soybeans, \$500/ton. Donovan Mire, Labadieville, Assumption Parish; 225-931-5964.

4x5 Net wrap, rolls rice, straw baled, 9-12-2023, \$35/roll. Blaine Leger, Iota, Acadia Parish; 337-781-9929.

Taking Orders: 2023 Bermuda square bales \$9 per bale in the field or \$10 per bale in the barn. Call, email, or text. Bob Murphy, Acadia Parish, 337-230-5634, big_country1967@yahoo.com

2023 Rice Straw tightly baled, 5x5 round bales, baled in September, \$25/1. Wendell Middlebrooks, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-658-3106.

3- Grain carts, 2- tristate 250 & 350 bu., 1-Rayne Grain 250bu., 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.

Stone ground yellow and white corn flour made from non-GMO corn sold in bulk at \$.75/lb., minimum order is 2000 lbs. Bonnecaze Farms, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-756-5046.

Deer Corn 50 lb. sacks **\$9/sack**, Pallet (42 bags/pallet) \$378, M-F 7 AM-5 PM, Saturday 7 AM-

12 PM. Joseph Denais, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-4437.

Claas Rollant 66 Roun Baler, field ready, good condition, \$8,000, negotiable. Wayne Couvillon, Abbeville, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-6919.

Mix 30 Liquid Cow Feed, \$1.95/ gallon delivered. Mishaux Tyler, Pine Grove, Livingston Parish; 225-337-3312.

WANTED: 200 rolls of hay for my horses and cows, 2023 hay. Skip Russell, Ruston, Lincoln Parish; 318-548-5050.

TRACTORS

Brand new starter for MF261 will also fit M7270 through MF298 model year 1970-2000,

MF298 model year 1970-2000, rotation cw-10 teeth/spline, \$190. Clyde Guillot, Bell City, Calcasieu Parish; 337-622-3006.

641 Ford Tractor, and 5ft. bush hog, \$2,800. Donnie McManus, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish; 318-381-6584.

2006, 6420 John Deere Tractor, w/ 6420 John Deere loader, bucket, and spear, 5,900 hours, good clean tractor, good rubber, \$52,500. Norman Young, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-303-3385.

1960 Moline G6 diesel, 80

horse, runs well, \$3,500, Case high crop, LP gas, \$3,000, Allis Chambers high crop D17, \$2,000. David Bass, Longville, Beauregard Parish; 337-396-5955.

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1999 TN55, everything works, \$7,800. Gene Lindner, Belle Chase, Plaquemine Parish; 504-427-9014.

35 HP Kubota tractor, Kubota dealer rebuilt the motor, \$8,500. Skip Russell, Ruston, Lincoln Parish; 318-548-5050.

Have a 3-point hitch carry all for sale, has 2 holders for rakes, shovels, etc., and a chain saw slot, the wood has been treated, has receiver hitch on it also, asking \$300. Darrell Arceneaux, Albany, Livingston Parish; 225-413-5066.

White tractor 2155 with cab & air, 160HP w/new allied loader, hay spear, 1,800 hrs., \$12,500. Bobby Denton, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-992-4504.

(4) Kubota L2900 with front loader, \$4,000 negotiable, Kubota B6100E9, \$300 negotiable, Gravely tractor, some with attachments, \$500 each. Thomas Berry, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-665-2403.

Bigham Brothers Buser Roller, 3 pt. folding, can be used on 10 row 36 inch or 12 row 30 inch, \$10,000. Kyle Lemoine, Moreauville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-359-3101.

Case IH, 230 hp., 6420 hours, 3-point hitch, \$15,000. Donald Meaux, Gueydan, Vermilion Parish; 337-458-1730.

2009 Kubota 4x4, Hydra static transmission, excellent condition, barn kept, cab, front bucket, Ag. tires, \$15,000. Tyrone Dubroc, Jackson, East Feliciana Parish; 225-721-2730.

2 International 1674 Tractors, 1978 model, one runs, needs clutch, pressure plate throw-out bearing, one has engine trouble, needs starter, have extra rear spare tire and rim, \$1,600 for both. Mike Cannon, Prairieville, Ascension Parish; 225-266-9304.

WANTED: One wheel plow hoss or plow mule in good condition. Millard Monk, Leesville, Vernon Parish; 337-238-1886.

WANTED: John Deere Model D tractor with electric start, in

running shape. Steve Bushnell, Eunice, Evangeline Parish; 337-466-0675.

WANTED: Tractor tire for Ford 600, 12.2X28. William Boegel, Mandeville, St. Tammany Parish; 504-421-4820.

WANTED: 2 tractor tires, 14:9x28, with 50% tread and with no cracks. C.J. Ringo, Torbert, Point Coupee Parish; 225-715-7012.

WANTED: Set of 21" Thomson Conversion front wheels from 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.

CUTTERS & MOWERS

7' Howse bushhog, perfect condition, 100-HP gear box, extra heavy duty \$3,600. Ricky LaCour, Plaucheville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-253-2184.

Kubota 48-inch zero turn mower Hx, excellent shape, only needs belt, \$1,800, back hoe with aux. pump, \$800. Daven Dailey, Egan, Acadia Parish; 337-788-1848.

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

(1) 7ft. Bush hog cutter with two trailing wheels in rear, \$1,750, and (1) 15ft. legend batwing cutter, \$2,800. Houston Penn, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-355-4891.

WANTED: 3 pt. attached sickle bar mower with hydraulic fold. Steve Rome, Gross Tete, Iberville Parish; 225-268-0663.

PLANTING & TILLAGE

16' heavy duty disc plow, Taylor-Way, 24" disc blades, very good plow, good tires, \$4,000. Norman Young, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-303-3385.

PICKERS & HARVESTERS

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

2003 JD 9650 Walker machine, 4-wheel drive straw chopper, big tires, lots of new parts, shed kept, \$39,000. Patrick Klein, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-517-0757.

Brent 776 grain cart, field ready, kept under shed, \$14,000. Russell Deselle, Bunkie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-481-5745.

JD 9760 Grain combine, stainless package, shed kept, \$60,000. Russell Deselle, Bunkie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-481-5745.

Savage Harvester 8042, great shape, shed kept, used very little, \$8,000 negotiable, 5.7-350 chevy engine \$800. Lynwood Wiley, Ferriday, Concordia Parish; 318-719-2245.

OTHER AG IMPLEMENTS

6' disc choppers, \$1,800. Janice Prejean, Scott, Lafayette Parish; 337-962-1953.

