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It's a familiar image... a tiny toddler insists on putting on their dad's gigantic shoes. They clomp around, perhaps stumbling, and someone invariably says, "You've got some big shoes to fill, kid." It's adorable, hilarious, and poignant. As kids, we all literally looked up to our fathers at some point, and many of us continue to look up to them in the ways that count.

FATHERS AND SONS: *Three Generations of LDAF Service*

There's a good reason for that. Many of our first life lessons come from our fathers. Not only that, but the impact of a present, loving father has a ripple effect on a child throughout their life. Studies show that fathers occupy a critical role in child development and can positively affect children's social, emotional, and physical well-being.

In this issue, we celebrate fathers, the lessons they teach us, and the footsteps we sometimes follow in, generation after generation.

Meet Jason Timmons, a current Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry (LDAF) employee in the Weights and Measures Division of Agro-Consumer Services. As the Lafayette district supervisor, Jason covers fuel, price, and scale verification inspections from Evangeline Parish to St. Mary Parish. He's worked at the department since 2011.

That's the same year Jason's dad, Johnny J. Timmons, retired from LDAF, where he

was employed for 43 years as an inspector in the Agricultural and Environmental Services Division.

And if you take it back one more step, you'll learn that Johnny started his career at LDAF in 1974, in part due to guidance and encouragement from his father-in-law Francis "Ferdie" Arceneaux, Sr., who retired in 1979 after 31 years of service.

Ferdie is the father of Margaret, Johnny's wife and Jason's mom. Unfortunately, Johnny lost his father when he was only a youngster. So when he met and eventually married Margaret, her dad Ferdie became a father figure to him.

Johnny says his father-in-law was a good



Francis "Ferdie" Arceneaux, Sr., Johnny's father-in-law and Jason's grandfather



Father and son Johnny and Jason Timmons outside LDAF's Opelousas office

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LOUISIANA AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY TODAY

Livestock Brand Commission Warns Against Livestock Sales Scams

Inspectors with the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry's (LDAF) Livestock Brand Commission (LSBC) have noticed an uptick in the number of scams related to livestock sales and want to make the public aware so that they can make smart business decisions. The Livestock Brand Commission has conducted several investigations where farmers have encountered scams relating to livestock sales over the past few weeks.

"Farmers should use caution when dealing with people who make offers that seem too good to be true," says LDAF Commissioner Mike Strain, DVM. "It is unfortunate that there are people that take advantage of others for financial gain, but there are ways to stay alert and tips to practice to hopefully avoid falling victim to scammers."



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To protect yourself from potential scams, it is recommended that you:

- Avoid providing personal or financial information to unknown parties.
- Beware of intentional overpayments. Never accept a check or cashier's check for more than the value of the sale. When the original check turns out to be fraudulent, the seller is the one who comes up short after having refunded them.
- Confirm checks are valid by contacting your bank or the issuing bank.
- When buying items, never issue payment until the items are received unless you have complete trust in the seller.

See LIVESTOCK SCAMS, page 18

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Bermuda LargePremium.....	\$200
Bermuda MediumPremium.....	\$200
Bermuda Small SquarePremium.....	\$280-\$440

SOUTH TEXAS WEEKLY HAY REPORT, JUN 2, 2023

Bermuda Large RoundGood/Premium	\$130-\$150/bale
Bermuda Small SquareGood/Premium	\$10-\$13/bale



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ACADIA PARISH

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

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

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

ALLEN PARISH

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

ASCENSION PARISH

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

ASSUMPTION PARISH

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

AVOUELLES PARISH

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

BEAUREGARD PARISH

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

BOSSIER PARISH

Benton
Benton Farmers Market
495 Simpson
Sun 12-4PM

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

CADDO PARISH

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

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

CALCASIEU PARISH

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

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

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

CALDWELL PARISH

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

CONCORDIA PARISH

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

EAST BATON ROUGE PARISH

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

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

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

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

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

EVANGELINE PARISH

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

GRANT PARISH

Colfax
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. Boulogny Plaza
Tues 2-6PM, Sat 7-11AM, year round

IBERVILLE PARISH

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

JEFFERSON PARISH

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

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

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

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

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

JEFFERSON DAVIS PARISH

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

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

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

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

LAFAYETTE PARISH

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

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

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

LAFORUCHE PARISH

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

LASALLE PARISH

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

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

LINCOLN PARISH

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

LIVINGSTON PARISH

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

MADISON PARISH

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

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

MOREHOUSE PARISH

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

NATCHITOCHE PARISH

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

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

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

ORLEANS PARISH

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

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

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

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

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

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

OUACHITA PARISH

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

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

RAPIDES PARISH

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

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

RICHLAND PARISH

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

ST. CHARLES PARISH

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

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

ST. HELENA PARISH

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

ST. LANDRY PARISH

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

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

ST. MARTIN PARISH

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

ST. MARY PARISH

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

ST. TAMMANY PARISH

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

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

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

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

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

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

TANGIPAHOA PARISH

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

TENSAS PARISH

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

TERREBONNE PARISH

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

VERMILION PARISH

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

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

VERNON PARISH

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

WASHINGTON PARISH

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

WEBSTER PARISH

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

WEST FELICIANA PARISH

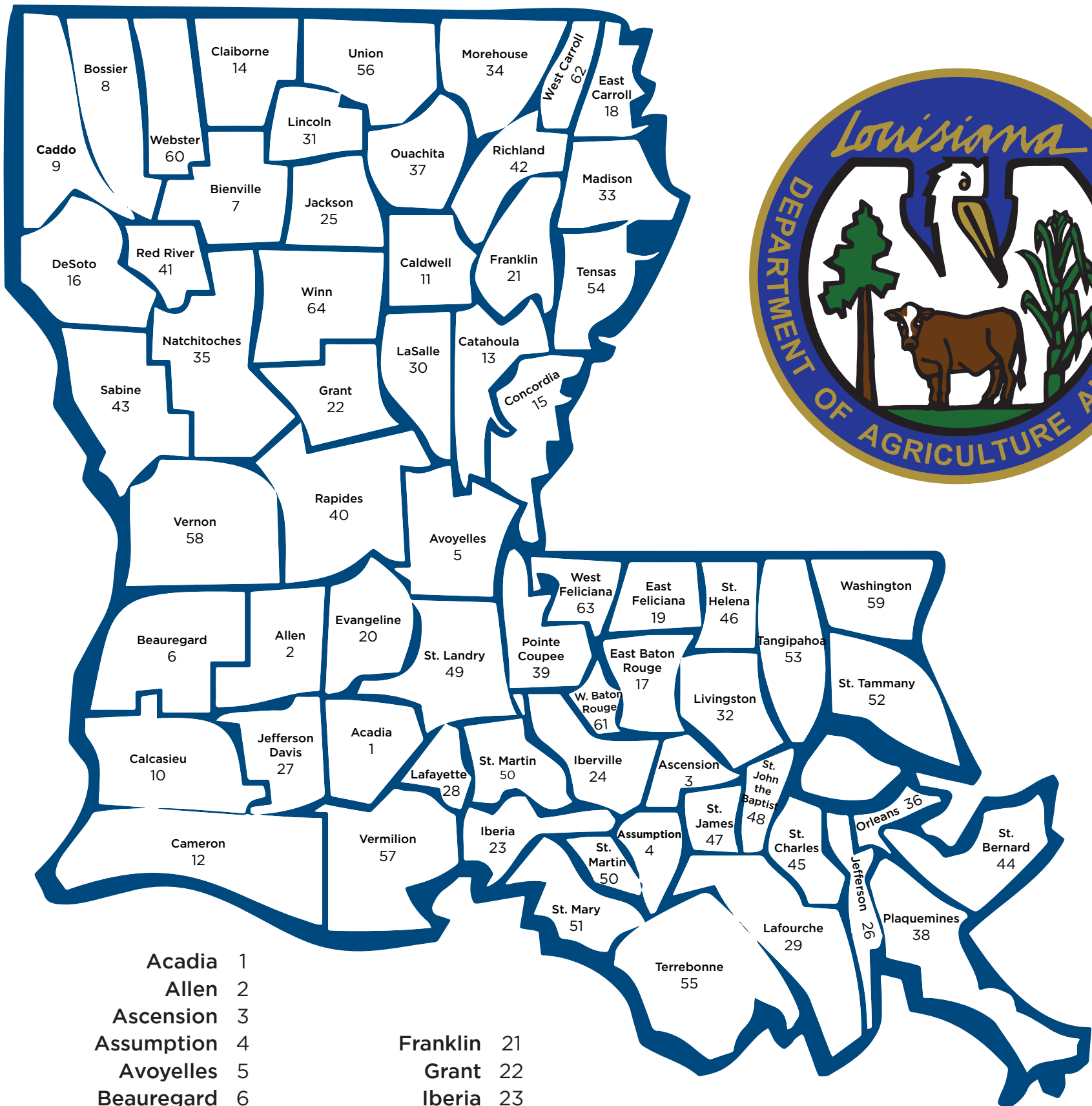
St. Francisville
St. Francisville Farmers Market
9992 Wilcox St (Fair Barn)
Thurs 9AM-1PM, May-Nov

WINN PARISH

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



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

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

ANGUS

Angus Bull Greenline Angus, S S Niagra Z29 grandson, AAA 20085529 registration, DB 3/06/2021, \$3,250. Aaron Poirrier, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-514-1043.

PB Angus (1) heifer, 7-mths., \$700. Clinton Breland, Angie, Washington Parish; 985-515-8883.

(3) registered American angus bulls, 3/12/13 \$2,500, 8/21/16 \$4,500, 2/6/16 \$4,500, current BSE, Trich, and BVD test ready to go out on cows. Raymond Fontenot, Abbeville, Vermillion Parish; 713-446-4385.

Reg. black angus embryo bulls and heifers, spring 22, top maternal pedigrees Schaff angus valley, Coleman angus and Musgrave, halter broke, \$2,500 and up. Mark Lejeune, Elton, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-526-3520.

Reg. Angus bulls, (3), 21-23 mths., sire Sydgen Trust, Mill Bar, Hickok and Cowboy, up weight 1,250 to 1,400 lbs., all vac., breeding sound tested, \$3,000 and up. Carroll Boudreaux, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-519-0420 or 337-229-8100.

16mo gentle, Sire - renown 06 of CQUIN, SAV renown 3439, fertility ck. 95+, LBW, all shots, wts. 1250 to 1375 lbs, \$3,750 and \$4,500. Bill Saulnier, Welsh, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-842-7549.

Lowline Angus bull calf, eating grain, grass and hay, perfect for small acreage beef production, bulls at maturity weight 1,200 lbs, cows 900 lbs, more head per acre \$600. Mark Lumetta, Tangipahoa Parish, 504-451-6655.

(10) 2yo reg black angus virgin bulls, low birth weight, top genetics, big bone and muscle, 1 breeding season guaranteed, \$4,500 and up. Earl Lemoine; 318-453-5503.

(6) Reg. black angus AAA bull calves, 6-9 mths old, \$1,200/each; (2) reg. black angus AAA bulls, ready to breed, \$3,000/each. Rhett Dugas, St. Landry,

Evangeline Parish; 225-571-6386.

Young Angus Cows, first calf cows and older, \$1,200 each. Aaron Porrier, Tangipahoa Parish, 985-514-1043.

Registered Angus Bulls, 18 months old. Out of Artificial Insemination Sires-Powerball, Pay Weight and Niagara. Bulls are gentle, pasture raised and slick hided with great EPDs. Bulls have all had vaccines and are soundness, exam tested, \$3,000 and up. J&C investors, Calcasieu Parish, 337-302-7481 or 337-842-3070.

PB black Angus (4) heifers, 3-8 mths old, and 1-6 mths old, parents on site, \$950/each. G. Welch, Oakdale, Allen Parish; 318-306-1933.

