

Muhlenberg County Agriculture & Natural Resources Newsletter

The Muhlenberg County Cooperative Extension Service will be closed on Thursday, July 4, 2024 in observance of Independence Day.

Beef Production and Cattlemen's Association meeting has been cancelled for July. Our next meeting will be Monday, August 5 at Paul Grace's farm located at 1946 State Route 1380 in Greenville, KY. Registration gets underway at 5:00 PM and the tour will start at 5:20 PM. **Please contact the Extension Service by July 19 to pre-register. I need to have a head count for the meal.**

Farmers Market Customer Appreciation Day will be Saturday, July 13 from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM at the market. There will be free homemade ice cream and Dutch oven cobblers. There will also be an ample supply of fresh, locally grown produce, eggs, meats, canned goods and baked goods for sale.

Beekeepers meeting will be Monday, July 15. The meeting will begin at 6:00 PM at the Extension Service. There will be potluck meal. Please bring finger foods and drinks.

UK Corn, Soybean and Tobacco Field Day will be Tuesday, July 23. The field day will be held at the Research and Education Center farm located on HWY 91 South in Princeton, KY. Look for the signs marking the venue. Wagons leave the registration site at 8:00 AM. Scan the QR Code with your smartphone for more information and to register for the event.



County Fair Hay Contest entries will be accepted on Monday, July 8 from 12:00 Noon until 3:00 PM only. Entries can only be square bales from the 2024 growing season. Classes are listed in the Exhibit Hall Guidebook; stop by the Extension Service to pick up a copy, or find more information online at the Muhlenberg County Fair website: mcfairky.com.

Scan the QR Code with your smartphone to download a copy of the latest issue of the UK Corn and Soybean Newsletter.



Find information on corn and grain sorghum diseases and soybeans at the website below. After you go to the site, you will have access to several publications regarding corn and soybean production and management via the Crop Protection Network or your University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service. Scan the QR Code with your smartphone, or visit this website: <https://plantpathology.ca.uky.edu/>. Click on Extension, then Publications.



Rinse and Return Farm Chemical Container Recycling Program will be Wednesday, August 7 from 9 to 11 AM at the Extension Service parking lot. All pesticide containers must be triple rinsed and all lids and labels must be removed before being brought to the site.

2024 Muhlenberg County Farmers Market Hours
Tuesday & Thursday 3 PM to 6 PM (or sellout)
Saturday 8 AM to 12 PM (or sellout)

Soil Test Vouchers are no longer available at the Conservation District for the time being. However, the Extension Service is offering free soil testing for producers.

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