Stout iron cattle chute, \$900. Janice Prejean, Scott, Lafayette Parish; 337-962-1953

Troughs, iron, stout, 12', \$400. Janice Prejean, Scott, Lafayette Parish; 337-962-1953.

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

W&A 8-row hippers w/ Ortham row markers, \$2,000; Taylorway (8)-row cultivator, 5-plow 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 Meat market meat cutter, \$450,

6ft. land leaver, \$150, mule plowers, \$75, diddle busters, \$75, good plower stock, \$75, 30ft. drill stem (2), \$75. Thomas Harrison, Thibodeaux, Terrebonne parish; 985-448-

2349. **14' Buffalo, \$12,000. Donald** Meaux, Gueydan, Vermilion Parish; 337-458-1730.

3 blade land level, \$2,000. Donald Meaux, Gueydan, Vermilion Parish; 337-458-1730.

10ft. homemade box blade-pull type, \$400, 8ft. section harrow, old, \$100, 500-gallon fuel tank with 110v. pump, \$500, can text pictures. Donald Richardson, Chatham, Jackson Parish; 318-471-1627.

Aluminum irrigation latch lock pipe, 5"-6", 30 ft lengths, 50 to 60 links some fittings and risers \$1.99. Robert LaCroix, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-229-4570.

1 EZ Rain Machine hose reel, 4" flexible hose, not working, parts only \$300. Robert LaCroix, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-229-4570.

1 EZ Rain Machine water cannon, cable pull not working, parts only \$200. Robert LaCroix, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-229-4570.

1 Rainbow hose reel with 1000 ft. 4" flexible hose, \$500. Robert LaCroix, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-229-4570.

1 Rainbow water cannon, cable pull, \$500. Robert LaCroix, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-229-4570.

1 Caprari 540 PTO water pump 600-650 GPM, includes suction and discharge hose, shed kept, \$2,500. Robert LaCroix, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-229-4570.

(4) three phase electric water pumps, 40 to 60 hp., \$500 each. Robert LaCroix, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-229-4570.

WANTED: Used T-posts. Ken Eversull, Boyce, Rapides Parish; 318-792-1628.

WANTED: John Deere front end loader bucket to fit 500 series loader. Michael Guillot, Mansura, Avoyelles Parish; 318-253-8585.

WANTED: Used root rake for dozer needs to be at least eight feet wide. Larry Bordelon, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-452-8767.

HAY EQUIPMENT

565 New Holland square baler, excellent condition, baled less than 10,000 bales, \$4,500. Douglas Madden, Saline, Natchitoches Parish; 318-471-1157

JD model 556 hay roller, new tires, all bearings on pickup replaced, hydraulic string tie only and bale kicker, gathering wheels, makes 5'X5' rolls, bale monitor works, \$4,500, leave message. Danny Jones, Florien, Sabine Parish; 318-586-4225.

New Holland roll-belt round baler, new belts, hay saver wheels, bale ramp, field ready, less than 500 bales, \$15,900. Renee Britt, Mount Hermon, Washington Parish; 601-757-6055.

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.

WANTED: Looking for a used 283 New Holland baler. Lawrence Thompson Jr., Jeanerette, Iberia Parish; 337-578-5304.

CONTRACTOR EQUIPMENT

Ceramic business in Duson, 3 kilns, small, medium, large, all furniture, included about 1,200 mods, paint, poring table, need a pump, \$15,000. Bonnie Decker, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-257-6705.

300 ft. 3" sewage PVC pipe, 1000 ft. 1 ½light wall PVC 3", \$18 for 10 ft. joint 1 ½, \$8 for 8-10 ft. joint. Rhett Dugas, St. Landry, Evangeline Parish; 225-571-6386.

Peter Wright Anvil, \$300. Michael Hanley, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-356-6693.

Drill Stem 30' joints, \$2 a foot. Regular pipe 20' joints \$1.50 a foot. John Falcon, Donaldsonville, Ascension Parish; 225-717-0296

(1) 300-gallon fuel tank, on stand, \$300, (1) 1,000-gallon water tank on wheels, \$1,500. John Falcon, Donaldsonville, Ascension Parish; 225-717-0296

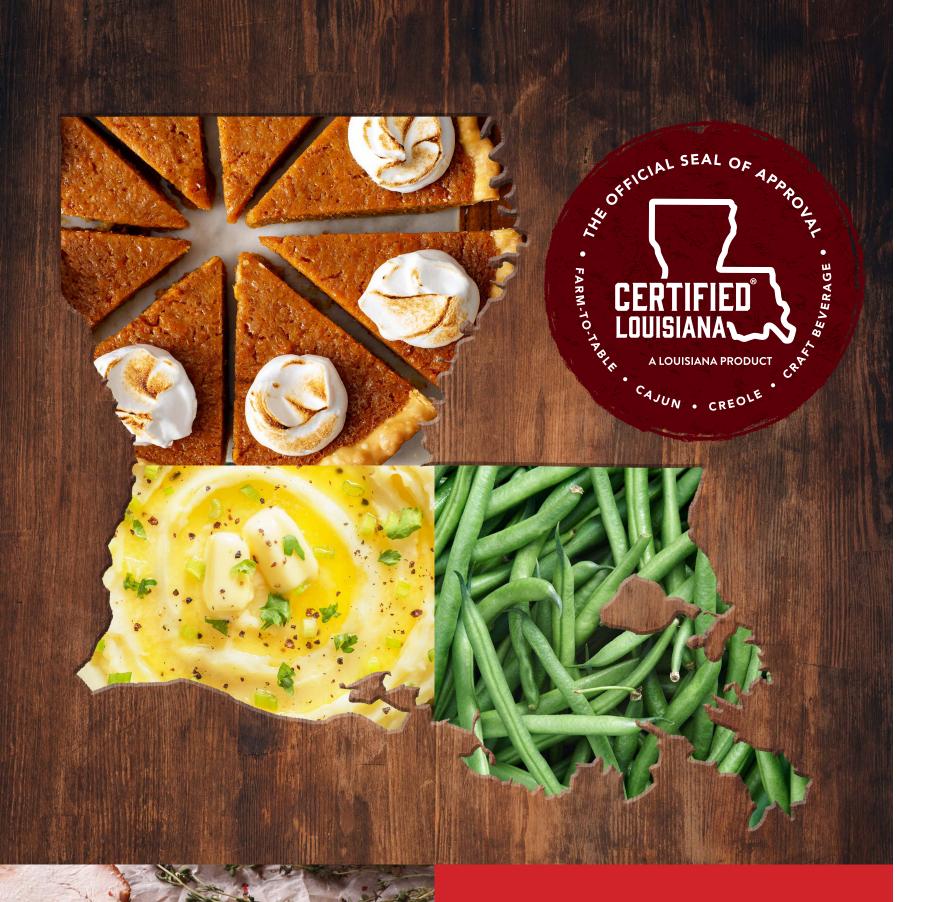
Generator, 60 KW Onan with Cummins diesel, single or 3 phase, self-contained fuel tank, recently rebuilt, skid mounted, \$20,000. Aztec Equine (Lee Lange), Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-257-3985.

