

FARM-CITY WEEK HIGHLIGHTS FARMERS EFFORTS TO SAFELY GROW FOOD

By Debra Davis
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As Alabama families prepare for their Thanksgiving meals later this month, hundreds of students, farmers and business leaders will come together to celebrate the Farm-City relationships that bring food to the table.

First observed in 1955, National Farm-City Week begins the Friday before Thanksgiving and seeks to foster understanding and cooperation among rural and urban residents. This year, Alabama's Farm-City theme is "Grown Safely. Extra Tasty."

"As farmers increase production and improve efficiency to meet the growing demand for food, consumers



FARM-CITY

often are bombarded with questions about the safety of modern farming," said Alabama Farm-City Committee Chairman Jeff Helms. "This year's theme will give Farm-City committees and students a chance to counter misinformation by showcasing the safety of our food supply and discussing how it impacts the security of our nation."

County Farm-City Week events include farm tours, banquets, business breakfasts and festivals. Two of the most popular activities are the Farm-City poster and essay

contests. Each year, thousands of budding artists in grades K-6 depict the theme on poster board. Winning entries from each county go on to compete at the state level for cash prizes sponsored by Alabama Farmers Cooperative. The top 14 posters also appear in the Alabama Farm-City calendar. Meanwhile, the essay contest gives young writers in grades 7-12 the opportunity to showcase their creativity.

This year, the Alabama Farm-City Committee added a new student competition. The Multimedia Contest is open to

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Division Focus

*A Look at How the Department
Protects and Serves Alabama
Farmers and Consumers*



Enjoying the Alabama Spotlight tent at the Expo are, from left to right, Florida Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services Commissioner Adam Putnam, Alabama Department of Agriculture & Industries Commissioner John McMillan and Alabama Governor Robert Bentley.

Alabama Shines as Sunbelt Ag Expo's Spotlight State

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Thousands of visitors to North America's premier farm show received a taste of Alabama when they visited the Spotlight State tent at the 35th annual Sunbelt Agriculture Expo in Moultrie, Ga. on Oct. 16-18.

"Well Grounded - Alabama Agriculture" was the theme for Alabama's tent, which featured farm and food products grown and manufactured in the state. Agriculture organizations and agencies from throughout Alabama joined forces to put on what Expo officials said was one of the best spotlight

tents in the show's history.

"The Alabama Spotlight State tent was a big hit," said Expo Marketing Director Gina McDonald. "Everyone was talking about how beautiful the outside of the tent was with the giant sod display of the state, grown by Beck's Turf Farm, surrounded by thousands of beautiful flowers grown by Bonnie Plants. All of the plants were grown in Alabama."

Once inside, visitors found entertainment, as well as an array of giant flat-screen TVs featuring Alabama farm scenes and agricultural facts. One of the most popular attractions at Expo was the

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AQUACULTURE

Threadfin Shad \$.15/up; Bluegills, Copernose \$.20/up; Grass carp \$4/up; Catfish foodfish \$1.50/lb.; Tigerbass \$1/up. Barry Bates, Co. Rd. 26, Faunsdale 36738 205/361-9863 (Hale)
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 Bass \$.85/up; Bream \$.25/up; Grass carp \$4/up; Shiners and fathead minnows \$8.50/lb.; Crappie \$.75/up; lake shocking and liming; lake design and construction. Steve Brown 445 Co Rd 55, Moundville 35474 205/371-4494 (Hale)
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 Black Angus and Sim-Angus bulls, 15-19 mos., \$2,200 w/semen check, delivery available. Jeff James 196 Rabbit Rd., Brent 35034 205/926-7521 (Bibb)
 Purebred Brahman bull calves, red and grey, gentle, none better, visitors welcome, \$1,000/up. Ben Caldwell 334/566-0607 (Pike)
 Reg. horned full blood Limousin open heifer born 7/21/11, EPDs-BW: 42, WW: 50, YW: 79, MA: 26, \$1,600, delivery available. Nancy R. Webb 240 Co Rd 168, Scottsboro 35768 256/599-5945 (Jackson)
 3 yo Beefmaster cows, some w/papers, reds, paints, \$950/up; BBU Reg. Captain Sugar grandson, 18 mos. \$1,250, when I'm through w/him. Reggie Davis 205/647-2727 (Blount)
 Polled Hereford heifers, bred to LBW Angus bull, \$1,500/up; Polled Hereford bulls, gentle, fertile, EZ keeping. Ken McMillan DrKen@PellCityVets.com 205/405-0068 (Talladega)
 Black Angus bulls, 12-14 mos., \$900 ea. Gerald R. Warren 86922 Tallassee Hwy., Tallassee 36078 334/283-5896 (Elmore)
 Reg. Brangus bulls and heifers, 7 mos/up, \$1,000/up. Levon Enzor 4126 Perdue Hill Rd., Frisco City 36445 251/282-0553 or 251/267-3996 (Monroe)

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Santa Gertrudis bulls, reg., gentle, polled or horned, service age \$2,300, 20 mos. \$1,800; 8 mos. \$1,200. Free ballcap and Star5 info. Betty Kelso-Clough 85 Jackson Cove, Somerville 35670 256/778-7362 or 256/566-7878 (Morgan)
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 Miniature cows (Zebu) \$200/up. Charles F. Morrow 22135 Bucksville Rd., McCalla 35111 205/999-2812 (Tuscaloosa)
 Cow Angus Brangus cross, big, great shape, 1,500 lbs., gentle, quiet, Bangs tag, estimated age 5 yo, email for pictures rebranger@bellsouth.net, \$1,500. Ed Hood 4610 Meridian St. Huntsville 35811 256/859-1811 www.3hstables.com (Madison)
 Reg. Angus bulls, 15-18 mos, exc. EPDs, LBW, bloodlines Traveler, New Day, Rito Thunder, \$1,800 to \$2,000, hand fed, gentle. Robert McHugh 307 Pope Ave., Steele 35987 256/490-3940 (St. Clair)
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 2 Beefmaster bulls, one born June 22, 2012 and one July 8, 2012, ready late December 2012, \$700 ea. Len Troman 254 Troman Ln., Attalla 256/490-8851 or 256/538-9878 (Etowah)
 Reg. Angus bulls, 20 mos., good bloodlines, EPDs, docile, \$2,250. Sammy Crow 247 Holladay Rd., Danville 35619 256/612-0778. (Morgan)
 Polled Hereford heifers, 15 mos., \$6,900 group of 6; Polled Hereford bulls, 17-19 mos., \$2,000 ea.; Reg. breeding stock, exc. pedigrees & EPDs. Jim & Lynda Lowery 5320 Co Rd 36, Heflin 36264 256/253-2445 (Cleburne)
 Limousin, Angus and Lim-Flex bulls & heifers, \$1,250/up, semen & embryos, red, black & homo black and homo polled, www.chrlimousin.com. Bill Helton 3733 Co Rd 1212, Vinemont 256/962-0256 (Cullman)
 Black Angus bulls, 10 mos., \$1,250-\$1,550. David J. Whitt 692 Mt. Sinai Rd., Horton 35980 256/878-1602 (Marshall)

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Black Angus heifers, \$900/up; Angus bulls \$1,000/up; Reg. Angus bulls \$1,500/up; LBW, exc. bloodlines, great selection, good milkers. Earl Woodard 318 Faust Rd., Blountsville 35031 205/429-2883 (Blount)
 Reg. Sim-Angus bulls, 12-15 mos., \$1,500-\$2,000 ea. Chris Lipscomb 7805 Owls Hollow Rd., Gadsden 35901 256/312-6358 (Etowah)
 Reg. Charolais bulls, A.I. sired, 1-3 yo, Fire Water, Gridmaker, Platinum, Long bodied, heavy muscles, calving ease, good EPDs, very gentle, \$1,500/up. Billy W. Gilley 135 Co Rd 1684, Holly Pond 35083 256/796-7801 or 256/708-4700 (Cullman)
 Sim-Angus bulls, 12-14 mos., good dispositions, starting at \$1,200. 256/874-4667 or 256/232-0512 (Limestone)
 Reg. top quality Charolais bulls, 12-24 mos., LBW, big, thick, meaty and ready to work, also yearling bulls, \$3,000-\$3,500. www.frankellis.com Frank Ellis 250 Ellis Rd., Letohatchee 36047 334/227-4856 or 334/315-8927 (Lowndes)
 Angus bulls, also some Angus X Hereford F1 cross, most A.I. sired, Bismarck, TC Total, Final Answer, \$1,800/up, some heifers available. Glenn Fuller 256/329-9544 (Tallapoosa)
 Want black calves out of red cows? You bet you do! Make it happen w/Limousin homozygous black double polled bulls, \$1,500/up. 205/456-1468 (Blount)
 Brangus bulls, A.I. sired by Brexton, \$1,750. 256/996-9162 (DeKalb)
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 Reg. polled Charolais bull, 19 mos., \$1,800; 2 heifers, 19 mos., polled, \$1,500 ea., LBW, Gridmaker breeding, gentle. Glenn L. Biddle 1407 Union Chapel Rd., Union Grove 35175 256/753-6622 (Marshall)
 Polled Jersey bull, \$700. Juan C. Lopez 545 Davidson Dr., Locust Fork 35097 205/718-9111 (Blount)
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6 large white Geese, spring hatch, \$25 ea. rutie10@hotmail.com. James Smith, Anderson 256/247-6528 (Lauderdale)
 Flight conditioned Bobwhite Quail \$3.30/bird; Dressed Bobwhite Quail \$3.75/bird. Micah McLaughlin 32 McLaughlin Ln., Westover 35147 205/678-7458 (Shelby)
 Serama Bantam, new to USA 2001, check them out on the Internet, breeding or show birds, \$50/pair. Ricky McCord 8345 Bradley Rd., Wetumpka 36092 334/567-5815 (Elmore)
 50-60 crossbred chickens, 7 mos., multi-colored from black Sexlinks, some pullets, make offer, take all. Rutie10@hotmail.com. James Smith, Anderson 256/247-6528 (Lauderdale)
 Absolutely gorgeous and healthy Peacocks, \$75/up, various colors; also Royal Palm Turkeys \$35. Candi Whitman 706/326-2812 (Lee)
 White Cornish Bantams, spring hatch, about 15 birds, \$5 ea. or cheaper if buy all. B.D. Howell 256/237-6922 (Calhoun)
 5 Black Sexlink hens, 1 rooster, 17 mos., brown egg layers, \$50. Rutie10@hotmail.com James Smith, Anderson 256/247-6528 (Lauderdale)

CHRISTMAS TREES

Virginia Pines \$25/up; Fraser Firs \$50/up; tree accessories \$2/up; gifts \$5/up; open Nov. 23rd Fri-Sun., located off Hwy 31 behind Thorsby School. Ginger Duncan www.neelyfarmchristmastrees.homestead.com 205/389-1831 or 205/688-1826 (Chilton)

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On the Cover—K-3rd Grade Division 1st Place winner of the State Farm-City Poster contest drawing by McKenna Myrick, a third grade student at Oak Grove Elementary in Jefferson County (right). 4th-6th Grade Division 1st Place winner drawing by Stephen Aldridge, a fifth grade student at Newton Elementary in Dale County (left).

EGG & POULTRY

190 Bobwhite Quail, \$4/bird. Mark McDaniel 205/367-2276 or 662/889-2078 leave message (Pickens)

Chickens, bantams and regular size, prices range from \$7 to \$12 ea. 205/678-9465 (Shelby)

5 young guineas, 3 mos., \$7 ea. rutie10@hotmail.com James Smith, Anderson 256/247-6528 (Lauderdale)

Bobwhite Quail, flight pen raised, \$3.75-\$4 ea., minimum order 100. Bryan Welch 334/872-5362 (Autauga)

FARMS: FOR RENT, SALE WANTED

FARMS FOR SALE

133.5 ac. cow pastures, hay fields, 3 ponds, barns, feed bins, silo, road frontage, \$4,000/ac. Dennis & Yvonne Newbern 256/561-5935 or 256/557-8613 (DeKalb)

33.3 ac., 14 miles north of Wetumpka, 600' road frontage, large timber, good building sites, county water available, \$114,500. 334/315-2910 (Elmore)

Poultry farm, two 36x400 broiler-type chicken houses, equipment needs update, plus 30 ac. mountainside, \$15,000 timber, plus 1 BR mobile and 2 barns, \$98,000. 7087 Sand Valley Rd., Attalla 256/524-7739 (Etowah)

13.40 ac., Hwy 75 N. (four lanes) and Merville Rd., hay field and woodlands, certain covenants apply, \$55,000. 215 Thrash Ln., Guntersville 35976 256/891-1398 (Marshall)

60 ac., 5 BR, 2 1/2 BA farm house, 2 barns, 150' utility barn in Wadley area, \$170,000. Buck Norred 8384 Co Rd 258, Roanoke 36274 334/863-5910 (Randolph)

Approx. 41.6 ac, 2,760 facing March Rd., power, water, 5 miles to I-10 exchange, approx. 25 ac. timber, 16 ac. pasture, row crop, home site, reduced \$287,000. 251/649-2551 (Baldwin)