BEEFMASTER

Nice Beefmaster bulls for sale, breeding soundness tested, two years old, ready for service, your pick, \$2,500. Mel Jackson, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-443-0203.

Reg. Beefmaster bull calves with or without papers, weaned, dehorned, shots, started on feed, \$1,250/each and up. Ellie Brouillette, St Landry, 337-344-6004.

Beefmaster bull, 24-mths, old February 2023, pure bred from registered stock, good bloodlines, top quality and good disposition. Mike Lafleur, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-658-1625.

PB Beefmaster heifers, one year old, not registered, \$800-\$1,000. John Belgard, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-286-3010.

PB Beefmaster reg. bull, 8-months, pasture raised, very gentle, top quality. Michael Bergeron, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-423-1324.

BRAFORD

Braford heifers exposed to bull since December. Gentle and between 14 and 20 months old with good frame and ears. \$2,000 each or 5+ for \$1,950 each, 10+ for \$1,900 each, and 15+ for \$1,850 each. Ready for your pasture. Donnell Nickens, Prairieville, Ascension Parish, 225-313-0763.

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

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

Reg. Braford bulls & heifers, 11-months old and up, all vacc. & wormed, home raised, \$1,500 and up. Lloyd Savell, Florien, Sabine Parish; 318-586-7378.

Braford bull, 2-year old, ready to breed, \$2,000. Ryan Danos, Iowa, Calcasieu Parish; 337-304-1262.

BRAHMAN

Pure Breed Brahman bull born 10/18/2022, dehorned, wormed, and vaccinated, very gentle, \$900. Murrell Hoffpauir, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-258-1383.

Forty cross bred brahma cows due to calve in the fall of 2023. \$1,400 each but must take five or more. They are all 2-5 years old. Keith Guillory, 337-336-2150.

Grey Brahman heifers & bulls form Maddox, U4 Barrett, Thor, Manso 840 and KC Justice bloodlines for sale, F1 Charolais heifers for sale. Eric Wingate, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-257-9071.

Reg. Brahman bulls, born 03/12/2021 and 4/22/2021, naturally polled, sired by Al son of LMC Sambo, dams are my two best and most fertile cows, \$2,200 and \$2,400. Clinton Twilley, Prairieville, Ascension Parish; 225-910-0549.

Reg Brahman bulls for sale, 8/12 months old, ready for new home, \$1,800. Jerome Cormier, Morse, Acadia Parish; 337-581-8542.

Reg. PB red Brahman cattle, heifers 12-16 months, \$1,650; 18-22 months, \$1,950-\$2,200; all shots, very gentle, grain fed daily. Evert Talbot, Baton Rouge, EBR Parish; 225-978-1798.

BRANGUS

Golden certified F1 Brangus heifers and bulls, heifers are 15 mos, \$1,800 each, bulls are 20mo, \$2,800 and up. Philip Chiasson, Galliano, Lafourche Parish; 985-637-7538.

Brangus Mixed heifer, 3yrs old with 5 month old bull calf, \$1,200. Melanie Moore, Rapides Parish, 318-792-3007.

Brangus Cow/ cald pairs. \$1,800/pair. Norman Young, Evangeline Parish, 337-303-3385.

(12) Reg. Brangus bulls, 2-years old, \$2,750 & up; (10) reg. Brangus bulls, yearlings, \$5,000 & up, will deliver. Ronnie Link, Evergreen, Avoyelles Parish; 337-351-2169.

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

6-yr-old Charolais bull, extremely gentle, \$2,500. Tommy Willis, Beauregard Parish, 337-396-3245.

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Miniature Dexter, dob 4/1/23, solid black, nonchondro, polled, A2A2, PHA neg, \$1,000, text for pics & info. Celia Lupin, Folsom, St. Tammany Parish; 504-312-8282.

3-year-old red tiger stripe bull, fairly gentle, call for pics, \$400. Trahan, Sulphur, Calcasieu Parish; 337-532-0672/337-528-3456.

Mini Dexter, (1) red tipped white heifer, (1) solid black bull, both 13-mths old, \$1,000 for heifer, \$800 for bull, text for pics. Steven Breaux, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-257-5206.

HEREFORD

(2) Reg. Hereford bulls, (1) polled, 3k, dob 4/15/23, (1) not polled, 1k, dob 1/7/22, \$2,500 each. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

2yo old horn Hereford bull, gentle, \$2,500. James H. Sibley, Walker, Livingston Parish; 225-686-2952.

(2) 3yo reg. Hereford cow/calf pairs, one bull calf born 4/1/23, one hef calf born 5/1/23, both cows are med frame and gentle, hand feed, \$2,500 per pair. Damon Kirk, Deville, Rapides Parish; 318-709-8101.

(2) horned Hereford bulls, dark red and medium framed, both 1yo, on feed and pasture, \$1,500

each. Damon Kirk, Deville, Rapides Parish; 318-709-8101.

Polled Hereford heifer & bull calves, great EPD's, low birth weights, super thick and very gentle, all shots & wormed, 10-17 mos. old, \$1,500-1 & up, delivery avail. for additional charge. Laura Hughes, Zachary, EBR Parish; 225-933-2997.

Reg. polled Herefords - (2) bulls 16 and 15mos, great bloodlines, fully vaccinated, \$1,800 each; (2) heifers 9mo, \$900 each. Jim Varnado; Greensburg, St. Helena Parish; 225-222-6343.

(7) polled Hereford bulls, 1 horned Hereford bull, 15-16 months, excellent quality, \$2,800-3,000 each. Jim Fannin, Jonesboro, Jackson Parish; 318-259-4535.

LIMOUSIN

Reg. Limousin bull, NFM 1927536, DOB 1-27-09, gentle, \$3,500. Danny Smith, Deridder, Beauregard Parish; 337-401-1943.

SANTA GERTRUDIS

Reg. Santa Gertrudis bull, 3 years old, good EPDs and gentle, \$4,500. Kyle Feazell, Boyce, Rapides Parish; 318-229-6426.

SIMMENTAL

Reg Pb black Simmental bull born 11/17/2021, all shots, wormed, breeding soundness tested, \$2,000. Sheila Wittie, Tangipahoa Parish, 985-345-6748.

WAGYU

(30) Wagyu, 1 yr. old, 5 mos. old, \$1,000, \$650. W.V. Jackson,

Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-515-0520.

ZEBU

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

DAIRY

14-mth old Jersey heifer, open, not yet exposed to bull, ready to breed, gentle, \$1,000. Harry Debusk, Grant Parish, 318-446-1012.

Brahman dairy heifer, weaned, wormed, vaccinated, black, deep bodied, money maker, \$1,250. Matthew Whittington, Ragley, Beauregard Parish; 337-802-7965.

OTHER

Water Buffalo bull calves and steers for sale, very friendly, grass fed, thrive in LA climate, good genetics for dairy or meat, more lean and lower in cholesterol than beef. Sarah, 225-324-9664.

Belted Galloway bullcalves (2) 5mos, (2) 7mos, (1) steer, \$500-\$600 each. Troy Rawlings, Kinder, Allen Parish; 337-842-4714.

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Feeder Calves, weaned and on feed, \$2.25/pound, live weight, picked up and weighed at farm. Ellie Brouillette, St Landry Parish, 337-344-6004.

Dexter ADCA reg. red polled bull born 2/12/22, \$1,500; red horned heifer born 9/23/22, \$1,000. Others available, call or text. Jay Delouche, Beauregard Parish, 337-842-0586.

HORSES, MULES & JACKS

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Buckskin mare w/ stud colt at side, Watch Queen Dance, sire is Peppinita figure 4, \$3,500. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

AQHR bay roan filly, CJ Crying Blue Bird, dob 05/13/2022, \$1,500. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

2 Amita miniature stallions, (1) 6yo, (1) 16mos, both are color producing fewspot Appaloosas, 31 1/2 inches tall, \$950 each. Billy Knight, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-848-5160.

Complete Pulling rig for draft mules/horses. In excellent condition. \$1,000. Fran Firmin, East Baton Rouge Parish, 225-938-4060.

One year old Shire Stud, halter broke, gentle. Price is \$3,000 or best offer. Don't have the room he needs. Cindy DeJean, St Landry Parish, 337-945-4620.

Foundation & Running Bred Quarter Horses, Imprint as Foals, Freeze Branded and vaccinated. \$3,500 and up. Fred Rodosta, St. Landry Parish, 337-948-6511.

Rubber matting and treated 4 by 8-ft underlayment for 3 horse stalls, \$400. Rita Corde Cade, Assumption Parish; 985-438-1400.

3 two-eyed Jack bred stud colts, \$800-\$1,750/each, 10-14 months old, will furnish a negative coggins. Russell E. Sibley, Amite, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-517-4208.

Wanted: will buy miniature horses, up to \$100. Skip Russell, Ruston, Lincoln Parish; 318-548-5050.

STALLION SERVICE

(4) foundation bred stallions, \$800/\$10 mare care, before coming mares are required to have a negative Coggins test and vet checked ultrasound. Dr. Fred Rodosta, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-331-3151 or 337-948-6511.

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

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

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

EQUINE SERVICES

Horse leasing, \$300/month, min., 3-days of riding/week, 1-30 min lesson/week if desired, AlmostaRanchPettingZoo.com. Bill Bolen, Sulphur, Calcasieu Parish; 337-558-5762.

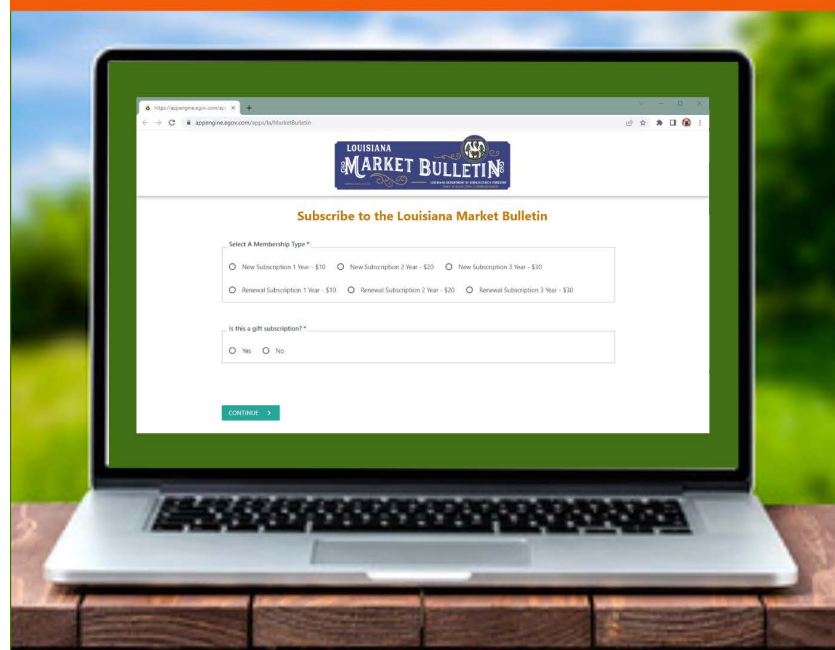
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Equine weanling/ yearling desensitization and groundwork, two week sessions. Perry Fontenot, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-351-3844.

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TACK

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

180 lb anvil, text for pictures, \$350. Ted Smith, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-308-6506.

Professional saddle repair, custom made tack, used saddles for sale, cell phone holders, gun holsters, knife sheaths. Ronney Francois, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-945-3628.

Saddle, good shape, Jr size 14", w/thick well made blanket, extra hanging (kids) stirrups, \$175. Paul David, Quitman; 337-540-2805.

Billy Cook saddle, size 16, used less than 10 times, mint condition, \$1,000. Nell Stuard, Baker, EBR Parish; 225-955-3396.

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

Saddle rack, very sturdy, made from 1" & 2" tube steel, holds 6-saddles, 6-blankets, and 5-spots for bridles, \$800. Doug Cornelius, Zachary, EBR Parish; 225-301-9859.

