

# Muhlenberg County Agriculture & Natural Resources Newsletter

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*Note: All meetings will be held at the Muhlenberg County Cooperative Extension Service unless noted otherwise.*

**The Muhlenberg County Cooperative Extension Service will be closed November 5 for Election Day, November 28 and 29 for Thanksgiving, and December 25-January 1, 2025.**

**There will not be a Cattlemen's Association/Beef Production meeting in November. We will be hosting a CAIP Wrap Up Workshop from 6:00 to 8:00 PM on Monday, November 4, 2024 in lieu of the monthly meeting.** CAIP participants can come to the office and receive assistance on reviewing and completing their applications and supporting documents. Please contact the Extension Service and make an appointment if you need help. **The deadline for submitting the CAIP application and supporting materials is Friday, December 6 at 12:00 PM.**

**Beekeepers meeting** will be Monday, November 18 at 6:00 PM. Please bring finger foods and drinks for the meeting.

**Final two webinars in the Crop Webinar Series are:**



**November 12 at 9:00 AM**-Dr. Travis Legleiter, Extension Weeds Specialist-**Title:** Spray Application Parameters-The Offensive Line of Herbicide Applications



**November 26 at 9:00 AM.** Dr. Carl Bradley, Extension Plant Pathologist-**Title:** Management of Important Wheat Diseases in Kentucky

**Private Pesticide Applicator License classes** will be January 14, 2025. The first class will be at 9:30 AM. The class will be repeated at 6:00 PM. Class participants will need to bring a piece of mail with their address on it and their drivers license/some form of government issued identification. I will be sending correspondence to those whose license expires as of December 31 2024.

**Grain Market Update meeting** will be Tuesday, January 28, 2025. The meeting will be at 10:00 AM. The guest speaker will be Dr. Grant Gardner from the Agricultural Economics Department. Topics include: market outlook, formulating a marketing plan, and the state of the agricultural economy.

**The 2024 corn hybrid trials** can be found here: <https://publications.ca.uky.edu/sites/publications.ca.uky.edu/files/PR849.pdf>

**Scan the QR Code with your smartphone to download the 2024 Soybean Variety Trial.** This is an Excel spreadsheet version but producers can click on the tabs at the bottom of the spreadsheet to see all of the test locations, seed source traits, test site information, and maturity group information.



The 2024 corn and soybean harvest will be wrapping up over the next few weeks. Although it has been a relatively good fall for harvest; late planting due to the rains in May and June is one of the reasons for the delayed harvest. Corn and soybean yields have been mixed due to the weather as well. Decisions will need to be made soon regarding seed purchases or in some cases have already been made. Hopefully the information above will be beneficial with those decisions. Be sure to look at all sites and then the combined state reports as well.

For more information on topics in this newsletter contact Darrell Simpson, Extension Agent for Agriculture and Natural Resources Education at 270-338-3124 or email me at [roger.simpson@uky.edu](mailto:roger.simpson@uky.edu).

**A full list of all of our upcoming events can be found on our website ([muhlenberg.ca.uky.edu](http://muhlenberg.ca.uky.edu)) under the Upcoming Events tab.**

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