42 ac. north Baldwin, 723' road frontage, small pond, hay field, approx. 20 ac. in cultivation, public water, \$252,000. Arlene Stewart 251/937-3610 (Baldwin)

SW Winston Co. 71 ac. +/-, 30 ac. in pine, the rest is cut over, 4 ponds, good hunting & fishing, \$1,650/ac. OBO. 256/509-2379 (Morgan)

7.46 ac. farm on Co. Rd 73, one mile out of Montevallo, farmhouse, barn, shop, two car garage, sale \$80,000 or \$525/mo. rent 205/250-0036 (Chilton)

44 ac. all fenced, creek, approx. 30 ac. cleared, remaining hardwoods, beautiful home site, Co Rd 628, Woodland school district, \$2,500/ac. 334/863-6629 (Randolph)

Per recent survey, there are 20.83 ac. located on Hurricane Creek, Hwy 11, Red Bay, land was planted w/pine trees in 1992 and thinned last year, asking \$35,000 OBO. Eddie Holland 662/652-3640 or Ken Holland 251/709-9759 (Franklin)

101 ac. fenced x fenced, 20 ac. cleared, 30 yo pines, hardwood, shooting houses, 14x70 trailer, 2 barns, Hwy 5, Hiebarger, \$1,650/ac. 205/668-9009 (Shelby)

77 ac. hay fields, hardwoods, power, home sites, pond site, exc. hunting, fenced x fenced, more acres available, owner may finance, \$3,000/ac. 334/672-1595 (Pike)

FARMS WANTED

Rent pasture/farm land in western Pike, eastern Crenshaw, south Montgomery counties, large tracts preferred but all considered. P.O. Box 172, Goshen 36035 334/484-3599 (Pike)

FARM LABOR AVAILABLE

All types fencing, barn building & repair, catch pens and more. All work guaranteed. Jeff McDonald 256/527-0808 (Morgan)

Farm fencing installed and repaired, chain link, barbed wire, electric, field fence, hi-tensile, references available, all calls returned, will travel. Rick Neves 256/747-3301 (Cullman)

FARM LABOR AVAILABLE

Custom fences and cattle working facilities built. Will build any type of fence: board, barbed, hogwire, electric, hi-tensile, horse, wildlife, vinyl. Dave Blanton 15780 U.S. Hwy 80 E., Opelika 36804 334/724-9445 (Lee)

HAY & FEEDING GRAIN

Hay \$25/roll. Jeff Carpenter, Ashland 256/618-2731 or leave message at 256/354-3471 (Clay)

4x5 rolls Bermuda hay, baled 9/15/12, well fertilized and sprayed for weeds, net wrapped, barn stored, no rain, \$40/roll. David Allred 233 Allred Dr., Blountsville 35031 205/466-7063 (Blount)

4x5 rolls mixed grass, in the barn, never wet, \$35 ea., will load. Leonard Mayfield 1779 Holly Hills Rd., Lincoln 35096 205/763-7592 or 256/453-7688 (Talladega)

2012 Bahia hay 4x5 rolls, \$25/roll. Tom Clegg 205/364-7343 (Pickens)

4x4 rolls Bahia hay \$20 ea.; 4x5 rolls Bahia hay \$30 ea. 205/717-4326 (Walker)

4x5 rolls, barn stored, net or twine wrapped, cattle hay \$25, horse hay \$35, call for large quantity price. Roger Yates 256/538-2385 or 256/295-1049 (Etowah)

Bahia & Russell Bermuda sq. bales, fertilized, barn stored, 50-60 lbs., \$4.50-barn; \$5.50 delivered within 50 miles. Marlin Harris 334/365-8250 (night) or 334/328-2377 (Autauga)

Russell Bermuda 4x5 rolls, fertilized, sprayed for weeds, \$40/roll. 256/603-2917 (Calhoun)

Sq. bales Bahia, 150 bales, feed, mullet, \$3.50/bale. James S. Colburn Jr. 15981 Hwy 219, Selma 36701 334/872-3688 (Perry)

Hay round bales 5x6, \$35/bale, we load. 5138 Co Rd 51, Faunsdale 36738 334/289-1295 (Marengo)

Goat hay, 4x5 rolls, 11 rolls \$26 ea.; Horse/cattle mixed grass, 4x5 rolls, \$25 ea., barn stored. 256/303-0893 (Lawrence)

4x5 Rye & Bahia grass hay, net wrapped rolls \$35; 4x5.5 mixed grass net wrapped rolls, \$40. James Seale 8952 Forest Home Rd., Forest Home 36030 334/346-2330 (Butler)

Peanut hay for sale, taking orders, 4x5 rolls, net wrapped, delivery available, discount for large orders, \$45/roll. Susan Raybon 7201 Anna Rose Dr., Montgomery 36117 334/224-1378 (Montgomery)

4x5 rolls net wrap, \$40/roll, delivery available. Joe Womble 3474 Crenshaw Rd., Wetumpka 36092 334/391-0588 (Elmore)

Sq. bales of hay, horse quality feed and mulch/Halloween, \$3 mulch and \$4 feed hay. Chase Ramsey 1906 Bullard Rd. 205/613-4432 (Blount)

Tifton 44 & Crabgrass mix, net wrapped, 60 rolls baled this Aug., buy all \$10 ea. 256/538-2385 or 256/295-1049 (Etowah)

4x5 rolls of mixed grasses - Bahia, Bermuda, Dallis and Orchard grass, tight, heavy, well fertilized and sprayed for weed control, this year's cutting, barn stored, \$32/roll. Charlie Davis, Springville 205/999-5844 (St. Clair)

5x5 rolls Bahia/Bermuda mix, fertilized, limed, \$40 in barn per bale, \$37.50 outside per bale. 205/487-6190 (Fayette)

2012 Net wrapped 5'x5' rolls of Costal and costal mix, \$30/roll loaded. Neil Sutton 4690 Hwy 51 S., Ariton 36311 334/685-3169 (Barbour)

Coastal Bahia Fescue - Clover 4x5, 1,000# bales, \$30 to \$55; sq. bales Coastal \$5.50, delivery available. Charles Mitchell 6299 Lee Rd 188, Auburn 36832 334/887-2255 (Lee)

Hay 4x5' rolls, mixed grass, baled Sept. 2012, \$30/roll. Ralph A. Smith 108 Stewart St., Albertville 35951 256/878-1217 (Marshall)

Round bales, 4'x5' for sale, asking \$30/roll, Bahia and Costal mix. Wes Sanford 334/657-8653 (Elmore)

Bermuda sq. bales, sprayed and fertilized, \$5/bale. 1900 Co Rd 1678, Cullman 35058 256/796-6925 (Cullman)

HAY & FEEDING GRAIN

5x5 rolls, tight, heavy mixed grass, Bermuda, Bahia, stored in barn, \$65/up, weigh 1,400+ lbs., delivery available. Roena Burns 14945 Sipsey Valley Rd. S., Ralph 35480 205/345-7427 (Tuscaloosa)

Sq. bales \$5.50 ea., round bales Bahia or Rye \$35 ea. John 251/964-4538 or 251/424-8011 (Baldwin)

4x5 net wrap mixed grass Bermuda & Fescue, inside \$35, outside on pallets \$30, will load. C.E. Garmon 1620 Rice Mill Chavers Rd., Albertville 35951-8102 256/891-2557 (Marshall)

5x5 rolls mixed grass, \$30 in barn, outside hay \$20, sq. bales \$3 & \$4. Donald Mulvehill 8224 Mulvehill Rd., Morris 35116 205/647-9855 (Jefferson)

2012 5x5 new wrapped Coastal and Coastal mixed, fertilized and irrigated, \$30/roll. Greg Faulk 334/674-1152 or Charles Faulk 334/674-0608 (Barbour)

2012 Crop mixed grass hay, 4x5 rolls, barn stored, fertilized, you haul \$25/roll, leave message. 205/367-8336 or 662/803-0230 (Pickens)

5x5 net wrap Coastal Bermuda \$40/roll/barn; Coastal Bermuda sq. bales \$4/bale/barn; 5x5 net wrap Fescue/Orchard/Bermuda grass \$30/roll/field. Anthony Whitmore 256/557-0177 (DeKalb)

Hay picked up in field \$20/roll, minimum 10 bale purchase. 256/538-3825 (Etowah)

4/5 rolls hay \$40/roll. J.V. Richards 111 Hillton Dr., Cleveland 35049 205/516-1709 or 205/559-3317 (Blount)

Hay round \$30; sq. bales \$4 & \$5/bale, multi-bale discount. 256/538-3825 (Etowah)

Alfalfa sq. bale hay \$8/bale. 9395 AL Hwy 79, Scottsboro 35768 256/574-1563 (Jackson)

Alfalfa hay, western & northern grown, \$13.50/up; Rabbit hay available, Orchard, Timothy & Alfalfa mix \$7.50, 20 minimum, quantity discount 100 bales or more; also have Bermuda sq. bales. J. Beard 7343 Pinewood Dr., Trussville 35173 205/296-3461 (Jefferson)

50# bags of feed wheat, \$11 ea. Tracy Campbell 8145 Micklewright Rd., Trussville 35173 205/296-3463 (Jefferson)

5x5 net wrapped, fertilized Tifton 9, no weeds, 50 rolls or more, \$35/roll; smaller amounts \$40/roll. Nolan Laird 334/858-3582 or 334/301-5321 (Covington)

2012 clearance sale on full size 5x5 Coastal Bermuda, premium quality hay, loaded at field \$20/roll while it lasts. Larry Monk 92 John C. Martin Rd., Clayton 36016 334/775-3239 (Barbour)

Hay 4x5+ round rolls of quality Bermuda grass, also 4x5+ round rolls of mixed grass, all grass was fertilized in the spring and again in the summer, \$25 to \$35 ea. Bruner Stockstill 64 Co Rd 4407, Brundidge 36010 334/434-0149 (Pike)

4x5 rolls hay net wrap, dry, fertilized, \$35; sq. bales \$4 Bermuda mix. David 256/740-7976 (Lauderdale)

2012 4x5 rolls of net wrapped mixed grass hay \$35/roll, can deliver. Clark Hatfield 334/361-9496 or 334/558-4052 (Autauga)

Peanut hay, round bales, \$35/bale. 334/343-0231 (Covington)

Premium horse quality Coastal Bermuda sq. \$6.75; Exc. horse quality Bahia sq. \$6.75, rolls 5x4 net wrapped \$40; tested & quality guaranteed, quantity discounts & delivery available. Tony Colafrancesco www.hayalabama.com 205/672-8116 (Shelby)

Bermuda hay, exc. quality, sq. bales, barn pickup, \$4.80/bale, delivery available extra. Jimmy Tucker 757 Tucker Rd., Odenville 35120 205/999-0778 (St. Clair)

5 1/2 x 5 large round bales Coastal Bermuda, well fertilized, \$50/roll, quantity discounts. Kenny Childree, Comer, Midway 36053 334/703-4294 (Barbour)

Reclamation/mulch hay, sq. and round, \$3.50/up. Eddie J. Pruden 4836 Freewill Dr., Quinton 35130 205/674-5402 (Jefferson)

Wheat straw \$3/bale; Round bales \$40; Corn \$305/ton; Feed wheat \$315/ton; prices may change w/market. Mike Duke 256/362-8824 (Talladega)

HAY & FEEDING GRAIN

5x5 Tifton Bermuda \$40/roll; Mixed grass \$35; Tifton Bermuda sq. bales \$4.75; Dallis grass sq. bales \$4.50, all barn stored. Jack Booth 60 Bow Range Rd., Guntersville 35976 256/582-4308 (Marshall)

Hay \$25 for round bales, barn stored. Bill Watkins 205/999-7773 (Blount)

Horse quality sq. bales \$5, round rolls \$40, well fertilized, no weeds. Curt Brand 625 Co Rd 412, Clanton 35045 205/389-1881 (Chilton)

Russell Bermuda (500), Tifton 9 (250) at \$40 ea.; Mixed first cut Bermuda (500) at \$25 ea., 4x5 JD net wrapped, tight, well fertilized, nutritional analysis available, delivery available extra. Anne Stewart, Atmore 251/294-3060 (Escambia)

HORSES & MULES

Jack services, large boned 8 yo black w/white points, 15.2 H, easy going disposition, \$250. Joe Bullard 205/237-4871 (Blount)

Black and white saddle horse, \$1,500 OBO. James Hand 256/234-7501 (Tallapoosa)

Saddlebred 12 yo gelding, 16 H chestnut, negative Coggins, \$600; Aussie saddle \$300. Peter Moore 3675 Co Rd 522, Hanceville 35077 256/339-1336 or 256/352-2005 (Cullman)

AMHA miniature horses, herd dispersal, \$200/up, visit us at <http://users.farmerstel.com/Inlsargent/>. Levon Sargent 663 Hulsey Rd., Henagar 35978 256/657-6545 (DeKalb)

Must sell AMHA miniature horse colts and fillies, healthy and friendly, \$100. Nancy Redden 334/298-4464 (Russell)

Stud services Grey thoughtbred, 16.2H, N/R passing on his great disposition, \$250. Joe Bullard 205/237-4871 (Blount)

