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Fair premium book online

Think you have the greatest garden in all the land? At this year's 150th fair, you have the chance to show off your skills and earn a blue ribbon.

The 2017 State Fair Premium Book is online at www.nc-statefair.org. The book contains entry forms, deadlines, rules and judging criteria for every contest offered at the fair. People without Internet access can contact the entry department at 919-839-4515 for assistance.

Online registration for all competitions begins Aug. 1, and participants may also submit their entry forms starting on that date. Paper entry forms must be submitted by 5 p.m., and online registration forms must be submitted by 11:59 p.m. on the deadline date specified for the individual competition. These dates can be found in the online premium book. Contest listings are broken into livestock and general entry categories.

N.C. Mountain State Fair runs Sept. 8-17

The Mountain State Fair is just around the corner with plenty of food, fun and family-favorite activities planned for Sept. 8-17 at the Western N.C. Ag Center in Fletcher.

Magic shows, acrobats, performing sea lions, a dinosaur show, musical acts, puppet shows, precision horseback riding and a high-diving act are some of the featured grounds entertainment fairgoers can enjoy.

Add in the colorful twirl of the midway, tasty food, agricultural exhibits, heritage crafts, clogging and a variety of competitive entries on display and there is truly something for everyone at the annual Mountain State Fair.

On the agricultural front, be sure to check out the ever-popular Mooternity Ward, which offers visitors a unique opportunity to see live animal births. Several births are anticipated each day of the fair, although Mother Nature determines the exact arrival time.

Other popular agricultural ex-



You will see lots of smiling faces at the 2017 N.C. Mountain State Fair Sept. 8-17 at the WNC Ag Center in Fletcher. The fair showcases North Carolina's \$84 billion agriculture and agribusiness industry, local craft and musical traditions and the talents of Western N.C. residents. Come see Where Farm Meets Fun!



hibits include Farmer Bill's Adventure featuring piglets, baby ducks and barnyard activities for the kids; Agricadabra magic show focusing on the science of ag; a mobile dairy classroom, and livestock competitions and displays.

Sit a spell and enjoy some down home mountain music each night on the Heritage Stage. Music is from 7 to 9 p.m. Sept. 8-16,

and from 5 to 7 p.m. on Sept. 17.

The fair is a great value with the following special discount days offered:

Sept. 8 – Free gate admission for students grade K-12 until 6 p.m.; or take advantage of Friday Night Frenzy from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. where \$25 covers admission and unlimited rides.

Sept. 11 & 14 – Ride all day

for \$20, plus gate admission

Sept. 12 – Kids 12 and under ride all day for \$20 plus admission.

Sept. 13 – Ingles Day, where fairgoers can gain free admission with five cans of Laura Lynn brand foods from Ingles.

Sept. 15 – Free admission for seniors 65 and up. A sec- (See Mountain Fair, pg. 2)

N.C. Forest Service taking seedling orders

The N.C. Forest Service Nursery Program is accepting orders for seedlings. The NCFS produces about 16 million quality seedlings for 47 species of both conifer and hardwoods annually, including an expanded selection of control mass pollinated loblolly pine seedlings. These seedlings

offer superior growth, form and disease resistance.

"Trees are one of North Carolina's greatest renewable resources and an important economic driver in North Carolina, contributing around \$24 billion annually to the state's economy and providing more than 180,000 jobs for North

Carolinians through the forest products industry," said Agriculture Commissioner Steve Troxler.

The NCFS nursery program offers a large, reader-friendly catalog for ordering tree seedlings. Landowners can find information about the types of tree species, quantities and costs on the inside

pages of the catalog. Each tree description includes information about ideal planting locations and whether a species is typically used for the benefit of wildlife, to restore habitats or as marketable timber.

Hardwoods can be purchased (See Seedlings, pg. 3)

From the tractor



Commissioner Troxler

You will notice a lot of information this month about agricultural fairs, because it is officially fair season. Close to 40 agricultural fairs are held across the state each year, showcasing the diversity of agriculture from the mountains to the coast, highlighting the skills and talents of our residents and offering up fun, family-friendly events for communities big and small.

I am proud of all the hard work

by Agriculture Commissioner Steve Troxler

that goes into organizing and managing a county fair. These events are true labors of love for the people involved, and I encourage you to support your local fairs and maybe even consider getting involved yourself.

Educating people about where their food comes from is a big task, and county fairs help share this message by drawing attention to farms in their own communities.

Many people might not be aware that agriculture and agribusiness represents our No. 1 industry, and that its economic contribution is \$84 billion. Where it is easier to note the economic impact of a large business in a community, the collective impact of the many family farms in a community is a little less obvious.

We want to celebrate North Carolina agriculture for all its

contributions, and the fairs offer a fun way to do that.

Speaking of celebrating, this year marks the 150th edition of the N.C. State Fair, so we are busy planning some fun promotions that tie in to this milestone birthday and also preparing the grounds for this year's activities.

If you enjoy entering competitions, you can find all the information you need online at www.ncstatefair.org/2017/Competitions/Entering/index.html.

Several contests even tie into the 150th celebration theme, specifically for the Flower and Garden Show, Essay, Decorated Cakes and Kids Cookie Decorating competitions.

We are going to have some special promotions that I cannot talk about right now, but keep watching the Agricultural Review for updates.

The grounds are busy with a new building project and with improvements on other buildings.

For those of you who attended last year, you might have noticed that the chinking had not been completed on the new blacksmith shop. We have been busy this year putting the finishing touches on the blacksmith shop.

The chinking has been completed, and we are fairly close to wrapping up a project to add a deck onto the back of the building, overlooking the Flower and Garden Show area.

Heritage Circle is getting another log building this year, and work is under way on this ambitious project. Again, we are recycling old logs to construct this building, which fits into

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County Fair season kicks off



The Wayne Regional Ag Fair is one of nearly 40 county fairs across the state. It is held Sept. 28-Oct. 7 in Goldsboro.

August

- 7-12 Drexel Community Fair
- 22-27 Haywood County Fair
- 30-Sept. 4 Hickory American Legion Fair

September

- 1-9 Iredell County Ag Fair
- 1-10 Cumberland County Fair
- 5-9 Avery County Fair
- 7-11 Surry County Ag Fair
- 8-16 Cabarrus County Fair
- 8-17 NC Mountain State Fair
- 8-17 Central Carolina Fair
- 11-16 Stokes County Ag Fair
- 12-17 Lee Regional Ag Fair
- 13-16 Macon County Fair
- 18-23 Davidson County Ag Fair

- 19-23 Lenoir County Fair Association
- 19-23 Caldwell County Ag Fair
- 19-24 Pitt County American Legion Ag Fair
- 19-24 Wilson County Ag Fair
- 28-Oct. 1 Chatham County Ag & Industrial Fair
- 15-23 Rowan County Ag & Industrial Fair
- 26- Oct 1 Rocky Mount Ag Fair
- 26-30 Chowan County Regional Fair
- 26-30 Moore County Ag Fair
- 26-30 Stanly American Legion Post #76 Ag Fair
- 28-Oct 7 Wayne Regional Ag Fair

- 28-Oct 8 Cleveland County Fair
- 28-Oct 8 Robeson Regional Ag Fair
- 29-Oct 8 Dixie Classic Fair

October

- 3-7 Cherokee Fair
- 3-7 Wilkes County Ag Fair
- 2-7 Onslow County Ag Fair
- 4-8 Vance County Regional Fair
- 10-14 Richmond County Ag Fair
- 10-15 Columbus County Ag Fair
- 12-22 N.C. State Fair
- 18-21 Duplin County Ag Fair
- 28-Nov 5 Cape Fear Fair & Expo

Mountain Fair

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Fun times are ahead at the Mountain State Fair. get your tickets in advance or plan to attend on one of the special promotional days.

ond Friday Night Frenzy from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. where \$25 covers admission and unlimited rides.

Sept. 16 – N.C. Education Lottery Day where visitors 18 and up receive a free scratch and win promo ticket.

Adult tickets are \$9 at the gate or \$7 in advance. Kids (6-

12) and senior (65+) tickets are \$5 at the gate or \$3 in advance. Children under 5 are admitted for free. Advance tickets are on sale at the WNC Ag Center, the WNC Farmers Market in Asheville and at Ingles stores.

For more information, go to www.mountainfair.org.

MacMullan named new director of Food and Drug Protection Division

Agriculture Commissioner Steve Troxler recently named Anita MacMullan of Raleigh as the new director of the Food and Drug Protection Division. MacMullan replaces Audrey Pilkington, who retired after 41 years of state service.

“I am always pleased to have well-qualified and dedicated staff members step into new leadership roles at the department,” Troxler said. “I am confident Anita will do an outstanding job based on her experience in food protection at both the state and federal level.”

MacMullan has worked 22 years with the N.C. Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services. She began her career

in 1992 as a food regulatory specialist, before leaving to work for the U.S. Food and Drug Administration in 2010. She returned in June of 2013, serving as an agricultural program specialist, and was later promoted to food program administrator.

She has been recognized by the FDA for her work on a food recall, has been recognized by the Association of Food and Drug Officials and has worked with the University of Tennessee to develop food safety regulatory training.

MacMullan earned a Bachelor of Science degree in microbiology from the University of Rhode Island.

Horse Events

Gov. James B. Hunt Jr. Horse Complex, State Fairgrounds, Raleigh, 919-733-4845

- Aug. 4-6.....Finally Farm Horse Show Series. Contact Lesley Jenks, 919-280-8087.
- Aug. 12 & 13... UHC Youth Day Show. Contact Renee Marshall, 919-795-8659.
- Aug. 12 & 13... Carolina Paint Horse Clubs Show. Contact Al Bendig, 704-499-3589.
- Aug. 25-27.....NCHJA “C” Indoors. Contact Joan Petty, 919-669-9877.
- Sept. 5-10Arabian Sport Horse Nationals. Contact AHA Office, 303-696-4500.
- Sept. 13-17N.C. State Championship Show. Contact Bill Whitley, 919-481-4675.
- Sept. 22-24NC Quarter Horse Futurity. Contact Judy Sullivan, 704-442-8304.
- Sept. 25.....MAFA Keuring. Contact Ann Sutherland, 434-825-2023.
- Sept. 29-Oct. 1.Special Olympics. Contact Kelly Vaughn, 919-719-7662.
- Sept. 29-Oct. 1.NCHJA “C” Outdoors. Contact Joan Petty, 919-669-9877.
- Oct. 4-8.....N.C. State Fair Hunter/Jumper shows. Contact Sheri Bridges, 919-839-4701.
- Oct. 12-22.....N.C. State Fair horse shows. Contact Sheri Bridges, 919-839-4701.

Sen. Bob Martin Eastern Agricultural Center, Williamston, 252-792-5111

- Aug. 2-6.....Mid-Atlantic Reining Classic & Summer Slide. Contact Chris Wiley, 804-305-7398.
- Aug. 12 & 13... August’s JHR Open Horse Show. Contact Beth Tew, 252-753-8069.
- Aug. 18-20.....Endless Summer Quarter Horse Show. Contact Susan Smith, 919-548-5418.
- Aug. 25-27.....Mounted Shooters State & Regional Championships. Contact Pamela Campbell, 540-570-8785.
- Sept. 2 & 3.....2017 NCHJA Labor of Love Dressage Show. Contact Martie Healy, 352-363-0085.
- Sept. 9 & 10.....EHA & NCHJA “C” Hunter Horse Show. Contact Wendy Willson, 252-916-3685.
- Sept. 20-24SERHA Summer’s End Reining Horse Show. Contact Danny Blackburn, 919-669-9486.
- Oct. 5-8.....NCDCTA Harvest Moon & GAIG/USDF Region 1 Dressage Championships. Contact Martie Healy, 352-363-0085.
- Oct. 14 & 15EHA & NCHJA “C” Horse Show. Contact Emily Bates, 252-378-4474.
- Oct. 21 & 22.... Color on the Coast Paint/Cardinal Classic Paint Horse Show. Contact Deborah MacDonald, 434-532-6506.
- Oct. 27-29.....Carolina Fall Reining Classic. Mike Hancock, 252-937-2800 x1204.

Southeastern N.C. Agricultural Events Center, Lumberton, 910-618-5699

- Aug. 7.....Horse and Tack Auction. Contact Brad Stephens, 828-390-0878.
- Aug. 26 & 27... Everything Equine Expo. Contact Rose Cushing, 252-235-7645.
- Sept. 2.....Shaun McMillian Memorial Barrel Race. Contact Donald McMillian, 910-374-1483.
- Sept. 3 & 4.....Horse and Tack Auction. Contact Brad Stephens, 828-390-0878.