Quincy Air compressor comes off ship, 325 series, \$2,000 OBO. David Juneau, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-253-5234.

International Power Unit, Natl

International Power Unit, Natl Gas or propane, \$2,500. David Juneau, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-253-5234.

580D Case rubber-tired backhoe, needs transmission work, everything else runs and works, \$5,000. Larry Graham, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-921-1440.



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CERTIFIED DELICIOUS RECIPES

RICE COOKER SEAFOOD JAMBALAYA

Submitted by Dr. Susan Strain, wife of Commissioner Strain

Ingredients:

- 2 pounds raw shrimp or crawfish, fresh or frozen
- 1 can crabmeat
- 1½ cups Louisiana rice (raw)
- 110-ounce can beef broth
- 1 stick butter
- 1 can Rotel tomatoes
- 1 medium onion, chopped
- 1 medium bell pepper, chopped

Instructions:

Melt butter and sauté onions and bell peppers until soft. Place all ingredients into a rice cooker. Cook for the same amount of time as for rice, approximately 30 minutes. Makes a great meal when you have no time to cook!



GUILLORY'S ALLIGATOR ETOUFEE

Submitted by Guillory's Greatest Food

Ingredients:

- 4 ounces unsalted butter
- 1/2 cup all-purpose flour
- 8 ounces Cést Tout Dried Trinity Mix
- 1 quart water
- 2 pounds boneless alligator meat
- 1 bunch green onions (sliced)
- Louisiana Love Seasoning Blends to taste

Instructions:

Melt butter in large, heavy skillet or pot. Whisk in flour and cook until light tan in color. Add Cést Tout Mix and cook until the color of peanut butter. The onions in the mix will darken, but be sure not to burn them. Add water and bring to boil. Reduce heat to simmer, add alligator and Louisiana Love Seasoning, and cook for 25-30 minutes until meat is tender. Add water as necessary to desired consistency. Taste and adjust seasoning. Serve over medium grain white rice.

www.guillorysgreatest.com





ANDOUILLE AND SHRIMP LETTUCE WRAPS

Submitted by Richard's Cajun Foods

Ingredients:

- 112-ounce package of Richard's Andouille Sausage, sliced
- 1 pound fresh rock shrimp or small shrimp (50-60 count)
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 1 medium onion, finely chopped
- 1 red pepper, finely chopped
- 1 celery stalk, finely chopped
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon pepper
- 1 teaspoon Worcestershire Sauce
- 1 teaspoon hot sauce (more if desired)
- 7 ounces canned petite diced tomatoes
- 2 tablespoons fresh lemon juice
- 2 teaspoons paprika
- 1 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1/2 teaspoon onion powder
- 1/4 teaspoon cayenne
- 1/2 teaspoon dried thyme
- 2 heads Boston Bibb lettuce

Chopped green onions and parsley (optional)

Instructions:

You can chop the onions, peppers, and celery ahead of time and store in resalable plastic bags until needed. Heat olive oil in a medium skillet over medium-high heat. Add onions, red pepper, celery, ½ teaspoon salt, ½ teaspoon pepper, Worcestershire sauce, and hot sauce, then sauté for 7 minutes. Meanwhile, in a small bowl combine the rock shrimp, lemon juice, 1 tablespoon of olive oil, ½ teaspoon salt and pepper, paprika, garlic powder, onion powder, cayenne, thyme, and set aside. Stir the fresh minced garlic into the veggies in the sauté pan, and cook for 1 more minute. Add Richard's Andouille Smoked Sausage and diced tomatoes and bring to a simmer, then add the shrimp and cook for 2-3 more minutes. Spoon two tablespoons of the sausage and shrimp mixture into each piece of lettuce, and sprinkle with green onions and parsley.

www.richardscajunfoods.com





HONEY APPLE PORK RIBS

Submitted by Kjun Bees

Ingredients:

Rib rub:

2 tablespoons ground black pepper 2 teaspoons granulated onion 2 teaspoons granulated garlic 1 tablespoon sea salt 1½ teaspoon ground white pepper 3 tablespoons paprika 1 tablespoon Cajun seasoning ½ tablespoons celery seeds 1 cup KJUN honey

BBQ rib Ingredients:

2 racks of pork ribs, each cut into four sections 3 quarts apple juice (approximate)

Instructions:

Rib rub: Mix all of the ingredients except the honey in a sealed, air-tight container. Mix (or shake) thoroughly until all of the dry ingredients are completely mixed. When ready to use, add the honey, and mix thoroughly. Store in a sealed air-tight container until the ribs are ready to be placed on the grill.

NOTE: Use a medium flavored honey for this recipe. A good choice would be our standard summer harvest honey from any part of south Louisiana. Use the Cajun Seasoning of your choice, but our favorite for this recipe is Jeanpierre's Special Blend Season-All. This recipe makes ½ cup of seasoning rub. If you want to use less at a time, just mix the rub with honey at a 1:2 seasoning: honey ratio. You can make the dry blend in advance and mix with honey immediately before you plan to use it. Use a 1:3 seasoning: honey ratio for a sweeter flavor.

BBQ ribs: Place sectioned pork ribs into a pressure cooker. Pour enough apple juice over the ribs to completely cover the ribs. Close the pressure cooker and apply heat. Cook on high (or 15 psi) for 25 minutes once the cooker starts to steam. (Cook thicker cuts for 30 minutes.) Turn off heat and allow pressure to drop slowly. Remove ribs from the apple juice, and discard the liquid. Coat ribs thoroughly with the honey rib rub on both sides. Place ribs on the grill under medium heat for 5-10 minutes until slightly charred and well smoked. Flip ribs one time and cook for an additional 5-10 minutes until slightly charred and well smoked. Remove from heat and serve.

NOTE: If grilling, pecan or apple woods best complement the flavor of these ribs This recipe also works great with any wild game including deer, elk, and antelope ribs.

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WANTED: Cattle gap, RR track, or steel pipe construction, 3 P.H. dirt scoop, 5' or 6' box scraper, 5' or 6' disk with greaseable hubs. Robert M. LeMaster, Summit, Pike County; 601-248-8843.