ADMS Reg. miniature Sicilian Burro, jack, offspring may be viewed, wonderful pet, does not chase coyotes, \$450. S.H. Settler Jr., 602 Dibble St., Tuskegee 36083 334/727-6553 or 334/727-3264 (Macon)

Miniature horses, various colors and ages, \$200/up, will hold for Christmas. Charles F. Morrow 22135 Bucksville Rd., McCalla 35111 205/999-2812 (Jefferson)

Tennessee Walking reg. mares and fillies, herd reduction, priced to sell, \$300/up. Johnny Waldrop 7458 Apple Grove Rd., Bayleyton 35019 256/586-6601 (Morgan)

Horses, AQHA, King Doc Bar bred, professionally trained, imprinted, no bad habits, sound, sane, solid, ranch kid broke, email for pictures rebranger@bellsouth.net \$500-\$2,000. 256/859-1811 (Madison)

Stud services AMHR 35" sorrel w/flaxen mane & tail, \$250. Joe Bullard, Blountsville 205/237-4871 (Blount)

Pasture horses \$100/mo., barn/stall, tack room, riding area/pin, Centaur fencing and little bit of heaven for your horse. 205/665-7992 (Chilton)

TWH reg. weanlings, yearlings, mares & geldings, all colors, \$500/up. 256/352-4006 (Cullman)

TWH 9 yo sorrel brood-mare #20304303 Gen's Silver Dollar X Dr. Elmer mare, SIF to TWH champagne stallion #20303551, LFG. never ridden, super ground manners, \$850 two-fer. Nancy Fincher 205/903-5419 (St. Clair)

Stallion services reg. Black Percheron, 17.2 H, champion bloodlines, \$250. Joe Bullard 205/237-4871 (Blount)

TWH reg. various colors, palomino, spotted, bay, cremello, blue roan; yearlings 2-3 yo, mares, geldings, some broke to ride, \$600/up. www.bkcorral.com Byron Ketcham 205/602-6954 (Shelby)

Donkeys, jennies and jacks, \$50 ea. 256/839-6965 (Tallapoosa)

Top buggy and carriage horses, standard bred, traffic broke, works anywhere, \$950; Nylon buggy harness w/breast pull \$85. Marlin Roberts 6120 Co Rd 601, Hanceville 35077 256/636-3131 or 256/352-5775 (Cullman)

Two very gentle, kid friendly gelding horses, knows barrel and pole pattern, our daughter learned pattern from these two horses, red horse \$3,000, black horse \$2,000. Chris Langley 334/864-1192 (Chambers)

HORSES & MULES

AQHA world class performance prospects, weanlings, yearlings, Peppy San Badger, High Brow Hickory, Doc Bar and Harlan bloodlines, \$1,000-\$2,500. www.frankellis.com Frank Ellis 250 Ellis Rd., Letohatchee 36047 334/227-4856 or 334/315-8927 (Lowndes)

Stallion services Dun 15 H AQHA, FQHR 95% Dun "Pocos Tommy Boy," \$250. Joe or Cindy Lee Bullard 334/379-0248 or 205/237-4871 (Blount)

Miniature mares 32" & 34" sorrel w/flaxen mane & tail, miniature donkeys, jenny & jack, born 7/18/12, both friendly, easy to handle, \$100/up. Buddy McLeroy 7715 Vanderver Rd., Quinton 35130 205/572-0177 (Walker)

Last two male miniature horses (2 yo stud & 6 yo gelding), not registered, 34" to 36", \$100. 205/542-4659 or 256/565-9110 (Jefferson)

Donkeys, jack \$75 ea., jennies \$150 ea., raised w/cattle, good for keeping dogs and coyotes away. 334/864-0424 (Chambers)

Spanish Andalusian stallion, full blood, reg. IALHA, champion bloodline, 16.2 H, grey, 11 yo, gentle, rides, proven sire, rare breed, \$3,500. Sue Embry 46180 Hwy 25, Vincent 35178 205/672-2882 (Shelby)

Old type Morgans, weanling colt \$800; weanling filly \$1,500; yearling filly \$2,000. Carol Potts 256/482-3953 (Morgan)

AQHA ranch bred and running bred horses for barrel racing events and all roping events, many trained prospects, \$2,000-\$4,000. www.blackandbluequarterhorses.com. Claude Lipscomb 251/965-3600 (Baldwin)

Mules for sale saddle and work type at different levels of training, \$500/up, call for availability. Joe or Cindy Bullard 205/237-4871 or 334/379-0248 (Blount)

LIVESTOCK DOGS

AKC Anatolian Shepherd puppies, \$625 ea., available Nov. 17, 2 females and 4 males. 256/632-6802 (DeKalb)

Australian Shepherd puppies, ASCA/AKC DNA, exc. quality, merles \$400, tris \$300; been raising them 15 years. Kerry Waters 363 Rice Circle, Enterprise klwaters@sw.rr.com 334/714-1093 or 334/393-0619 (Coffee)

Border Collie puppies, full blooded, out of working dogs, 7 weeks old, males and females, \$150, first shots and dewormed, beautiful puppies. 256/996-7507 (DeKalb)

Blue Heeler puppies, wormed and shots, tails docked, \$125. Judy Smith 6315 Eastaboga Rd., Talladega 35160 256/589-5105 or 205/359-1122 (Talladega)

Reg. Border Collies from exc. working cattle dogs, border collies w/eye & power to move livestock, pups \$350/up; training services in cattle or sheep, \$450/mo. www.valleybordercollies.com James A. Thomas 334/790-8910 (Geneva)

Border Collies puppies, champion lines from working stock, smooth and long coats, reds, tris, black & white, \$400/up, www.jlbordercollies.com. Jimmy Tolleson 545 Bright Rd., Boaz 35956 256/506-5135 (Etowah)

75% Anatolian 25% Pyrenees puppies, 2 females, 3 males, \$225 ea., available Nov. 23. 256/632-6802 (DeKalb)

MACHINERY

2011 Haybuster 2564, 66x72" used approx. 300 4-5' rolls, used on one job, \$30,000 firm. Joanna McCay 591 Co Hwy 33, Oneonta 35121 205/559-1350 or 205/559-7613 (Blount)

Arts-Way Grinder mixer \$1,500; 15' Side-winder batwing \$2,950; chisel plow, 9 shank, 13 shank, \$750, gravity wagons. 12975 Hwy 157, Florence 35633 256/764-5322 (Lauderdale)

Woodworking equipment, industrial quality, shaper \$1,750, copy lathe \$800, router rec-reater \$200, 6" joiner planer \$600 and more. Don Bennett 205/849-8248 (Jefferson)

3000 Ford tractor, gas burner, good cond., \$3,800; Ford Dexter w/rebuilt engine, \$3,800. Norman Green 1114 Stave Creek Rd., Jackson 36545 251/246-4141 (Jackson)

MACHINERY

Toughline disc wheel carrier 11', has a new cylinder and hose \$2,500 OBO. Donald Whitley 4465 Hwy 129, Fayette 35555 205/932-1947 or 205/270-6103 (Fayette)

Pallet fork \$125; 1-pt. hitch disc, 2 bottom turner, field cultivator \$550; steel trailer 5'x10' \$250; 2-row cultivator \$225. 256/308-9891 (Morgan)

JD 5' Bush Hog mower, needs clutch, fair cond., \$125. Rodney B. Little 1155 Co Rd 59, Roanoke 36274 334/863-7322 (Randolph)

Case 450 Dozer, 4 cyl. shudle shift, 4-way blade, runs good, rebuilt starter, fuel pump, new injectors, \$3,900. 515 Highland Dr., Arab 35016 256/586-3738 (Marshall)

1999 Lely Splendimo hay mower \$3,900; 55 gal. fuel tank \$200. Bob Burton 28707 Sampson Ave., Orange Beach 36561 251/747-2416 (Talladega)

Kubota 6800, 68 hp, bucket & hay spear, 2 wd, cab heat/air, shed kept, low hours, \$23,500. 205/647-1146 or 205/305-3780 (Blount)

JD 4440 tractor, 130 hp, cab/AC, AM/FM, radio, quad range, 2 wd, factory duals, front end weights, one owner, shed kept, \$20,000. (Dallas)

3-16" turning plow \$325; 3 pt. disc \$100; 5' pull disc \$75. 256/308-9891 (Morgan)

Long 910 tractor \$4,500; Case 1070 tractor \$6,500; H.D. S. Allis Chalmers loader \$4,000; Kuhn Disc mower \$2,500; Ford loader \$1,500. 205/717-4326 (Walker)

JD 320s, rebuilt motor, new head, some new parts, needs 3 tires, \$4,000 OBO. 205/210-1220 (Pickens)

Farmall Super A, very good rubber, 50 lbs. oil pressure, way above average cond., \$2,750 w/Work Saver 3-pt.; 1953 Farmall Super M, all new tires, original paint, power steering, rebuilt engine, new clutch, etc., strong and nice looking, \$3,750 w/Saginaw 3-pt. 205/647-3703 (Blount)

JD pull behind 300 corn husker, 2-row header, great cond., \$4,000 OBO. 205/662-4579 or 662/364-1993 (Lamar)

MACHINERY

Cub Cadet bagger, fits zero turn mower 50" deck, used one time only, \$375, but price is negotiable. 4314 Crawford Cove Rd., Springville 35146 205/594-7100 or 205/746-7641 (St. Clair)

Full set Farmall Cub cultivators and other parts, Farmall Cub tractor \$1,600. 256/404-9922 (Talladega)

Ford 8N \$1,800; Small dozer \$2,800; will trade for track loader or buy. M.L. Bain 700 Co. Rd. 359, Pisgah 35765 256/451-3367 (Jackson)

3 cyl. Ford Dexter diesel \$1,100; 1949 Model A JD \$1,000; Model B Farmall \$2,750; Model H Farmall \$1,500, all need work. 11331 Hwy 188, Grand Bay 36541 251/865-4357 (Mobile)

IH 1486 Tractor, duals, cab/AC and radio, \$9,800; IH 886 Tractor, runs good \$5,000; Krone EZ cut 280 hay mower \$4,500. Jody Robertson 334/744-9663 (Lee)

Frontier DC 1000 mower caddy w/counter weights included, full service w/bearing changes May 2012, \$3,500. Kevin C. Deen 30337 Hwy 112, Robertsdale 36567 850/554-9174 (Baldwin)

Taylor Way hydraulic 8' offset disc scallop, great shape \$1,800. 256/249-2025 (Coosa)

Cat 977 track loader, rebuilt engine and transmission, 90% under carriage, 40,000 lbs., \$10,500. 256/538-3825 (Etowah)

1947 Ford 8N tractor, w/new disc, box blade, good tires, new radiator & fan, 6-speed trans. \$2,200, good old tractor. Bob Mann 256/362-3760 (Talladega)

NH 451 sickle mower, exc. cond., new blade, field ready \$850; 2-row rotary hoe/aerator, 7' wide \$350. 256/303-0893 (Lawrence)

Irrigation unit ABI/ATP 110 reel, new ¼ mile 4" hose, PTO pump \$9,500. Robert T. Burns, P.O. Box 67, Ralph 35480 205/799-4601 (Tuscaloosa)

Planter 2-row 2-mule, very old, Irish Potato Planter, can send pictures, not used in over 70 years, \$500. Tom Walthall, Hwy 61, Newbern 334/303-6090 (Hale)

Ford 801 power master, 4 cyl. diesel, ready to work, \$2,500. 205/647-7592 (Blount)

MACHINERY

80 C NH dozer, cab, exc. cond., hydrostatic, \$19,500. 256/347-9974 (Cullman)

Covington one-row planter w/cultivator and fertilizer distributor, like new, \$750; Bush Hog, King Cutter, 5' no rust \$400. Bill Horton 256/739-3488 (Cullman)

Besco grass seeder \$3,000; 200 gal. sprayer \$800; Modified peanut wagon \$200. 334/343-0231 (Covington)

4' 8-sided belly mower includes top pulley, blades (2), lift bars, primer paint on deck, good cond., \$300 cash. Jerry Ward 455 Lester Dr., Boaz 35957-4962 256/593-0643 (Marshall)

445 IH sq. baler, rough cond., parts baler \$500; 47 IH baler, rough cond., \$350. 205/499-0188 (Sumter)

544 Int'l tractor, \$3,500. Buck Norred 8384 Co Rd 258, Roanoke 36274 334/863-5910 (Randolph)

7' bush hog \$700; AGCO 5407 hay mower \$1,200; Heston Model 3700 2-basket tedder/rake, \$1,200, all work good. 256/572-6629 (Marshall)

JD 510 round baler, baler is in good working cond., shed kept, \$3,000. Eric Ellis 1785 Co Rd 29, Maplesville 205/234-9088 or 334/349-2058 (Chilton)

15 KWA Onan diesel generator w/trailer, sheltered, 187 hrs., \$4,750. 205/988-4071 (Shelby)

JD 6000 Sprayer, green top, cab, air, 50' booms, foam maker, runs great, \$9,500. 256/524-2810 (DeKalb)

KMC chicken house cruster w/spreader unit, \$6,200. 256/659-2612 (DeKalb)