Western N.C. Ag Center, Fletcher, 828-687-1414

- Aug. 11-13.....NBHA State Finals. Contact Patty Nunnery, 910-322-8601.
- Oct. 5-7.....N.C. Championship Walking Horse Show. Contact Terri Mosley, 336-325-5009.
- Nov. 9-12.....The NO BULL Barrel Race. Contact Jeff Robinson, 828-713-4712.
- Nov. 16-19.....The NO BULL Barrel Race. Contact Jeff Robinson, 828-713-4712.

*Show dates are subject to change. Call ahead to confirm.

Seedlings

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in quantities as small as 10 seedlings, and conifers in quantities as low as 50. For larger orders, the nursery will continue to sell seedlings by the hundreds and thousands. Because of demand, it is advisable to order early.

Distribution of seedlings begins in the fall, depending on weather conditions. Seedling orders are shipped to one of 13 locations statewide for a small fee or via UPS for a charge. For information on planting trees, people may contact a local county ranger, who can be found on the contact page of

the NCFS website at <http://ncforestservice.gov>.

Catalogs are available at local NCFS offices, which are located in all 100 N.C. counties. The catalog is also available at the "Tree Seedlings & Nursery Program" link located at ncforestservice.gov. Also visit the online seedling store at www.buynctrees.com. Seedlings can be ordered by mail or by calling 1-888-NCTREES (1-888-628-7337). Visa or MasterCard payments accepted. Completed order forms should be mailed to Seedling Coordinator, 762 Claridge Nursery Road, Goldsboro, NC 27530.

Troxler

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the style of Heritage Circle. The building will be near the Tobacco Pavilion, and will include more public restrooms.

I am excited for you to see these improvements. They really tie together my vision for Heritage Circle.

Another big project going on is the replacement of the roof on Dorton Arena. Because this building is so unique, this is anything but an ordinary roofing project.

Dorton Arena is on the National Historic Registry and is a Nation-

al Civil Engineering Landmark. In architectural and engineering circles, Dorton Arena represents the first use of a cable-supported roof system. This system holds down an area the size of a football field without columns, which I'd say is pretty remarkable.

While those of us who are used to looking at this building frequently might be inclined to take it for granted, Dorton Arena actually draws visitors from all over the world to see this engineering feat.

We've had visitors from the

Czech Republic, Japan, Sweden, Russia, the Netherlands, France, Germany and other areas come specifically to look at its construction.

We'll be busy working on these and other projects, and we'll be announcing some other fair news in the coming months. Go ahead and mark your calendar for Oct. 12-22 for the N.C. State Fair, and make your plans to check out to one of the county fairs that are listed on page 2 of the paper.

Classified Ads

SUBMITTING ADS: Ads are free to NC residents & can be submitted by mail to 1001 Mail Service Center, Raleigh NC 27699-1001; online at www.AgReview.org; or by fax to 919-733-5047. Ads **must** include name, address with zip code, phone number with area code, and **price or price range for every item**.

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Bees, Supplies & Services For Sale

NOTICE

N.C. law requires a permit to sell honey bees in the state. A permit is not required for: The sale of less than 10 bee hives in a calendar year, a one-time going-out-of-business sale of less than 50 hives, or the renting of bees for pollination purposes or their movement to gather honey.

Contact Don Hopkins, state apiarist, NCDA&CS, 1060 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-1001 for information.

4, 5, & 6 frame nucs, 2017 queen, good brood, marked queen, NC state inspected, no frame exchange, gentle bees, \$135-165. Ken Medlin, Hurdle Mills 336-364-1915.

Italian queens, mated, \$25; marked, \$30; 5 fr nucs, \$175; Cypress wooden ware and all equip. needed for beekeeping, \$25. John Pledger, Trinity 336-906-0764.

Honeybee nucs, 5 frame, corrugated box; hives avail., \$150. Ken Edmonds, Asheboro 715-821-2398.

Italian laying queens, produced in Eastern NC from mite-resistant stock, NCDA&CS inspected apiaries, pick up or USPS, marked, \$27. Rick Coor, Goldsboro 919-738-7638.



Equipment For Sale

JD 4 row corn head, poly snouts, 38 in. row, \$4,000; JD 2 row silage cutter head, 38 in. row, \$3,000; Unverferth 4 shank ripper, auto reset, \$9,000. A.D. Willard, Graham 336-376-3627.

1986 MF 275, diesel, ps, multi-power, remotes, runs good, good tires, \$6,900. Paul Crowder, Pelham 336-388-2399.

Farmall M tractor, \$3,500; hay baler, \$600; combine, \$1,200; wheat drill, \$500; Ford plow, \$300. James Whitley, Concord 704-782-5762.

1958 JD 720, wide front, \$6,500; 1958 JD 830, \$7,500. Bobby Harkey, Locust 704-436-6887.

FARM EQUIPMENT

JD 428 flight elevator, pto, 21 in. x 24 ft, GC, \$1,200; Hutchinson vertical bin unloading auger, 6 in. x 16 ft, GC, \$500. Keith Clapp, Greensboro 336-382-9098.

Bush Hog finisher mower, 6 ft, slightly used, \$1,200; Land Pride root rake, 6 ft, \$300. Charles Shaver, Jackson Springs 910-281-0999.

Ag sprayer, 55 gal., 3 pt. hitch, 14 ft booms, 30 ft wide nozzle spray, hand wand, LNC, \$975. Earl Hammock, Eden 336-635-1110.

JD 4430 tractors, 125 hp, turbo charged, cab ac/heat, new front & rear tires, front & rear weights, new paint, decals & interior cab kits, \$25,500/ea. B. Lindley, Pittsboro 919-742-4009.

NH 310 sq. baler, rebuilt, 2 wooden wagons, \$5,000/all; JD 40, wide front, 3 ph., good tires, GC, \$4,500; JD 1010, wide front, GC, \$5,500. Randy Osborne, Sparta 336-572-2802.

MF 135 tractor, gas, good tires, VGC, \$3,600. Jerrold Bowman, Mt. Airy 336-789-3250 from 6 a.m.-8 p.m.

1975 JD 830 tractor, diesel, ps, LNC, \$8,500. Charles Allred, Asheboro 336-963-6915.

Int'l 435 hay baler, LNC tires, field ready, \$1,500. Melvin Holt, Chapel Hill 919-914-4044.

JD 544C loader, gp bucket & forks, \$20,000 OBO. Don Ritchie, Mt. Pleasant 980-521-1772.

Box blade, 3 pt. hitch, 6 ft, GC, \$300; scrape blade, 1 pt. hitch, 6 ft, GC, \$100. Lonnie Beal, Bear Creek 919-837-2220.

Magnetos, various makes & types, some w/gears, \$95/ea. & up. Bill Payne, Madison 336-548-6630 from 6-8 p.m.

1964 Ford 2000 gas tractor w/finish mower, GC, \$4,500. Boyd Bradford, Sanford 919-356-0785.

AC 72 combine, GC, \$2,000; MF 82 plows, 4 bottom, 16 in., \$900; farm wagon, GC, \$600. J. Lloyd Mabe, Danbury 336-703-8232.

1975 IH 574, approx. 500 hrs. since rebuilt, new clutch & pressure plate, remote hook up, 50% tread, incl. large bucket, \$6,800. Michael Hilton, Thomasville 336-472-8266.

JD 1010 w/cult., runs good, \$6,800; JD M, GC, \$4,800; Farmall 140 w/cult., runs good, \$5,600. Donald Cannon, Ayden 252-746-4600 or 917-3403.

FARM EQUIPMENT

Corn snapper, \$2,000; NH 630 4x4 round baler, \$2,500; King chisel plow, 3 shank, \$250; King disc, 24 blade, 3 pt., \$500. Frank Galloway, Hallsboro 910-840-6791.

Farmall Cub & cult., \$1,800; Ford 640, \$1,400; full set Cub cult., \$500; Farmall Cub & Super A drawbars, \$75/ea. J. Yountz, Clemmons 336-764-0748.

Case CPX420 cotton picker, 4 row, sheltered, 1,300 fan hrs., \$8,000; Case IH 2044 cotton picker, 4 row, GC, \$5,000. James Gillette, Stella 910-326-4080.

CAT D4 dozers, 1 running & 1 for parts, \$1,000/ea. Howard Dagenhart, Stony Point 704-873-8895.

Bottom plow, \$225; 6 ft scrape, \$180; 5 ft bush hog, \$325; 6 ft bush hog, \$400; pair of forks, \$125. James Isley, Julian 336-263-1958.

Ford 600 tractor, gas eng., good rubber, 4 spd., GC, \$3,000 OBO. Ricky Swisher, Harmony 336-909-0182.

Double spring 9 shank tillage tool, 3 pt., \$300; Zaza fertilizer spreader, 500 lb., 3 pt., \$300. W.D. McKnight, Lewisville 336-945-3094.

AC 72 combine, runs good, \$1,600; AC 190XT, \$6,000. L. Dunlap, Robbins 910-948-2680.

Stanhay 870, 6 row, plants small veg. seeds, \$3,800. J.L. McLaurin, Wade 910-323-5207.

Wood's TS60 rotary tiller, 3 pt. hitch, 60 in., shed kept, owner's manual, slightly used, EC, \$1,250. John Smith, Peachland 704-272-7940.

2000 Case IH 2555 cotton picker, rebuilt eng., field ready, GC, \$25,000 OBO. Tim, Warsaw 910-290-1181.

1965 MF tractor, gas, GC, \$3,300. Vernon Myrick, Carthage 910-948-3259.

MF front bumper, fits 230 & 245, NC, \$200. Dwight Cook, Pilot Mountain 336-325-8888.

Case IH tractor, 695 bar axle, low hrs, 70 hp, LNC, \$18,500 obo. L.B. Bond, Dobson 336-374-0103.

JD MT tractor, runs good, good tires, needs paint, \$1,200; double bottom plow for M/MT, \$200. Dewey Bryan, Salisbury 704-633-6750.

Farmall 100 tractor w/attach., new rear tires, \$1,900. John Roberts, Bahama 919-471-8942.

FARM EQUIPMENT

JD 4020 w/loader, \$12,500; fuel tanks, 3-100 gal., \$300/ea.; 500 gal., \$350; 275 gal., \$300; 1,000 gal., \$750. Don Brooks, Albemarle 704-213-1145.

Howse 10 ft bush hog, \$2,500; 1,000 gal. diesel fuel tank w/elec. pump, \$1,500; Ford 3 plow, 16 in. w/trips, \$700; 6 ft super fork dump, \$350. B.J. Johnson, N. Wilkesboro 336-984-6121.

Farmall Cub w/belly mower, \$1,250; Farmall H, \$2,250; JD 50, \$1,850; cult. set for Farmall Cub, \$450; flat belt for thresher/sawmill, \$500. Cyrus Bowman, Colfax 336-420-0986 or 996-1783.

HD 3 pt. hitch, fits AC WD, D14, D15, D17, \$300; 2 bottom plow, \$200; 7 shank tiller ripper, \$350, subsoiler, \$175. Timothy Mabe, Troy 910-572-3539.

Ford 9N, Sherman trans., plow, disc, blade, \$2,800; Farmall Cub, disc, plow, cult., \$3,000. Richard McDonald, Rockingham 910-995-7120.

2002 Kawasaki 4x4 Mule 3010, gas, under 400 hrs., windshield, runs good, \$5,500. L.A. Mize, Lexington 336-731-2888.

Farmall 140 fast hitch w/cult., \$5,800; JD 1010 w/cult., runs good, \$6,800; JD M w/cult., runs good, nice tractor, \$4,800. Donald Cannon, Ayden 252-746-4600 or 917-3403.

8hp chipper shredder, \$295; bumper & radiator guard for Intl. 424 tractor, \$95. Raymond Reddick, Greensboro 336-299-4365.

Tobacco primer, Roanoke self-propelled, one row, Taylor defoliator heads, Ford gas eng., \$5,500; Roanoke and Powell tobacco primer parts, \$25. Robert Humbles Sr., Ayden 252-746-6576.

Planter parts, parting out a JD 7000 4-row pull-type planter, frame is damaged, planter units, \$250; no-till coulters, \$50/ea., row \$500 set, etc. Robert Humbles Jr. Ayden, 252-746-6838.

130 Series Farmall tractor w/Intl. scrape blade, cults., fert. dist., ridger w/fert. attach., new front tires < 43,500. 2009 Ford corn planter w/extra plates, \$900; Farmall Super A tractor w/cults. & turning plow, \$2,500. Roy Whitman Jr. Lexington 336-731-3111.

Farmall 140 tractor, disc & road blade, GC, \$4,500. Gene Neal, Roanoke Rapids 252-537-9478.

FARM EQUIPMENT

Clark 4000 fork lift, auto trans. mast in good working order, solid tires, \$1,000 obo. Wayne Howell, Hertford 252-426-7844.

1997 Ford New Holland 1720 tractor, 28 hp, 2 WD, power steering, 3 cyl. diesel, hydrostatic, 2,036 hours, pto for mower. Betty Langston 252-717-4425 or 252-756-7392, \$4,900. Betty Langston, Winterville 252-717-4425.