FARM TRUCKS

Steel Flatbed for truck, 7 feet long with 2' Dovetail 8 feet wide, fold down ides, two toolboxes, currently on 2003 Chevy 3500, \$3,400, OBO. Marlon Mitchell, Downsville, Union Parish; 318-348-0757.

Ford F250, 04, diesel, 4x4, crew, 350,000 miles, bad motor, \$2,600, Toyota Tundra,06, 4x4, crew, 186,000 miles, bad motor, \$2,000. Buddy Elliott, St. Francisville, West Feliciana Parish; 225-324-6843.

2008 Ford F250 Super Duty, 4x4, gooseneck ball, 5 speed manual, 195k miles, single cab, great farm truck, \$6,000. Chris Normand, Pineville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-730-8001.

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

TRAILERS, WAGONS, & EQUIPMENT

1999 Featherlite 4-horse slant model 8534, \$13,000 obo. Steve Billings, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-692-2456.

Refrigerator trailer, 14-foot box on trailer, therm. king unit, \$4,000. Wayne Descant, Cottonport, Avoyelles Parish; 318-964-5125.

18ft. car hauler trailer with 2 ft. dovetail, 8ft. wide, no title. Jimmy Bass, Longville, Beauregard Parish; Call for price: 337-661-9638.

2005 Sundowner, 2 house, gooseneck, aluminum trailer, \$8,500. Skip Russell, Ruston, Lincoln Parish; 318-548-5050.

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

21-ft. car hauler/equipment hauler, \$1,500. Thomas Berry, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-665-2403.

Pull behind trailer, 20' long, 8' wide, tandem 10,000-pound axels, electric brakes, \$2,500. Percy J. Thibodeaux, Arnaudville, St. Landry Parish; 337-254-7268.

Cotton Trailers to be used for crawfish trap storage, 36'-40', very good condition, \$4,000-\$4,500 plus delivery. Thomas L. Enright, Sr., Sicily Island, Catahoula Parish; 318-282-6299. Horse drawn wagon with hydraulic brakes, rubber tires, and seats, 7'x11', \$500. Wesley Forman, Monterey, Concordia Parish; 318-758-3220.

Gooseneck brand cattle trailer, 10 years old but like ne, stored under a barn, washed out after each use, 16'x6'8", \$7,500. Jim Varnado, Greensburg, St. Helena; 225-222-6343.

(1) Heavy duty trailer with 2 5/16 ball, with 11-R-225 tires, good for tank or anything else, good condition, \$500 OBO. John Falcon, Donaldsonville, Ascension Parish; 225-717-0296

WANTED: Used, clean, bumper pull, aluminum, for horse or cow trailer. Skip Russell, Ruston, Lincoln Parish; 318-548-5050.

SEWING & FABRIC

Singer, sample for sale, \$25, free arm, multi zig zag stitches. Earline Landry, Roanoke, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-275-8741.

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.

CRAFTS & WOODWORK

Custom made Wood Duck boxes, \$70 each. Andy Walker, Basile; 337-254-4414 or andywalker5967@gmail.com.

Peacock eye feathers, I have large and small, tall and short, great for vases, centerpieces and Mardi Gras masks, \$1 each. Becky Clay, Grant Parish; 318-451-3554.

Homebrew Equipment, 5 corny kegs, 4 glass carboys, capper misc. equip., 200+ empty bottles, text or call, \$300 for all. Sarah Bailly, Ville Platte, Evangeline; 337-831-1551.

LUMBER & SAWING

Portable band sawmills and other equipment for sale, we're the Louisiana dealer for Hudson Forest Equipment, call if you want to come by and try out a sawmill, mills start out around \$3,000 and go up. Dan Enterkin, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-312-1882.

Black walnut lumber and

mantles, pictures available, call for pricing. Peggy Wood, Bossier City, Bossier Parish; 318-553-3703.

Cypress, cedar, and pine lumber milled with portable sawmill,



cheap, call for pricing. Donald Richardson, Chatham, Jackson Parish; 318-471-1627.

Kiln dried red oak boards, 1x4-12, rough cut and planed, \$3bdft for unplanned, \$4bdft for planed. Nick Davidson, Jennings, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-452-1342, or Wyatt- 337-368-2246.

Red oak, white oak trees, you cut, and bargain price. Chris Normand, Pineville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-730-8001.

FARM & LIVESTOCK SUPPLIES

Custom made sheet metal nesting boxes for parrots, also custom-made sheet metal rays for parrots and rabbit cages, prices range from \$20-\$150 depending on nesting boxes. Andy Walker, Basile; 337-254-4414 or andywalker5967@gmail. com.

20" container, \$1,900; 40" container, \$3,900. H. Leblanc, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-717-9151.

Crossties for fencing and landscaping, \$8 each. Edward McCain, Lake Charles, Cameron Parish; 337-912-3752.

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.

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

Used Chicken/Rabbit cages for sale, good condition, various size cages, roller base not included, have multiple units, one 5 door unit is \$150. Gwen Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-0852.

Priefert 5 horse walker, excellent condition, \$6,000. Edie Begnaud, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-277-6543.

50- 3 ½**" wood post, 6** ½**ft.** long, pre sharpened, \$3 each, 30- 6" wood post, 8ft. long, \$15 each, lots of variables, 4"x4"'s, 4"x6"'s and bigger post, all in good condition. Ben Baggett, Mittie, Allen Parish; 337-370-8254.

New Rabbit cage, 32"x32", one compartment, metallic roof, exterior screws, painted barn red, \$130. Larry J. Duhon, Kapan, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-6200.

12" Concrete house pillars, seven for \$30, eleven galvanized roof drip moldings 2"x3"x10' long, \$4 each, fourteen cement bricks 4"x8"x2 ½" thick, \$2 each. Larry J. Duhon, Kapan, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-6200. Four-ton creep feeder, like new, \$4,500. Thomas Hennington, Downsville, Ouachita Parish; 318-245-7525.

WANTED: Master Craft forklift; TCM forklift, 4-cylinder, Isuzu engine. H. Leblanc, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-717-9151.

FROM THE FARM

Steel Pipe for sale, 12 inch, 14 inch, 16 inch, 20 inch, 24 inch, 30 inch, 36 inch, 48 inch steel pipe call for price. Dan Roque, Cloutierville, Natchitoches Parish; 318-201-1715.

Mobile petting zoo for hire, birthday parties and special events, like us on Facebook for more information. Robert Henry/Henry Farm Petting Zoo, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-831-0904.

Fresh Corn flour from non-gmo and gluten free corn, available in bulk at \$.70 per lb. Ronald Bonnecaze, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge; 225-756-5046.

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.

