Madison County Agriculture Newsletter

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2023 MADISON COUNTY YOUTH AGRICULTURE **INCENTIVES PROGRAM - YAIP**

A second year program for Madison County youth is underway called YAIP (Youth Agriculture Incentives Program). It is administered by the Madison County Farm Bureau Federation through Kentucky Agricultural Development funds. There are 50/50 Cost-Share Investment Areas for youth up to \$1,500 in the areas of:

AG Diversification; Animal Production; Forage Improvement; Showmanship; FFA Supervised Agricultural Experiences; and others.

Youth ages 9-18 can pick up an application at any of the following locations: All Madison County Farm Bureau Agency Locations, Madison Southern High School FFA, Madison Central High School FFA, and the Madison County Extension Office.

The application period is now through November 30, 2023. Applications are to be turned in at the Madison County Extension Office only by 4:30 pm on November 30, 2023.

For more information contact the Madison County Extension Office at 859-623-4072.

CPH-45 SALE DECEMBER 6TH - LEXINGTON

Our fall CPH-45 feeder calf sale will be held at the Bluegrass Stockyards in Lexington on Wednesday December 6, 2023 at 6 p.m.

- Tags will be sold through the KY Beef Network as in the past. Call 859-278-0899.
- Updated forms available at the Madison County Extension Office or online at www.cph45.com, look under "Producer Forms".
- All consignors must have a current BQA number, use approved CPH-45 tags, vaccinate and deworm, use a mineral that meets program requirements & other guidelines also required.

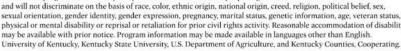
Give me a call, 859-623-4072, with any questions, or to inspect your calves.



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UK BEEF MANAGEMENT WEBINAR SERIES

Registration is necessary! Please send an email to dbullock@uky.edu with Beef Webinar in the subject line and your name and county in the message.

You will receive the direct link with a password the morning of each meeting. This invitation will directly link you to the site and you will be asked for the password which can be found just below the link. Each session will be recorded and posted for later viewing. **All meeting times are 8:00pm ET/7:00pm CT**.

December 12, 2023

Shooting the Bull: Answering all your Beef Related Questions! – Updates and Roundtable discussion with UK Specialists

January 9, 2024

Management decisions that impact reproductive efficiency in beef herds – George Perry, Professor, Texas A&M University

February 13, 2024

What's the Cost of a Cheap Mineral – Katie VanValin, Assistant Extension Professor, University of Kentucky

This is NOT an in person meeting. If you have questions, please call 859-623-4072.

BEEF MANAGEMENT 101

Managing your cattle this winter:

Health, Reproduction, Genetics, & Nutrition

Presented by: Animal Science Students from the University of Kentucky and Dr. Jeff Lehmkuhler, Extension Beef Nutritionist

When: Wednesday December 6th starting at 6:00 pm

Where: 230 Duncannon Lane, Richmond, KY

(Madison County Extension Office)

Presentation topics:

Beef cattle Health, Reproduction, Genetics, and Nutrition:

- Pre-calving nutrition
- · Health guidelines for weaning programs
- Effective breeding objectives
- Lab to pasture: In-Vitro Fertilization in cattle reproduction

A meal will be served. Call ahead by Monday, December 4th. (859) 623-4072

** This is a CAIP Educational Component Eligible Meeting **



CENTRAL KENTUCKY HAY PROGRAM

PROGRAM FEATURES:

Central KY Hay Contest Results

Dr. Jimmy Henning Extension Forage Specialist

Understanding your forage test results

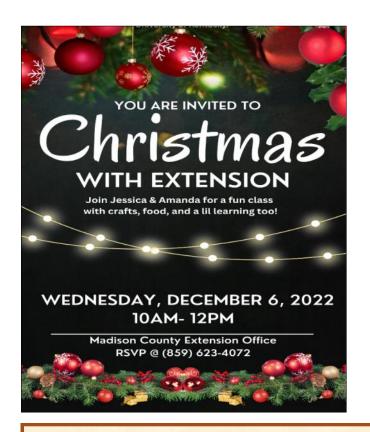
Supplementing for your livestock needs

When: Monday, December 4th, 2023

Where: Fayette County Extension Office,

1140 Harry Sykes Way, Lexington, KY 40504

Please RSVP to the Fayette County Extension Office at 859-257-5582 before November 27th!





FREE SOIL TESTING!

Madison County Cooperative Extension Service offers free soil testing year round. We need at least <u>two cups</u> of dry soil to run a test. If you have questions on how to collect your samples, call 859-623-4072.

Agricultural and horticultural samples from Madison County residents will be accepted. There is a 10 sample limit per farm or home per calendar year! (Please note: Commercial lawn care companies submitting samples do not qualify for free soil testing; call 859-623-4072 for pricing.) We would like to thank our sponsors for making this possible:

Madison County Extension District Board and Madison County Conservation District



Roast Venison

- * 4 pounds venison roast
- * 1 teaspoon salt
- 2 tablespoons flour
 2 tablespoons oil
- * ¼ teaspoon garlic powder
- 1 onion, sliced
 2 tablespoons brown sugar
- ¼ cup lemon juice
- 4 cups low-sodium
- canned tomatoes

 * ¼ teaspoon browning
- ¼ teaspoon browning sauce, if desired

Season roast with salt and roll in flour. Brown on all sides in hot oil in a heavy skillet. Place in a slow cooker and add remaining ingredients. Cook on low for 10 hours or on high for 6 hours.

Leftovers ideas: cold sandwiches, heated in barbecue sauce for hot sandwiches, or diced into soup or stew.

Yield: 12 servings

Adapted from Venison Recipe Collection, Compiled by Becky Nash, Extension Agent for Family and Consumer Sciences

Serving size 5 ounces (255g	
Amount per serving Calories	250
% Da	aily Value
Total Fat 6g	8%
Saturated Fat 2g	10%
Trans Fat 0g	
Cholesterol 130mg	43%
Sodium 300mg	13%
Total Carbohydrate 10g	4%
Dietary Fiber 2g	7%
Total Sugars 5g	
Includes 2g Added Sugar	4%
Protein 36g	
Vitamin D Omog	0%
Calcium 11mg	09
Iron 5mg	309
Potassium 498mo	109

Find this Cook Wild Kentucky recipe and others for Fish, Venison, Rabbit, Dove, Frog Legs, and more at: https://www.planeatmove.com/recipes/, then Browse by Category, and choose Cook Wild Kentucky.

MADISON COUNTY BEEKEEPERS ASSOCIATION

Madison County Beekeepers Association will meet Monday, November 27, 6:00 pm, at the Madison County Extension Office. For information, call Kent, 859-623-3576, or Paul, 859-582-6172.

PLATE IT UP! KENTUCKY PROUD!

Whether it's spring, summer, fall or winter, you can Plate It Up with delicious recipes that put a new twist on your favorite Kentucky Proud foods.

Visit http://fcs-hes.ca.uky.edu/piukp-recipes to find all the Plate It Up recipes using Kentucky Proud products.