Howse 5 ft stump jumpers w/blades, GC, \$150/ea. Steve Yarborough, Lexington 336-225-1301.

1974 JD 2630 w/136 hrs on rebuilt eng., water pump & radiator; injection pump, pto brake & new seal replaced; new front tires, 8 spd trans. w/hydraul. control hilo w/hydraul. pto, factory rops & top, \$10,000; 1995 Gehl skid steer 5625 w/45 high power Perkin eng., etc., \$11,000. Evan Myers, Winston-Salem 336-242-3911.

1959 MF 35, runs good, needs painting/will paint for extra fee, GC, \$3,300. Stephen Shoffner, Burlington 336-260-2260.

Ames irrig. pipes & pump, 1,340 ft of 20 ft pipes, 2-4 in. diameter, 4 cyl. Ford industrial pump w/6 in suction & 4 in. discharge pipe, \$2,000. Dennis Hughes, Burlington 336-260-3692.

Weed Wiper by Grassworks, 12 ft pull-type w/2 in. ball, incl. 25 gal. spray tank, remote switch & battery clips, VGC, \$3,000 obo. Andrew Cox, Jefferson 336-309-9436.

Parts for Ford 8N, complete motor, side dist., \$500; tires & rims, new rear tires, \$500; radiator, \$50; draw bar for Super A, \$50; box blade, 6 ft, \$300. Bill Way, Gibsonville 336-312-8329.

JD X-495, 24 hp, diesel, EC, \$5,900. Bobby Miller, Winston-Salem 336-362-3342.

NH 273 square baler, bales great, used this year, purchased a newer model, \$2,500 neg.; Cole one-row fert. dist., \$400. Kenneth Chilton, Pilot Mountain 336-374-2410 or 399-1973 cell.

NI snapper, runs good, \$2,000. Jerry Hope, Clinton 910-990-1389.

AC G show tractors, ground up restoration, \$12,000/ea. Jimmie Costner, Greensboro 336-337-1685.

FARM EQUIPMENT

AC D-15, gas eng., runs great, many new parts, \$3,500. Ronnie Creech, Statesville 704-528-9054.

JD no-till grain drill, 15 ft w/gage wheels, row markers, \$42,000; JD 3 turn plow, 3 pt., \$450; 22 ton wood splitter, GC, \$850. F.D. Rivenbark Willard 910-540-7161.

1996 DeCloet tobacco harvester, JD diesel eng., clam shell dump, tipping chains & defoliators, fans on top, \$30,000. Jerry Snow, Dobson 336-374-3215.

HD Bush Hog model 276, 6 ft, 7 gauge steel, weighs 1,400 lbs., 210 hp gear box, LNC, \$2,600. Kenneth Greeson, Liberty 336-380-5839.

1952 Ford 8N tractor, restored, 12v, elec. ignition, Sherman trans., stored inside, \$3,900. Ellen Gaddy, Creston 336-385-1184.

Ford 3000 tractor, 3,480 hrs., all orig., \$5,300; Gill 6 1/2' box blade, \$1,500; LN, AC 3 bottom plow, \$325; pulverizer 6', \$250; boom pole \$95. Kent Davis, Clemmons 336-391-4801.

Single diaphragm pump, still in crate, 100 gpm @ 50 ft head pressure, 4 in. inlet, suction hose, diesel, on wheels, weighs 1,090 lbs., NC, \$4,100. Tom Marshall, Elon 336-421-1898.

MF 35 Deluxe, cranks & runs good, new battery last yr., good paint, lift rebuilt approx. 10 yrs. ago, tires FC-GC, 3 spd. w/high & low range, \$3,300. Ricky Royal, Yadkinville 336-463-2835.

Ford SU 4600 tractor, repainted 2 yrs. ago, used as rake tractor, tach broken but shows, 1,500 hrs., GC, \$7,600. Tom Johnson, Traphill 336-466-6450.

Two haybines - models 477 & 460, can be repaired or used for parts, \$500/both. Junior Hicks, Thomasville 336-472-3494.

Tobacco baler, \$3,000; Isuzu 6 cyl. irrig. motor, 125hp \$13,200; 4-row organic tobacco sprayer, \$2,500; 10,000 gal fuel tank w/pump & etc. \$4,000. Donnie Clayton, Roxboro 336-592-1300.

Farmall Super A, carb overhauled w/new kit, battery & alt., 12v system, tires ok & hold air, runs good, \$2,500. John Hood, Brown Summit 336-601-7502.

TM 800 Vermeer trailed disc mower, 10-4 in. cut, GC, \$6,800; 8 wheel v rake, shed kept, \$2,800; Int'l manure spreader, ground driven, \$1,500. Tony Evans, Glade Valley 336-657-2050.

Int'l 674 w/Westendorf front-end loader, needs starter, battery & cables, running when parked 6 mo. ago, GC, \$8,000. Lee Penry, Liberty 336-685-0002.

JD M tractor, running when parked, needs tires, good sheet metal, \$1,000. David Gannon, Julian 336-697-8870.

JD AW offset disc, 8 ft wide, \$1,500; JD 4 row cult., 3 pt. rear hitch, \$1,000. Eddie Wooten, East Bend 336-699-8400.

1977 Ford 750 loader w/2 yard bucket, new motor, less than 1,000 hrs., \$3,800; Long 20 disc harrow, 3 pt. hitch, \$400. Glenn Marshall, Stokesdale 336-706-4224.

Disc harrow, 4 sections, 20 blades, out/in-throw, 3 pt., \$350; subsoiler, potato shovel blade, 3 pt., \$150; scoop pan, 3 pt., \$150. Duane Kirschenman, Winston-Salem 336-765-0968.

Ford 601 Workmaster, new inj. pump, water pump & battery, good rubber, 6 ft blade, 5 ft bush hog, 2 bottom plow, \$3,500. Mike Spry, Cooleemee 336-782-9438.

NH bale wagon Stackliner 1032, 70 bale cap., GC, \$4,500. Derek Smith, King 336-813-2171.

JD 6410 w/cab, low hrs., 90 hp, ac/heat, power quad trans., great hay tractor, \$27,000. Rick King, Clemmons 336-817-6535.

NH Hayliner 273 baler, baled 100 bales since overhaul by Mid-south Tractor, \$2,500. Ronald Cecil, High Point 336-888-8792.

1964 Ford industrial tractor w/factory front-end loader, bucket. & forks. 4,000 hours, 2nd owner 45 yrs., \$4,700. Clarence Driver, Mocksville 336-909-0313.

Clipper 27 seed cleaner, runs, 220v, extra screens, GC, \$1,000. Woody Wooten, Cleveland 336-909-2126.

Kubota M7060hd12, 4x4 tractor w/la1154 loader, less than 75 hrs., \$38,900; Gehl 4240e series skid steer, \$19,900. Roy Swisher, Statesville 336-909-2131.

Case IH 8450 round baler, GC, \$3,900; Fella drive shaft disc mower, new blades, \$1,350. Lorrie Hutchens, Reidsville 336-932-4784.

10' Ford hay rake, new tires, \$300. Jay Vance, Kernersville 336-993-2596.

1966 IH 140 tractor w/cult., recently used, \$3,500-4,000. Lynn Yokley, Mocksville 336-998-8045.

NI 330 Super Picker, 3 row narrow, GC, \$5,750; Steffan 18 bale grabbers, \$3,000. Greg Overcash, Salisbury 704-202-3626.

Oliver Plowmaster 100 trailer plow, 2-14 bottoms, rooster comb lift arm, needs front shin replaced & wheels & tires, FC, \$200. Drew Waller, Salisbury 704-213-1587.

JD 6400, fwd cab, 4,800 hrs, new eng., VG interior paint, new front tires, rear 75%, clean tractor, \$25,000; JD front weight block, 110 lbs, fits 2240/2840, 2 bolt hole design, \$100 obo. Doug Mills, Wingate 704-221-0833.

Gleaner F3 combine, corn plus, 315 flex head, 430 corn head, 313 head for parts, \$9,500; NH 1047 Stackwagon, 300 gas, 120 bale, many new parts, \$8,000. Jon Beaver, China Grove 704-239-6322.

JD 216 grain header, needs repairs, \$1,500; JD 215 grain header, parts only, \$500. Gerald McSwain, Norwood 704-474-3797.

NH 851 round baler, shed kept, 5x5 bales, \$2,000 obo; parts for NH sq. baler, fits 300 series balers, \$800. Ty Kimrey, Marshville 704-624-6266.

NH H6750 9 ft disc mower, used once, shed stored, incl. book & stabilizer chains, LNC, \$10,000. Robert Ferguson, Charlotte 704-678-8236.

650 C trackhoe, 3 buckets, v-ditching, rock 2014 hrs., \$18,500; JD 2640 tractor w/front end loader, forks & bucket, \$6,500. George Hodge, Lilesville 704-695-5621.

Befco 8 wheel rake w/kicker wheel, \$2,000. John Cline, Concord 704-791-2837.

1983 JD 2550, open cab, 65 hp, dual remotes, float tires, field ready, \$8,500; Taylor-Way 16 disc offset disc w/drag, \$1,500. Hunter Nottingham, Rockwell 704-808-1011.

Rear mount tractor scoop, cat. 1 hitch, cash & pickup only, \$200. John Sloop, Midland 704-888-0110.

Shaver 3 pt. hitch hydr. post driver, 71,500 lbs. of force, slightly used, EC, \$3,200. Keith Carpenter, Albemarle 704-985-3721.

JD mid-mount mowing deck for 4200, 4210, 4300, 4310, 4400 & 4410, series tractor, 60 in., \$1,500. Keith Carpenter, Albemarle 704-985-3721.

New WR Long 4-in-1 bucket UJ1-66, used once when purchased, will consider trades for gravel, topsoil, mulch and possibly a 70-80's 4x4 vehicle, \$2,800. Robert Wielhouwer, Marshville 704-993-8653.

12ft New Leader model I2020GT, combination lime & fert. spreader, mounted on a 1985 Mack U model single axle, 306,000 mi, \$21,000; 1991 155hp JD 4555, new paint, less than 200 hrs on overhaul, 2WD, \$35,999; 358 NH mixer grinder, great cond., \$16,500. Steve Teague, Graham 800-877-2536.

Kubota L3130 4wd, 622 hrs, 32 hp, 3 range hydrostat loader frame, fresh service at 600 hrs, r4 industrial tires w/10 implements, \$18,000. Milon Forbes, Claremont 828-241-9505.

JD 2030, diesel, 68 hp, ps, hyd. remotes, 3 pt. hitch, new tires, paint, decals, battery, starter, belts, hoses, water pump, thermostat, fuel pump & all filters & fluids changed, 1,800 hrs., orig. owner's manual, \$6,500. Wayne Hedrick, Newton 828-244-1712.

MF 35, orig. parts, owners manual, top link, 4 stabilizer, pto stub shaft exten., \$60. Jean Greene, Granite Falls 828-396-5236.

JD 1750 sod corn planter, 6 row narrow finger p/up w/bean cups, less than 1,500 ac, EC, \$22,500. Rex Lynch, Maiden 828-428-4611.

MF 300 combine, corn head, grain head & chopper, gas, GC, \$4,000. Kenneth King, Morganton 828-438-2882.

Case IH MXM 140, cab, loader, 4x4 140 hp, good tires, power shift trans., double remotes 3,500 hrs., \$50,000. Derek Teague, Catawba 828-446-6111.

MF 65, good for restoring/used for tractor pull/parts, \$1,500. Johnny Lovelace, Bostic 828-447-9995.

Ford tractor, double hydraulic remote control valve w/2 handles & 4 line hookups, fits almost all 1955-2000 Ford tractors, bolts under seat, EC, \$650. Jeff Greene, Lenoir 828-493-2448.

Case Int'l 8455 rnd baler, \$3,800; sq. bale loader, \$250; Ford 101 2 bottom plow, \$250; NI corn picker, \$900. Reagan Hudson, Vale 828-874-3389.

Goat dairy, all goats, equip., supplies, medicine, feeders, cheese-making equip., milk machines, milk stands, cheese molds, milk cans etc., \$30,000. Tina Moller, Hampstead 910-270-3036.

MF diesel combine #540, 13 ft. grain head, FC, great buy for small farmer and/or parts, \$2,800. Patricia Schlegel, Castle Hayne 910-520-4205.

NH sq. baler, \$2,000; NH hay rake, \$1,000; Long sickle mower, \$250; JD sickle mower, \$250. Bryan Miller, Jackson Springs 910-639-1799.

Kubota BX 2370 tractor, 4x4 w/front end loader, 60 in. belly mower, garage kept, 55 hrs., \$14,500. Larry Pusser, Eagle Springs 910-673-3187.