Tiffin Motor home 200 model, 50,000 miles, 35' long diesel pusher, lots of extras, \$25,000. Carl E. Barr, Shreveport, Caddo Parish; 318-455-3551.

1999 Beaver motor home, 40foot, diesel, 350 HP, caterpillar, 116,000 miles, \$19,000. Gene Lindner, Belle Chase, Plaquemine Parish; 504-427-9014.

1996 Holiday Rambler, motor home, runs well, everything works, 36ft. long, kept under roof, 50,000 miles, \$10,000. Joe Kimble, Ethel, East Feliciana Parish; 225-326-9112.



Used Pig Brig trap for sale, complete set with book, good condition, \$1,200. Henry Teer, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-252-5181.

Ambassador 6500 CA high speed reel with Shakespeare Pro-Am rod, Ambassador 5500 C3 reel with Synergy rod 6 ½' long, Ambassador 5500 S reel with Daiwa rod 6', \$100 each. Larry J. Duhon, Kapan, Vermilion Parish; 337-652-6200.

Vanguard 23 HP GoDevil, good working motor, used but not abused, in good working condition, ready for use, \$2,200. Craig Laborde, Evangeline Parish: 225-978-7802.

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@kiun.us.

ATV

Kawasaki Mule FX, 2021, like new, 370 hrs., auto transmission, 4-wheel drive, bigger tires, trailer hitch, and wench, \$8,000. David Wood, Bossier City, Bossier Parish; 318-553-3703.

(1) Polaris 2 VO5, 800 V Twin 4-wheeler, completely redone, lifted, tires, wheels, good condition \$5,500 OBO. (1) set of 4 Outlaw tires with Polaris wheels and lug nuts, tire size 28x9.5x14 and 28x11x14, excellent condition, \$1,200 OBO. John Falcon, Donaldsonville, Ascension Parish; 225-717-0296

WANTED: Kawasaki mule 3010 motor and parts. Jim Smith, Stonewall, Desota Parish; 318-218-9690.

GUNS & ACCESSORIES

Remington Model 700 BDL 270, left-handed, \$700. Paul Gil, Patterson, St. Mary Parish; 985-397-6407.

Parker Crossbow with scope, case, and arrows, \$400. Paul Gil, Patterson, St. Mary Parish; 985-397-6407.

357 Ruger pistol/revolver, old, never been shot, like new, \$700. Stanley Stewart, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-241-2269.

Remington Woodsmaster Mod. 742, 243 cal., semi auto. with NcStar 3.9x40 scope, 11 bullets, and case, in excellent condition, \$800 cash. Daniel R. Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-789-5478.

WANTED: Broken older Benjamin and Sheridan pellet guns, Model 312,317,310, 19501960. Russell Gautreaux, Baton Rouge, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-335-7834.

BOATS

Carolina Skiff, 16ft, 25hp, seats, troll motor, 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

Enjoy a unique video and education on family roots and crops that we farm today, then a bus tour to see all things happening on the farm during sugarcane harvest, after there will be crafts to take home and tasty treats to try, come experience the truth and joy of what we do. Limited spots for certain dates, private tours available upon request, minimum of 20 people, call for scheduling and pricing. Four Oaks Farm, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-3221.

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/ threenight tour to six agricultural locations, purchase tickets at heartlandtoursla.com. Taylor McCann, Pineville, Point Coupee Parish; 225-240-3376.

Honey Do Farms are 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.

LDAF celebrates "Aggie Day"





Last week, some of LDAF's Forestry Crew attended Ponchatoula High School's annual Aggie Day.

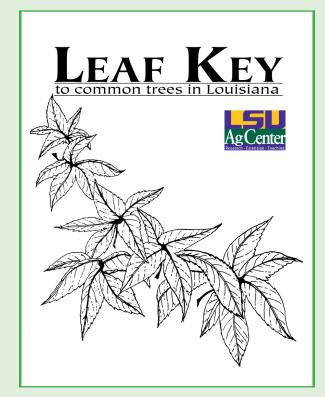
Students from DC Reeves, St Joseph, and Ponchatoula High School (PHS) went from station to station with PHS ag students experiencing interactive educational activities at each station.

LDAF was there with a hauler and dozer. We saw more than 400 kids! It was a great day, and we were glad to be a part of it.



Identify common trees of Louisiana

Identify common trees of Louisiana with this fantastic guide from the LSU AgCenter! This includes both native trees and trees that have been introduced to Louisiana. View the guide at **tinyurl.com/LeafKeytoCommonTrees**



CERTIFY GOUR CELEBRATION! continued from front



Local businesses hire other local businesses for everything from marketing to accounting and legal work to various suppliers.

"Louisiana is like one big family. We all want to know and support each other. For many people, it is important to know where their food comes from, but they also genuinely want to support local agricultural producers and locally owned businesses," said LDAF Commissioner Mike Strain, D.V.M.

And let's not forget gifts... from jams, jellies, soaps, and seasonings; Certified Louisiana products are the perfect taste of Louisiana for anyone on your list.

Are you a local business owner or a Louisiana producer?

If so, consider becoming "Certified." For a product to be eligible for inclusion in the Certified Louisiana logo program, the product must be made, grown, manufactured, processed, produced, or substantially transformed in the state of Louisiana. The LDAF shall have sole discretion to determine whether an agricultural product or agritourism activity is eligible to be labeled with one of the certified logos. In addition, a company must possess and be in compliance with all other applicable state and federal permits, licenses, and laws.

There is a \$25 non-refundable application fee. If approved, there is a \$30 registration fee per logo. All logos must be renewed every three years.

Crawfish Tales

Want to learn more? Be sure to check out Crawfish Tales, LDAF's storytelling video series centered on Certified Louisiana companies. Crawfish Tales with Commissioner Mike Strain, D.V.M. takes you to the heart of Certified Louisiana companies, products, and the amazing people who have joined the Certified Louisiana program.

You can watch all episodes on the LDAF YouTube channel. Be sure to subscribe so that you don't miss the next one.

Crawfish Tales highlights what the Certified Program is all about...the wonderful people of Louisiana and the quality products they produce. It is important to meet your local small business owners, farmers, and ranchers so you know exactly who you are supporting when you buy Certified. The program also reminds us that when we shop Certified, we are getting some of the most unique, flavorful ingredients in the world.

- For more information, visit certifiedlouisiana.org.
- Follow on Facebook (www.facebook. com/CertifiedLouisiana), to learn more about the products and unique ways to use them.





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Check out all the programs at www.certifiedlouisiana.org or Facebook.com/CertifiedLouisiana.