SHEEP & GOATS

(1) Male Boer goat, \$250. E. Lavergne, Ragley, Beauregard Parish; 337-529-9632.

80% Boer 20% Kiko, 1-year old, (2) females, \$250/each; (1) male, \$200. Ray Reynolds, Roseland, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-247-2927.

Barbado ram p/b, 18-mth., nice, ready, \$250; several younger rams, \$100 and up. James Mercer, Winnfield, Winn Parish; 318-628-0857.

Male & female Myotonic (fainting goats), 8 to 12 weeks old, \$125 each. Norma Traylor, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-386-3289.

Nigerian dwarf buck, 1-yr old, blue eyed, black & white, horned, NOT registered, good position, \$150. Rachel Fuselier, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-336-1682.

1 female Barbado ewe with male baby born 3/26/23, \$275. Buford Landreneau, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-461-5282.

Boer billies \$300 each, cross Boer do bred to full blood Boer billy, she is bagging, \$600. Norris Deville, Plaquemine, Iberville Parish; 225-385-8503.

Dorper ram, 5mo, excellent disposition, ready to service this fall, \$350. Blake Bertrand, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-655-4851.

Brush goats, males and females, various ages, \$50/1 - \$150/1, text for prices and photos. Edsel Poole, Covington, St. Tammany Parish; 985-630-8144.

Reg St Croix sheep, \$350 for females, \$150 for males, unregistered males \$100, never need to worm, no sheering, no dangerous horns, originated in the hot tropics, text for info. Willie Johnson, Clinton, East Feliciana Parish; 225-802-2910.

(4) young rams, \$100 each, dorper/mix breed (hair sheep), 3-6 mo, call for more info. Pam Dunn, Lena, Rapides Parish; 318-793-5410.

Young billy goat 5mo, naturally pooled and very tame, tan and white, dad is boar and mom is part Nubian, \$100. Pam Dunn, Lena, Rapides Parish; 318-793-5410.

St Croix sheep for sale. Ram and ewe lambs — \$120 each. Adult sheep — \$150. Greg Brian, Rapides Parish, 318-447-1360.

Three hair/wool cross feeder lambs ready to feed out your way. 2 rams and 1 ewe. Born 2/11/17. \$150 each or \$400 for all. Pick up in Lake Charles. Danielle Vail, Calcasieu Parish, 337-660-3044.

Registered horned Dorset ram for sale. Born 2/21/21. Has produced very fine lambs. Asking \$700. Danielle Vail, Calcasieu Parish, 337-660-3044.

(2) neutered 4 ½ year old male brush goats \$200, (4) billies born 12/5/22 brush goats \$200. Danny Hyorth, Killian, Livingston Parish; 504-450-9350.

3yo tender milk goat \$200; 2yo Lamanha buck \$200; 3 young kids \$100 each; Dennis Labergne, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-1596.

Barbadoe ewe with male baby born 4/19/23, \$275. Buford Landreneau, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-461-5282.

Royal white rams, (1) 1yo, (2) 2yo, ready for breeding, \$200, call and ask for Kaleb. Mike Latiolais, Arnaudville, St. Landry

Parish; 337-678-2137.

Kiko Bucklings 3 and 4 months old, myotonic buckling 4 months old, \$150/ each. Jay Meadows, Tangipahoa Parish, 985-614-3373.

(2) Pygmy goats, both 9 weeks old, 1 black female \$125, 1 black male \$100. Randy and Lynda McCullough, Dry Creek, Allen Parish; 337-353-1919 or 337-353-6898.

ADGA Red Nigerian Dwarves, bucks \$200 each, Does \$300 each. Some with blue eyes. Find Megan's Mini farm on Facebook. Megan Bergeron, Pointe Coupee Parish, 225-223-2008.

Katahdin lambs - ewe and ram lambs for sale. Robert Knott, Lecompte, Rapides Parish; 318-308-5107.

2 male red Boer goats, full blood, no papers, 3 years old \$350, 7 month old \$200. Dot Fisher, Sikes, Winn Parish; 318-302-0904.

St. Croix sheep, rams 2-3 months old, non-registered, \$200 each, several to choose from. Melanie Moore, Deville, Rapides Parish; 318-794-9533.

DOGS

Rare Hybrid CKC Belgian Malinois-AKC Pembroke Welsh Corgi Mix, herding dogs, male and female, born 5-1-23, parents on site, \$500 each. Paul Gil, Patterson, St. Mary Parish; 985-397-6407.

3-year-old male pure bred blue heeler, free to a good home. John T. Bourgeois, Thibodaux, Lafourche Parish; 985-226-0990.

Red & Blue Heeler puppies born March 28, tails are docked, \$150 each. Wilbert Nelson, Natchitoches, Natchitoches Parish; 318-481-6330.

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

Jack Russel terrier, beautiful shorty male, only 2-years old, \$100. Susie & Harold Vercher, Deville; 318-447-0244.

Rat Terrier puppies, very small type, shots and wormed. Susie & Harold Vercher, Deville; 318-447-0244.

Jack Russel puppies for sale, 3-weeks old, (4) males & (2) females, dob 5/15/23, wormed, squirrel dogs, house pets, great alert dogs, \$150/each. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

Great Pyrenees DOB 2/16/23, wormed, 10/1 shots, (1) male, (3) females, \$250 each. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

Free 1-year old small mixed breed dogs, (rat terrier, chihuahua, dachshund) ratchaweenie, (4) total, 2-males, 2-females. Charlie Thompson, Jena, LaSalle Parish; 318-312-0788.

Free 3-mth old puppies, 1-male, 1-female, Catahoula cur, rattlesnake brindle in color, pure Catahoula cur stock over 40-years.

(1) male puppy, Great Pyrenees x Anatolian cross, dob 3/26/23, ready to go to a new home, raised with goats, cows, and poultry, parents on site, \$150. David Rigsby, Converse; 318-796-2796.

Reg hunting Labrador, retriever puppies, 1 black male and female, 1 yellow male and female, \$400 each. Bubba Reed, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-655-9582.

Labradoodles, dob 5/13/23, will have shots and wormed, \$400. Charlie Hay, Chatham, Jackson Parish; 318-249-2967.

Golden doodles, shots, dew claws removed, \$300. Charlie Hay, Chatham, Jackson Parish; 318-249-2967.

Poodles, dob 5/6/23, dew claws removed, tails docked, will have shots and wormed, \$700. Charlie Hay, Chatham, Jackson Parish; 318-249-2967.

Pure rat terrier puppies, \$75 each, dob 4/18/23. Jimmy Fontenot, Evangeline Parish; 337-351-3094.

Jack Russell female, \$150. Danny McGee, Beauregard Parish; 337-544-0442.

AKC Rhodesian Ridgeback puppies, imported parents with all champions in pedigree, sire was shown winning "best of breed," \$2,000-2,500. Sharlane Clattenburg, Holden, St. Helena Parish; 225-938-5359.

UKR teddy Roosevelt terriers, vet checked all colors and all males, Suzanne McAlister, Independence, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-507-0877.

Beautiful red FIB Golden doodle puppies, dob 2/11/23, 2 males 1 female available, \$1,200/ nego. must see. Kirk Foret, Lockport, Lafourche Parish; 985-413-4314.

Pure Bred Australian Shepherd Black Tri Female, born 11/15/22, docked tail, dew claws removed, puppy shots, photo available, \$150. Debra Faust, St Tammany Parish, 601-569-9151.

AKC & CKC Registered Chocolate Labrador retriever puppies. Born 4/4/23 and will be ready to go on 6/4/23. They will come with registration papers and first 2 shot records, \$600 each. Arlene Lemoine, Avoyelles Parish, 318-500-2416.

¾ Heller ¼ Rat Terrier, 7 blue, 2 red, wormed and tails docked, dob 4/1/23, \$125. Scotty Lepretre, Gueydan, Vermillion Parish; 337-258-6161.

Pit Bulls pups for sale. Mom is a red nose, dad is a blue nose. Parents are on location. Pups are 8 weeks old as of 5/1/23. Asking \$200. Please text. Ritchey Miller, Acadia Parish, 337-224-4157.

Blue/Red Heeler cross puppies. Tails Docked, dew claws

removed and 1st shots. Females. \$120. Leary Johnson, Jackson Parish, 318-245-3070.

Registered Mini Australian Shepherd puppies born 4/24/23. 2 blue merle female, 1 red merle female, 1 black tri female and 1 blue merle male. Call or text. Rebecca Lafleur, Sabine Parish, 337-488-9183.

AKC Reg light yellow/white Labrador puppies, utd shots & deworming, dewclaws, removed, males \$800, females \$900, prices include full AKC registration. Megan Bergeron, Livonia, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-223-2008.

Presa canario Spanish mastiff (3) large females, 3 months old, protection/hunting, \$800-1,200 each. Don Rideau, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-662-0012.

Wanted: Looking for miniature pinschers. Wilfred Moore, Mount Hermon Parish; 985-877-4439.

SWINE

Purebred Berkshire piglets, gilts and barrows, born April 20, nice looking piglets, \$100. Emmie Chaney, Jackson, East Feliciana Parish; 225-324-0778.

Kune kune Piglets 2 females and 2 males, 7 weeks old. All double wattled, \$150 each. Randy and Lynda McCullough, Allen Parish, 337-353-6898.

Reg. Hampshire boar, 7-months old, breeding boar, \$250. Patricia Kuhne, Greenwell Springs, EBR Parish; 225-316-3983.



DOMESTICATED BIRDS

Peacocks, male 1-year old, \$100/each. Harding Bordelon, Moreauville, Avoyelles Parish; 337-288-2158.

Hand fed cockatiels, white faced, pearl cockatiels, call for price. Charles Fontenot, Scott, Lafayette Parish; 337-561-8165.

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

American parakeet breeders, \$20 each, \$30/pair, English budgie young, \$50-\$60, lovebird breeders, orange opaline yellows, blues, and greens, \$90-\$120. Mike Lafleur, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 337-658-1625.

Ring neck doves \$5 each. Eddy LeBlanc, Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-258-5687.

Cockatiels \$85-100, green check conures \$300-350. James Anderson, Bossier City, Bossier Parish; 318-200-1241.

Sun conures hand feeding

babies Quaker Parakeets. Donald Brown, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-300-4903.

American Parakeets \$15 each.

LeRoy Abshire, Lafayette Parish, 337-230-5476.

(2) 1 month old cockatiels, \$75

each, Diamond Doves – blue-white tails, \$40 each, Red and Peach Doves, \$60 each. Donald Jacob, St John the Baptist Parish, 985-652-6614.

Ring neck doves, \$5/each,

minimum order of 4 doves. Victor Dugas, Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-258-7565.

Double yellow-headed male

amazon breeder, \$1,200. Faye Daigle, Houma, Terrebonne Parish; 985-790-5227.

Green wing macaw, \$2,500 &

up; Indian Ringnecks, \$600 & up; Quakers bonded pair, \$600; parakeets, \$25 & up; Button quail, \$40/pair & up. Dave Kuhnau, Covington, 985-502-4511.

Sun conures and quakers

parakeets. Donald Brown, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-466-3749.

Wanted: Humidaire egg

incubator, Humidaire chick brooder, any model. Addette Prentiss, Holden, Livingston Parish; 985-348-4291.

POULTRY & FOWL**Multi-colored rooster, (red**

leghorn/blue laced red wyandotte cross) \$20/1; 3-mth old Rhode island red roosters, \$10/1. Dale Falcon, Prairieville, Ascension Parish; 225-278-5567.

Rhode Island Red pullets,

hatched 03/29/2023, \$9/each; hatched 04/20/2023, \$7/each, sex links & others same price. Kerry Revigre, West Baton Rouge Parish, 225-235-2482.