1977 CAT 941-B, EC, \$16,500. Kenneth Allen, Robbins 910-690-2037.

2150 JD, \$7,200. Dexter Matthews, Carthage 910-690-9318.

MF model 39, 4 row planter w/fert. attach. & row markers, \$800; MF 3 gang turning plow, \$250; 3 pt. hitch carryall, \$125; King Cutter II hay spear, \$75; 1 row spring tooth cultivator, \$125; Taylorway model 952, 6 ft. rotary tiller, \$1,000. Willis Smith, Evergreen 910-770-2813.

JD 610r, hay rake, conditioner, \$3,500. Jerry McLean, Fayetteville 910-964-9319.

3 bottom turning plow, \$350; chisel plow, 5 tooth, \$450; potato digger, \$150; all 3 point hitch; Caroni 15 ft. finish mower, \$1,950. John Yow, Cary 919-362-5785.

Farmall 100, no rust, 3 pt. hitch, Woods belly mower, \$2,500. Thomas Benning, Louisburg 919-427-6290.

Woods 313 bat wing trailer-type bush hog mower, 13 ft, \$1,000; Shafer post driver, 3 pt. hitch, \$600. Thomas Glosson, Pittsboro 919-542-2202.

Powell/Cole MX12 1 row seed planter w/fert. hopper, 3 pt. hitch, seed plates & spacing cogs, pics avail., EC, \$950. Lee Fryar, Wake Forest 919-556-1822.

NH TR 86 combine w/20 ft. flex header, just cut 120 ac of wheat, no problems, auto. height control, plus lateral tilt. Ford engine serviced this year, good tires, ac & heat, 175 bushel bin. lights working, shows 2,600 hrs, but probably 3,000 hr, meter not working, setting up to cut soybeans, \$17,000 obo. Danny Sedberry, Mount Gilead 919-572-8566.

Round bale feeder, safer for horses, 8 ft. interior dia., weighs 80 lbs, 4 pieces, can be anchored for use w/cows, \$555. Nancy Worley, Hillsborough 919-619-2855.

Buckboard, carriage needing full restoration, sized for large pony/small horse, use w/singletree or tow vehicle hitch, pneumatic tires, metal frame, block brake, Free. Marilyn Kille, Chapel Hill 919-621-1234.

Kubota L4240 tractor, 42 hp, diesel eng., cab w/heat & ac, hydrostatic trans., LA854 frontend loader, 4-in-1 bucket w/teeth, 4wd, r4 tires, 215 hrs., no rear remotes, recently serviced, VGC, \$31,800. Eric Oldham, Chapel Hill 919-636-2254.

JD 1010 tractor, gas engine, hasn't run since 2008, but kept under shelter, w/5 ft bush hog mower, single gang 8-disk harrow, post hole digger, scoop pan, 6 ft scrape blade, \$3,500. Eric Oldham, Chapel Hill 919-636-2254.

JD 71 2 row planter, completely refurbished, LNC, \$1,600. Todd Moore, Smithfield 919-669-7964.

Farmall 100 for parts, not running, \$500 obo. Edwin Thompson, Bear Creek 919-742-3708.

Corn elevators, \$1,000 & up; elevator/bagger, gravity corn boxes, \$1,800 & up; reconditioned NI 1- or 2-row pickers, \$4,500 & up; Uni self-propelled 2-3-4 row pickers, \$8,500 & up. Bobby Brannan, Sanford 919-770-1353.

Ford 8N tractor w/single harrow, \$2,700. Billy Breeden, Haw River 336-578-3454.

JD 2020, gas, 3,000 hrs., JD mechanic maint., tires 100%, 8 spd-hi & low trans., 1 remote, 54 pto hp, all manuals, operator/service/parts, \$6,500. Bill Meyer, Raleigh 919-772-0019.

AC D17 tractor, PS series III w/snap coupler, 3 pt. hitch, good rubber w/2 disc AC plow, \$3,000. Darrell Wood, Garner 919-772-3920.

1952 8N Ford tractor w/4 ft bush hog & scrape blade, good running cond, \$3,500. Larry Seagroves, Goldston 919-837-2342.

Pequea turbo rake, EC, \$3,500; NH 472 haybine, GC, \$2,000. Eugene Ferrell, Zebulon 919-880-5609.

Fairbanks-Morse flywheel eng., 3 hp, kerosene, gas starting tank, crank guard, oiler, throttle governed, magneto, recent valve job, skidded, \$795. Larry Trammel, Chapel Hill 919-923-7958.

1939 Ford 9N tractor, w/box blade, groom mower, scrape blade & clarifier, \$1,800; 100 amp Generac transfer station, never used, \$200. Alexis Thompson, Chapel Hill 919-929-9339.



Equipment Wanted

Rollover blade, 7 ft, GC. Jerry Ellison, Vilas 828-297-7231.

Sand pump. Howard Dagenhart, Stony Point 704-873-8895.

Ford 309 planter plates, corn, beans, sorghum & filler plates; Ford 309 planter for parts. Charles Chamelin, Kernersville 336-769-4418.

Old farm equip., buckboards & old horse drawn wagons. Dave Blackwood, Greensboro 336-317-0831.

Ford 3000 trans. & housing, GC; clutch & pressure plate. Shearwood Pinnix, Reidsville 336-349-4009.

Farmall 140 rear tire & rim, mounted. Charles Smith, Gibsonville 336-449-7301.

NH 630 rnd baler, must be field ready & GC. Brad Embry, Thomasville 336-906-1315.

Pickup gathering wheels for JD 335 baler. Terry Church, Wilkesboro 336-984-0179.

Cub Cadet model 70, prefer useable or restorable cond. Tim Deese, Norwood 704-985-8436.

Axle support for Ford 5000 tractor. Clint Patton, Morganton 828-584-1431.

NH 717 or Super 717 for parts. Paul Greene, Bakersville 828-688-3118.

Gill box blade w/hinged tailgate & flip up shanks, GC. Justin Oxford, Granite Falls 828-855-8716.

JD dual hubs to fit 7410, 3.15 in. axle. Nelson Waters, Clinton 910-592-5465.

Gleaner M2, M3, L2 or L3 4x4 combine, GC. Cale Strickland, Laurinburg 910-610-5657.

Wisconsin v4 air-cooled eng., fits 600/610 Bob Cat skid steer loader. Thomas Glosson, Pittsboro 919-542-2202.

NH 851 rnd baler for parts, hay pickup, must be GC. Randy Chambers, Rougemont 919-698-3185.

Tobacco farm items, mule drawn tobacco equip., tobacco baskets & other tobacco farm items. Jackson Temple, Smithfield 919-902-0202.

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Horses & Supplies For Sale

PLEASE NOTE: All equine 6 mos. or older must have a current negative Coggins test. Advertisers must supply the accession number of test, the name of lab doing the test, the date of test and results for each equine advertised.

Horse barn, 5 stalls, tack room, all cypress, \$30,000. D. Carlton, Huntersville 980-721-7815.

Paso Fino gelding, reg., bay, 14.1 hh, 15 y/o, calm trail horse, loads, bathes, good for farrier & shots, \$3,500. A. Furr, Salisbury 704-798-3460.

Circle Y custom-made Yoakum Texas saddle, bridle & reins, dress in silver, saddle pad, blanket & all equip., EC, \$600. Tommie Cato, New London 336-857-2935.

Horse barns & pastures for lease, Walburg & Midway area, \$250-300/mo. W.L. Clodfelter, Winston-Salem 336-769-2234 or 407-3282.

Wintec saddle, #363639, 46 cm., 18 in. slightly used, \$300. James Brown, Asheville 828-254-7282.

Miniature horses, red male, dob 03-15-17, \$200; buckskin male, dob 04-16-17, \$300. Tommy Lovin, Ellerbe 910-206-1001.

Buggy running gear, ball bearing wheels from 1920's, GC; buggy body & frame, old, GC; 2 pony wagons, 1 from 1860's w/excel. body & frame, bad wheels & 1 from 1900's & complete, \$150-250. Charles Rudy, Sparta 336-200-1630.

Old doctor buggy, no top, single/double, GC, \$700. Glenn Marshall, Stokesdale 336-706-4224.

Amish enclosed buggy w/ lights, signals & brakes; walking horse tail sets & more, \$700. Kevin Evans, Gold Hill 704-213-1427.

1998 Sundowner Sportman 2 horse trailer, enclosed saddle racks, tack hooks, sheltered, VGC, \$6,000; 1980's County Competitor dressage saddle, 17 1/2 in. seat, med. wide gullet, wool flocked, GC, \$400; Smith Worthington Trail Maxx saddle, 17 in. seat, med-wide gullet, wool flocked, GC, \$1,800. Sheila Howell, Mt. Pleasant 704-467-5715.

Miniature donkeys, female, 3 y/o, people friendly, \$400; male, 4 1/2 y/o, good for pasture control & livestock protection, friendly, \$200. Philip Deluca, Midland 704-890-8112.

Reg. Palomino app mare, good trail horse, 14 y/o, \$1,000. Marsha Becher, Rose Hill 910-289-3531.



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Older safe trail horse to good home, will provide vet. ref. Monica Freeman, Archdale 336-862-9586.



Farm Labor For Sale

Vertical & horizontal mowing around shooting lanes, farm land, pine tree plantations, ponds & dams, reclaiming property, free estimates, any locations, \$75/hr. & up. Mary McKenzie, Jackson Springs 910-528-2293.

FARM LABOR

Farm fencing, woven wire w/ wooden post, board fencing, etc., 4, 5 & 6 ft tall, \$6.15/ft labor; \$10/ft incl. everything for under 2 ac. David Watterson, Lexington 240-498-8054.

Custom bush hogging service, fields, pastures, overgrown acreage, commercial/industrial lots, High Point, Greensboro & Winston-Salem area, \$65-120/hr. Chris Williard, High Point 336-215-2914.

Welding & light fabrication, mobile welding avail., rates for mobile travel time figured one way to job, Sr. disc., Rockingham & surrounding cos., \$30/hr. Phillip Hicks, Eden 336-612-2974.

Fencing: 3- or 4-board fences, privacy fence, hi tensile electric & woven wire fences, fixed knot, barbed wire fences. install new & repairs, free estimate, \$1.25/ft. & up. Gary Ellis, Bear Creek 919-545-1829.



Farm Labor Wanted

Farmhand needed, seeking dependable farmhand to work at Orange co. dairy farm, duties include milking & general maintenance, some exp. needed, ref. req. Jeff Sykes, Mebane 336-214-3443.

Light farm work needed in Reidsville, must be knowledgeable w/tractors & horses, rent provided w/3 bd double wide & privacy, refs. req. Lorrie Hutchens, Reidsville 336-932-4784.



Hay & Grain For Sale

Orchard grass hay, horse quality, \$5.50/ea. Kenneth Chilton, Pilot Mountain 336-374-2410 or 399-1973.

Fescue/orchard grass, some vetch., sq. bales, spring 2017 cutting, barn stored, \$4/ea. Boyd Queen, Lexington 336-746-5314.

Orchard/fescue mix, horse, goat & cow quality, sq. bales, \$6-8/ea. B. Lindley, Pittsboro 919-742-4009.

Orchard grass, in field, \$4/ea.; at barn, \$4.50/ea.; fescue, in field, \$3/ea.; at barn, \$3.50/ea. J. Lloyd Mabe, Danbury 336-703-8232.

Fescue hay, 4x5 bales, 2017 1st cutting, net-wrapped, \$30/ea. Chad Chappell, Hamptonville 336-244-6476.

Hay, horse quality, 2016 & 2017 cutting, in barn, \$4/ea. W.L. Clodfelter, Winston-Salem 336-769-2234 or 407-3282.

Spring hay, good cattle quality, 4x5 rnd bales, \$20/ea. Danny French, Ruffin 336-939-2305.

Hay, horse quality, rnd bales, delivery avail., \$30/ea. H.O. Davis, Elon 336-260-7606.

Quality fescue hay, 4x5 rnd. bales, in barn, 2017, \$35/ea.; 2016, \$25/ea. Tom Chandler, Burlington 336-516-2652.

Lespedeza/lespedeza mix & alfalfa/alfalfa Timothy mix hay, 60 lb. bales, good quality, in field pickup price is \$1 off ea. bale, \$6-9/ea. Greg Winslow, Hobbsville 252-221-9948.

Orchard grass mix w/fescue hay, 2016 fall cutting, clean & stored in trailer, sq. bales, \$5/ea. Curtis Paul, Henderson 252-430-9262.

Coastal bermuda hay, horse quality, baled 2017, sq. & rnd. bales, delivery avail. \$5/sq. bale & up. Charles Vandiford, Snow Hill 252-753-5450 or 717-8092.

HAY & GRAIN

Wheat straw, rnd. bales, net wrapped, \$30/bale, can deliver 42 bales per load; sq. bales, nylon wrapped, \$3.50/ea., can deliver 600 bales per load. Larry Bullock, Greenville 252-883-4748.