Ford 601 WorkMaster, shed kept, runs exc. w/no smoke, good paint, good 5' bush hog, good rubber, have a 5' disk for extra, will make a package deal, asking \$3,200 OBO. 205/477-4562 (Jefferson)

Farmall Cub tractor \$900; Farmall Cub complete cultivator, disk, IH carburetors, generators, magnetos and other Cub parts, \$50/up. 256/412-3426 (Franklin)

1995 JD 6400 tractor, 85 hp, cab, air, 3,060 hrs., 3 SUV, 2 wd, shed kept, clean tractor, \$25,000. 256/524-2577 (DeKalb)

MACHINERY

1969 4020 JD diesel, row crop, 2 post, canopy, 1 owner, runs good, 2 remote outlets, 3 pt. lift, all works, asking \$8,500. Randall Beers 2032 Co Rd 457, Tyler 36785 334/872-1424 (Dallas)

2 New JD 2 piece wheels, 10x14, cost new over \$400 ea., will sell for \$300 for both, fits 4200, 4300, 4400, 4410, 4210 utility tractor; Misc. B JD parts, make offer. 256/482-2675 (Morgan)

IH Farmall 140 and Farmall Cub tractor, both are "Key Start" & 1 owner tractors, have cultivators & side dressers for both, both run great w/no smoke, asking \$3,500 for Cub and \$4,300 for 140. No disappointments. 205/368-5339 (Autauga)

Farmall 100 tractor, redone 4 years ago and used 3 times since, comes w/full cultivators, smooth & tight steering, looks good, runs good & strong, have scratchers, hillers, side dresser & planter for extra money, asking \$3,000 firm. 205/529-5999 (Jefferson)

JD 4520 w/158 loader, dual rims, quick attach, exc. tires, rebuilt hyd., \$9,850 firm; Two JD 3020 LPG, one running, one for parts, 148 loader, 10' front push blade, \$9,950 OBO for both. 334/750-3529 (Macon)

8n-Ford tractor & 5' disc, good cond., \$2,400 for both. 205/647-9420 (Jefferson)

Great Plains 25NT30, no-till grain drill, 30", 7.5" spacing, \$16,000 OBO; KMC 4-row peanut inverter \$3,500. 251/747-3325 (Baldwin)

6' HD bog disk, \$400 OBO; Ford 4' two section disk, \$200; JD 8' disk 2 section drag-type disk, \$250. 256/482-2675 (Morgan)

Tractor 584 Int'l w/a front hay stinger & a 2400 QT Bush Hog loader attachment, 1,850 hrs., \$8,000 OBO. Joe 205/533-5474 or Deloma 205/470-9515 (St. Clair)

Heston 1340 ha bind mower-conditioner, \$6,500; 9' Dozer blade \$700; Gravely commercial chipper \$8,000, 200 hrs. 334/343-0231 (Covington)

Farmall Super A w/planters, parts and cultivators, good cond., \$2,650; 4-wheel Rake \$350; MF Model 31 sickle mower, field ready \$400; ½ hp - .35 GPM Wagner Airless sprayer \$375. 230 Co Rd 515, Lexington 35648 256/349-9775 (Lauderdale)

Long 2 cylinder diesel tractor, p.s. w/5' finishing mower \$2,200. 205/924-0299 (Walker)

Complete Recondition 1952 Farm Cub w/cultivator, comes w/belly mower, turner plow and other parts, \$3,500; Honda 4x4 wheeler, exc. cond. \$2,500. 205/884-2009 (St. Clair)

Vicon 2900 Mower, 6 disc, \$3,500; Vemeer WR20 8-wheel V-rake \$1,800; Tonutti 4 basket tedder, pull type \$1,800; Livestock trailer 20x7 gooseneck hitch \$1,250, shedded. Robert Smith 1065 Strawn Dr., Boaz 35957 256/593-7171 (Marshall)

Int'l 4-row planter \$1,500; Int'l 16' disk, hyd. \$2,000; Case 550 dozer, 6-way blade \$15,000. Bob Case 1520 Co Rd 409, Elba 36323 334/897-8000 (Coffee)

5425 JD, 200 hrs., 4 wd, w/loader, \$33,000; gooseneck equipment trailer 25x12 \$3,200. Randall Smith 43 Raisler Rd., Scottsboro 35769 256/571-5919 (Marshall)

G Allis Chalmers, new tires, new paint, full set cultivators, good cond., \$3,850; Cub Farmall, Super A w/cultivators \$2,450 ea. 12900 Co Rd 49, Heflin 36264 256/591-2010 (Cleburne)

Ford 3000 D, p.s., \$3,400; 5' bush hog \$550; box blade \$350; finishing mower \$600; root rake \$300; seeder \$250; 2 flat bottom plows \$350. 205/275-1229 (Walker)

1967 1020 JD, gas, no p.s., good mechanical cond., \$3,500; 1979 LN800 Ford flat dump 16' \$3,500. Frank L. Barringer 11493 Barringer Dr., Coker 35452 205/333-8116 (Tuscaloosa)

Massey Harris 44 Special LP, p.s., 3 pt. hitch, w.f., older restoration, looks & runs good, \$4,500; other 44, 33 MH \$1,000-\$1,500. Edd Lipscomb 251/626-3032 (Baldwin)

5 wheel Vicon hay rake \$500. Jim Hill 4383 Co Rd 522, Hanceville 35077 205/902-1343 (Cullman)

JD 60" belly mower, fits 2320 & 2520 tractor, like new, used twice, no tractor involved, want \$1,300, bargain! Ron or Jane Schwebke 205/640-2602 (St. Clair)

MACHINERY

Tractor Int'l 574, hydraulic outlets, new clutch, pressure plate & starter solenoid, \$2,300. 338 Co Rd 19, Newell 36280 256/363-2153 or 256/282-4485 (Randolph)

Kelly Duplex stationary feed mill, 24", cyclone & mix bin, \$3,000. 256/453-1697 (Calhoun)

2-row Covington planter \$800 OBO; 2 basket hay tedder \$800 OBO; JD #51 manure spreader \$1,200 OBO; 88 GMC dump truck, 3802 rebuilt Cat motor \$4,000 OBO. 334/672-1595 (Pike)

MF 38 hp tractor, less than 7 hrs., list \$12,000, sell for \$9,400. 251/213-5417 (Baldwin)

Cole 2 row 12 MX planter w/fertilizer hoppers, exc. cond. \$800 OBO. 205/339-0051 (Sumter)

1950 Farmall Cub, good cond., disc & belly mower, \$2,500 firm, serious callers. 205/674-5790 (Walker)

301 JD tractor w/3 cylinder diesel engine, 38 hp, good 14.9-24 tires, good cond., \$4,900. 7211 Hwy 9, Anniston 36207 256/236-7376 (Calhoun)

2355 JD 56 hp tractor, diesel w/front end loader, remotes, p.s., bucket and spear, like new tires, canopy, exc. cond., asking \$11,000. 7317 Hwy 9, Anniston 36207 256/283-1246 (Calhoun)

Utility Kubota, 100 hrs., like new, diesel, 4 wd, hydraulic bed, \$10,800. John D. Burkett 2519 Ripley Rd., Carbon Hill 35549 205/924-8259 (Walker)

2555 JD, 66 hp w/quick attach loader, bucket and quick attach spear, canopy, good tires, remotes, nice tractor, \$12,000. 10966 Hwy 9, Anniston 36207 256/435-7844 (Calhoun)

Yanmar F-22 diesel tractor, 26 hp, low hrs., outstanding cond., barn kept including 4' King Kutter w/extra set of blades, \$5,000. Harold D. McKee 193 McKee Ln., Brent 35034 205/926-6860 (Bibb)

MISCELLANEOUS

260 used horseshoes for \$.50 ea., many uses including crafts. 256/234-4527 (Tallapoosa)

Lift gate, made by Tommy Lift, 1,000 lbs. capacity for full size pickup, \$1,000. 256/737-9513 (Cullman)

1997 Volvo truck, 20' body w/sleeper, new ECM, wiring harness, \$4,500. 334/733-6490 (Dale)

No. 2 Farm Bell made by C.S. Bell Co., over 100 years old, in exc. cond., \$250. Don Clark 5005 Co Rd 62, Lafayette 334/864-7851 (Chambers)

Health problems - Munford Tractor building and parts for sale, parts available as group only, show appointment only. Nathan Hamlin 256/358-4027 (Talladega)

18 wheeler, 95 Int'l 8200 day cab, M-11 Cummings \$4,500; 42' flatbed \$750; 10' Brillion Seeder, like new, \$4,500. Gerald Lipscomb, P.O. Box 186, Magnolia Springs 36555 251/965-7033 (Baldwin)

Cypress, cedar & oak lumber, posts & beams, up to 32", \$80/BF/up; Pine also available. 251/246-5913 (Clarke)

Llama, female, 6 mos., light brown w/some spots underneath and a black and white face, \$350. 256/446-0622 after 4 p.m. (Colbert)

Gourds, thick wall for birdhouses or craft, Martin, kettle, bottle, etc. Martin gourds \$2, small gourds \$1. 256/737-9513 (Cullman)

House/stock trailer, enclosed, 16' gooseneck, 7,000 lbs. axles, very good floor, \$2,500. 256/538-3825 (Etowah)

Goat milk soaps and lotions, home made from my dairy goat milk, no fragrances or colors, \$5 bar/bottle includes shipping. Intha Rafadin, 173 Fowler Rd., Empire 35063 205/266-0746 (Walker)

F800 Ford dump truck, 1995 w/94,000 miles, 6 speed, 10-yard dump, looks like new, \$14,500. Bob Mann 256/362-3760 (Talladega)

11 piece heavy-duty portable cattle alley, 11'x68" in height plus 3'x28 in HD gates, \$1,250. 256/547-1659 (Calhoun)

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Heavy duty covered hay feeders for two 5x5' round bales, \$1,250, will feed 25-30 head, must see to appreciate. 256/390-0552 (Etowah)

One or two horse prade wagon, four wheel hyd. brakes, 13" wheels, 4x8 box, sides, spring seat, painted like original John Deere, can email pics, \$800. John Prater 383 South Carolina Rd., Vernon 35592 205/695-9829 (Lamar)

Trailer "Econoline" 8'x25' w/dovetail & ramps, 16,000 lbs. axles, \$4,500. 256/538-3825 (Etowah)

11'x68" high heavy-duty portable cattle panels, \$120 ea., weight 175 lbs., H fence panels \$60; hay feeders \$1,250 ea. 256/390-3940 (Calhoun)

Genuine JD manuals: technical/service \$65, parts \$35, operators \$20, add \$5 postage, limited selection available. 256/574-1557 (Jackson)

Two-horse wagon, needs floor repair, otherwise good cond., can send pictures, \$1,000. Tom Walshall, Hwy 61, Newbern 334/303-6090 (Hale)

1999 Ford extended cab SuperDuty, 137,000 miles, \$5,800; 14" Omega commercial radial arm saw, single phase, \$2,500; 18" Rockwell commercial planer \$3,000, single phase; complete cabinet shop, all equipment, single phase, as a whole shop or one piece at a time. James Kervin 3035 Co Rd 24, Red Level 36474 334/453-1585 (Covington)

10" Grizzly table saw, 220 v, 3 hp, w/50" table, Vega fence on Fox shop mobile base \$795. Thomas F. Matthews Jr. 444 Laredo Dr., Hoover 35226 205/823-5019 (Jefferson)

Dump body, 7 yards, heavy metal, needs paint, adjustable gate for spreading, \$1,000; hydraulic cylinder \$300. 9355 Dyess Rd., Grand Bay 36541 251/865-2006 (Mobile)

Lift gate, truck mount, made by Walco, 2,500 lb. capacity, \$2,250. 256/538-3825 (Etowah)

Farm trailer 14x6, solid wood floor, 37" removable oak sideboards, double axle, extra 2 tires, \$650. 256/492-6714 (Etowah)

Farm and home backpack sprayer, 2 gal. capacity, like new, \$65. Fred F. Fulton 1919 Green Acres Dr., Montgomery 36106 334/279-7359 (Montgomery)

1997 Merhow aluminum, gooseneck, 3H slant load trailer, tack room, 7'6" tall 6' wide, exc. cond., \$8,500. 205/372-7735 (Greene)

Utility trailer, all metal diamond check floor, 13' long w/43" drop gate, 53" wide, wired lights, 14" tires, \$600. 191 Tina Ln., Grant 35747 256/728-4775 (Marshall)

23'-7"x3' tin, \$20/sheet; 40 wood trusses 5-12 pitch 2x6 top and bottom, \$50 ea., already taken down; whole 400' house \$8,000, you take down. James Pike 2295 AL Hwy 69 S., Cullman 35057 256/708-4089 (Cullman)

2001 Kawasaki Mule 3010 4x4, new tires, runs good, hydraulic bed lift, looks good, \$3,500. 251/246-9739 (Clarke)

Redwood fence, 3,000+ feet, planks approx. 6"x10", free for removal. 205/988-4071 (Shelby)

Chainsaws Homelite "Old Blue" series, for use or parts, call for pricing and details, price range between \$50-\$200. 256/538-3825 (Etowah)

24' trailer, 18,000 GVV w/tri-axle, new brakes, new bed, good tires, \$3,000. Bob Mann 256/362-3760 (Talladega)