Big full grown turkey, \$75;

3-week old bay turkeys, \$10/ each, Royal, Boubor and Rio Grande mixed. Harding Bordelon, Moreauville, Avoyelles Parish; 337-288-2158.

3-months pullets, gold sexlinks,

barred rocks, easter eggers, \$15/1; hutch, 5'x30"x5' tall, for chicken, rabbit, or quail, 2-compartment, \$450. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermillion Parish; 337-789-5478.

Fur and feather farms blue

Plymouth rock chicks \$4 each. Jacque Leger, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-692-1635.

Quail egg, 20¢ for fertile, 15¢

for not fertile, quail for sale \$300. Blaise Sonnier, Youngsville, Lafayette Parish; 337-856-5884.

Old English game bantam BB

Red's show quality \$30 and up. Danny, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-277-7007.

Guinea keets \$2/each, Mallord

ducklings \$4/each. Ray Touchstone, Effie, Avoyelle Parish; 318-347-7430.

Mandarin Ducks \$80/each,

White Mandarin \$60/ each, Silver Bahama pintails \$90/each, Red jungle fowl \$5/each, Lady Gouldian finches \$75/each. Mark Lumetta, Tangipahoa Parish, 504-451-6655.

Baby chicks mixed, large breed,

\$2 each, straight run only. Clifford Bonvillain, Lafourche Parish; 985-258-8526.

Jumbo Pharaoh Quail, starting

at \$2 for newly hatched, Price increases with age. Contact for more information and what's available. Megan's Mini Farm Megan Bergeron, Pointe Coupee Parish, 225-223-2008.

Chicken tractors made with all

treated wood, cedar panels and tin roofs, from small 2'x8' to large 4'x10', can make any size, from \$600 to \$1,200. Robert Tout, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish; 337-842-7755.

Baby chicks, straight run mixed

breeds, consisting of barred rock, Columbian Wyandotte, Ameraucana, and New Hampshire Reds, \$3/each. Todd Cicero, Oscar; 225-939-9053.

PIGEONS**Pigeons mature birds \$15 and**

up per bird. Exotic breeds: Polish Lynx and Prachen Kanix. Michael Lafleur, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish, 337-658-1625.

White Kings, young birds, \$15

each, homing pigeons, young birds, many breeds, \$10 each. Clifford Bonvillain, Lafourche Parish; 985-258-8526.

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.

Homing pigeons all colors, \$8

each; chicken eggs, \$3.5/dozen; pickled quail eggs, \$7/jar; quail eggs, 15¢/each; newborn baby quail, \$1/each. Roger Latiolas, Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-962-3463.

EGGS**Fresh lawn eggs for sale, free**

range chickens, \$3/dozen, no delivery, Saline LA. LM Ward Farm, Saline, Bienville Parish; 318-576-3639.

Brown eggs, free range, \$2/

dozen. Fertile Rhode Island Red and others, \$4/dozen. Kerry Revigre, West Baton Rouge Parish, 225-235-2482.

Fur and feather farms fresh free

range blue Plymouth rock eggs, \$4/dozen, \$6 18-count, \$8 dozen fertile eggs. Jacque Leger, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-692-1635.

Brown tinted eggs, free range,

3 dozen/\$10. Todd Cicero, Oscar; 225-939-9053.

Farm fresh chicken eggs, free

range, cage free, \$4/dozen. Kristen Burfield, Lettsworth, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-3604.

RABBITS**Fur and feather farms pure**

breeds, New Zealand whites, Flemish giants, Californians, price depends on age. Jacque Leger, Sunset, St. Landry Parish; 337-692-1635.

Bergeron & Borel's Rabbit

Ranch, 100% pure large & small rabbits, rabbit cages, also custom builds upon request, text or call before 9.PM.daily. Douglas Borel/Elizabeth Bergeron, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-886-8075.

New Zealand meat rabbits price

depends on age. Dennis Lavergne, St. Landry Parish; 337-831-1596.

Netherland dwarf bunnies,

ready for Easter, \$35/1, new zealand bunnies, \$25/1, rabbit hutch 2'6"x5'x5'1/2"x1", wire floor, \$400 cash. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermilion Parish; 337-289-5478.

New Zealand male, 1-year old,

\$25/1, mixed breed of different ages. Terry Thibodeaux, Lafayette, Lafayette Parish; 337-277-7217.

AQUACULTURE**(2) shrimp trolls, w/turtle**

device, \$375. Shelia Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-789-0699.

Pond stocking, blue catfish,

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

4-inch, 3-phase submersible

pump for water well, 30 HP, 3-phase motor, 230 volts, 3-stage, 6JCY pump, pulled from existing well, make offer. Shawn Fontenot, Ville Platte, Evangeline Parish; 832-504-1744.

Wanted: assist in locating an

underwater spring on property, advise on how to harvest the water. Jim Smith, DeSoto Parish; 318-218-9690.

Wanted: Old shrimp trawls

within 30 miles of Hammond, no boards or ropes, no lead line or floats, just the netting, may have tears or holes. Lee, Husser, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-981-7819 or 985-320-4478.

FARM SERVICES**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 Boureois, 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, pip, pens, etc, will travel to surrounding areas/out of state. Joe Hensgens, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 985-992-9119.

New slaughterhouse, domestic

cattle & hogs, custom slaughter, available by appt. only, state of the art vacuum sealer, call for pricing. Mike Clements, Slaughter, East Feliciana Parish; 225-726-3946.

Restore pastures & fields, mow,

cultivate, eliminate compaction, contouring, plant, install drainage, ponds, roads, paths, walls, fences, harvest & thin trees, stumps, recondition arenas & gravel roads 8" deep. John Cleary, Hammond, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-634-0074.

Will remove fences for

materials, wires, posts, and gates, w/no charge if suitable conditions, locations, and access. George Waltner, Many, Sabine, 318-602-8249.

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.

Fence building barb, net,

boards, pipe & hotwire, references provided, \$1/ft. and up, fence cleaning, repairs, catch pens, arenas, custom entry ways, free estimates. Ben Baggett, Mittie, Allen Parish; 337-370-8254.

Wanted: T.Moise Farms is

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

LIVESTOCK BOARDING**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.

Horse boarding, herd

environment, \$100/1 per month,

multi. feeding options. Kathern Hollifield, Deridder, Beauregard Parish; 337-462-0964.

Horse boarding, pasture & full

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

Horse boarding, near Carencro

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

Horse boarding, 1.5 miles from

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

EQUIPMENT SERVICES FOR HIRE**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 equip 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.

Land prepared, cleared,

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

Dozer & excavator work

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

or 318-964-2380.

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

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

Demo, irrigation, fence line, bush hogging, etc., Mobile Welding or Fabrication. Joseph or Patrick, Jennings, Acadian Parish; 337-368-3624 or 337-526-8825.

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, trackhoe, backhoe &

tractor work, \$1000 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."

52-acres for sale located in Washington parish, 90% in open fields and 10% wooded area, great place for a home site and a pond, \$265000. Brent Duncan, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-515-6655.

15-acres on Comite drive, quiet culdasac. Tony Templet, Baton Rouge, EBR Parish; 225-356-2094.

70-acres located west east Tangipahoa parish, (3) bedrooms house, 30x50 metal building, ponds & creek, hardwood & pines, hunting/ farming/ recreation. Jerry Sharp, Covington, St. Tammany Parish; 985-502-4796.

RURAL PROPERTY FOR LEASE

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Looking to lease 27 acres in Vermillion Parish for cattle. The address is 1334 Boyance Road, Erath, LA 70533, Cost is \$5000/year. Christine Harrigan, Vermillion Parish, 281-919-5100.

200 acres of crawfish fishing waters for rent located in Vermillion. John Miller; 208-354-3571.

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

FERTILIZER

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

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

Ag lime, \$30/ton, within a (100)-mile radius. Brent Duncan, Franklinton, Washington Parish; call 985-515-6655.

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

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

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

Compost cow manure, \$40/ yard picked up; 18-wheeler loads \$35/yard picked up. Brent Duncan, Franklinton, Washington Parish; 985-515-6655.

Chicken fertilizer, call for pricing, depends on location. Mitch Johnson, Pitkin, Vernon Parish; 337-423-3507.

SEEDS, FLOWERS, & ORNAMENTALS

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

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

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

TREES & FRUITING VINES

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

New shipment of watermelon for sale June 4, melons \$15-\$20, cantaloupe \$5-\$10, no delivery. LM Ward Farm, Saline, Bienville Parish; 318-576-3639.

Windmill palm trees for sale, call for pricing. Jim Smith, DeSoto Parish; 318-218-9690.

Heirloom grafted pears, some go back 147yrs; \$15/1 blueberries, \$10/1 pink lemonade blue berries, \$15/1 hyb. Mayhaws, \$10/1 cypress trees, \$10/1 all in 3 to 5 gal pots, must sell while they last. Lee, Husser, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-981-7819 or 985-320-4478.

Maypop/Passionflower, &7, Pawpaw \$22, Blueberries/ huckleberries \$12 and up, Mexican Plum \$15, Buckwheat tree \$30, Coral Honeysuckle, Groundnut, Native Trees, Wild flowers \$10-20. Betty Miley, East Feliciana Parish, 225-629-5379

Maypop/passionflower \$7, pawpaw \$22, blueberries, huckleberries \$12 and up, Mexican Plum \$15, Buckwheat Tree \$30, Coral honeysuckle, groundnut, native trees, wildflowers \$10-\$20. Betty Miley, Norwood, East Feliciana Parish; 225-629-5379.

BEES & HONEY

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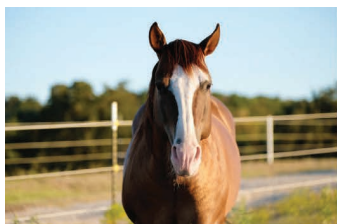
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Raw Honey - from wildflowers. 1 pint \$8.00. Greg Brian, Rapides Parish, 318-447-1360.

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

Beehives for sale, taking orders for splits, making splits first week of April, medium box,



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bees, queen, brood, \$210. Charles Buckner, Webster Parish; 318-562-0887.

Wanted Looking for farm or pasture land to place bee hives on around Central Louisiana Parishes. Judd Decuir, Avoyelles Parish, 318-305-0888.

FRUITS & VEGETABLES

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

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

HAY & GRAIN

Good clean hay, no weed. Charles Bell, Washington Parish, 985-839-9322.

2023 horse hay, taking orders for Pensacola Bahia grass, 1st cutting, fertilized, limed, sprayed, fine stem hay, tight square bales, \$7-8 per bale. David Joiner, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-320-3073.

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

2023 first cutting ryegrass 4x5 round bales for sale. Baled May 2nd \$55 a bale or \$50 a bale for ten or more. Dylan Joiner, Tangipahoa Parish, 985-981-5780.

(2) hopper bottom grain tanks, 7-ft diameter, 8-ft high plus 7-ft of cone, \$250/each. Donald Berken, Welsh, Jefferson Davis Parish; 337-526-3777.

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

TRACTORS

Pull type box blade 10ft. with hydraulic tilt, new, \$3,000, also have 7ft. and 8ft. available.

Lacey Mouton, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-250-1810.

Front grille guard/ bumper for Ford 8 & 9 N and other tractors, heavy duty, in great shape, text or call for pictures, \$80. Linster Guillot, Mansuna, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-1705.

Kubota tractor model L2350F 25 hp, 4-foot shredder Razor, \$4,200. Barry K. Soileau, St. Landry Parish; 337-351-3553.

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.

JD 3320, 06, 4X4, open cab w/ cover, 1,200 +/- hrs., hydro, ind tires, front loader piping, (no bucket), very good condition, private use, includes 5' clipper, disc, box, \$17,990. Buddy Elliott, St. Francisville, West Feliciana Parish; 225-324-6843.

Kubota L3130 HST, 4WD, FE loader, 60" land pride finish mower & canopy, 1,063 hrs, shop kept, \$14,900.