\$71M of timber lost to summer wildfires; more damage expected

By Olivia McClure, LSU AgCenter

Wildfires that engulfed more than 50,000 acres of Louisiana forests during this summer's record-breaking heat and drought dealt a blow of at least \$71 million to the state's timber sector, according to LSU AgCenter estimates.

That figure is expected to climb higher as wildfires continue to burn in some areas.

"The fires and drought conditions are ongoing. There were several fires last week," said Robbie Hutchins, an area forester with the LSU AgCenter. He is based in central Louisiana, which is known for its pine forests and has been the scene of some of the largest blazes, including the 31,000-acre Tiger Island Fire in Beauregard Parish.

A total of 52,883 acres of forests statewide had burned as of mid-October, Hutchins said. Most of that timber would normally be



Fallen needles surround young pine trees that were scorched in the Tiger Island Fire (Photo by Keith Hawkins/LSU AgCenter)

worth at least \$1,500 per acre, and little of it is salvageable now.

Conservatively, Hutchins estimates 75% of trees on burned acreage are a total loss or considerably devalued, amounting to a loss of about \$60 million. But the percentage of unsellable timber is likely closer to 90%, he said, putting the loss estimate at \$71 million.

That figure could be even higher depending on whether the damaged stands were made up of smaller trees destined for pulpwood production or larger, more valuable ones that could have been used for sawtimber.

Producers' economic woes are not limited to the timber and income they've lost. They also are facing decisions about whether to go to the expense of reforestation, a process that takes years.

While companies manage a large portion of the timberland destroyed by the fires, many



Timber that was scorched in the Tiger Island Fire (*Photo by Keith Hawkins/LSU AgCenter*)

of the burned trees are owned by individuals with just a handful of acres, often inherited from family. Forest landowners do not have options for insuring their timber.

Timber is Louisiana's No. 1 agricultural commodity, generating more than \$10 billion yearly in economic activity. Logging companies, sawmills and other forestry businesses are major employers in areas such as Beauregard, Vernon and Rapides parishes, which suffered some of the worst wildfire damage.

In Louisiana, the fall is the driest time of year, and conditions this year are especially conducive to wildfires. With burn bans still in effect in many parishes, it is important for people to heed rules to avoid starting any more fires.

Our forest landowners need all the help they can get," Hutchins said.



A new utility pole stands next to pine trees that were burned in the Tiger Island Fire (Photo by Keith Hawkins/LSU AgCenter)

Drought, low numbers could mean slow start to Louisiana season

By Chris Holmes, WF360

Duck season opens in Louisiana's West Zone on November 11, followed by the East Zone on November 18. Unfortunately, severe drought continues across the state, and poor habitat conditions appear to be impacting duck numbers.

"The 2023 November survey estimate of 584,000 ducks in Louisiana's coastal region and Little River basin is the lowest on record," said Jason Olszak, waterfowl study leader with the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries (LDWF). While some species (mallards, shovelers, wigeon, ring-necked ducks and canvasbacks) were up from 2022 estimates, the numbers remain extremely low compared to long-term averages.

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A little further south in Venice, John Randle hosted three youth hunters over the weekend. "The boys shot pretty easy limits both days. It was all teal (mostly greenwings) except for a pair of gray ducks on Saturday. The ponds we hunted were light on feed, but the teal were packed with tiny dark seeds, so they are finding food somewhere nearby," Randle said.

A bit further west, in the Cocodrie area, Captain Anthony Kyzar with Cajun Fishing and Hunting Charters also had a good youth weekend. "There were a good many ducks in the area: blue- and green-winged teal, scaup, redheads, gadwalls, wigeon and pintail," Kyzar said. The low river has pushed more saltwater into the marshes in southeast Louisiana, threatening water supplies as far up as New Orleans. The increased salinity has taken a toll on the submerged aquatics in some areas.

Steven Savoye hunts in the Pointe-a-la-Hache area. "While out tending blinds last weekend, we saw very few ducks. The saltwater has definitely affected the area, and there's very little grass in the ponds," he said. Anglers running throughout the marsh in nearby Hopedale reported seeing few ducks while traversing the area.

A mild cold front is moving into the state, bringing cooler temperatures and some much-needed rain. The overcast skies, rain and cooler temps will make it feel like duck hunting weather. Hopefully more birds are on the way too.

Mottled Duck reminder: The season is closed for mottled ducks during the first 15 days of the season in both zones, and the bag limit will be one bird per day for the remaining 45 days.

Assessing tree damage after an extended drought

By Heather Kirk-Ballard, LSU AgCenter Horticulturist

Excessive drought conditions in Louisiana are quickly becoming a natural disaster that will have effects on gardens, landscape plants and natural areas all across the state for some time. We may not understand the full extent of the damage for years. The U.S. Drought Mitigation Center has categorized a substantial portion of Louisiana's parishes as being in an "exceptional drought" state for an extended period.

Without supplemental irrigation, many lawns have gone dormant or have areas where the lawn will not recover. Many smaller bedding plants and shrubs have died. As we have experienced months of drought, we are really beginning to see the damage to trees. Shrubs such as azaleas, junipers, spireas, camellias, have been affected too.

You may have noticed that some trees are more susceptible than others. In my personal observations and in talking with people in the forestry, landscape and green industries, magnolia species and pines appear to be the most frequently affected. In research conducted in the southeastern United States, scientists found that pines and mesophytic species (those that thrive in moderate moisture conditions) are sensitive to drought while oaks are more drought tolerant.

Assessing damage after extended droughts is essential to determine the health and condition of your trees. Extended droughts can weaken trees and make them more susceptible to various issues.

Some signs that your tree is in distress: diminished leaf production, increased defoliation, interior thinning or dieback and smaller leaf size. If you want to assess the damage to our trees, start with a visual inspection of your trees to identify visible signs of damage.

Look for wilting or discolored leaves that are brown or yellow and prematurely dropping leaves, as they can be a sign of drought stress. Look for leaf scorch, where the edges of leaves turn brown, and check for cracks in the bark. Look for dying or dead branches. Many trees will sacrifice parts of the plant to survive. Check the overall canopy of the tree. Does it have a reduced canopy density or sparse foliage? This can be an indicator of drought damage.

You can check to see if a stem or branch is dead by gently pulling down on it to see how pliable it is. If it bounces back, it's likely alive. If it snaps, it might be a goner. You can also scratch the bark of the stem. If you see green underneath, the plant is alive. If it is brown, it could be dead, depending on the species.

If you have real concerns that a tree is dead, another home assessment can be to check the condition of the tree's root zone. Examine the roots for signs of damage such as root dieback or root rot. Gently dig around the base of the tree to inspect the roots without causing further harm. You can use a broom or large brush to gently sweep away soil.