Delta 12" radial arm saw \$600; Husqvarna concrete/demolition saw w/diamond blade \$575. 256/412-3426 (Franklin)

Three 1,000 gal. propane tanks, 7 yo, \$1,250; Three 14 ton feed bins, exc. cond., \$2,000. 256/659-2612 (DeKalb)

Old barn oak lumber, rough poplar and pine lumber, approx. 2,000 bd ft, must move, \$750 for all. 256/482-2675 (Morgan)

2-seated surrey, rear-wheel hydraulic brakes, used very little, new cost over \$3,000, asking \$1,950. 256/601-0139 (DeKalb)

Farm trailer (wood) on single axle, 6' wide x 8½' long w/3' sides & gate, \$650. 256/492-1859 (Etowah)

MISCELLANEOUS

2 Hay feeders on skids, 10' troughs hold 2 round bales and/or feed, load from end or over top, heavy duty Amish made, save hay, \$1,750 ea. Junior Beard 8109 Micklewright Rd., Trussville 35173 205/655-2406 (Jefferson)

Geotextile heavy duty landscape fabric, Excel brand, 7½'x300', \$300. 334/288-6024 (Montgomery)

Disks, Athens 12" \$5,500 OBO. Joe 205/533-5474 or Deloma 205/470-9515 (St. Clair)

Compost, produces twice the yield in the same space for half the cost of chemical fertilizers, approx. 200 tons available for the 2011 growing season, \$200/ton. Henry Jackson 97 Franklin Rd, Montgomery 36105 334/288-9220 (Montgomery)

35' flatbed trailer, hydraulic, electric gooseneck, \$9,000; Ford F700 dump bed truck, \$3,000. 334/343-0231 (Covington)

20' 2-axle utility trailer 9,700 GVWR, new tires, electric brakes, exc. cond., \$3,500 OBO. 205/365-7224 (St. Clair)

Polaris 500 Sportsman ATV, 4 wd, automatic, \$2,000. 205/924-0299 (Walker)

3 used tractor tires 30.5LR32, 75% rubber, \$500 ea. 4472 Stockdale Rd., Munford 256/694-2732 (Talladega)

Dodge 05 long body w/bumper and receiver hitch, never used, \$600. 10207 W. State Hwy 106, Georgiana 36033 334/376-2387 (Butler)

Knuckleboom trailer, mfg. by Sun Mfg., 40' length, wide beam, \$2,500. 334/963-4444 (Wilcox)

Lumber Cypress \$1.10 BFT, Poplar \$.85 BFT, 2x Oak \$.75, Heart Pine TR & Groove \$5 BFT. Wes Brown 251/564-2940 (Conecuh)

Horse drawn David Bradley mowing machine \$350; 2 horse wagon, four wheel brake, metal frame, needs bed, \$800. R.C. Bailey 434 Roy Buzbee Rd., Jasper 35504 205/300-6935 or 205/221-9490 (Walker)

1990 Chevy Silverado 350, 5 speed, long bed, 1 owner, exc. cond., \$2,850. Jim Hill 4383 Co Rd 522, Hanceville 35077 205/902-1343 (Cullman)

Bridge heavy built 8'x10' \$1,250. 256/538-3825 (Etowah)

48' refrigerated semi-trailer, road-ready, \$12,000 OBO. Henry Jackson 97 Franklin Rd., Montgomery 36105 334/288-9220 (Montgomery)

Tool box, 3 pt hitch, 48"x48" \$150; 3 pt hitch lift pole \$75. 595 Browing Rd., Odenville 35120 205/640-6952 (St. Clair)

Two 6-ton food bins, 2 curtain machines. 256/332-2518 (Franklin)

1977 C-65 Chevy dump truck, \$3,000 OBO. 501 10th Ave., Jasper 35501 803/443-1198 (Walker)

560 gal. skid tank w/pump and filter, good cond. \$500. Glenn L. Biddle 1407 Union Chapel Rd., Union Grove 256/753-6622 (Marshall)

16' two horse trailer, 8' camper w/stove, sink, water tank, pump wired for 12 volt or 110, \$2,000. R.C. Bailey 434 Roy Buzbee Rd., Jasper 35504 205/300-6935 or 205/221-9490 (Walker)

2 Old timey hand turn corn shellers (Black Hawk), patented by A.H. Patch Clarksville, Tenn. in 1886 and 1889, one \$75, one \$85. Robert A. Lancaster 1523 Galway Bay Circle, Northport 35473 205/339-1971 (Tuscaloosa)

IH B414 tractor parts, BD 154 diesel block, crank head, rear half parts, mostly disassembled, parts or whole that remains, Mon-Sat. 9-6 p.m., \$650. Mike 205/902-2498 (Jefferson)

75' Bucket truck top and front winches, tandem axle, diesel, double bucket w/hydraulic power, exc. cond. \$24,900. 256/883-0508 after 7 p.m. (Morgan)

1998 Chevy 2500 w/utility bed, 5.0 Vortex V8, p.s., p.b., auto trans., AC, great tires, low miles, \$3,000. 205/587-4895 (Jefferson)

Burrough Sprayer, covers 18', 60 gal. tank \$300; JD lawn dethatcher \$50. Eddie J. Pruden 4836 Freewill Dr., Quinton 35130 205/674-5402 (Jefferson)

Gourds (Purple Martin) thick wall, hard shell, large, medium and small, u-pick, \$2. Ben Youngblood, Banks 334/735-5811 or 334/606-2166 (Pike)

MISCELLANEOUS

EZ Go Camo Golf Cart, oversize, mud tires, 2 seats, great for hunting, \$3,850. Jimmy Jackson 205/672-8004 (Shelby)

PLANTS, BULBS & SEEDS

Old time Georgia blue stem collard seed, 30 seed for \$2, plus SASE. Donald Fletcher, 8800 William St., Citronelle 36522 251/866-7477 (Mobile)

June bearing strawberries \$25/100; Ozark Beauty ever bearing \$35/100; \$10 additional to ship. David E. Eaton 350 Eaton Dr., Sylvan Springs 35118 205/497-1449 (Jefferson)

Lenten Rose will bloom this winter, order now, \$3/up plus shipping; also Black Elephant Ears. 256/245-6029 (Coosa)

Peach, Apple, Pear, Plum trees, Fig trees, Blueberry plant, \$12 ea., 3 yo to 4 yo, 3'-5', in 3 gal. pots; also bare root \$6 ea., 1,000s of trees; Dogwoods, 3 yo to 4 yo, \$20 ea. Christa Adamson 256/324-2162 (Blount)

Japanese Maples, see Fall colors. Paul & Glenda Lowe 11265 Hwy 50, Dadeville 36853 256/896-0105 Thurs.-Sat. (Tallapoosa)

Old Southern Apple trees \$12-\$25; Sawtooth Shumar oak trees, persimmon \$7; figs \$10; monkey grass \$3. 9093 County Line Rd., Dora 35062 205/648-9670 (Jefferson)

7 gal. 4-5' Arizona Cypress, fast grower evergreen, \$25 ea., volume discount. 205/365-7224 (St. Clair)

Confederate Rose cuttings, 6 for \$10 plus shipping, volume discount. 2150 Sanie Rd., Odenville 35120 205/577-3062 (St. Clair)

Rabbiteye Blueberry plants, Tifblue Powderblue, Climax Brightwell Premier varieties \$3 for 1 gal. plants, \$10 for 3 gal. plants. John G. Neighbors 3730 Old Dark Rd., Alexander City 35010 256/234-3634 (Tallapoosa)

Sugarcane for planting, several varieties: Georgia Red, Green German, CP 52-48, CP 57-603, CP 67-500, LA Green, Tall Ribbon, etc. \$50/100 stalks FOB, you load. Charles Harrison 635 Dowling Rd., Marianna, FL 32448 850/762-3366 (Jackson)

SHEEP & GOATS

All sheep and some classes of goats offered for sale or exhibition must be individually identified with official USDA ear tags for the National Scrapie Eradication Program. To obtain official USDA ear tags, contact the USDA Veterinary Services Area Office at 1-866-USDA-TAG.

Goats 7 weeks old, \$75 ea.; Goat female about 1½ yo \$100. Bernice Mccraw 7299 Co Rd 15, Maplesville 334/366-4263 (Chilton)

Alpine buck, reg. purebred, son of national champion buck and produces nice offspring \$450. 205/678-9465 (Shelby)

Full blood Alpine buck \$100, we have registration papers. Donald Jones 970 Eason Brown Rd., Prattville 36067 334/361-9281 (Autauga)

ADGA Reg. Nigerian Dwarf dairy 2012 Spring & Fall kids, \$200/up, milk/show, pictures on website, www.littlestargoatranch.com, tested herd. Judy C. Smith, Pell City 205/338-2643 (St. Clair)

P/B Kiko buck herd sire, 4 yo, no papers, \$200 or trade for young fainter buck; also have a few Kiko cross wethers \$100 ea. Intha Rafadin 173 Fowler Rd., Empire 35063 205/266-0746 (Walker)

ABGA reg. boers, does, 1-3 yo, some w/kids, bucks 1 yo and 4 yo, herd reduction, exc. breeding stock, \$150/up. Terry Parker 334/821-8760 (Lee)

Two red billies, 100% boars, 1 BGA reg. born 4-11-12, \$100 range. Charlie Short 256/586-5489 (Marshall)

SHEEP & GOATS

Purebred Boer buck, 4 yo, very gentle, \$150. Mike Kratz 4086 Westover Rd., Westover 35147 205/678-7638 (Shelby)

Goats for sale, Nubian herd sire \$150; also 5 mos. \$100; ABGA 100% Boer buck herd sire \$300. Jennifer Kimbrell 205/393-8585 (Tuscaloosa)

11 Alabama Red Nannies, \$225-\$400; Five traditional nannies \$175-\$250; One red billy \$750. T. Sullivan, P.O. Box 1932, Decatur 35602 256/566-3857 (Morgan)

ADGA Reg. Nigerian Dwarf dairy goats \$200-\$350, show/milk lines, see pictures and more information on website, www.littlestargoatranch.com, tested herd. Judy Smith, Pell City 205/338-2643 (St. Clair)

Nubian doe kid, 8 mos., reg. purebred, color red & white, \$300. 205/678-9465 (Shelby)

SWINE

Gloucestershire Old Spot breeding stock, sows, boars, gilts, pigs, \$60/up; barrow meat hogs, free delivery to butcher, \$1/lb. on foot. 256/630-0140 (DeKalb)

2 Boar hogs, approx. 200 lbs., \$200-\$250 ea. Donald Jones 970 Eason Brown Rd., Prattville 36067 334/361-9281 (Autauga)

SYRUP, HONEY & BEES

Montgomery city honey, untreated and unprocessed, contains local pollen for allergies, \$6.75/pint, \$13/quart. Fred F. Fulton 1919 Green Acres Dr., Montgomery 36106 334/279-7359 (Montgomery)

Are you interested in growing cane and making syrup? The Alabama Syrup-Makers Association meets at 8 a.m. the first Saturday of every month at Ryan's Steakhouse in Enterprise. Earl Stokes 334/494-3037 (Coffee)

30+ Hives of bees, 2012 queens, \$150 ea., story & half, selling due to health issues, call for details. Frank Fuller 521 Co. Rd. 51, Rogersville 35652 256/247-6932 (Lauderdale)

Sugar cane: MS state Blue Chewing variety, 20 stalks \$20; 100 stalks \$70; 200 stalks \$120; 300 stalks \$170. 9355 Dyess Rd., Grand Bay 36541 251/689-8074 (Mobile)

Bee hive, 10 frame, deep body w/brood, pollen and honey, Italian queen, super w/9 frames of comb, \$250. Fred F. Fulton 1919 Green Acres Dr., Montgomery 36106 334/279-7359 (Montgomery)

Rear your own queens using the cell punch method, tool and complete color pictures w/ instructions, \$15 plus a couple for shipping. Send check or money order to Wil Montgomery 1401 Lakemont Dr. S., Southside 35907 (Etowah)

WANTED

Do you have syrup making equipment, cane mills, syrup kettles, etc.? Members of the Alabama Syrup-Makers Association are looking for equipment. Earl Stokes 334/494-3037 (Coffee)

Livestock scales for youth livestock club. 256/354-3471 (Clay)

Rough cut pine 1x6s, 1x8s or 1x10s to use as wall sheathing inside barn, will consider other species, if price is right, need enough to cover approx. 150 sq. ft., prefer to pick up in Central Alabama. 256/249-7814 (Talladega)

Feed mill pull-type by tractor, any model; One-row Ideal corn snapper. J.M. Carille 334/527-3415 (Crenshaw)

Trade lot in Hollywood for track loader or sell and buy. 256/451-3367 (Jackson)

14.9x28 rear tractor tire needed, if you have one for sale, please call 256/586-6601 (Morgan)

Parts or complete tractors for JD 110/112 lawn garden tractor year model 1963 to 1967. Dale Williams 1670 Co Rd 59, Piedmont 36272 256/452-1736 (Cherokee)

Air Blast or Boone sprayer. 256/593-0233, 256/504-7880 or 205/589-6730 (Etowah)