JD tractor 4450, cab, AC, air ride seat, dual front weights, \$37,500. Mack Brown, Mt. Hermon, Washington Parish; 985-515-3505.

Kioti DS4510, only 205 hours, 4 wheel drive, frontend loader, excellent condition. Call for pictures. \$19,500. Danny Goodeaux, Ouachita Parish, 318-366-1196.

Case 1942-1956 VA tractor 20HP, gas, not running, \$750, 6' land pride box blade, \$950; 8' heavy duty blade \$350; forks for back tractor, \$450. Shelia Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-789-0699.

JD ZTR 54", 5hrs, \$3,800 firm. Jim Smith, DeSoto Parish; 318-218-9690.

2013 TYM T233 Diesel Hydrostatic tractor, 23HP, 4WD, front end loader, 700 hrs., auxiliary hydraulic control, forks, 4' rotary cutter, extras, \$13,000. Ronney Broussard, Grant Parish, 318-765-3398.

2014 JD 5085E-85HP, 12x12 power reverser, JD H240 loader, 6' bucket, 48" pallet fork attachment, dual remotes, 540/540E, PTO, cold AC, heat, Hyd top link, 2005 hrs, \$44,000. Tim Thousand, Opelousas, St. Landry Parish; 337-280-1205.

JD 14' disk, needs repair, solid iron, parts included for disks, needs tires and hydraulic hose, pictures available, \$625 or make offer. Zachary Comeaux, Scott, Lafayette Parish; 337-288-6526.

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

Front bumper for super a Farmall int. new, never used. Allen Daigle, Eunice, Acadia Parish; 337-457-5053.

1980 Kubota L 2550, good condition, 1,200 hrs, \$14,900. Larry Bears, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-501-4349.

Massey-Ferguson 135 with 5ft plus bush-hog, both in good

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CRIMESTOPPERS and the Louisiana Department of Agriculture & Forestry can help you solve livestock, farm equipment, or timber theft and forest arson crimes.

An anonymous tip which leads to an arrest and conviction could result in a cash reward.

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1-800-558-9741

shape, new rear tires, power steering, 152 perkins gas, \$4,500 both. Ambrose Baham, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-351-1415.

11.2 R 24 tubeless goodyear-radial super traction (used). Cedric Rabalais, Cottonport, Avoyelles Parish; 318-542-0096.

2240 John Deere Tractor, \$3,500. Gene, Lafayette Parish; 337-654-7958.

(2) 18.4 R 30 tractor tires \$300, (2) 16.9 28 tractor tires and rims \$500. Gene, Lafayette Parish; 337-654-7958.

Ford 1900, needs repair, \$1,200. Delos Thompson, Folsom, Tangipahoa Parish, 985-373-4067.

JD Tractor 4450, cab, AC, Airride seat, Duals, front weights, \$37,500. Mack Brown, Mt. Hermon, Washington Parish; 985-595-3505.

Reynolds Model #484, 5 yard dirt pan, \$3,000; Water level — \$1,000; 6 ft box blade — \$500; 7 ft John Deere MX7 — \$1,000; Prime one-way disc plow — \$1,500. Norman Young, Evangeline Parish, 337-303-3385.

Multi Rib tractor tires 6-6.70-15 6PR, \$75, 11L-15 8PR. \$110, 12.5L-15 12PR \$140, All tires are new. Ben Clark, Calcasieu, 337-527-9764.

John Deere 5200 HP tractor, good clean tractor, shed kept, 2-wheel drive, new seat, 1,450 hours, \$9,000. JP Hebert, Franklin, St. Mary Parish; 337-578-0415.

2008 JD5525 cab tractor, 4,400 hours, 2WD, power reverser, air & heat, radio & weather band, JD frontend loader, pallet tines, spear, bucket, \$40,000. John Hines, Center Point, Avoyelles Parish; 318-446-3898.

2005 John Deere 790 two wheel drive, 27 hp, only 190 hrs, good tires, has a top, new battery and fluids, \$7,500. Chuck Clement, Bunkie, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-9425.

Drag type Fred Cain 10ft bush hog in good condition works

as it should, \$4,000. Lamar Holmes, Keatchie, Desoto Parish; 318-286-7406.

5030 Ford loader, spear, pallet, two wet ends, 1,400 hours, 65 HP, \$1,300. Mike Law, Baker, East Baton Rouge Parish; 225-337-4302.

(5) gravely tractors, \$2,000 for all 5. Tom Berry, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-665-2403.

Koch tractor, 3pt hitch and model b6100, new tires for the front, negotiable \$800. Tom Berry, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-665-2403.

Ford 4000 diesel w/ heavy duty top 4500. Kevin Burris, Washington Parish; 225-603-8181.

Wanted: 3-point hitch tractor equipment: dirt scoop, 5' or 6' disc, 5' or 6' box blade scraper spike type section harrow. Robert M. Lemaster, Summit, Pike County; 601-684-4540.

Wanted: 8N and Ford 4000 for parts. Harry Latiolias, Carencro, Lafayette Parish; 337-501-3420.

CUTTERS & MOWERS

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

Kubota ZG222, 48" cut, zero turn, 22HP, gas engine, 898 hours, excellent condition, shop kept. William Durs, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-264-2272.

Vikon hay cutter, good condition, \$4,000 obo. David Bordes, Sunset; 337-278-0872.

6-ft bushhog \$600. Jim Smith, DeSoto Parish; 318-218-9690.

BH217 Bushhog brand, 7ft, safety chain, 130HP gearbox, quick hitch compatible, slip clutch, new, barn kept, John Deere green, \$4,100 OBO. Jon Hyatt, Hornbeck, Vernon Parish; 337-397-1597.

2013 MX7 John Deere bush hog, used twice, like new,

\$4,500. E.W. Auttonberry, Caldwell Parish, 318-649-3544.

Alamo Flail mower 6ft, good condition, \$1,500. Danny Doucet, St Landry Parish, 337-945-5294.

2013 MX7 John Deere, bush hog, used 2 times, like new, \$4,500. E.W. Auttonberry, Kelly, Caldwell Parish; 318-649-3544.

7' bush hog, \$600, 7' box blade, \$400. L. Duhon, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-577-2823.

(2) grasshopper mowers, \$200. Tom Berry, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-665-2403.

Wanted: S-105 5' ditch bank mower, pto, not hydraulic. Michael Duhon, Erath, Vermilion Parish; 337-298-9952.

PLANTING & TILLAGE

W&A 8-row hippers w/Ortham row markers, \$2,000; Taylorway (8)-row cult., 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.

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

Int. \$51, drill shed kept \$1,200 neg. Kentry Prather, Eunice, St. Landry Parish; 337-466-2058.

Frontier DHH1176, disk harrow, \$600, like new, call for pictures. James Roy, Breaux Bridge, St. Martin Parish; 337-371-8222.

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ORANGE PECAN MUFFINS

Submitted by Natalie Rabeaux of Guidry Organic Farms

Ingredients:

1¼ cup pecan meal (Guidry Organic Pecans ground in food processor or blender)
 3 eggs
 ⅔ cup + 1 tablespoon flour
 ½ cup brown sugar
 ¼ cup and 1 tablespoon honey
 1 teaspoon vanilla
 1 tablespoon amaretto (optional)
 2 teaspoons cinnamon
 ½ cup buttermilk
 ½ cup Guidry Organic Pecans, chopped
 Zest and juice of ½ orange

Instructions:

Preheat oven to 350°F. In a medium sized bowl, beat eggs for about 2 minutes. Add brown sugar, honey, vanilla, amaretto, orange juice, and zest. Mix together flour, pecan meal, baking powder, and cinnamon. Add flour mixture to the wet mixture, stir. Stir in buttermilk. Fold in chopped pecans. Grease muffin tin and fill ¾ full. Place whole pecans on the top in the center of the batter. Bake for 12-15 minutes, slightly before muffins appear golden brown. Enjoy!

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FLOURLESS WHISKEY CHOCOLATE CAKE

Submitted by New Orleans Distillers, LLC

Ingredients:

4 ounces good quality bittersweet chocolate
 1 stick unsalted butter
 ¾ cup sugar
 3 large eggs
 ½ cup unsweetened cocoa powder
 ½ cup New Orleans Distillers Single Malt Whiskey

Instructions:

Preheat the oven to 375°F and prepare a baking pan with melted butter. Melt the butter and the chocolate together and set aside to cool slightly. Whisk in the sugar. Whisk in the eggs one by one until fully incorporated. Whisk in the cocoa powder. Pour batter into the prepared pan and bake for 25 minutes until fully set. Let it cool slightly in the pan before turning out. Pour the single malt whiskey over the still-warm cake and serve with whipped cream.

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SWEET & SOUR SAUSAGE

Submitted by Frey's Smoked Sausage, LLC

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- 5 pounds sausage
- 36 ounces ketchup
- 18 ounces apple jelly
- 2 tablespoons Worcestershire sauce
- 1 tablespoon mustard
- 1 tablespoon sugar
- Dash of salt
- Dash of garlic powder

Instructions:

Place sausage in a large pot. Add just enough water to cover sausage. Boil, loosely covered, for 20 minutes. Drain and cut into bite-size pieces. In separate pot, combine remaining ingredients. Cook, uncovered, on medium heat for 30 minutes, stirring frequently to prevent scorching. Lower heat if needed. Put sausage in slow cooker. Pour sauce over sausage. Keep warm.

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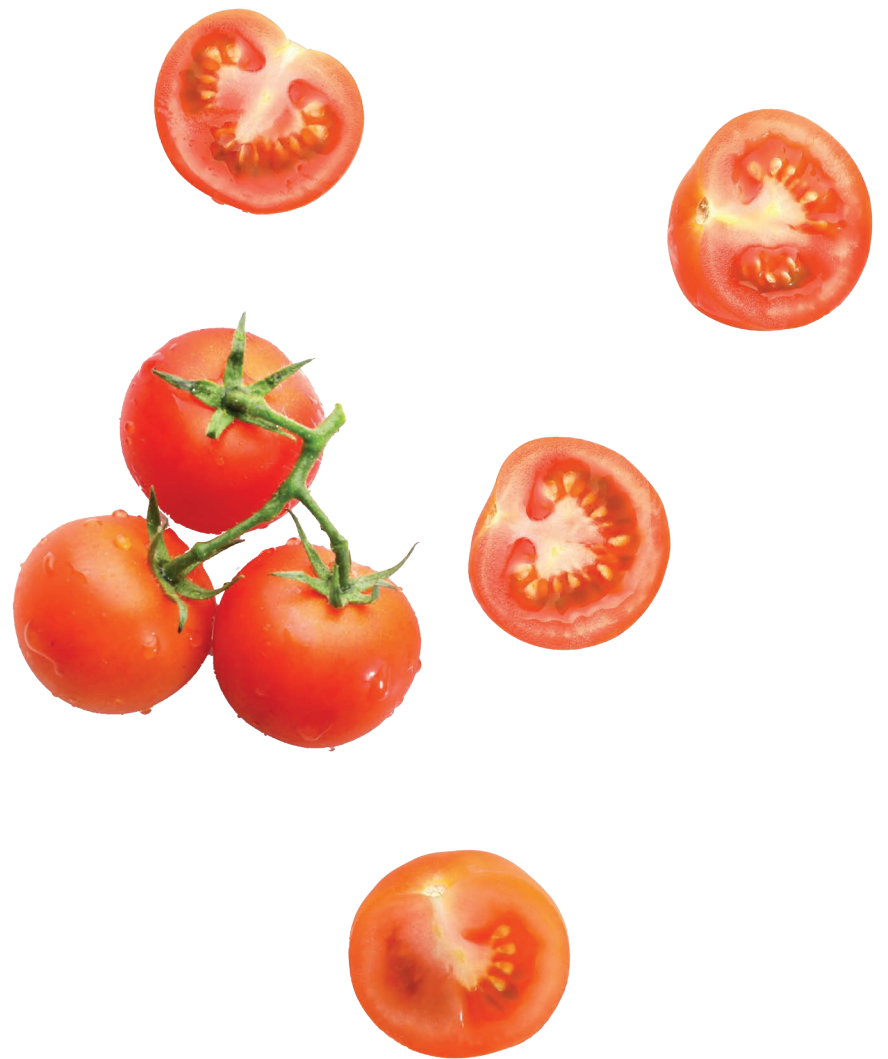
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Rayne grain cart, 248 bushels, \$2,500. Ray Lemoine, Plaquemine, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-7473.