Fescue mix hay, 5x6 rnd. bales, spring 2017 cutting, \$40/ea. Loren Black, Liberty 336-215-5908.

Orchard grass/fescue hay, horse quality, 4x5 rolls, no rain/ weeds, shelter stored, \$40-45/ea.; orchard grass/fescue, sq. bales, \$5.75/ea. Jay Hohn, Archdale 336-289-3686.

Alfalfa, orchard grass, & timothy premium horse hay, wired tied sq. bales, approx. 75 lbs., \$10/ea. Tim Lilly, Stoneville 336-362-9078.

Good orchard grass, sq bales, 45-50 lbs. horse quality, no rain \$5.50; orchard grass cow hay, \$3.50 per bale, \$5.50 sq bale. Kenneth Chilton, Pilot Mountain 336-374-2410.

Fescue hay, 4x5 rnd. bales, horse quality, spring cutting, \$30/ea. Albert Smith, Greensboro 336-378-0750.

Orchard grass hay, pure stand orchard grass, 2017 1st cutting, no weeds, baled at perfect 10-12% moisture content, stored in dry barn, \$6.50/ea. Dave Faust, Julian 336-402-0943.

Alfalfa, 100%, sq. bales, \$8/ea.; meadow hay, 4x4 rolls, \$25/ea. Phil Zimmerman, Lexington 336-406-6746.

Fescue mix hay, VG quality, no rain, sheltered, stored on pallets, 4x5 rnd. bales, \$35-45/ea. Rick Ingram, Greensboro 336-420-9253.

Fescue hay, 4x5 rnd. bales, delivery avail., \$25/ea. John Lee, Reidsville 336-421-9676.

Fescue hay, horse quality, large sq. bales, \$6/ea.; rnd. bales, medium size, \$40/ea.; large, \$70/ea. Tommy Davis, Archdale 336-431-5388.

Horse quality alfalfa, 2017 cutting, no rain, sq. bales, in field, \$8.50/ea.; in barn, \$9.50/ea.; orchard/alfalfa mix, in field, \$7.50/ea.; in barn, \$8.50/ea.; pure orchard, in field, \$6.50/ea.; in barn, \$7.50/ea. Harden Phipps, Julian 336-446-6817.

Fescue hay, 4x4 rolls, 2017 cutting, no rain, barn kept, \$20/ea. Mickey Hauser, Yadkinville 336-469-4256.

Fescue hay, horse quality, \$4/sq bale. Steve Jones, Thomasville 336-475-6539.

Wheat straw, \$4/bale in the barn, located N. Davidson co., \$4. Tracy Callahan, Lexington 336-624-0388.

Fescue hay, horse quality, sq. bales, 2017 spring cutting, in barn, \$4/ea. John Warner, Reidsville 336-634-1234.

Horse quality mixed grass hay, \$4.25/sq. bale. Sylvia Reid, Welcome 336-731-4015.

Fescue & orchard grass mixed hay, 2017 spring cutting, 4x5 rolls, in field, \$25; in barn, \$30/ea. Larry York, Staley 336-824-2077.

Fescue/lespedeza mix, sq. bales, 2017 spring cutting, \$4.50/ea. Alan Clodfelter, Thomasville 336-848-1551.

Custom hay baling, cut, tedder, rake, bale & can provide wrapping for haylage, 4x4 & 4x5 bales, \$7-17/ea. Caleb Johnson, Wilkesboro 336-902-9811.

Fescue, 4x5 rnd bales, fert., good quality, stored outside, \$25/ea.; barn stored, \$35/ea. Preston Whitley, New London 980-521-0336.

HAY & GRAIN

2017 horse quality hay, sq. bales, no rain, \$4/ea. Vernon Hill, Mt. Pleasant 980-621-5091.

2017 fescue hay, sq. bales, \$4.50/ea.; 4x4 rolls, \$30/ea. w/ deliv. avail. for small amounts. David Moore, Summerfield 336-908-0591.

Fescue mixed hay, no rain, good horse & cow hay, in field, \$2.50/ea.; in barn, \$3/ea. David Ward, Advance 336-940-6772.

Alfalfa hay, 2nd & 3rd cutting \$10/ea. John Sikes, Peachland 704-475-7922 or 690-1193.

Rye, cereal, NCDA tested, \$13/bu. Ronnie King, Lawndale 704-538-8174.

Alfalfa, good quality, approx. 45 lbs., \$7/ea.; wheat straw, clean, \$4/ea.; \$80/21 bale bundles; grass hay, excellent quality, \$5/ea. Richard Glover, Bessemer City 704-629-5520.

Oats, 55 gal. drum, \$35/ea.; \$4.50/bu.; triticale, 55 gal. drum, \$40/ea. Randy Clontz, Indian Trail 704-634-5910.

2017 alfalfa hay, horse quality, no rain, in barn, \$8/ea.; 2016 hay, \$5/ea. David Beam, Claremont 704-662-2647.

Fescue hay, sq. bales, no rain, \$4/ea.; 2016 hay, \$2.75/ea.; mulch & bedding hay, \$1. Donald Nesbit, Concord 704-792-5181.

Fescue hay, horse quality, 4x5 bales, 1st cutting, fert., sprayed for weeds, no rain, barn stored, \$40/ea. Alice Davis, Salisbury 704-855-4930.

NH 6 wheel tedder, GC, \$2,500. R.G. Hammonds, Lumberton 910-734-2991.

Hay, excel. quality, no rain, shelter stored, lg. rnd bales, \$20-40. David Smith, Fayetteville 910-850-8715.

Horse & cattle hay, 4x5 net wrapped bales, excellent quality, not pumped on, bulk loads, \$30/ea. Jack Bonner, Salemburg 910-990-1095.

Rye grass mix hay, horse quality, \$3.50/ea.; fescue, \$5/ea.; orchard/fescue mix, \$6/ea.; orchard grass, \$7/ea.; orchard/alfalfa mix, \$8/ea. Patrick Murphy, Winston-Salem 919-427-4648.

Cattle hay, 4x5 rnd bales, 2016 cutting, \$20/ea.; 2017 cutting, rnd bales, \$40/ea. & will load. Larry Decator, Pittsboro 919-444-4071.

Coastal Bermuda hay, 2016 cutting, 30 bales horse quality & 30 cow quality, good hay, \$20/ea. Jay Barefoot, Faison 919-538-5395.

Coastal Bermuda hay, 4x5 rnd bales, good quality, cow & horse hay, barn stored, no rain, \$25-30/ea. Carl Hinzman, Cameron 919-770-1210.

Orchard grass hay, sq. bales, \$7/ea.; mixed w/fescue, \$6/ea.; fescue, sq. bales, \$5/ea.; rnd bales, \$15-30/ea. w/poss. deliv. Darrell Wood, Garner 919-772-3920.

Fescue hay, sq. bales, no rain, 06-2017 cutting, \$5/ea. Gloria & Jim Jahnke, Chapel Hill 919-967-5558.

2017 alfalfa, 36 in., 50 lb. bales, moisture tested, NCDA tested, 2nd place at state fair, discounts for field pick up, deliv. avail., \$12/ea. John Burt, Fuquay-Varina 919-971-5437.

2017 alfalfa hay, bales are approx 60 lbs ea, horse quality and been kept in dry from the day it was baled, 100% alfalfa, not a blend, \$10. Jason Walker, Concord 980-521-8091.



Hay & Grain Wanted

Cow hay, delivered, 50+ rnd bales, 4x5 size, call w/price & type, Johnny Mesimer, Woodleaf 704-495-4835.



Farmland For Sale

Land for sale must consist of at least 3 acres and be used for agricultural purposes, i.e. cultivation, raising livestock and/or other farm commodities.

Advertisers must indicate use of land.

32-34 ac to lease for hunting, \$12-15/ac. H. Windley Jr., Franklinton 919-528-8123 or 252-945-2648.

3.7 ac in Yadkin co, underground power, well, septic, creek, \$45,000. Al Bennett, Sherrills Ford 828-478-5983.

44-106 ac in Bertie & Hertford cos to lease for hunting, \$10-12/ac. Carroll Young, Ahoskie 252-287-9853.

159 ac in Granville co near Oxford to lease for hunting, large deer & turkey, \$2,000. Robert Carrington, Southern Pines 910-695-0835 or 699-1454.

9 ac in Rockingham co, 2 ac pond, \$85,000. H.O. Davis, Elon 336-260-7606.

19 ac in Harnett co, 3 mi south of Dunn, paved road, co water, will perk, \$140,000. Geneva Martin, Willow Spring.

65 ac in Martin co for lease for 2017 hunting season, 15 ac cleared, 50 ac cutover woodland w/paths, \$10/ac.; 169 ac for lease for hunting season, planted in oak tree rows w/paths, \$10/ac. William Modlin, Jamesville 252-792-7709 aft. 9 p.m.

130 +/- ac in Caldwell co, Oak Hill area w/farmhouse, barn, creek, nursery stock, 3 springs, 2 fish ponds, good for hunting, fishing, farming, selling as 1 parcel, \$3,900/ac neg. Terry Land, Taylorsville 828-632-6758.

11 ac west side of Hickory, mostly wooded w/cleared powerline right-of-way in rear, currently used for pasture, \$60,000. Charles Lowman, Kitty Hawk 252-256-2336.

48 ac in northern Alamance co w/pond & house, mostly cleared, used for hay, some rd. frontage & access rd, \$345,000. Teresa Massey, Burlington 336-226-6815.

5.5+ ac in Guilford co, 1,000+ ft rd. frontage, great for future home & farmland, \$75,000. Brantley Cockler-eece, Salisbury 336-613-1143.

11.6 ac in Alleghany co, mainly open land w/long rd. frontage, great views, town water, partial fence, \$125,000. David Jones, Glade Valley 336-657-7745.

95.9 ac Caswell co., timber, natural spring, road frontage, perk sites and good deer and turkey hunting, \$250,000. Earl Smith, Yanceyville 336-694-3147.

8.9 ac in Davidson co, excel. for garden site, 1/2 cleared, 1/2 in firewood, end of paved rd. offers privacy, borders Abbotts Creek, \$20,995. James Davis, Lexington 336-853-8019.

8+ ac in Yadkin co, fenced pasture w/1 ac pond in center, 492.1 ft rd. front, 2821 Wyo Rd., \$75,000. Kathleen Reavis, Winston-Salem 336-924-8856.

FARMLAND

61 ac w/10 room modern home, approx. 20 ac open for hay & 40+ ac mature timber, great hunting & wildlife watching, \$375,000; 11 ac w/mature timber, surrounded by woods, private rd. & state rd. frontage, 2 barns, \$33,000. John Long, Ruffin 336-939-3166.

100+ ac in Rowan co, 1580 Gheen Rd., Salisbury, barn & shed on site, clear & timbered land, \$475,000. Rhod Lowe, Salisbury 704-202-9605 or 636-3408.

129 ac farm in Scotland Neck, 36x74 ft peanut shelter, 3-2,500 bu. bins & 5,000 bu. grain bin, also can be used for turkey & deer hunters, \$325,000. Cecil Wilkie, Scotland Neck 704-467-6555.

30.7 ac Rockingham co., paved road frontage, open land, mature timber, small pond, older farm house, large concrete block shop, \$189,000. Joan F Carlson, Fuquay-Varina 704-578-9881.

132 ac farm in Denton, 110+/- ac open, fenced/cross fenced, water throughout, excellent pasture land, poss. owner financing, \$775,000. Blake Allen, Charlotte 704-618-2177.

16 ac in Ashe co, wooded w/excel. trout stream bordering property, private, older mobile home & hunting shack on property, \$80,000. Pamela Orbison, Salisbury 704-754-2285.

72 ac Iredell co. w/ 30 ac currently planted, 1,800 sf barn, 2,200 sf home, 3 bd/2ba, 3 natural springs & creek, 12x24 shop, fruit & nut trees, private, secluded, \$450,000. Tim Snook, Statesville 704-881-5340.

52.6 ac in Bladen co, timber, deer & turkey hunting, cleared land/house, rd. frontage, \$300,000 obo. Thomas Andrews, Lumberton 910-738-7589.

For rent. 57.6 ac Ghio, Scotland co, has soybean & wheat basis, ideal for hay or cow production, \$1,800. Helen Scholl, Hamlet 910-995-1500.

Orange co 10 ac on rural paved road, small pasture, mature hardwoods, gently rolling, 4-BR perk, walking/riding trail, no mobiles or modulars, 1,500-sq.-ft. min., owner-financing, \$98,500. Ann Moss Joyner, Mebane 919-619-7978.

26 ac farm w/4 turkey houses, incl. 12 ac prime farmland in Duplin co, \$250,000. Rebecca Parrish, Richlands 919-750-9800.



Farmland Wanted

Farmland in Wake, Chatham, Pender or New Hanover cos for long-term lease/buy, up to 10 ac. Gary Pancholi, Cary 919-525-0585.