WANTED

Butt Welder for putting together bandsaw blades from ½" to 2" wide, good cond., that works. Ricky Ellison 145 Palmdale Ln., Sylacauga 35150 256/404-0614 (Talladega)

Four-row grain head for 715 IH combine, tracks for D5B or D6B, good cond. 205/499-0188 (Sumter)

Tractor tires, pay cash for good cond., 1 or more, ea. size 11L-16, 16.9-28, 15" rim size 20.8-38 18" rim. Lee Smith 770/680-3598 (Clebune)

Farmall Super A w/belly mower, good cond., wide front, off set OK. John Welch 13330 Bradford Rd., Madison 35756 256/232-6055 (Madison)

4010 JD diesel wide front; 4630 JD diesel wide front, cab & air, sync/trans.; 71 JD unit type planter, 6 or 8 row; KMC unit type planter 6 or 8 row; 2 good 15.5x38 tires. Johnny Griggers 604 Goodway Rd., Frisco City 36445 251/862-2682 (Monroe)

Bush goat billy 12 to 16 mos., no cross bred, North Alabama. 256/597-2265 (Jackson)

50 or 60 horsepower diesel 4-wheel drive tractor w/loader. John D. Burkett 2519 Ripley Rd., Carbon Hill 35549 205/924-8259 (Walker)

5' Flail PTO driven mower, no junk please. 205/744-7035 (Jefferson)

Kuhn GMD 66 HD hay mower for parts, need bar for six discs. Neil Rainwater 312 Co Rd 1481, Cullman 35058-0809 256/347-6464 (Cullman)

Cedar logs \$50 to \$80 ton. Wes Brown 251/564-2940 (Conecuh)

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DALLAS COUNTY FARMER RECOGNIZED IN SOUTHEASTERN COMPETITION

By Mary Johnson
Alabama Farmers Federation

Dallas County row crop, cattle and catfish farmer Sam Givhan represented Alabama in the Swisher Sweets/Sunbelt Expo Southeastern Farmer of the Year contest in Moultrie, Ga.

While Florida dairy farmer and fruit juice processor Dale McClellan was selected as the overall winner, Givhan was the Alabama state winner.

Givhan, a decorated Vietnam veteran who has farmed for 42 years, was nominated for the Alabama Farmer of the Year award by Alabama Farmers Federation Area VI Organizational Director Robert Utsey. As the Alabama state winner of the Swisher Sweets/Sunbelt Expo award, Givhan received a \$2,500 cash award and an expense-paid trip to the expo from Swisher International of Jacksonville, Fla.; a \$500 gift certificate

from the Southern States cooperative and the choice of either \$1,000 in PhytoGen cottonseed or a \$500 donation to a designated charity on behalf of Dow Agrosiences. Courtesy of Ivey's Outdoor and Farm Supply, each farmer and nominator received a Columbia Cathedral Peak Vest.

Givhan is chairman of the board of directors for the Alabama Farmers Cooperative and has been on the board for nine years. He served as president of the Dallas County Farmers Federation for 26 years, is president of Central Alabama Farmers Cooperative, serves on a committee for the National Council of Farmer Cooperatives and is on the Dallas County Cattlemen's Association board. He is a founding member of the Alabama Agribusiness Council and a member of the Alabama Farmers Federation Wheat & Feed Grains Committee.

Givhan and his wife, Lynne,



Pictured from left to right are: Alabama Department of Agriculture & Industries Commissioner John McMillan; Sam Givhan, Alabama's representative in the Swisher Sweets/Sunbelt Expo Southeastern Farmer of the Year competition; Auburn University College of Agriculture Dean Dr. William Batchelor; Alabama Cooperative Extension System Director Dr. Gary Lemme and Alabama Farmers Federation Executive Director Paul Pinyan.

are members of Safford Baptist Church. They have two adult sons, Sam, an attorney in Huntsville, and David, who manages the farm's hay and cattle production.

As the overall winner, McClellan received additional prizes including a \$15,000 cash award from Swisher International; a Columbia Steen's Mountain Tech Full Zip

Jacket from Ivey's Outdoor and Farm Supply; a year's use of a tractor from Massey Ferguson of North America; a \$500 gift certificate from the Southern States cooperative and the choice of either another \$1,000 in PhytoGen cottonseed or a \$500 donation to a designated charity on behalf of Dow Agrosiences.

The Farmer of the Year

award competition began in 1990, and the winner, selected from 10 Southeastern state finalists, is based on excellence in agricultural production, farm management and leadership in farm and community organizations. In the 23-year history of the award, seven overall winners have come from Florida.

Division Focus

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green screen photography booth inside Alabama's tent, where visitors could have their image captured in a variety of agricultural settings.

"The tent was truly a team effort and provided something that was fun, educational and delicious," said Alabama Farmers Federation Executive Director Paul Pinyan, who served as co-chairman of the Spotlight State tent with Alabama Commissioner of Agriculture and Industries John McMillan. "Nothing says 'Welcome to Alabama' like delicious, cold sweet tea that was furnished by Milo's Tea from Bessemer. We also gave away thousands of samples of food products manufactured in Alabama, courtesy of the Alabama Grocers Association."

McMillan said the Spotlight State tent was a great introduction for people who haven't visited Alabama, but it even surprised some of the state's own residents. "The

well-grounded theme focused on Alabama's history, productivity, stewardship, technology and future," McMillan said. "Agriculture is our state's largest industry, and we never want to miss an opportunity to share that fact. The Expo attracts farmers and consumers from throughout the world, and it was great to have the spotlight shining on our state when they arrived."

Alabama Gov. Robert Bentley was among those who visited the Expo. He spoke at a luncheon Tuesday, where Dallas County farmer Sam Givhan was honored as Alabama's Farmer of the Year.

To view photos from the three-day Expo, visit www.flickr.com/photos/84380492@N03/.

Right: Trent McFarland, a professional rodeo clown, entertained the crowd each day outside the Alabama Spotlight tent.



BEST STEAKHOUSES IN ALABAMA

The Top 5 Alabama restaurants have staked their claim in the Alabama's Best Steak contest, sponsored by the Alabama Cattlemen's Association.

The winners are Conestoga Steakhouse in Dothan, Fire Steakhouse in Atmore, McLin's Restaurant in Daleville, Nick's Ristorante in Huntsville and The Bright Star in Bessemer. The restaurants were chosen in an online contest where customers voted.

A team of anonymous judges will now visit each of the establishments to determine who serves the best steak in Alabama.

Since its inception in early July, the contest has drawn consumers around the state to an online survey to cast their votes. The statewide contest included 147 restaurants nominated and 7,242 votes cast online.

The contest is part of a statewide celebration of October Beef Month.



Alabama Cattlemen's Association President Donna Jo Curtis, of Athens, announces the top five restaurants to over 120 cattlemen and cattlemen from across the state at the ACA board meeting in Montgomery.

October was Beef Month

October was proclaimed Beef Month by Gov. Robert Bentley on September 19. Each year, this month is dedicated to promoting and educating consumers about beef and the hardworking farm families that raise cattle in the state. There are 20,000 cattle farms in Alabama that own 1.2 million head and sell around \$350 million of calves annually.

PRODUCT SPOTLIGHT

It all started on a hot summer day in Brenham, Texas in 1907 when local farmers decided to establish the Brenham Creamery Co. and make butter from excess cream brought in by area farmers. A few years later, the creamery began making ice cream and delivering it to neighbors by horse and wagon. It was in 1930 that the company changed its name to Blue Bell Creameries after the native Texas bluebell wildflower.

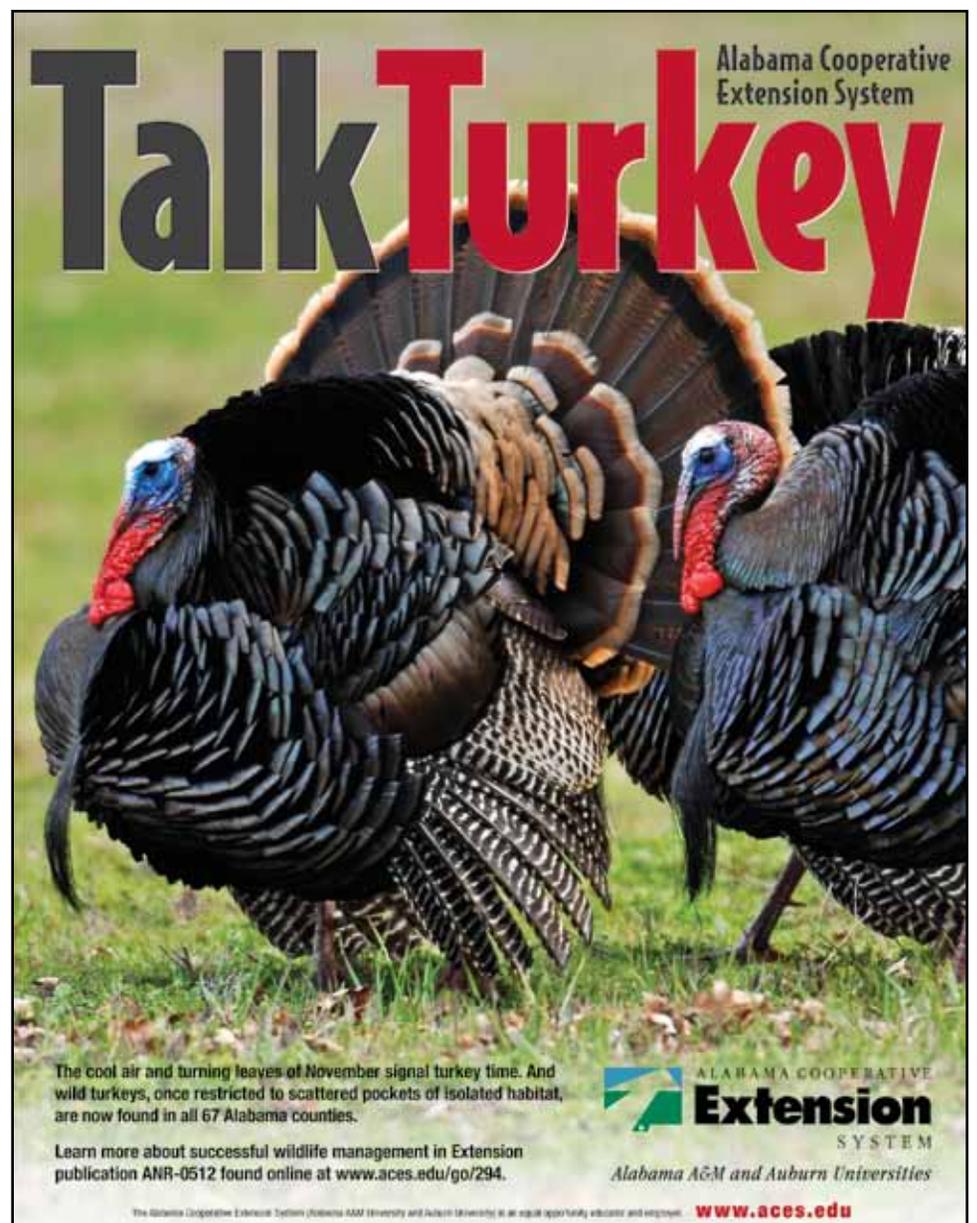
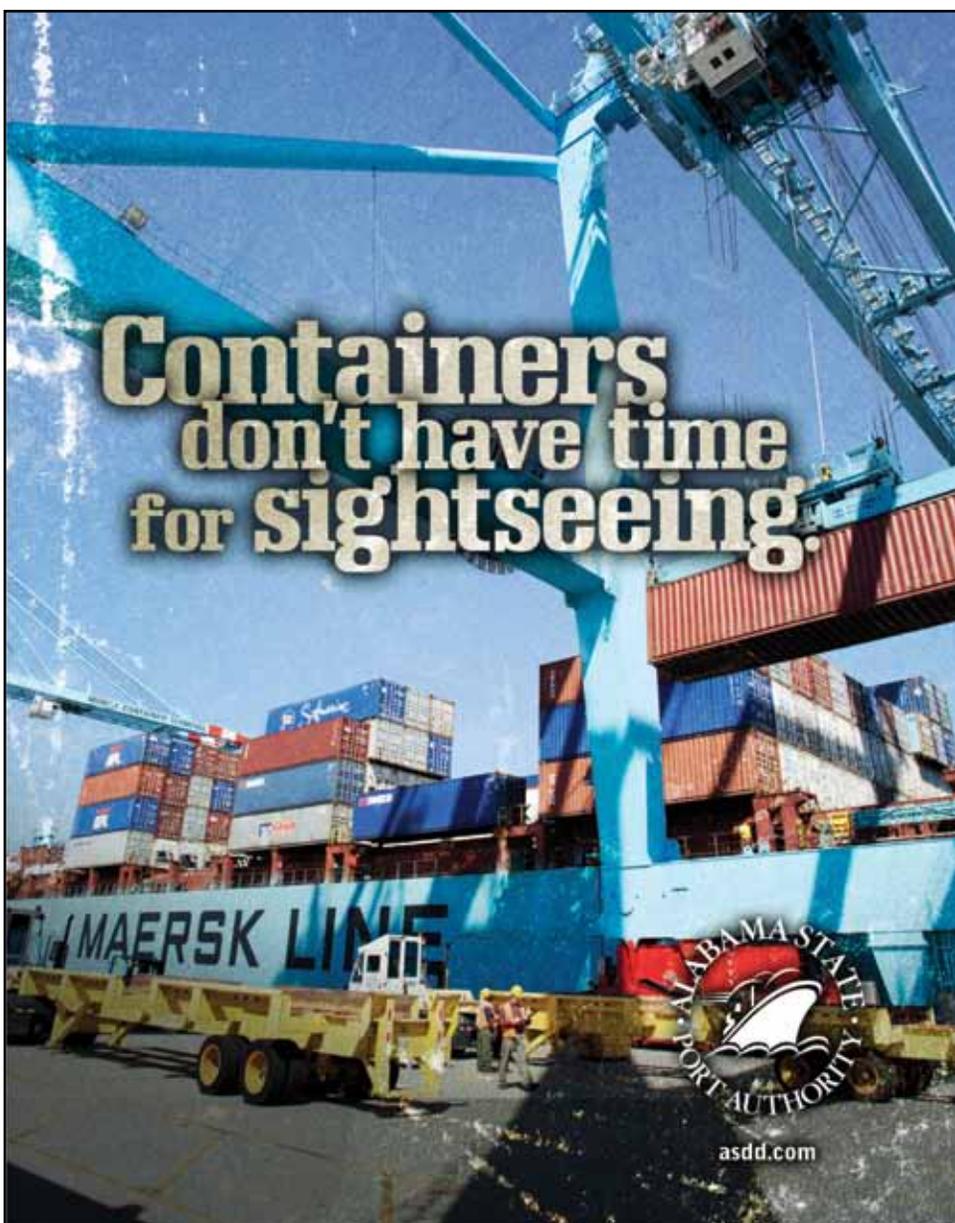