3-Grain carts, (2)-Tristate, 250 & 350bu, (1)-Rayne Grain 250bu, all in good condition, all \$3,000; (2)-combine sieves for JD95, \$250 for both. Charles Jarreau, Lakeland, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-405-6965.

Wanted: ISO 12.5 ft international harvester 4row plow, doesn't have to be in good shape; lime fert spreader on wheels, old type pull with super A. Kenneth Morris, Port Barre, St. Landry Parish; 337-290-5016.

OTHER AG IMPLEMENTS

S,S, fertilizer Buggy, ground driven with trap, \$2500. Bobby G. Denton, Jena, La Salle Parish; 318-992-4504.

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

Woodmiter Sawmill - \$12,000. Brown Tree cutter, good condition - \$7,000. Jerry Hardey, Calcasieu Parish, 337-499-9536.

Raised-bed mulch layer hays, 3ft to 4ft plastic, crowned bed 20" to 30" wide, able to lay single or double drip line, \$1,200. Gene Domingue, Duson, Lafayette Parish; 337-962-8659.

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Wanted: 3pt hitch grader blade, swivel and tilt for 50 hp tractor. Ed Kelley, Bush, St. Tammany Parish; 985-264-6532.

Wanted: used T-post. Brett Eversull, Boyce; 318-792-1628.

Wanted: Looking to buy used Cat Skidsteers and Cat Backhoes (416B, C 420 D, F) These units can be running or not for export. Paul Triche, St Charles Parish, 985-722-4947.

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New Holland H6750 10' disc cutter, shed kept, \$5,800. Randy Melancon, Vermilion Parish; 337-24-0197.

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New Holland 10-foot fluffer model 157, serial #950327, for parts bad gear box, \$200. Randy Melancon, Vermilion Parish; 337-224-0197.

Bale Spears, 3pt. and front loader, single and double spears available, new, \$450-\$650. Lacey Mouton, Church Point, Acadia Parish; 337-250-1810.

16 ft commercial portable chain-driven hay bale conveyor with manual- new, \$250. Rita Corde Cade, Napoleonville, Assumption Parish; 985-438-1400.

JD 458 round baler with monitor, brand new belts, twine only, bailed 7852 bales, kept under shed, grate shape, \$22,000. Neil Dailey, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-278-1957.

Vermeer 504 M DCF wide pickup baler, \$10,000; Kuhn GMD 600 GII HD cutter \$3,500; Kuhn GF 5001 TH tedder \$3,500; Rake Caddy 8-wheel hay rake \$2,000. Dwayne Hollier,

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2014 John Deere 459 mega wide plus twine or net wrap round baler, excellent condition, \$24,000. Judd Gautreaux, Rayne, Acadia Parish; 337-581-1635.

851 N H round baler completely redone, barn kept, \$5,800. W. Schliegmeyer, Ponchatoula, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-351-4983.

Vermeer Hydraulic bale fork, heavy duty, 3 pt. Cat 2. Good condition, \$1,000. John Swindler, Pointe Coupee Parish, 225-937-4694.

Kuhn 660HD cutter 7½ wide, good condition, \$1,000, vermeer tedder 7½, good condition, needs tires. Donnie Burley, Monterey, Concordia Parish; 318-201-6955.

2022 Kuhn GF 5202 Tedder-fluffer, \$10,000. 2013 Kuhn Speedrake SR 108, \$5,000. James Cox, Calcasieu Parish, 337-309-7130.

2020 John Deere 450 M Silage round Bailer, \$35,000. 2020 John Deere 630 MoCo mower/conditioner, \$24,000. James Cox, Calcasieu Parish, 337-309-7130.

2006 Vermeer 10 wheel Hay Rake, Good condition, \$6,000 or best offer. Tammy Poche, Lafourche Parish, 985-446-3370.

505M classic Vermeer baler, 10yrs old, Kuhn cutter 8ft 2yo, GD240 2yo, 10-wheel Vermeer rake 6yo, Tonutti tedder foldup 6yo, all in working order, \$20,000. John Hines, Center Point, Avoyelles Parish; 318-446-3898.

Clutch for 435 hay bailer, models that will fit. Ray Lemoine, Plaquemine, Avoyelles Parish; 318-305-7472.

3-point hitch hay spear for back of tractor, heavy duty, \$150. John Belgard, Kentwood, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-286-3010.

CONTRACTOR EQUIPMENT

Lincoln classic D welding machine, 3,667 hrs., excellent condition, welds great, \$8,000. Michael Leblanc, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-578-0363.

French Quarter lamps & poles, contact for price. Jim Smith, DeSoto Parish; 318-218-9690.

Chicago bricks, \$1/each, 16'galvanized roof siding panels, 29-gauge, \$100/each. Tony Templet, Baton Rouge, EBR Parish; 225-356-2094.

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

2002 Dodge dually 3500, 5-speed, cummings diesel, 177K miles, excellent condition, everything works, great tires, ball in bed, power w/l/cruise, leave message. T. Grady, Batchelor, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-2488.

1998 FL70 Freightliner, \$15,000, CAT engine, 6-speed, air ride, 2 air seats, sleeper cab. 10 ft flatbed with toolboxes, professionally maintained. Anna

Darrah, Iberia Parish, 337-229-8264 or 337-380-4465.

2011 volvo VHD day cab, 420,000 miles, 3.90 rears, 13-speed, D13 engine, 475 HP, Taylor LA, \$30,000. Brian Still, Gibsland, Bienville Parish; 318-548-9059.

2001 Ford F-250 super duty, crew cab, leather seats, bed liner, gooseneck ball w/ trailer brakes, 7.3 power stroke diesel motor, rebuilt trans., 445,000 miles, \$8750. David Marquette, Baton Rouge, EBR Parish; 225-535-0435.

TRAILERS, WAGONS, & EQUIPMENT

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Triumph Spitfire convertible car best offer. Sheila Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-789-0699.

18-ft utility trailer, electric brakes, \$2,500. Tony Templet, Baton Rouge, EBR Parish; 225-356-2094.

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

2020 Titan Ranch Pro bumper-pull trailer, 16' long and 6' wide with espace side door and divided gate, excellent condition, includes mats, camera system, aluminum ramo, \$9,000. Ronald St. Amand, Washington, St. Landry Parish; 337-945-1399.

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Wanted: Looking for a gently used, 2 horse slant, bumper pull trailer. Donna Hebert, Lafayette Parish; 337-298-9598.

Wanted: Enclosed utility trailer with rear ramp door. Kathy Schexnayder, New Roads, Pointe Coupee Parish; 225-718-1116.

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40-foot factory built round pin for sale, \$400. David Burlison, Hornbeck, Vernon Parish; 318-430-0072.

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

(2) rabbit hutches, 4'x30"x5' tall, 5'x24"x5' tall, 1"x1/2" wire all around, red sheet metal sides & roof, \$400/1. Daniel Gaspard, Kaplan, Vermillion Parish; 337-789-5478.

Utility shed 10'x14'x8' tall, 3"x3" galv. Sq. tubing bottom frame, 8" galv. Roof, wall, and corners, 26 gauge, white metallic roof, galv. tin on walls, \$3000. Larry Duhon, Kaplan, Vermillion Parish; 337-652-6200.

Electric fence sucker rods with wire and connectors and electric box \$375; (2) heavy duty trailer axle; for mobile home \$250/1: mobile home tires & rims, \$100/1. Sheila Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-789-0699.

20' high cube container \$2900, 40' high cube container good \$4900. H. LeBlanc, Crowley, Acadia Parish; 337-717-9151.

Cimarron 10ft Bionic blade, cat 2 or 3, shed kept, \$2000. Todd Cullen, Avoyelles Parish, 318-240-3862.

Gehl silage cutter, model CB 800 7ft hayloge header, 2 row corn header, \$3,500. Tim Gauthier, New Iberia, Iberia Parish; 337-519-3335.

Food Grade barrels, blue plastic \$20, metal removeable lid with locking ring \$40. Non food grade barrels (metal solid top) \$20. Burn barrels \$10 Josh Savage Avoyelles 318-359-2493.

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ATV

Honda CRF 70f dirt bike, excellent condition, \$1,200. Sheila Wills, Jennings, Jeff Davis Parish; 337-789-0699.

2009 Kawasaki T-rex 750 side x side, camo color, never sunk, one owner, good shape, clear title, \$7,500. Scott Tyler, Alexandria, Rapides Parish; 318-481-3629.

2012 Honda Big Red MUV 700 side by side. Engine runs great, body in good shape, needs transmission rebuilt, \$2,000. Olivier Dufresne, St John the Baptist Parish, 504-415-3553.

Tires (4) interforce mud tires, 6ply for ATV, 30"x8"-14," \$650. Gil Mayeaux, Denham Springs, Livingston Parish; 225-324-8280.

Wanted: ATV Kawasaki motor for mule or mule parts. Jim Smith, DeSoto Parish; 318-218-9690.

GUNS & ACCESSORIES

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

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

Marlin model 1895-CB 26" barrel Nikon 1-4 dangerous game scope, 10 round tube fed mag, leather sling, decelerator recoil pad, 13 boxes of ammunition, \$2,500 firm. S Webb, Mamou, Evangeline Parish; 337-254-2265.

Remington X mark pro 308 cal heavy barrel bolt action \$1,100 6-24x50 scope Remington 7600 police 208 cal pump action AR platform \$1,100. Norm Stansbury, Loreauville, Iberia Parish; 337-519-4075.

Remington 1100 12guage, 2¾ or 3-inch magnum, 30" barrel, no vent, used very little, good condition, some ammo, \$750. Ambrose Baham, Loranger, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-351-1415.

Wanted: Stevens Model 177 pump shotgun, 20 gauge or 16 gauge, prefer 16 gauge. Russell Gautreaux, EBR Parish; 225-335-7834.

BOATS

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.

2008 Champion bay boat, 22-ft, 150 yamaha 2-stroke, \$23,000. Becky Dugas, Marksville, Avoyelles Parish; 318-201-6840 or 318-201-0325.

Outboard motor, 25 Merc, 2-stroke, \$1,000. James Payton, Ruston, Lincoln Parish; 318-245-3358.

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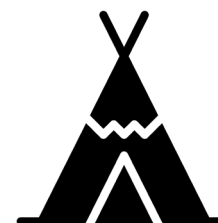
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Camper/tent rental by day, 1.5-mile woods trail, catch and release fishing, kayaks, waterfall, picnic areas, birthday parties, flowering plants, sinage throughout, professional photographers welcome. Lee, Husser, Tangipahoa Parish; 985-981-7819 or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

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

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



FATHERS & SONS... *continued from front*

man, dedicated to his family and his job. "I owe a lot to my in-laws," says Johnny. "They were like parents to me, and it's God that brought me and my wife together."

By the end of his 43-year LDAF career, Johnny had served under four different commissioners in many different capacities, but the one that stuck was as a pesticide inspector. In that role, Johnny investigated damage complaints, including oversprays from pest control and crop dusters, health complaints, and damages, including trees and people's yards and gardens.

Many of the lessons he passed on to his son were reinforced on the job as an LDAF inspector.

Don't give up

Johnny says he enjoyed solving problems and would only let go once he'd solved them. "My nickname was Columbo. A lot of times, you have to wait for the product to work and look at weather data and other factors in order to determine a pattern and put the puzzle together."