It's often beneficial to consult a certified arborist or tree care professional for a more comprehensive evaluation. Arborists have the expertise to assess tree health and recommend appropriate treatments or interventions. A list of licensed arborists can be found on the website of the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry.

After assessing the damage, implement a supplemental watering and care plan to help the tree recover. Regularly monitor the tree's health and progress. Adequate watering, mulching and pruning may be necessary to aid recovery.

In severe cases, if a tree has sustained significant damage and poses a risk of falling or is unlikely to recover, it may need to be pruned or removed. A professional tree service can help with this decision and the necessary work.

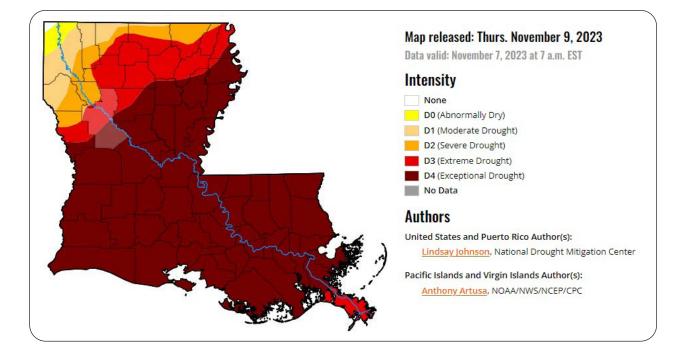
Drought-stressed trees are more susceptible to pests and diseases. Keep an eye out for any signs of infestation or disease and address them promptly. Due to persistent drought conditions and multiple instances of freezing in recent years, the trees in our area have experienced higher levels of stress than usual, and this will make them more vulnerable to high winds, disease and pest pressures.

Remember that tree recovery from drought damage can be a slow process, and it may take several years for a tree to fully regain its health and vigor. Regular maintenance and care can help prevent future droughtrelated damage and promote tree resilience. Don't give up on your trees immediately. You can take measures to help them survive as mentioned above. Always consult with a local arborist or horticultural expert for guidance tailored to the specific conditions in your area and the tree species in question.





The drought has had a pronounced impact on pine trees. Trees will lose some branches to preserve the entire tree. (Photos by Heather Kirk-Ballard/LSU AgCenter)



Find a licensed arborist: www.ldaf.la.gov/business/professionals#arborists-tree-specialists

Herbicide drift workshop

The Louisiana Department of Agriculture (LDAF) was pleased to participate in a successful Herbicide Drift Management Workshop held on November 8, 2023. The event, hosted by the LSU AgCenter, took place at the LSU Botanical Gardens in Baton Rouge and drew participation from fruit and vegetable growers, extension agents, and inspectors from LDAF's Office of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences (AES).

The workshop provided an invaluable opportunity for field staff to receive hands-on training on a range of important topics. Dr. Ansel Rankins, LDAF Assistant Commissioner, attended the event and expressed his satisfaction with the engaging and informative sessions.

"Having the opportunity for our field staff to receive hands-on training on the symptomology of herbicide damage on tomato and cucurbit crops was incredibly valuable," remarked Dr. Rankins. "The workshop provided a comprehensive overview of herbicide drift management, including proper tank cleaning demonstrations, pesticide safety protocols,



licensing and testing, risk management, crop loss reporting, and worker safety measures." The event also was used for recertification of private and commercial applicator licenses.

The Herbicide Drift Management Workshop aimed to enhance the participants' knowledge and understanding of herbicide drift and its impact on agricultural operations. The event featured expert speakers and interactive sessions, ensuring that attendees gained practical insights and strategies to effectively manage and mitigate herbicide drift risks.

The next Herbicide Drift Management Workshop is scheduled to take place in north Louisiana in May 2024. This initiative is part of the LSU AgCenter's ongoing commitment to supporting Louisiana's agricultural community by providing valuable education and resources to assist farmers and growers in safeguarding their crops and livelihoods.

For more information about the Herbicide Drift Management Workshop or other agricultural programs and services offered by the LSU AgCenter, please visit **www.** Isuagcenter.com



What is pesticide/herbicide drift

Pesticide spray drift is the movement of pesticide dust or droplets through the air at the time of application or soon after, to any site other than the area intended. Pesticide droplets are produced by spray nozzles used in application equipment for spraying pesticides on crops, forests, turf and home gardens. Some other pesticides are formulated as very fine dry particles (commonly referred to as dust formulations).

Pesticide drift of sprays and dusts can affect people's health and the environment, and damage nearby crops.

Health and environmental risks – Pesticide drift can pose health risks when sprays and dusts are carried by the wind and deposited on other areas:

- Nearby homes, schools, and playgrounds
- Farm workers in adjacent fields

• Wildlife, plants, and streams and other water bodies

Economic effects – Pesticide drift can cause economic loss:

- Drift of herbicides can injure some crops. Crops on nearby farms can become unsellable if the drifting pesticide is not registered for use on the crop.
- State and local agencies receive thousands of complaints about drifting pesticides each year and spend substantial resources investigating drift complaints.



Make your land more drought resilient

USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service can help you conserve water and build resilience to drought, through conservation practices that improve irrigation efficiency, boost soil health, and manage grazing lands.

Improving your irrigation efficiency ensures each drop of water is used wisely. Saving water on your farm can help during drought and can offset rising water costs: reduce expenditures for energy, chemicals, and labor; and enhance revenues through higher crop yields and improved crop quality. Funded conservation practices include conversion to more efficient irrigation systems, such as micro-irrigation or subsurface drip irrigation, installation of irrigation pipeline, irrigation water management, structures for water control, and flow meters. Tools like drip irrigation, which provides water precisely where and when it's needed, can achieve greater precision with flow meters and soil moisture sensors.

In addition, soil health conservation practices, such as reduced- or no-till, cover crops, mulching and residue management can help to make your soil, and the plants you grow or animals you raise, healthier. Healthier soil can absorb and retain more water for longer periods of time, making your farm or ranch more resilient to drought. Using soil health practices, you can conserve water by increasing your soil's water-holding capacity and use conservation tillage to keep the ground covered, reducing water loss through transpiration and evaporation.

And soil health practices increase organic matter, and each pound of organic matter can hold up to 20 pounds of water. That means less money and time spent on inputs like water and fertilizer, which make your operation more profitable.