Small/large tracts of land in Guilford, Rockingham, Caswell cos. & surrounding areas to lease for hunting, exp. & reliable father & son hunters. Alan Meredith, High Point 336-482-8094, 442-0733 or 289-0585.

3-6 ac in Todd, mostly wooded. Jack Simpson, Monroe 704-242-0763.

Land in Anson, Stanly, Richmond or Montgomery cos to trap beaver, coyote, skunks, etc., beginning 11-2017 through 02-2018. Kevin Mullis, Wadesboro 704-475-3000.

FARMLAND

Land in central or western NC to lease for wild turkey hunting, small group of 4. Lee Carawan, Concord 704-782-5952.

40-50 ac open pasture to lease to organic dairy farming family, must have house, any area. Anne Krug, Wilmington 910-386-1702.

10-40 ac in Rowan co, pond pref, pond site necessary, creek, lay square/rectangle, small house considered, need physical address/parcel number, cash buyer. Rick Barnhardt, Supply 910-520-1336.

5+ ac within 45 min. commute of Raleigh/Durham area, zoned to allow greenhouses, existing well & septic pref. but not required. Allison Culbreth, Raleigh 919-599-8695.



Livestock For Sale

Santa Gertrudis, purebred replacement cattle, polled, reg. & non-reg., bulls & heifers, \$1,500 & up. Richard Shaver, Cleveland 704-278-9291.

Lambs, rams & ewe, no wool shearing, \$150/ea. Henry Wagner, Hickory 828-256-5197.

Blk. Angus herd bulls, steers & heifers, Traveler, GT Maximum & 727 Executive bloodline, \$700 & up. Tim Moss, Graham 336-376-3773 between 5-11 p.m.

Belted Galloway steers, 6-8 m/o, vacc. & dewormed, \$500/ea. A. Furr, Salisbury 704-798-3460.

Hair sheep, Katahdin, St. Croix rams & ewes, \$125 & up. Mary Riggs, Durham 919-423-3184 call evenings.

Reg. Blk. Angus bulls & heifers, breeding age, bred for low birth, high growth, great EPD's, Freightliner bloodlines, good herd bulls, pics. avail., \$1,200 & up. Danny Dennis, Mt. Gilead 910-572-2286.

Boer/Nubian mix nannie, dob 04-24-17, dehorned, vacc., \$100; full blood Boer goat, born 2011, excellent mother, \$250. L.A. Mize, Lexington 336-731-2888.

Red Angus bulls & cows, 2 y/o & up, reg. \$200 & up. Tom Chandler, Burlington 336-516-2652.

Reg. Blk. Angus cows & heifers, bred to calving ease Deer Valley All In herd bull, due Oct.-Jan., \$2,000-2,500. Robert Simpson, Lucama 252-289-5889.

Purebred dexters, bulls, \$700; heifers, \$900. David DeWald, Hertford 252-333-5813.

Katahdin/St. Croix sheep, various colors, ewe lambs, ram lambs & 2-4 y/o ewes, comfortable being worked by dogs, \$150-300. Kelly Martin, Burlington 336-214-9421.

Nubian billy goat, blk./brown, 6 m/o, \$120; pygmy billy goat, wht/brown speckled, 6 m/o, \$110. M. Sharpe, Denton 336-241-2752.

Alpine dairy goats, ADGA reg. doe & buck kids, milker, mature bucks, from easy, show quality milkers, cae prevention, on small family farm, \$200 & up. Leon Albright, Thomasville 336-250-7288.

Royal white hair sheep lambs, 6 w/o - 7 m/o, reg. & certified, tame, deliv. avail. for fee, \$200-300. Josh Foltz, Winston-Salem 336-251-4709.

Polled Hereford bulls, \$1,200 & up. Randy Davis, Burlington 336-263-8163.

Yearling Dorper/Katahdin ram, healthy w/great feet & legs, vacc., good conformation for meat producing flock, calm temperament, \$275. Craig Magill, Council 910-512-0051.

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Reg. Angus cows, both w/ strong genetic lines, calving in July & Nov., bred back to reg. Angus bull, \$3,500. Sarah Fuller, Asheboro 336-301-3832.

3 female miniature donkeys, very gentle, 336-325-5059, \$200 ea. David Lowe, Lowgap 336-352-3526.

White (7/8) shorthorn heifer, 11 m/o, \$1,100; reg. black Simmental heifers, 9 & 10 m/o, \$1,300 - \$1,400. Phil Rucker, Hamptonville 336-468-1675.

Kiko goats, \$150 & up. Steve Jones, Thomasville 336-475-6539.

Nigerian dwarf billy goat, dob 11-2-14, blue eyes, buckskin, healthy, \$150. Trish McKinney, Reidsville 336-482-5669.

Blk. Angus bulls, 9-24 m/o, \$900 & up. Harold Wright, Liberty 336-675-5011.

Full blood Boer does, dob 02-2016, breeding age, herd produced grand champ, tame, healthy; others types avail., \$250. Dodd Linker, Clemmons 336-712-2484.

Boer/Kiko cross bucks, 6 m/o, \$200. Evon Crooks, Mocksville 336-817-6890.

Saneen, alpine bucks & does, 5 m/o to 2 y/o, reg. or can be reg., dehorned, vaccines, healthy, from good bloodline, \$50-250. Cathy Williams, N. Wilkesboro 336-984-2976.

Angus/Gelbvieh cross heifers, approx. 1 y/o \$500 & up. Rhod Lowe, Salisbury 704-202-9605 or 636-3408.

Landrace/Duroc/York/Berkshire cross feeder pigs, various sizes, delivery avail., \$50 & up. Kevin Evans, Gold Hill 704-213-1427.

Proven Saanen buck, excel pedigree, social, born 03/27/17, \$200. Alex Karabet, Stanfield 704-269-8505.

Miniature zebu heifer, 7 m/o, white w/grey stripes, \$700. Kevin Kesler, Salisbury 704-467-2327.

Duroc x Yorkshire & Duroc x Berkshire piglets, dob late May, pasture raised boars & sows, \$50. Johnny Mesimer, Woodleaf 704-495-4835.

Dorper lambs, rams & ewes, purebreds only, heavy meat sheep, no shearing, \$300. Mark Ferguson, Harmony 704-546-3345 or 630-394-9765.

Charolais bulls, purebred, 8-20 m/o, polled, shots, gentle, deliv. by arrangement, \$900 & up. Dee Helms, Salisbury 704-642-9680 or deehelms@bellsouth.net.

Polled Hereford cattle, heifers & bulls, born 12-2016, bred cows, 2-6 y/o, due in fall, reg. or purebred stock out of reg. herd, \$700-1,600. Alice Davis, Salisbury 704-855-4930.

Hereford bulls, polled, gentle, & dark colored, 6 m/o, \$500. Jacob Parks, Salisbury 704-857-0483.

Katahdin ram lambs, 7-8 m/o, 7 avail., \$125/ea. Steve Bailey, Mooresville 704-892-1807.

Beef Master reg. bulls & cows, herd reduction sale, all spotted, \$1,800 to \$2,800. Ken Manfredi, Hickory 828-256-4500.

Angus/Jersey heifer, 10 m/o, approx. 400 lbs., solid black, \$600. Nathan Poovey, Newton 828-310-2761.

Reg. Nubian goats & kids, good bloodlines, \$100 & up. Kyle Wike, Taylorsville 828-632-1763.

Old English southdown babydoll ewe lamb, dob 04-01-17, purebred, unreg., from reg. parents, great conformation, \$300. Ann Wheeler, Hamlet 910-331-3367.

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Savanna/% Kiko bucklings & doelings, dob Jan 2017, \$200 & up; purebred Kiko billy, dob-12/15/16, \$300, \$200 & up. Steve Burge, Evergreen 910-840-7258.

Simmental & Sim-Angus herd bulls, blk., polled, bred for balanced traits of calving ease, growth, maternal & disposition, \$2,000-2,500. William Pyle, Franklinton 919-215-5677.

Purebred Spanish goat bucklings, born 03 & 04-2017, ready to be herd sire upcoming breeding season; adult does, \$250-350. Stanley Holcomb, Siler City 919-345-9855.

Kiko buck, purebred, reg., 4 y/o, great personality, high libido, \$400. Sharon Funderburk, Turkey 919-357-6273.

Angus bulls, 20 m/o-3 y/o, \$2,000. Kevin Jackson, Sanford 919-369-1695.

3/4 large blk. pigs & 1/2 lb. 1/2 Duroc, all 80-100 lbs., \$80. Lantz Mitchell, Moncure 919-525-6873.

Several Nigerian dwarf reg. year & half old does, will 1st freshen as 2 y/o, 3 mos. pet wethers avail., \$125-\$400. John Bane, Sanford 919-545-4444.

Katahdin ram & ewe lambs, born 05/2017, 2 adult ewes 1 1/2 y/o, great addition to herd, ram lambs will be good breeders, \$180-250. Brandon Davis, Bahama 919-576-6581.

Seneopl bred Angus cows, 3-7 y/o, proven mothers. preg checked & due in Sept., 100% grass fed, heat tolerant, great mothers, mellow natured, tender meat, low birth weights, \$1,500-1,850. Noah Ranells, Efland 919-619-9180.

Reg. Hereford pigs, ground raised, nice stock; feeder pigs, \$200. Krystle Owen, Warsaw 919-717-0208.

Connealy Impression, 3 y/o, easy calving, excel. docility, makes great calves, reg# 18069843, \$3,000. Ryan Taylor, Gibsonville 919-879-4887.

Mangalitsa x Duroc cross gilts & boars, dob 5-22-17, combines high quality meat of mangalitsa w/ good temper. & high rate of gain of Duroc, \$300. Eugene Ferrell, Zebulon 919-880-5609.

Mini piglets, parents on site, various colors, \$200; Nigerian dwarf goats, 3 m/o-2 y/o, \$100. Betsy Strickland, Zebulon 919-914-0033.

Jersey heifer, dob 05-22-16, polled, mature approx. 47-48 in., can be reg., both parents mini reg., \$1,000. Teresa Boone, Fremont 919-920-0876.

Purebred Kiko bucks & does, excel bloodlines, 3-15 m/o, \$150. John Kalwitz, Cameron 919-935-9797.

Texas longhorn bulls & brood cows, \$800-1,000. Kathryn Gantt, Statesville 980-253-5467.



Poultry & Supplies For Sale

Highly pathnogenic avian influenza alert

In 2015, HPAI was found in the wildfowl population in the United States, representing a risk for poultry owners. At this time no cases have been found in North Carolina.

Poultry owners are encouraged, however, to watch their birds for any signs of illness and to contact a veterinarian if they find sick birds.

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Growers can also contact one of four NCDA&CS regional veterinary diagnostic labs for more information. Go to www.ncagr.gov/vet/ncvdl/VetLabFacilitiesDirectory.html for contact information.

As this disease can spread by infected wildfowl, it is important to eliminate opportunities for your birds to come in contact with wild birds.

Owners are also urged to be extra mindful of biosecurity measures to prevent the spread of this disease.

This includes quarantining any new poultry additions from your existing flock for two to three weeks to observe for signs of sickness, have a dedicated pair of shoes and clothing for working with birds that stay on your property, be mindful if driving onto property with poultry as the disease can spread by vehicles. More information about HPAI can be found at www.ncagr.gov/avianflu.

Quail, Gambel, California, Blue Scale, Mexican Speckled, jumbo, silver & white bobwhites, Snowflakes, albino & gray & red Chukars, Rock & Silver Philby & Barbary, \$1.50 & up. Jimmy Furr, Stanfield 704-888-0213.

Fancy pheasants, red gold, yellow gold, Amherst, silver, \$50 & up. Thomas Arnette, Sanford 919-935-1358.

Barred rock roosters, \$10; large white pekin duck trio, \$45. Billy Conner, Old Fort 828-460-5791.

Pearl guineas, taking orders for 2017 hatch, \$5/ea. Alvin Searcy, Marion 828-738-8533.

Asian roosters, 5 m/o, \$4/ea. Betty Cummings, Clarendon 910-653-1007.

Lewis Poultry Housekeeper w/spreader, \$4,500 OBO. Randall Helms, Monroe 704-291-0552.

Peacocks, \$45 & up; turkeys, \$7 & up; guineas, \$4 & up; chickens, white & barred rock, \$4 & up. Roy McLamb, Linden 910-893-3012.

GQF incubator, hatches 270 chicken eggs, \$600/ea. David DeWald, Hertford 252-333-5813.

Buff orpington, golden laced wyandotte, barred rock, silkie, \$2.50/ea.; blue & blk. copper marans & khaki campbell ducklings, \$3.50/ea. Sandra Sykes, Dobson 336-374-3311.