You have to let it take its course.

Johnny says one part of the job he loved was learning and teaching others. "When you work with the pesticide division, there's a lot to learn, and you can't find it

all in a book," he says. "They can show you pictures of what things look like, but when you get in the field, you're not sure what you're looking at. Because things blend in, more than one product can show the same damage."

You have to learn how to work with people.

Johnny often encountered tense situations on the job and explained that people tend to be mad, especially whenever there's a damage complaint. "So, the ones with the damage are mad. And then when you contact the people that did the damage, they're mad. So you're stuck right in the middle."

The job was such a good fit for Johnny that he didn't want to retire. But when he was trying to make the decision, he heard his father-in-law's voice in his head, saying to "give his grandson a chance."

Jason began working for LDAF after graduating from ULL with a degree in biology. Although he's in a different position from his dad and grandfather, it seems that he's taken the lessons they've passed on and run with them. "I'm glad he's doing better than me," jokes Johnny. "Maybe I was doing something wrong. No... I'm happy he's following in my footsteps."

Jason says he didn't know much about what his grandfather did because he retired around the same time Jason was born. But he does remember his dad and grandfather talking about work a lot, perhaps where he went that week or what he was researching.

"I also remember when I was young, 4 or 5 years old, in the grocery store with my mom and seeing the Department of Agriculture stickers on the scales," says Jason. "I asked her what they were for, and now I'm the one putting the stickers on those scales. I also remember seeing the big trucks with tanks in the back like we have now. Now I'm the one driving around with those tanks. I didn't know it at the time, but I was asking about my future job."

Jason is mindful that what he does is important, and protecting Louisiana consumers motivates him to do his job well. Whether it's investigating complaints about contaminated fuel, ensuring products ring up at the right price, or verifying



Jason and his wife Maggie, with their two truck-loving sons Brendan and Evan



Since retirement, Johnny's favorite role is being Grandpa to Jason's two boys.



Francis "Ferdie" Arceneaux, Sr., Johnny Timmons, and Jason



Margaret, with Johnny and Jason, is proud of her dad's, husband's, and son's service to the state and their families.

that scales weigh properly, he's always on the go, and his tasks are constantly changing. But he likes it that way. "You never really know how your day is going to go. You can have a plan, but you might get a complaint call and have to change gears," says Jason. "So, it's interesting... you never know what you're going to do, and I enjoy it."

Jason is 12 years in, and says he plans to stay with the department until he retires, just like his dad and grandfather before him. "Who knows, maybe we'll have more generations working at LDAF," he says, laughing. "I have two sons, so maybe one of them might keep it going."

Jason says that even his bad days on the job are better than most days at other jobs he's had. And Johnny can attest that putting in hours of hard work offers meaningful rewards beyond blood, sweat, and tears.

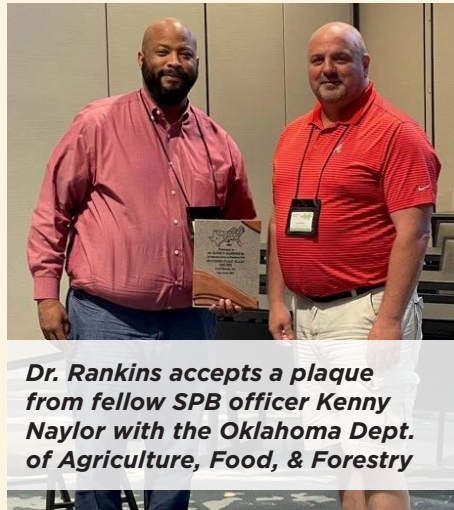
Interesting... some might say fatherhood is like that, too.

Rankins Wraps Up Leadership Term on Southern Plant Board

Dr. Ansel Rankins, LDAF's Assistant Commissioner for the Office of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences, recently received recognition at the Southern Plant Board's 67th Annual Meeting in Gulf Shores, Alabama, upon serving a two-year term as President representing 14 southern states and territories on domestic and international issues related to plant and apiary pests and diseases.

In this elected position on the board, Dr. Rankins also served on the Board of Directors for the National Plant Board, working on interstate and international trade issues, and policy development related to agriculture pests and disease issues.

"Being recognized for my service as the Regional President of the board is a great honor," stated Dr. Rankins. "I am proud to have played a part in advancing the organization's mission and representing Louisiana to benefit agricultural safeguarding on a global platform,"



Dr. Rankins accepts a plaque from fellow SPB officer Kenny Naylor with the Oklahoma Dept. of Agriculture, Food, & Forestry

LIVESTOCK SCAMS, continued from page 2

- Watch out for social media listings that offer items at a price that seems too good to be true. These scams rely on impulsive actions, so always think before you click.
- Verify that listings are legitimate before taking action.
- Check out a seller before you buy. Search online for the company's name plus words like "review," "scam," or "complaint."
- Consider how you're asked to pay. Don't deal with a seller who requires payment by wire transfer, cryptocurrency, or gift card. That's sure to be a scam.
- Go slow. Avoid high-pressure sales pitches that require you to "lock in" prices by paying for all or part of your order before getting delivery, particularly if you don't know the seller.
- Talk with someone you trust. Before you pay, tell someone — a friend, family member, or neighbor — about the deal. Talking about it could help you realize it's a scam.

Should a farmer encounter what they believe to be a scam, report the matter to local law enforcement and/or the Livestock Brand Commission at (800) 558-9741.

July 10 Deadline to Sign Up for New Rice Production Program

The USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) began sending pre-filled applications to rice producers the week of May 8 for the new Rice Production Program (RPP), which will provide up to \$250 million in assistance to rice farmers based on 2022 planted and prevented planted acres.

In December 2022, President Biden signed into law the 2023 Consolidated Appropriations Act which provided the authority and funding for USDA to make payments to rice producers based on data already on file with USDA, including planted acres and acres prevented from being planted.

FSA will make an initial payment to eligible producers at a reduced payment rate of one cent per pound. If funds remain at the end of the application period, a second payment, not to exceed one cent per pound may be issued to eligible producers. To be eligible, a producer must

have reported to FSA a share interest in eligible rice.

Payments are calculated as directed in the legislation by multiplying the following:

- Payment rate;
- Individual average actual production history (APH) as reported to RMA or the FSA-established yield; and
- Amount of certified rice acres determined by the number of planted acres and acres that were prevented from being planted.

If applicable, a prevented planted factor of 60% will be applied. The payment limitation for the program is set by statute and is higher if the farmer's average adjusted gross farm income (income from activities related to farming, ranching or forestry) is more than 75% of their average adjusted gross income (AGI). Specifically, a person or legal entity with an

average adjusted gross farm income of less than 75% of their average AGI cannot receive, directly or indirectly, more than \$125,000 in payments.

Farmers who derive 75% or more of their average AGI from farming qualify for a \$250,000 payment limit. AGI is based on the three taxable years preceding the most immediately preceding complete tax year.

Rice farmers can visit their local county office to submit the appropriate form and certification (FSA-510, Request for an Exception to the \$125,000 Payment Limitation for Certain Programs), if they qualify for and want to seek the higher payment limit.

FSA is mailing pre-filled applications to producers using information on file with USDA's Risk Management Agency (RMA) or FSA, as reported by rice producers through their crop insurance agents or FSA county offices.

To apply for assistance through the RPP, producers must return their completed FSA-174, Rice Production Program Application, to their recording FSA county office by close of business on Monday, July 10, 2023. Applications may be submitted either in person, by mail, email, or facsimile.

Producers who reported eligible rice to FSA by the acreage reporting deadline but do not receive a pre-filled application may still apply by visiting their local FSA office and completing the application by Monday, July 10, 2023. Producers who filed late or modified 2022 rice acreage reports will not be eligible for RPP.



For more information, visit fsa.usda.gov/programs-and-services/rice-production-program.

Iberia Parish Man Arrested for Theft of Livestock in St. Landry Parish

An Iberia Parish man was arrested on June 5 by inspectors with the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry's (LDAF) Livestock Brand Commission regarding an investigation involving theft of livestock in St. Landry Parish.

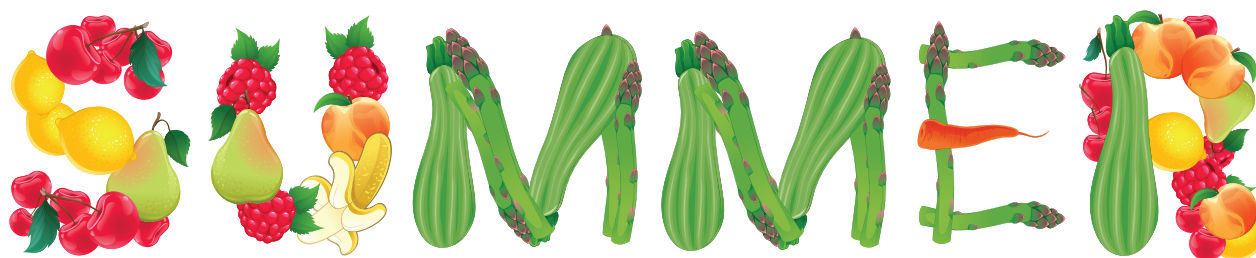
Sixty-six-year-old Orlando Williams was arrested in St. Landry Parish on a warrant for theft of livestock. Williams turned himself in to brand inspectors at the St Landry Parish Jail. During the brand inspector's investigation, it was determined that Williams received two horses on one occasion and failed to render proper payment to a local livestock market as required by law. The acquisition of the livestock and failure to render proper payment is a violation of R.S.14:67.1 (Theft of Livestock). The alleged theft occurred in February 2023.

"Louisiana law is clear when referring to the purchase of livestock and protects livestock owners from persons not complying with proper payment," said LDAF Commissioner Mike Strain, D.V.M. "If determined guilty, the suspect will be in violation of the theft of livestock statute and held responsible for his crime."

The Livestock Brand Commission was assisted with this investigation by the Iberia Parish Sheriff's Department. At this time, a bond amount has not been set, and the livestock has not been recovered.

The Livestock Brand Commission maintains a 24-hour Crimestoppers hotline at (800) 558-9741 for the public to report thefts.

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



Feeding Kids, Fighting Food Insecurity

The term "food security" means that all people at all times have access to enough food for an active, healthy life. On the flip side, food *insecurity* means there are times (whether due to financial or other reasons) when households are unable to acquire enough food to meet their needs.

Based on USDA data, 10.2% of all U.S. households were affected by food insecurity at some time in 2021. That's 13.5

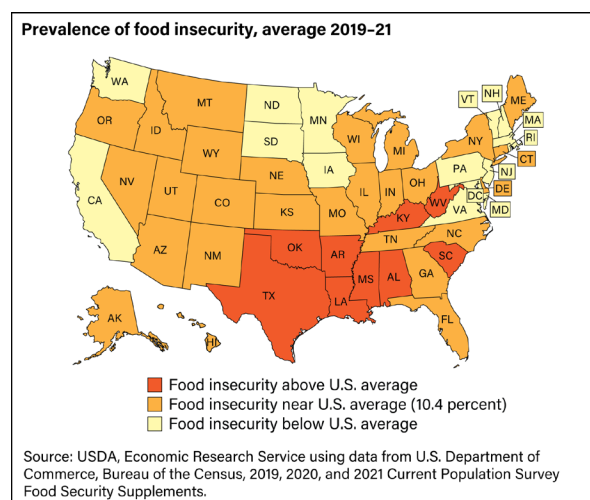
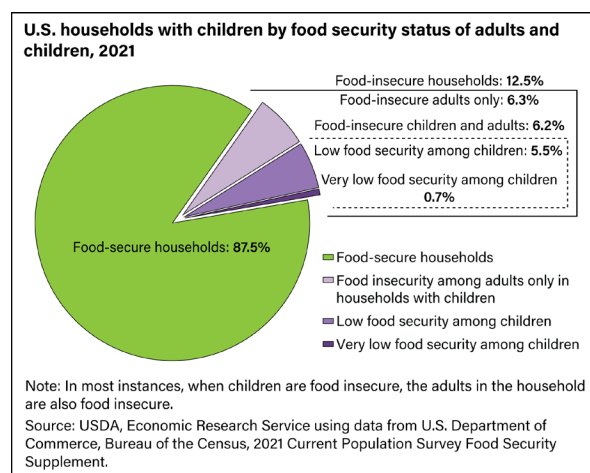
million people, some of whom are children. The rate is higher, at 12.5%, for households with children. For many of these families, summer is a time of food insecurity. That's because many children in Louisiana receive free or reduced breakfast and lunch during the school year. However, that access is often lost when schools let out for the summer.