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And although Blue Bell is only available in about 26 percent of the nation's supermarkets, it ranks as one of the top three, best-selling ice creams in the country. Blue Bell products are sold in Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, New

Mexico, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas and parts of Virginia and Wyoming. No matter how much the market grows, quality standards never change and are never diluted or compromised. That's why, people who are lucky enough to live where they can buy Blue Bell Ice Cream, say it's "the best ice cream in the country."

Today, Blue Bell has production facilities in Brenham, Texas; Broken Arrow, Okla. and Sylacauga, Ala. For more information, visit its website at www.bluebell.com.



Mama's Recipes

When I think of November, I think of all the tasty tidbits I get to try as Thanksgiving gets ever closer. Among those treasured morsels are items made with peanut butter. There are sauces, sandwiches and desserts, all made with a creamy ingredient that is November's own, since it is National Peanut Butter Month! For those who love peanut butter and have Internet access, www.peanutbutterlovers.com is a great resource for recipes. The recipe below is from the site and was one of its 2011 PB My Way contest winners. Enjoy!

Peanut Butter Breakfast Bread Pudding with Maple-Peanut Sauce

1/3 cup creamy peanut butter	4 cups cubed brioche or challah bread (cut into 3/4 inch cubes)
2 eggs	
1/2 cup granulated sugar	2/3 cup pure maple syrup
2/3 cup milk	1/3 cup creamy peanut butter
1 1/2 teaspoons pure vanilla extract	1/3 cup crushed peanuts
1/2 teaspoon salt	

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Butter four 4-ounce ramekins. Mix 1/3 cup peanut butter, eggs, sugar, milk, vanilla and salt. Toss bread cubes in mixture until thoroughly coated. Divide evenly among prepared dishes. Bake until custard is set in the middle and the top is golden, about 35-40 minutes. Note: If tops of bread brown too quickly, cover ramekins loosely with aluminum foil.

While pudding is baking, blend 1/3 cup peanut butter with maple syrup; transfer to small saucepan and heat on low until thoroughly warmed. To serve, drizzle ramekins with maple-peanut sauce and garnish with chopped peanuts and powdered sugar.

Budget-friendly tip: Substitute pancake syrup for pure maple syrup, and whole wheat rolls for the brioche or challah bread to reduce the cost of this recipe.

Farm-City Week

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students in grades 9-12, and encourages interpretation of the theme using PowerPoint, Keynote or similar computer applications.

At the national level, food safety will be the focus of the National Farm-City Symposium on November 13. The symposium will be broadcast live on the AgriTalk radio network beginning at 10 a.m. and online at www.agritalk.com.

The theme of food safety follows a strategic plan developed by the National Farm-City Council five years ago, which called for the annual commemoration to focus on a single, potentially divisive issue. Helms pointed out that misinformation abounds about foodborne illnesses. According to the Centers for Disease Control, the occurrence of such cases dropped 23 percent from 1998 to 2010.

"Few American's have heard the amazing story of how

American farmers have improved food safety through animal health programs, the conservative use of crop protection materials, improved field sanitation standards and on-farm refrigeration," Helms said. "Deadly diseases that were common decades ago are virtually non-existent today."

"For Alabama farmers, food safety is not about feeding the world, nor is it merely a patriotic gesture," Helms added. "For them, it is a way of life. Their families live on the land and are the first to eat the bounty it produces. This makes food safety an intensely personal experience for farmers. They are dedicated to producing healthy, wholesome products for their families and ours — not just today, but for



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generations to come. That is the message we want to convey with 'Grown Safely. Extra Tasty.'"

For a list of county Farm-City chairman and contest rules, visit www.alfafarmers.org/farm-city. Farm-City calendars may be ordered (minimum 10) by contacting Paula Culver at pculver@alfains.com.

Upcoming Ag Events

- **November 3**—The 33rd annual Fall Roundup and Taste of Alabama Agriculture will be held at Ag Heritage Park at Auburn University, four hours prior to the football game. The Ag Roundup features Alabama grown and made foods, as well as auctions to fund the College of Agriculture scholarships. Admissions are \$5, children 6 and under get in free. For more information, call 334-844-3204 or email rollome@auburn.edu.

- **November 3**—The Schuessler Registered Charolais dispersal sale will be held in conjunction with the Alabama Charolais Association's annual sale in Cullman. For more information, call Wallis Schuessler at 256-362-7815.

- **November 3**—Kenan's Mill Festival will be held from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in Selma. Sponsored by the Selma-Dallas County Historic Preservation Society, activities include corn-grinding demonstrations, as well as tours of the mill, cottage and gardens. Admission is \$5 for anyone over 12 years old.

- **November 3**—The Alabama Quarter Horse Youth Association Fundraiser Trail Ride will be held at Mystic Highlands Farm in Jemison from noon to 6 p.m. Admittance is \$20 per rider. Fishing is also available. For more information, call 205-542-2446, 205-365-9652 or 205-365-2245 or visit www.ALQHA.com.

- **November 3**—Are you interested in growing cane and making syrup? The Alabama Syrup-Makers Association meets at 8 a.m. at Ryan's Steakhouse in Enterprise. For more information, call Earl Stokes at 334-494-3037.

- **November 3 & 17**—The East Alabama Goat & Poultry Auction will be held at 1006 Co Rd 474, Woodland 36280 beginning at noon. The auction sells goats, sheep, hogs, cattle, horses and poultry. For more information, call 256-419-8527.

- **November 8**—A free workshop on how to manage feeder cattle price risk in volatile markets will be held at the Alabama Cattlemen's Building at 201 S. Bainbridge St. in Montgomery, beginning at 9:30 a.m. and ending at 4 p.m. Lunch will be provided. Early registration is required, contact Billy Powell at 334-265-1867 or bpowell@bamabeef.org.

- **November 9**—The Fall Round Up Bull and Genetic Verified Heifer Sale will be held at 11 a.m. at the Alabama Livestock Auction in Uniontown. Performance proven two and four year old bulls available, representing Angus, Charolais, Chiangus, Hereford, Simmental and Sim-Angus breeds. For more information, call Michelle Elmore at 205-646-0155 or 205-287-1080 or email elmormf@auburn.edu. You can view the sale book online at www.albcia.com.

- **November 10**—The Alabama Angus Association Fall Sale will be held at noon at the Cullman Stockyard in Cullman. Pairs, bred and open heifers and a few bulls will be available. For more information, contact Mike McGuire at 334-703-7111, alaangus@msn.com or visit alabamaangusassociation.org. To view the sale book online, visit www.angusjournal.com.

- **November 10**—Central Alabama Goat & Poultry Auction will be held at noon at 1403 Kincheon Rd., Clanton. Additional livestock and poultry are welcome. For more information, contact Joe Holley weekdays at 205-280-8959 or day of sale at 205-280-4628.

- **November 10**—West Dallas Antique Tractor Show will display vintage tractors, quilts and toy tractors, and more activities. For more information, call Bill Grimes at 334-996-8970 or Mark Verhoff at 334-875-9545.

- **November 17**—Timberland Cattle's "Best of the Blacks" Angus & Sim-Angus bull auction will be held at noon at Cullman Stockyard. For more information, call 205-695-6314.

- **November 24**—A special sheep and goat sale will be held at 1 p.m. at North Alabama Livestock Auction, on Hwy 243 in Russellville. For more information, call 256-332-3323.

- **November**—Daybreak Farms Corn Maze Adventures will be open at 600 Dunn Rd., Greenville. For more information, visit www.daybreakfarmsal.com or call 334-312-0772.

DECEMBER 1ST DEADLINE FOR AG/FORESTRY SCHOLARSHIPS

By Mary Johnson

Alabama Farmers Federation

The application deadline for Alfa and Alabama Farmers Federation scholarships is December 1. Applicants must plan to pursue agriculture or forestry undergraduate degrees at Auburn University.

The scholarships, valued up to \$1,750 per recipient per year, are available for new or current students studying in the College of Agriculture or School of Forestry. Students majoring in agricultural engineering or ag education also are eligible.

“This scholarship program is an excellent resource not only for students, but for everyone involved in Alabama agriculture,” said Paul Pinyan, executive director of the Alabama Farmers Federation. “It ensures the highest caliber of young men and women will pursue agricultural careers. As the state’s largest farm organization, we’re proud to support this program. Our investment in Alabama’s students will pay dividends for many years to come.”

The scholarships are renewable yearly for students who maintain a 2.5 grade point average and exhibit good moral character and citizenship. The application requires three letters of reference to include an evaluation of the applicant’s background and character.

Students are encouraged to apply early for admission, as enrollment at Auburn University is limited. Applications can be downloaded at www.AlfaFarmers.org, under the Programs section. Students may obtain an application at their count Farmers Federation offices, local Alfa service centers or by writing to the dean of the College of Agriculture at 107 Comer Hall, Auburn University, AL 36849.

FOURTH GRADERS LEARN ABOUT AQUATIC DIVERSITY

Alabama is one of the nation’s leaders when it comes to aquatic biodiversity. It has the greatest number of freshwater species of mollusks and fish in the U.S., which includes 308 species of fish, 203 aquatic snail species and 182 species of mussels.

Recently, Doug Darr, aquatic education coordinator with the Alabama Division of Wildlife and Freshwater Fisheries, visited fourth graders at Saint James School, in Montgomery, to teach them about the relationship between the state’s five geographic regions and the types of freshwater fish that inhabit those regions.

According to Darr, Alabama’s large diversity of aquatic animals is due to three main factors: an abundance of rainfall, several large river drainages, and the state’s five geographic areas, which are the Coastal Plain, Highland Rim, Cumberland Plateau, Valley and Ridge, and Piedmont.

“Some types of fish are unique to a specific region, and some of those fish are only found in the Alabama portion of those regions,” Darr told the students.

For example, the endangered Alabama cavefish and the protected spring pygmy sunfish can only be found in the Highland Rim. The Cumberland Plateau is home to the endangered palezone shiner, Tuscaloosa darter and Warrior darter. The pygmy sculpin, watercress darter, vermilion darter and the Cahaba shiner can be found in the Valley and Ridge region of the state, while the Piedmont has the lipstick darter and Tallapoosa shiner. Finally, the Coastal Plain is home to fish like the Gulf sturgeon and the skygazer shiner, which is only found in Alabama.

“The presentation added so much to our lesson by showing the many different types of fish that we have in our state,” said Elaine Boland, the teacher who invited Darr to speak.



The Judson College Western equine team. Photo by Bill Mathews

JUDSON EQUINE TEAM COMPETES IN SHOWS

By Jennifer Hoggle

The Judson College Equestrian Team members competed in both hunt seat and Western shows in October at Berry College in Rome, Ga.

Other competitors included Berry, Emory University, Georgia State University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Kennesaw State University, Mississippi College, Mississippi State University, North Georgia College and State University, the University of Alabama and the University of Georgia.

During the first hunter show, junior Olivia Breimhorst, of Gardendale, placed first in class 2A, section 1, beginner, walk, trot

canter. Junior Madelyn King, of Collierville, Tenn., placed second and sophomore Kayla Syck, of Tallassee, placed sixth. In class 2A, section 2 freshman Veronica Primavera, of Deatsville, placed second.

During the first Western show, freshman Mary Kilpatrick, of Dothan, placed first in novice, class 13 and freshman Bri Hunter, of Somerville, placed second. Junior Jana Davenport, of Jemison, placed second in class 12A, intermediate I and senior Lindy Cowart, of Brandon, Miss., placed third.