Baby white nuke swans, 2 1/2 - 3 m/o, pinned, will not fly away, \$200/ea. Kenny LaPine, Greensboro 336-953-6603.

Chickens, red sexlink 16 m/o laying hens, tame & healthy, lay dark brown eggs, laying well, \$8.50. Randy Wright, Staley 336-963-8727.

White leghorns, buff rocks, golden lace wyandotts, silver lace wyandotts, raised from chicks, 5 m/o, \$3-5/ea. Larry Gregory, Mocksville 336-998-0169.

Bbs orpington, bbs Ameraucana, jubilee orpington, lavender cochin bantam & buff orpington chicks, NPIP certified, \$10. Michael Christie, Salisbury 704-431-8236.

Royal palm turkey poults, \$12; frillback pigeons, 3 proven breeding pairs, \$100/pair. Andrea Cress, Salisbury 704-789-3310.

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Australian black swans, \$250 & up. Jim Simpson, Indian Trail 704-882-1315.

Guinea keets, various colors, hatchings nearly every weekend, \$3. Charles Moore, West End 910-295-6953.

Poultry house cooling pads, 1 ft x 4 ft x 6 in. thick, can also be used in greenhouses, \$2. Kevin Burroughs, Mt. Gilead 910-439-5137.

Bantams, golden & silver seabright, red jungle fowl, splash booted mille fleur & Ameraucana, blue egg layers, mostly females, young to adults, \$5 & up. Robert Burns, Holly Springs 919-552-6420.

Barnyard mixed chicks, 3 d/o-feathered out, \$3-5/ea. Betsy Strickland, Zebulon 919-914-0033.

Pure white homers, can use for weddings/funerals, 50+ disc., \$5. Wilda Talley, Siler City 919-930-4836.

Silkie hens, 1 y/o, white, \$12; Silkie chickens, many colors, 3-6 m/o, \$12. John Kalwitz, Cameron 919-935-9797.



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Reeves pheasant, pair. Thomas Arnette, Sanford 919-935-1358.

Galvanized chicken nesters, reasonable price, UC-GC. Ralph O'Daniel, Chapel Hill 919-636-2393.

Small Animals For Sale

New Zealand rabbits, \$12; Netherland dwarf rabbits, \$15. Sandra Sykes, Dobson 336-374-3311.

Rex rabbits, not minis, tri, harlequin, castor & broken castor, ped. avail., \$30-50. Melissa Bell, Pfafftown 336-830-6936.

New Zealand & Californian rabbits, ARBA member, various colors & ages, 1/2 to full pedigree, \$15. Jimmy Tyndall, Faison 919-649-3823.

Tennessee Redback rabbits, ground started & out of cage, buy 10 & get 1 free, \$10. Mark Hinson, Goldsboro 919-734-7800.

Missouri cottontail rabbits, work great for training young pups, \$7. Scott Bryant, Raleigh 919-761-3075.



Seeds & Plants For Sale

PLEASE NOTE: Individuals or businesses offering nursery stock for sale in North Carolina are required to obtain either a nursery or nursery dealer license. For more information, contact the NCDA&CS Plant Industry Division at 800-206-9333 or 919-707-3730.

Old timey small white cucumber seeds, certified, \$1/tsp. + SASE. Ruby Wallace, 118 Meadowbrook Cir., Dallas, NC 28034.

Old timey sweet white onion sets, \$1/50. Don Staley, Greensboro 336-674-5582.

Crowder pea seeds, \$10/lb. D. Carlton, Huntersville 980-721-7815.

Morris heading collard plants, \$80/1,000 plants. Mitch Fields, Lumberton 910-740-4196.

SEEDS & PLANTS

Old timey cockscomb seeds, huge blossom head w/rich crimson color, sturdy 18 in. stalk, approx. 200 seeds, \$3 + SASE. Barry Cox, 6225 Welborn Rd., Trinity, NC 27370.

Lucky buckeyes, \$4.25/doz. + shipping; buckeyes for planting, \$5.25/doz. + shipping. Jules Simmons, 424 Grand Vista Dr., Sylva, NC 28779 or 828-226-4700.

Old timey white multiplying onion sets, multiply underground, tender tops, shipping incl., \$15/50 sets. Roney Bisette, Plymouth 252-793-3814.

Sunflower seeds, old timey type w/huge 12-14 lb. flower, 15-18 in. diameter, send SASE & \$3/25 seeds; \$5/50 seeds. N. Smoot, 6227 Welborn Rd., Trinity, NC 27370.

Muscadine & scuppernong plants, healthy, potted, 5-6 ft tall, incl. instructions, \$15. Bob Whitaker, Mocksville 336-469-4822.

Green giant arborvitae, 1 gal., 24 in., \$3.50 & 3 gal., 40 in., \$9; liriopse/monkey grass, 1 gal., \$0.50/ea.; variegated euonymous, acubas, gardenias, rose of sharon, sky pencil, goldthread cypress, nandinas & others in 3 gal., \$6-10. John Hood, Brown Summit 336-601-7502.

Japanese maples, 20+ varieties, hosta, ground covers, conifers, dawn redwood, bald cypress, dwarf pines & more, \$5-250. Jim Holland, Lewisville 336-813-5543.

Abruzzi rye, cleaned, 50 lb. bags, \$13/ea.; triticale, cleaned, 50 lb. bags, \$13/ea. Randy Clontz, Indian Trail 704-634-5910.

Heirloom multiplying onions, good for kitchen now/Sept. planting for spring crop, \$5/lbs. & up. Tom Jackson, 13902 Dunn Road, Godwin, NC 28344.

Large blueberry plants, Star, O'Neal & New Hanover varieties w/instructions, \$15. Sherri McNeill, Robbins 910-585-0656.

Heirloom petunias, purple iris bulbs, 4 o'clocks, \$3 & up. Catherine Bass, Fayetteville 910-818-1282.

Cereal rye grass seed, great for cover crops/seeding rye for winter grazing, seed treated, deliv. avail., \$14/bag. Zeke Barefoot, Apex 919-600-4834.

Seeds & Plants Wanted

Pink naked lady lily bulbs. Patsy Snyder, Rural Hall 336-469-6314.



Supplies For Sale

Cage water tanks, 250 gal., \$100/ea. Ben Minton, Lenoir 828-759-4028.

Direct current generators, 2,000w & 5,000w, 230v at 1,750 rpm, \$95-125 OBO. Bill Payne, Madison 336-548-6630 from 6-9 p.m.

Old floor scale w/weights, \$250. W. Corbett, Troy 910-572-5589.

Gourds for birdhouses & crafts, lg. sel., \$1.25/ea. & up. Denny Rollins, Mocksville 336-492-7223.

One gal. food grade glass jars w/finger hold, small mouth, great for juice or wine; 1/2 gal clear, reg. mouth canning jars, Ball, Kerr, Mason, \$2/ea.. Gary Michael, Lexington 336-239-3717.

Plastic barrels, \$10/ea.; metal burning barrels, \$10; 275 gal. totes, \$90/ea.; \$150/2; stainless steel tanks w/open tops, \$700. Jeff Brittain, Hickory 828-327-4782.

FARM SUPPLIES

Tobacco greenhouse, 30x100 ft, 2 gas burners, drop sides, rail on ea. side for cutting plants, boards for floating trays, \$3,700. J.L. McLaurin, Wade 910-323-5207.

Greenhouse aluminum tables, 6x16 ft, \$100/ea. Danny French, Ruffin 336-939-2305.

Old bldgs., barn w/wide boards & old store, never painted, tongue & groove boards inside, pics. avail., \$1,500 & up. Danny Dennis, Mt. Gilead 910-572-2286.

Wayland Machinery #1876 apple pack line, \$300; manual Bostich box tapler, model F, \$100. Jim Land, Taylorsville 828-632-6497 or 308-3262.

Hand-spinning supplies, Border Leister roving, white, brown, \$35/lbs.+ postage. G.A. Hoepfner, Bakersville 828-385-2190.

Used canning jars, no lids, reg. mouth, qt. size, \$6/doz.; reg. mouth, half gallon, \$15/doz. Jerry Houston, Providence 336-388-5089.

Oak whiskey barrels, 53 gal., \$125; wine barrels, 59 gal., \$135. Jeff Deaver, Deep Run 252-550-1623.

Canning jars, pints & quarts, \$3.50/doz. Sharon Hicks, Thomasville 336-472-3494.

Craftsman air compressor, 20 gal. 2 hp w/owner's manual & compressor oil, GC, \$125. Gail Feddish, Greensboro 336-697-8179.

Temporary elec. fencing supplies, tread-in-posts, reels w/polywire, fence chargers, fence tester, ground rods, fence pliers; calving supplies, double ratchet calf puller & ob chains & handles, \$1 & up. Colon Nifong, Lexington 336-731-6730.

Custom band sawn lumber, some air dried pine, walnut, cherry, poplar, red & white oak, cedar, ambrosia maple, 20 in. wide, batten siding, white oak flooring, fence boards, sawed fence rails, cedar & poplar timbers, etc., \$1 & up. Glenn Jones, Winston-Salem 336-817-4325.

Horse manure mixed w/shavings, good for organic gardens, you load, Free. Brenda Casteel, Denton 336-859-3710 aft. 7 p.m.

Aermotor windmill, 8 ft mill & 40 ft tower, used for pumping water, \$4,600. Hal Garmon, Davidson 704-363-6059.

Perkins diesel 60kw generator, approx. 138 hrs. run time, mostly test hrs., incl. transfer switch, \$12,000. Kenny Powers, Statesville 704-881-4337.

Rail fencing, saw split poplar rails, \$6/ea.; 2 hole locust line post, \$9/ea.; others avail. Eddie Moretz, Deep Gap 828-963-0883.

Metal sheeting, 3 ft wide x 12 & 16 ft long, no rust, \$10/sheet; 36 in. box fans, 220 volt, \$100/ea.; other items avail. Rayburn Howard, Pink Hill 910-282-8564.

Complete sweet potato packing line, 4x4 single bin dump, 8x4 that dumps 4x4 & 8x4 bins, debris/trash removal conveyor belt, wash tank, brushes, water sprayer, eliminator, inspection table, etc., \$76,000. Louie Bodenhamer, Rowland 910-422-8118.

Old tobacco stick cutter, cast iron, must pick up, \$2,000. Lacy Shepherd, Rockingham 910-434-4361.

Steelmaster type #S metal building, 120 ft long x 48 ft wide x 20 ft high in middle, open ends, still in crate, NC, \$26,000. R.G. Hammonds, Lumberton 910-734-2991.

FARM SUPPLIES

Cattle head gate, manually operated, \$275. Larry McNeill, Robbins 910-639-1979.

Old farm tools, hand scythes, hand corn sheller, hand grist mill, 2 man cross cut saws & more, \$1 obo. John Kalwitz, Cameron 919-935-9797.

Metal T fence posts, 5 ft, LNC, \$3. Scottie McFarland, Rougemont 919-210-5127.

Martin gourds, apple gourds & gourds for crafts, good selection, \$1.25 & up. Glenn McElveen, Garner 919-772-2785.

Fuel storage tanks, one corrosion resistant, can be used underground or above ground, \$10,000; one made of steel w/corrosion on each end, \$3,500; bull dozer tracks for D4 Intl., 50-60 %, \$1,500/pair. Robert Humbles Jr., Ayden 252-746-6838.



Supplies Wanted

Woven wire unroller/stretcher, 3 pt. Clarence Reynolds, Pleasant Garden 336-685-4722.

Calf hutches, gently used. Paula Gavitt, Casar 704-530-4205.

Apple ladders, harvest bags, wooden crates, Planet Jr. wheel hoes & seeders. Ben Shields, Pittsboro 919-417-0705.

Old tobacco baskets, GC. Ralph Odaniel, Chapel Hill 919-636-2393.



Trucks & Trailers For Sale

1990 Silverado 1500, 350 eng., runs good, auto. trans., 4wd, GC, \$3,000. James Sholar, Wallace 910-305-1915.

HD farm trailer, 6x14, tandem, metal floor & loading ramps, \$2,000/trade for 16 ft Airstream travel trailer. Larry Loving, Washington 252-945-4733.

Trailer, 7x14 ft, \$300. James Whitley, Concord 704-782-5762.

Gooseneck equip. trailer, 24 ft, adj. dovetail, 8 lug, 14K axles, stake pockets, GC, \$2,850 OBO. Carl Yarborough, Broadway 919-770-1788.

Outside dual tires & rims w/clamps, 9 hole lug pattern, size 18-4-38, FC, \$900/set. Melvin Holt, Chapel Hill 919-914-4044.

1976 Chevy 1500, 4x4, new tires, \$1,500. Lonnie Beal, Bear Creek 919-837-2220.

Trailer, 11x3 1/2 ft, metal frame, 2 in. ball, \$145. Bob Herndon, Liberty 336-622-1199.