Drought also impacts grazing lands, and NRCS works with you to increase the resilience of your livestock operation. Ranchers can adapt to dry conditions in two main ways: increasing the availability and suitability of forage and ensuring that cattle have an adequate and reliable source of water. For forage, rotational or prescribed grazing (rotating cattle among pastures) can relieve pressure on stressed vegetation and ensure a more consistent supply of forage for animals. NRCS conservationists can also work with you to plant more drought-tolerant forage species, plants best suited to local soils and conditions. For reliable sources of water, NRCS can help you with installing watering facilities, water wells, or water pipeline for livestock.

For more information on drought recovery assistance at **farmers.gov/protectionrecovery/drought#recovery**. For more information on conservation practices to make your operation more resilient to drought in future years, go to **www.nrcs.usda.gov**.

78 TONS of unwanted pesticides collected at LDAF pick-up event



The Unwanted Pesticide Pick-Up Day on Thursday, November 2 at the LDAF Monroe District Office was a great success.

We collected approximately 156,000 pounds (78 tons) of unwanted pesticides. Thanks to everyone who brought their unwanted pesticides and everyone who worked to make this a great event.



POULTRY SALES & SHOWS

Hammond Poultry Swap will be held 1st Sat. of the month at Tractor Supply on Florida Blvd. Only healthy animals. <u>Contact</u>: Jenna at 225-439-9024.

Poultry Swap and Farmers Market every 1st and 3rd Sat. from 7AM until at the Moss Bluff Tractor Supply. <u>Contact</u>: 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. <u>Contact: Kenneth Richard at 337-319-5669</u>. **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. <u>Contact</u>: 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. <u>Contact</u>: 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. <u>Contact</u>: Danny Reeves at 337-309-9679.



See all job openings and how to apply: www.governmentjobs.com/careers/louisiana/ldaf



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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, which begin at 9 AM, 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. All shows for 2023 have concluded. For more information on 2024 shows, 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 information, 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.

La. 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.

La. Stock Horse Association — All shows start at 9 AM. <u>Dates for 2024</u>: Jan. 20 -Louis Mouch Arena, Port Allen; Feb. 3 - Cal Cam Arena, Sulphur; March 9 & April 13-14 -Pointe Coupee Multi-Use, New Roads; May 11 - Beauregard Parish Arena, DeRidder; June 1 - Rice Arena, Crowley; Sept. 14 - Florida Parishes Arena, Amite; Oct. 5 - Pointe Coupee Multi Use, New Roads; Oct. 26 - Sug Arena, New Iberia; Nov. 23-24 - Beauregard Parish Arena, DeRidder.

For locations and more information, visit **www.louisianastockhorse.com** or call 337-208-2336.

LIVESTOCK EVENTS

The Louisiana Polled Hereford Association will hold their annual Bayou Classic Sale on Saturday, April 13, 2024, at 1 PM at Tiger Lake Livestock in Mansura.

Anyone seeking to consign animals to the Polled and Horned Hereford and F1 sale can contact Ronnie Bardwell (985-320-8978 or **ronniebardwell@gmail.com**) or Brett Daigle (225-571-1766 or **fitter70737@yahoo.com**). The consignment deadline is January 15, 2024.

LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS

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#NoTillNovember: Learn how keeping the stubble can help your farm throughout No-Till November 2023

By Brandon O'Connor, USDA Public Affairs Specialist

This November, USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) is again playing off the popular awareness campaign, "No-Shave November" with our very own campaign, "#NoTillNovember." No-till (also called zero tillage or direct seeding/drilling) is a way of growing crops or pasture year over year with minimal soil disturbance through tillage.

Disturbing your soil through tillage reduces water infiltration, increases runoff, and can make the soil less productive. Tillage also disrupts the soil's natural biological cycles, damages soil structure, and increases erosion.

When you instead keep the stubble by reducing tillage or transitioning to a full notill system you reap a multitude of benefits. These include, but are not limited to, improving the soil's structure which helps it retain more water, saving energy by reducing passes through the field, improving nutrient cycling in the field and increased soil organic matter. Soil is a precious and irreplaceable resource. Reducing tillage on your land is one of the key principles of soil health, along with maximizing soil cover, the presence of living roots, and biodiversity. Working within these principles can help rebuild your soil health system and preserve this vital resource for future generations.

Whether you have never heard of no-till farming, are no-till curious but haven't taken the leap, or have already adopted no-till practices, our goal throughout November is to help you learn more about the practice, how it can help your farm and how NRCS can assist you in reducing tillage on your land.

Whether you farm thousands of acres of row crops, tend a small vegetable garden, or manage pasture for livestock, no-till can benefit your farm.

Visit the website below to learn more about:

 No-till farming and the story of Springhill Farms in Clinton, Kentucky, where Jerry Peery and Jonathan Reynolds are having a generational impact on their soil health through no-till farming. We will also visit Reddick Farms in Bardwell, Kentucky, where Brad and Joel Reddick have transformed their soil through no-till and other soil health practices as the farm prepares to be passed down to the next generation.

- How pairing no-till with additional soil health practices such as cover crops can increase organic matter, reduce inputs, and lead to higher yields.
- How no-till farming can reduce your costs and help you play a role in combating the negative impacts of climate change and farm more climate-smart.
- How no-till can benefit your operation no matter where your farm is located or the size of your operation.

NRCS has a wide variety of resources available in multiple languages to help you learn more about no-till farming, many of which will be highlighted during #NoTillNovember. To learn more about how no- or reduced tillage can help you meet the conservation goals for your land, contact the NRCS at your local USDA Service Center.

www.nrcs.usda.gov/conservation-basics/conservation-by-state/iowa/news/keep-the-stubble-during-no-till-november



EVENTS

Louisiana Forage Conference

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Friday, December 1, 2023

Join the Louisiana Forage and Grasslands Council and the Louisiana Grazing Lands Conservation Initiative (LGLCI) at the Alexandria Mega Shelter for their annual forage conference covering the following:

- Soil Carbon Management
- Beef Cattle Studies
- Forage Management for Beginning Producer Profitability
- Soil Carbon Contract Considerations
- Producer Panel on Using Baleage
- Q&A Forum from two carbon purchasing companies

Lunch is included. For more information and to register, visit **www.louisianaglci.org/events**.

American Farm Bureau Convention

- January 19-24, 2024
- Salt Lake City, Utah

Set out for New Frontiers with the 105th consecutive American Farm Bureau Convention. Participate in educational workshops to advance your leadership skills, expand your business acumen, and gain deep insight into the trends and realities impacting food production.

For more information or to register, visit annualconvention.fb.org.







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If your Christmas tree farm is not listed here, and you would like to be added to the list, please call (225) 925-1243 or email *marketbulletin@ldaf.state.la.us*.

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