The good news is that the USDA-funded Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) helps to ensure that children continue to receive nutritious meals when school is not in session. In Louisiana, more than 100 sponsoring organizations participate in the SFSP, including schools, local government agencies, camps, and faith-based and other non-profit community organizations. These sponsors operate Summer Meal sites all over the state for eligible children in their communities. And LDAF participates in this effort through the storage and distribution of USDA food allocated for this program.

Louisiana has hundreds of summer meal sites where children receive meals and snacks. Sites are located in a variety of safe and supervised settings, including schools, parks, community centers, churches, camps, and migrant centers. In fact, more than 45 summer meal sites are at public libraries in Louisiana. Meals and snacks can be eaten at local sites or on-the-go.

Find a location near you:

- Use the Site Finder mapping tool at www.fns.usda.gov/meals4kids
- Text "Summer Meals" to (914) 342-7744



To learn more about the SFSP, visit www.summerfood.usda.gov.

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RCPP improvements & funding availability

The USDA's Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP) uses a voluntary approach to conservation that expands the reach of conservation efforts and climate-smart agriculture through public-private partnerships.

Increased funding for fiscal year 2023 is made possible by the Inflation Reduction Act, and this year's funding opportunity reflects a concerted effort to streamline and simplify the program. Program improvements will enable USDA to efficiently implement the \$4.95 billion in Inflation Reduction Act funding for the program while improving the experience for partners, agricultural producers, and employees.

The application period is now open for RCPP Classic and RCPP Alternative Funding Arrangements (AFA). RCPP Classic projects are implemented using NRCS contracts and easements with producers, landowners and communities, in collaboration with project partners. Through RCPP AFA, the lead partner must work directly with agricultural producers to support the development of new conservation structures and approaches that would not otherwise be available under RCPP Classic.

The RCPP's latest Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) showcases a number of program improvements arrived at through partner listening sessions and employee and partner surveys that are part of an ongoing effort to streamline NRCS conservation programs and efficiently implement the Inflation Reduction Act.

The RCPP improvement effort the increase of project funding ceilings, the

simplification of financial assistance and technical assistance structures, a stronger emphasis on locally led conservation, and easement deed flexibilities.

Up to \$500 million will be available through the RCPP for fiscal year 2023, of which up to \$50 million will prioritize AFAs with Indian Tribes.

Projects selected under this NOFO may be awarded funding through either the Inflation Reduction Act or Farm Bill 2018. Applications for RCPP climate-related projects will receive priority consideration for Inflation Reduction Act funding. The 2023 RCPP priorities are climate-smart agriculture, urban agriculture and projects and, as a Justice40 covered program, projects that serve underserved farmers and ranchers.

The application period is now open for the Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP). RCPP leverages a voluntary approach to conservation that expands the reach of conservation efforts and climate-smart agriculture through public-private partnerships. In addition to the funding opportunity, NRCS has embarked on a concerted effort to streamline and simplify RCPP and improve the experience for partners, producers and employees.

NRCS will accept applications now through Aug. 18, 2023 via the RCPP portal.

Please note that to request access to the portal, you must have a level 2 verified eAuthentication account with USDA. This can be obtained by following the instructions on the USDA eAuthentication page.

USDA Accepting Applications to Help Cover Costs of Organic Producers

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) will cover up to 75% of the costs associated with organic certification, up to \$750 per category, through the Organic Certification Cost Share Program (OCCSP). Louisiana Farm Service Agency (FSA) encourages organic agricultural producers and handlers to apply for OCCSP by Oct. 31, 2023, for expenses incurred from Oct. 1, 2022, through Sept. 30, 2023.

As part of USDA's broader effort to support organic producers and in response to stakeholder feedback, this year FSA increased the cost share to the maximum amount allowed by statute.

"We're taking steps to better support Louisiana organic producers," said Ronald Guidry, Jr., State Executive Director for FSA in Louisiana. "I'm pleased that we're able to increase and restore the cost share to the statutory limit this year. Organic certification costs have long been identified as a barrier to certification, and this assistance, at its full levels, will help Louisiana organic producers participate in new markets while supporting and growing our local and regional food systems."

The cost share provides financial assistance for organic certification, and producers and handlers are eligible to receive 75% of the costs, up to \$750, for crops, wild crops, livestock, processing/handling and state organic program fees (California only).

Louisiana producers have until Oct. 31, 2023, to file applications, and FSA will make payments as applications are received.

To apply, Louisiana producers and handlers should contact their local FSA office USDA Service Center. As part of completing the OCCSP application, producers and handlers will need to provide documentation of their organic certification and eligible expenses.

Organic producers and handlers may also apply for OCCSP through participating state departments of agriculture. Additional details can be found on the OCCSP webpage at www.fsa.usda.gov/programs-and-services/occsp/index.

For more information, including a list of FAQs, visit the RCPP website at www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs-initiatives/rcpp-regional-conservation-partnership-program.

Stay Rooted... on the Road Again

LDAF's Stay Rooted program is on the road this summer talking farm stress and ways to reduce it. First up was the LA High School Rodeo Association (LHSRA)'s Junior High and High School Finals in Sulphur. Next, we discussed estate planning and disaster preparedness with the Louisiana County Agricultural Agents Association in Gonzales. We also visited with young leaders at FFA's State Convention in Alexandria about ways to cultivate our own mental health and check in on friends.



Who knows where we'll be headed next... if you spot the big, blue Stay Rooted RV, stop by and say "Hi!" To learn more about the Stay Rooted program and access our planning and training resources, visit www.ldaf.state.la.us/stay-rooted-louisiana.



Mike Strain, DVM Commissioner

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337-463-7801

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985-543-4057, 4024

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POULTRY SALES & SHOWS

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Deep South Stock Horse Show Association — All shows are held at the covered Clinton Arena in Clinton, with exception of the March and November shows, which are held at the Pointe Coupee Multi-Use Center. Remaining show dates for 2023 include June 24, August 19, September 9, October 21, and November 11. All shows begin at 9AM. For more information visit www.dsshhsa.org or find us on Facebook or Instagram. Email: dsshhsa@gmail.com

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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337-783-1442 or 337-384-4500
ricearena@appj.org

Assumption Parish Ag Complex & Arena

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

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Clinton Covered Arena

14730 Hwy. 10, Clinton
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USACE to Begin Largest Study on Mississippi River

By Katie Easter, WBRZ2

Things are flowing smoothly along the Mississippi River and the United States Army Corps of Engineers is hoping to keep it that way.

"It is a vital source of economic power for us. It counts for \$130 billion in commerce annually to the tune of 500 million tons of commodities moving on it," Col. Cullen Jones, 65th Commander of New Orleans District, said.

Recently, the USACE announced its largest study ever focused on the river.

"There may be modifications to structures that we currently have on the systems,

everything from ranging old river control structure, Morganza control structure, all the way to our locks and flood gates we have throughout," Jones said.

In just one year, people have seen two extremes along the major commerce highway: last October, historic low levels - in April, homes flooded in the Midwest.

"Part of the lower Mississippi River comprehensive study will have us look at when we have these extreme conditions, is the river set up and are our structures in place to best deal with them," Jones said.

The \$25 million study will take place over the next five years.

"We can maintain navigation, make sure we have water supplies, reduce flood risk across the board. It's exciting. We get to look at the river now to see how we can improve it for the future," Jones said.

Researchers will start in Cape Girardeau, Mo., and make their way to the Gulf of Mexico, looking at all kinds of things along the way.

"We're going to be able to provide some actionable recommendations to congress so that we can ensure this river is liable for the next 100 years," Jones said.

The first step Jones says, is to meet with officials in all seven states.



The study area, from Cape Girardeau, MO, down to the Gulf of Mexico.

Pour Yourself a Glass of Milk... It's National Dairy Month!

June is National Dairy Month and a great time to celebrate all of Louisiana's hardworking dairy farmers who bring us milk, cheese, yogurt, and so much more! For more information about Louisiana dairy producers, visit the Louisiana Dairy Board's website at geauxdairy.com. You'll find nutritional information, coloring pages for kids, and lots of delicious and nutritious dairy recipes for all year round.

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JUNE is DAIRY MONTH

EVENTS

Louisiana Farm Bureau 101st Annual Convention

June 22-25

Join the Louisiana Farm Bureau at the New Orleans Marriott on Canal Street to celebrate accomplishments in Louisiana agriculture. For more information and to register, visit <https://lfbfconvention.org/>

Discover Nature Program: Wild Edibles of Louisiana – Intro to Foraging Mushrooms & Plants

Tues., June 27

6:30 - 8 PM

Hilltop Arboretum is hosting a foraging workshop led by John Nettles. Through hands-on activities, they'll explore methods of gathering edible mushrooms and plants from nature. For more information, contact LSU Hilltop Arboretum at 225-767-6916, visit www.lsu.edu/hilltop, or email hilltop@lsu.edu.

SFPA's Forest Products Machinery & Equipment EXPO

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Don't miss the Southern Forest Products Association in Nashville, Tennessee. You can connect with the leading equipment providers, learn from machinery and tech companies on best practices, and discover a variety of new opportunities that can improve safety and decrease bottlenecks. Find more details at <https://sfpaexpo.com>.



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LSU AgCenter Showcasing 114 Years of Innovation at Annual Rice Field Day

By Derek Albert, LSU AgCenter

LSU AgCenter rice researchers are inviting producers and industry professionals to the H. Rouse Caffey Rice Research Station for its annual field day to be held here on Wednesday, June 28.

"We welcome all rice industry stakeholders to the Rice Research Station where for more than a century Louisiana's eminent rice researchers have improved upon the sustainability, the nutritional value, the quality and therefore, the profitability of the state's top grain crop," Kurt Guidry, H. Rouse Caffey Rice Research Station resident coordinator, said. "This year, our researchers have worked diligently to continue the LSU AgCenter's longstanding tradition of exploring new rice varieties and testing best management practices that makes the rice industry stand out among the state's agricultural enterprises."

As in past years, the program will begin with field tours from 7:15 to 9 AM, with a poster session and trade show running concurrently.



At left, LSU AgCenter rice specialist Ronnie Levy describes the latest studies in the rice agronomy project. At right, rice breeder Adam Famoso outlines the latest rice variety developments. (LSU AgCenter photos from 2022 field day)

Topics will include rice agronomy research, hybrid rice & specialty rice breeding, new rice variety developments, rice entomology & pathology research, and weed management.

The indoor program will feature updates from rice industry professionals and government officials, and will begin at 10:30 AM. Speakers will include John Dennison, chairman of the Louisiana Rice Research Board; Jim Harper, president of the Louisiana Farm Bureau Federation; Dr. Mike Strain, commissioner of the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry; Betsy Ward, chief executive officer for the USA Rice Federation; and Peter Bachmann, USA Rice Federation vice president of Policy & Governmental Affairs.

Other speakers will include Matt Lee, vice president for agriculture and dean of the College of Agriculture; and Mike Salassi, executive associate vice president and director of the LAES,

For additional information, contact Kurt Guidry at kmguidry@agcenter.lsu.edu.