Utility bins to fit 8 ft Ford 1 ton truck bed, 4 doors/side, 5 stage boom in center of bed, can be used to pick up hay bales, \$2,000 OBO. Bill Jaymes, Forest City 828-305-4269.

Hay trailer, all steel, 8x23 ft, 2+ ball hitch, 3 axles, carries 15 large bales, \$1,700. F.D. Rivenbark Willard 910-540-7161.

Ford F150, long bed, towing pkg., 17K mi., LNC, \$14,000. Bill Shore, Clemmons 336-778-9321.

2004 GMC Duramax 9500, 16 ft dump, \$15,500; 1999 F350 service truck, \$6,500; 2000 F350 service truck, \$5,500; 2001 F450 service truck, \$4,500. Don Brooks, Albemarle 704-213-1145.

Cattle feed trailers, 20 ft, silage/hay, \$1,000/ea. B.J. Johnson, N. Wilkesboro 336-984-6121.

1971 Ford F-600 dump truck, 330 eng., 14 ft Miller dump, \$1,500 obo. Dave Blackwood, Greensboro 336-317-0831.

TRUCKS & TRAILERS

2017 Calico 16ft stock trailer, \$4,895. YD Saul, Burlington 336-227-1229.

1985 Ford F250, 3/4 ton, 6 cyl., 135K mi., needs head gasket & front caliper repairs, \$650; starter motor & radiator for 1985 Ford F250, NC, \$100. William Kelley, Charlotte 704-616-9175.

2001 Dodge, 4wd, barn kept, red/silver, 51,000 mi., EC, factory tow pack., new brakes & tires, loaded, nice quad cab, \$7,500. Danny Propst, Walkertown 336-466-5926.

2004 Chevy Silverado crew cab 1500 Z-71, well-maintained, good work vehicle, 192K mi., GC, \$7,500 obo. Bobby Miller, Winston-Salem 336-362-3342.

2017 enclosed trailer, 6x12 w/v nose, less than 500 mi., rear ramp/door, side door, finished inside w/light, LED lighting, \$2,550. Don Duran, Asheboro 336-381-3175.

1986 Chevy, 3/4 ton, 6.2 diesel, crew cab, gooseneck & bumper hitches, toolbox, bedliner, well maintained, \$4,300. Harold Wright, Liberty 336-675-5011.

1987 Ford Ranger, 4wd, GC, \$1,500. Glenn Jones, Winston-Salem 336-817-4325.

2-185/70 R14 mounted on Ford 5 stud hole rims, LNC, \$100; 2-175/70 R13 mounted on Ford 5 stud hole rims, NC, \$130; 50 gal. fuel tank, alum., off 2001 Mack, tank mfg. by Borg Warner, \$275. Eileen Hallamore, Norwood 704-474-0307.

1990 Int'l truck w/welder, boom crane, torch set, welding shop on wheels, 500 mi. on motor, runs good, \$7,000. Cindy Cook, Jacksonville 910-347-0051.

1972 Ford F350 dump truck w/approx. 58K mi., runs & drives, needs tires, \$2,500. Kevin Burroughs, Mt. Gilead 910-439-5137.

Bame 8x18 trailer, 7 ton, HD, \$2,800. L. Dunlap, Robbins 910-948-2680.



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1995-2000 tandem dump/day cab tractor, Detor Cumm., 300 hp. Carl Yarborough, Broadway 919-770-1788.

Chevy Luv truck. Bill Jaymes, Forest City 828-305-4269.

Gooseneck equip. trailer w/dovetail & ramps, 24-25 ft, gvwr 16,000 lbs or under, GC. Rick Dailey, Burlington 336-538-1312.

30 ft tandem dual gooseneck trailer, 25&5 w/ramps, 32 ft will be ok. Doug Mills, Wingate 704-221-0833.

Older model 1 ton dump truck. in GC. Larry Sanders, Troy 910-576-4701 or 220-2480.

1989 Chevy truck hood, no dents, rust free, can be any yr. that fits; burgundy bench seat from Astro van, 55/56 in. wide, clean good cloth, \$50. Robert Burns, Holly Springs 919-552-6420.

Read more on ag

To keep up with the latest on the N.C. Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, check out the department's blog at www.ncagr.gov/blog, where you can also find social media links.

Incidences of skimmers at gas pumps on the rise

Identity theft is a growing problem, affecting both consumers and businesses. In the last year, there has been an increasing number of reports in North Carolina of skimming devices being found inside of fuel dispensers to collect the credit and debit card numbers of unsuspecting consumers.

Inspectors with the NCDA&CS Standards Division are checking dispensers for the presence of these skimmers by request, complaint and during routine gas pump inspections. The division has recently launched an effort to get station owners and operators to also be involved in looking out for skimming devices.

“Our inspectors are at gas stations across the state checking gas pumps for accuracy in pricing and gallons sold, as well as fuel quality,” said Stephen Benjamin, director of the Stan-

dards Division. “Inspectors have just included this as part of their normal inspection routine.”

The department has found 25 skimming devices since April 2016. That number can be a little misleading. How a skimmer works is it is placed inside a gas pump and records a consumer’s credit card information. It can take as little as 30 seconds to install a skimmer. After placing the device in the machine, the thief must return later to retrieve the device. Sometimes it may be weeks or even months before stolen credit card numbers are used. Which means that a skimmer is sometimes long gone by the time a consumer suspects fraud.

“We have sent out letters to gas station managers encouraging them to take action to help prevent thieves from targeting their pumps or dispensers,” said Benjamin. “These actions include tamper evident security tape, locks



An NCDA&CS Standards Division inspector checks a gas pump for a credit card skimmer.

on the gas pumps and electronic alarms.” If stations find a skimming device, they are encouraged to notify local law enforcement

and the U.S. Secret Service agent working with us.

Unfortunately for consumers, it is difficult to tell by looking at

a pump that it’s been tampered with. But there are a few steps consumers can take:

If the panel where you swipe the credit card has security tape across the seam of the door, report a broken tape to the clerk. It does not mean a skimmer is present; it could have been broken when new receipt paper was put in, during maintenance, or by another customer.

Be observant. If you see someone with a panel open, please tell the clerk.

Watch your credit card bill for unauthorized charges.

Finally, do not use a debit card, the skimmer will get both your account number and your PIN.

Contact the Standards Division at 919-707-3225 to report issues involving inaccurate readings for gas pumps, fuel quality or if you suspect a skimmer at a pump.

To keep up with the latest NCDA&CS news, follow the N.C. Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services on Facebook or on Twitter @NCAgriculture.

Bucolic briefs

Research stations across the state are hosting the following field days:

- Aug. 2: Blacklands Farm Managers Tour at Green Valley Farms in Columbia.
- Aug. 3: Apple Field Day at Mountain Horticultural Crops Research and Extension Center in Mills River. Contact Jeff Chandler, 828-684-3562.
- Aug. 9: Turfgrass Field Day at Lake Wheeler Road Field Lab in Raleigh. Contact Rick Brandenburg, 919-515-8876.
- Aug. 10: Tomato Field Day at the Mountain Horticultural Crops Research and Extension Center in Mills River. Contact Jeff Chandler, 828-684-3562.
- Aug. 11: Angus Association Summer Field Day at the Beef Cattle Education Unit in Raleigh. RSVP to 336-599-8750.
- Sept. 7: Peanut Field Day at the Peanut Belt Research Station in Lewiston-Woodville. Contact David Jordan, 919-515-4068.
- Sept. 12: SE Peanut Field Day at the Border Belt Research Station in Whiteville. Contact David Jordan, 919-515-4068.
- Sept. 13: Bio Energy Field Day at the Mountain Horticultural Crops Research and Extension Center in Mills River. Contact Allison Medlin, 919-693-2483.
- Oct. 28: Beef Cattle Field Day at the Upper Piedmont Research Station in Reidsville. Contact Joe French, 336-349-8347.
- Nov. 28: Poinsettia Field Day at the Horticultural Field Lab in Raleigh. Contact John Dole, 919-515-2614.

The election of pork producer delegate candidates for the 2018 National Pork Producers (Pork Act) Delegate Body will take place at 1 p.m., Aug. 2, in conjunction with a N.C. Pork Council board of directors meeting at the N.C. State University Club in Raleigh.

Any producer, over the age 18 or older, who is a resident of the state and has paid all assessments due may be considered as a delegate candidate and can participate in the election. Eligible producers are encouraged to bring a sales receipt proving that hogs were sold in their name and the checkoff deducted. For more information, contact the N.C. Pork Council, at 919-781-0361, 2300 Rexwoods Drive, Suite 340, Raleigh, 27607.

The Leonard-Mobley Small Farms Fund is seeking farmers in Chatham, Durham, Franklin, Granville, Halifax, Nash, Person, Vance, Wake, Warren and Wilson counties, including women in agriculture, to apply for a \$5,000 grant to assist with projects such as development or expansion of new sources of agricultural income on their farm. Grant applications are due by July 15. The grant will be awarded Sept. 10 at the 4th Annual “Dinner in the Meadow” farm-to-fork feast held at Meadow Lane Farm near Louisburg. The dinner showcases local foods prepared by 10 North Carolina chefs. For additional information, please contact Ranell Bridges, board member, at 919-495-1305 or email, lmsmallfarmfund@gmail.com. More information on the grant and the dinner can be found online at www.DinnerintheMeadow.org. The fund was set up in memory of two farm family members, with proceeds from the dinner and silent auction benefiting the fund. Tickets for the dinner can be purchased at the website.

The Equestrian Exchange Tack Consignment Fall Sale will be held Aug. 31- Sept 4, 2017 at the Holshouser Building, N.C. State Fairgrounds in Raleigh. Buy and consign anything related to the equestrian sport, tack, show clothing for all disciplines of riding, including barn supplies and other animal items. Horse Trailer to sell - Representation fee only. Bar code tagging through the website allows consignors to view sales from home. Consignors drop off items Aug.29 from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. and Aug. 30 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. A special premier shopping night Aug. 31 from 5 to 10 p.m. is open to the public. Cost is \$10 cash or free for ages 12 and under. Free admission shopping is Aug. 31 to Sept. 3 from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. and Sept. 4 from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Some items will be discounted in half on the final day of sales. Consignors need to pick up unsold items Sept. 6 from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Consignors earn 75 percent. Unsold items can be donated to N.C. nonprofit equestrian organizations. Volunteers are needed and shop before consignors. Consignors shop before public. For more details, go to www.EquestrianExchange.com or contact Lynn Beeson at 336-362-6248 or Tanya Wright at 540-977-1950.

The N.C. Simmental Association Fall Harvest Sale will be held Sept. 2 at noon at the Shuffler Sale Facility in Union Grove. Selling embryos, bulls, cow/calf pairs and heifers with Simmental and SimAngus genetics. For more information, contact the NCSA at 336-468-1679 or email at nca@yadtel.net. A sale catalogue is available online at www.ncsimmental.com.

The 45th Annual Lincoln County Apple Festival will be Sept. 16 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Main Street in Lincolnton. The festival is held Sept. 16 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Lincolnton and features regional crafts, food, music, kids’ activities and local apples. For more information, contact Carole Howell, 2017 festival coordinator, at 704-530-4636 or go to www.LicolnCountyAppleFestival.com.

As a way to help farmers and agricultural workers stay safe at work, the N.C. Department of Labor offers safety videos on a variety of topics through its YouTube channel. Video topics include: preventing green tobacco sickness, hazard communication, tobacco harvester safety, heat stress, migrant housing requirements, forklift safety, and information about the NCDOL’s Gold Star Growers program. The videos are in English and Spanish to increase understanding of safety hazards and preventing accidents. To learn more about the NCDOL and the Agricultural Safety and Health Bureau, go to www.nclabor.com or call 1-800-NC-LABOR (800-625-2267). NCDOL is also on Facebook and Twitter (@NCDOL).

Beekeepers with bees for rent and growers interested in bee pollination services can post their information on the BeeLinked website at www.ncagr.com/beelinked. The site is hosted by the N.C. Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services and the N.C. State University Apiculture Program. Anyone interested in listing their information can do so by filling out an online Submit Your Ad form on the BeeLinked page or by contacting NCDA&CS at 919-233-8214 or by email at NCHoneybee@ncagr.gov or call NCSU at 919-515-1660. The NCDA&CS Plant Industry Division regulates the movement of agricultural or related items capable of spreading harmful insects, diseases, and other pests. Beekeepers participating in this program will be required to comply with all honey and bee industry regulations.

The N.C. Ag Finance Authority provides credit to agriculture in areas where financing is not available at reasonable rates and terms. The agency originates, services and finances farm loans, rural business loans, disaster loans and cotton gin loans. It also offers tax-exempt ag development bonds for agribusiness processing, ag-related manufacturing or ag waste disposal. For more about Ag Finance Authority programs or to request a loan application, call 919-790-3949 or email at RequestLoanInfo@ncagr.gov.