In class 11, beginner, sophomore, Rylee Parnell, of Tibe, placed second and sophomore Kayla Brasher, of Jemison, placed third.

During the second Western show, Kilpatrick placed third in class 13, and Hunter placed fifth. Junior Shelby Crews, of Greenville, placed third in class 12. Cowart placed second in class 12A and Davenport placed fourth. Parnell placed fifth in class 11.

During the second hunter show, Breimhorst placed reserve in class 2B, advanced, walk, trot canter. Primavera placed first, Syck placed fourth and King placed fifth.

Junior Faith Williams, of Crossville, represented Judson in the hunt seat division in the novice equitation and novice over fence classes. Junior Christina Duke, of Vestavia Hills, was unable to compete due to a sprained ankle.



The Judson College hunt seat equine team. Photo by Bill Mathews

FARMERS CAN WIN TRIP TO HAWAII

The Hawaii Crop Improvement Association and Hawaii Farm Bureau are sponsoring a contest to encourage farmers across the U.S. to share their personal stories about the impact of biotechnology on their agricultural viability.

One of the main purposes of this effort is to show Hawaii policymakers and stakeholders that the work of the seed industry in Hawaii directly benefits farmers throughout the country. Hawaii's seed industry contributes more than \$250 million per year to the local economy, and employs 2,000 people on the islands of Kauai, Maui, Molokai and Oahu. Some of the world's most important research in agriculture biotechnology is being grown in nurseries in Hawaii to address some of the greatest challenges being faced by farmers, including drought, poor soil condition and disease.

The top five most compelling stories will each receive a one-week, all expenses paid trip to Hawaii for themselves and a guest, valued at \$5,000 per farmer. Farmers will be asked to travel to Hawaii in late February 2013 and spend some of their time in the islands speaking personally about their stories to business leaders, lawmakers and the media.

The stories should be 1,000 words or less and should describe how biotechnology has positively impacted the agricultural operations on your farm. Suggested areas to highlight include reduced pesticide use, increased yield, enhanced environmental stewardship (land, energy or water) and improved economic sustainability (lower production costs). Also, include a short description about your farm.

All stories submitted will be published in a "Views from the Farm" booklet to help educate the public about the important



role of biotechnology as a tool to help farmers remain viable.

The deadline to submit stories is November 30. Farmers can submit their stories online at www.hciaonline.com/why-biotech/farmers/. Stories should be uploaded as either a Word document or pdf. Photos of the farmer and/or farm are also requested.

Stories will be judged on the degree to which the farmer addresses the suggested biotech discussion areas and their impact on the viability of their operation, the uniqueness of the story and the ability of the story to educate non-farmers about the important role of biotechnology. All stories will be checked for factual information.

Learn About Mosquitoes

Almost everyone has had the unpleasant experience of being bitten by a mosquito. While the bite can cause skin irritation, a more serious consequence of some bites may be the transmission of certain serious diseases, such as malaria, dengue fever and several forms of encephalitis, including West Nile virus.

The EPA has launched a new mosquito control website that provides information about removing mosquito habitats, preventing exposure and information on the diseases mosquitoes carry. Go to www.epa.gov/mosquitocontrol/ for more information.

HOUSE AGRICULTURE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN VISITS ALABAMA

By Mary Johnson
Alabama Farmers Federation

On a recent trip to Alabama in early October, House Agriculture Committee Chairman Frank Lucas, R-Okla., stopped in Cullman and Pike counties to speak with local farmers about the farm bill.

Lucas and U.S. Rep. Robert Aderholt, R-Ala., addressed a crowded room of farmers and legislators at Stone Bridge Farms in Cullman. Aderholt said hosting the luncheon was a good way for farmers to voice their concerns in an informal setting. "Farmers need to know what to expect and how to plan, and having a farm bill is so important," Aderholt said. "The greatest mistake we as Americans can make is looking to the rest of the world for our agricultural products. Chairman Lucas is committed to making sure farmers have a voice in Washington."

Lucas, the U.S. Rep. for

Oklahoma's 3rd District, is a fifth-generation farmer and said he understands the worries and problems farmers face everyday. Addressing concerns of the tabled farm bill, Lucas said the House has to make sure the 2012 farm bill represents all commodities, not just farmers who raise energy crops.

"When we get it wrong, the effect is dramatic. Getting farm bill policy right is so important to the future of American agriculture," Lucas said. "We can't make it rain, but we can provide crop insurance and other safety nets for rural America."

Lucas said fixing the problems with the food stamps program is a requirement before consensus will be achieved. "We want to help those who need help, but let's first make sure the people who are receiving this help actually qualify for it," Lucas said. "The language in the bill needs to reflect that before we pass a

bill that will negatively impact who it's supposed to protect."

Lucas also joined U.S. Rep. Martha Roby, R-Ala., for a meeting with south Alabama farmers at Talbot farm in the Tarentum Community between Troy and Brundidge. Roby, who serves on the House Agriculture Committee, said Lucas has been a tremendous advocate for agriculture and said he is doing all he can to address the concerns of American farmers.

"Everything you have brought to me, I have delivered those messages to our chairman, and he has honored that to the best of his ability," Roby said. "As a result, we have a farm bill that we have voted out of committee." Roby expected the bill to pass the House and work to begin on a compromise with the Senate. She added that this might be the only opportunity to pass a farm bill, depending on the outcome of the election.

NEW FEDERATION YOUNG FARMERS DIRECTOR

Jennifer Himburg has joined the Alabama Farmers Federation's Organizational Department as the Young Farmers director. She fills the vacancy left by Brandon Moore.

Himburg said of her new position, "I have always had tremendous respect for the Alabama Farmers Federation and the work they do in this state. To have the opportunity to work here and spend time working with future leaders of our industry is an incredible opportunity."

Prior to joining Alfa, Himburg worked with Cargill



Jennifer Himburg

Ag Horizons in Indiana as a farm marketer.

"Jennifer's tenure with Cargill and her experience as a

state and national FFA officer have given her a perspective of agriculture that will be extremely valuable to the Alabama Farmers Federation," said Federation Organization Department Director Mike Tidwell. "She has developed strong leadership skills and her impact will be felt throughout the organization."

A native of Ariton, Himburg earned a Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Communication with a minor in Agricultural Leadership from Auburn University. She resides in Pike Road.

CELEBRATING 75 YEARS

In late September, officials with the Alabama Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, State Rep. Randy Davis (R-Daphne) and several associations celebrated the 75th anniversary of the Wildlife Restoration Act, which dedicates excise taxes collected at the manufacturers' level on hunting arms and ammunition to the states to pay for wildlife management.

The act was signed into law in 1937 by President Franklin Roosevelt, providing 3-to-1 matching grants to the state to be used for reintroduction of declining species, acquisition of wildlife habitat, hunter education and other wildlife-related work.

"The dramatic turnaround that has occurred since that time and the abundance of wildlife we enjoy today is especially important in Alabama, where so much of our economy is based on the hunting and fishing opportunities we offer," Davis said.

ALABAMA LIVESTOCK SUMMARY

Cattle and calves at reported markets throughout the state for October totaled an estimated 55,000 head compared to 55,186 head for September and 61,092 head for October 2011. Compared to last period: Slaughter cows and bulls sold \$4 to \$5 lower. Feeder steers sold steady to \$2 lower. Feeder heifers sold \$2 to \$4 lower. Trade light with light to moderate demand on feeders throughout the month of October. Replacement cows and pairs sold \$50 per head higher. Feeder classes for the month of October consisted of 21 percent steers, 40 percent heifers, and 39 percent bulls.

Slaughter Cows Breaker 70-80% Lean

Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
1185-1385	1284	70.00-75.00	73.14
1440-1750	1556	70.00-75.00	72.89
1155-1515	1422	65.50-70.50	67.97 Low Dressing
1150-1550	1472	75.00-78.00	76.55 High Dressing

Slaughter Cows Boner 80-85% Lean

Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
970-1370	1137	73.00-78.00	75.34
1405-1720	1491	73.00-78.00	74.42
910-1365	1124	68.00-73.00	70.68 Low Dressing
1425-1570	1478	79.00-81.00	79.97 High Dressing

Slaughter Cows Lean 85-90% Lean

Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
985-1305	1119	67.00-72.00	68.98
950-1370	1131	61.00-66.00	63.53 Low Dressing

Slaughter Bulls Yield Grade 1-2

Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
1150-1490	1238	85.00-89.00	86.94
1530-2240	1830	88.00-93.00	90.04
1100-1865	1730	82.00-85.00	83.92 Low Dressing
1640-1920	1821	94.00-96.50	95.54 High Dressing

Feeder Steers Medium and Large 1

Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
350-395	379	184.00-194.00	187.48
410-440	420	166.00-174.00	169.39
450-480	461	154.00-162.00	157.37
515-545	533	144.00-151.00	148.11
551-590	561	137.00-143.00	140.39
600-645	631	127.00-133.00	130.76
655-685	668	122.00-130.00	128.04
700-737	723	122.00-125.00	123.58
755-760	756	120.00-124.00	123.46
810-830	820	112.00-118.00	114.96
850-880	867	108.00-115.00	111.63

Feeder Steers Medium and Large 2

Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
375-385	380	170.00-179.00	174.82
405-445	420	160.00-168.00	161.64
460-485	474	146.00-155.00	148.93
500-540	526	137.00-145.00	142.39
550-595	580	129.00-138.00	133.59
600-645	620	125.00-130.00	128.20
655-680	666	119.00-125.00	122.90

Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 1

Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
300-345	328	158.00-167.00	163.94
355-395	372	148.00-157.00	150.90
405-445	422	137.00-146.00	140.70
450-490	468	131.00-140.00	133.74
505-545	526	125.00-133.00	127.66
555-595	575	119.00-127.00	122.17
600-645	615	117.00-122.00	118.65
650-695	676	114.00-120.00	117.44
705-740	723	108.00-115.00	111.98
750-795	773	100.00-108.00	105.58

Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 2

Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
310-345	331	150.00-158.00	155.00
350-395	380	138.00-148.00	142.07
400-445	423	130.00-139.00	134.51
450-495	472	124.00-132.00	127.08
500-545	527	118.00-127.00	122.81
550-595	572	115.00-120.00	117.68
600-645	617	111.00-118.00	114.80
650-690	674	107.00-114.00	109.18
710-735	724	100.00-108.00	104.61

Source: USDA-AL Dept of Ag Market News Service, Montgomery, AL, David Garcia, OIC / Office 334-223-7488. For more information contact: Montgomery.lgmn@ams.usda.gov.

ANIMAL AGRICULTURE 101

Animal control officers, sheriff deputies and others interested in farm animal care are encouraged to attend one of four Animal Agriculture 101 classes held across the state during November.

Animal Ag 101 provides attendees with a basic understanding of production practices, as well as creates a resource for local animal shelters and officials who deal with animal care complaints.

Sessions include information from experts in the fields of cattle, equine, swine, poultry, sheep and goats. Qualifying occupations may receive continuing education credits for the course, and all attendees will receive a certificate for five hours of instruction.

Each session is scheduled from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Session dates and venues are:

- **November 8** — Tuscaloosa, Law Enforcement Academy at 7601 Robert Cardinal Rd.

- **November 15** — Madison, Tennessee Valley Research and Extension Center at 9494 Experimental Loop

- **November 27** — Mobile, John Archer Agricultural Center at 1070 Schillinger Rd. N.

- **November 29** — Auburn, Ham Wilson Arena at 650 S. Donahue Dr.

Registration is \$15 per person and includes lunch. To register, visit ALVMA.com or call 334-395-0086.

The Alabama Ag 101 is sponsored by the Alabama Coalition for Farm Animal Care and Well-Being.

LONGLEAF STEWARDSHIP FUND PROPOSALS BEING ACCEPTED

The National Fish and Wildlife Foundation (NFWF), in partnership with Southern Co., the USDA Forest Service, the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service, the Department of Defense and the US Fish and Wildlife Service, has announced the availability of the Longleaf Stewardship Fund 2013 Request for Pre-proposals (RFP).

The Longleaf Stewardship Fund supports accelerated restoration of the longleaf

pine ecosystem through collaborative and result-oriented actions that contribute to the restoration goals in the Range-Wide Conservation Plan for Longleaf Pine, as part of the America's Longleaf Restoration Initiative.

The funding partners are engaged in longleaf restoration activities because they share a goal of restoring and protecting this iconic and diverse ecosystem that once dominated the Southeast. The partners are

committed to improving forest health, engaging and supporting private landowners, protecting and restoring wildlife, and maintaining the military mission of installations.

This coming year, the partners anticipate awarding approximately \$2.5 million to \$3.5 million for projects within the historical longleaf range in North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas.

Please closely review the RFP available at www.nfwf.org/longleaf/rfp for funding priorities, competitive criteria and eligibility guidelines. Pre-proposals must be submitted by 11:59 p.m. (CST) on November 13, via NFWF's online application system in order to be considered.

Applicants may contact Suzanne Sessine at suzanne.sessine@nfwf.org or David O'Neill at david.oneill@nfwf.org with any questions.



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