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TEACHING GEORGIA GROWN: Albany culinary students get creative with homegrown foods

There's a new chain restaurant opening up in Albany that has everyone excited. Everyone, that is, except for Chef Todd White, chair of Albany Technical College's Culinary Arts program, who believes success tastes more like Georgia and less like everywhere else.

To make that point to his students, White is introducing them to the bounty of Georgia with the help of Georgia Grown member and TV personality Lara Lyn Carter. Carter, who produces her own line of culinary sauces under the Wicker & Whisk name, hosted a recipe contest for White's students that challenged them to develop delicious new dishes using Carter's sauces and foods grown and produced locally.

They delivered dishes that were both avant-garde (Port Mustard Cheesecake) and traditional with a twist (Pretzel & Herb-Crusted Oven-Fried Catfish served with a Roasted Vegetable Herb Medley, which won the day. See the recipe on Page 6).

The panel of judges who deemed the catfish dish to be the best overall representation of Georgia-grown Southern cuisine consisted of: Beth Meeks, southern marketing supervisor for the Georgia Department of Agriculture's Georgia Grown program; Albany Herald Digital Editor Brad McEwan; WALB anchor Melissa Hodges; and Southwest Georgia Living Editor K.K. Snyder.



Georgia Grown Marketing Manager Beth Meeks, Chef Todd White and Lara Lyn Carter at Albany Technical College.

The catfish, White said, was one dish the judges believed would be easy to replicate at home.

"It's something that reminds you of South Georgia, and incorporates new flavors and new twists," he said. "It was really good."

Carter praised every entrant in the contest for their creativity and willingness to "think outside the box" with their ideas.

"A lot of great chefs are about to leave this school, and they'll be the chefs in the restaurants and the resorts and their own private restaurants, and whatever they end up doing, I promise you, it will be good," Carter said. "They've gotten a great foundation and they are creative."

Carter is a tireless advocate for Georgia-grown goodness, promoting her home state at food festivals nationwide and on her "Thyme to Share" cooking show on Georgia Public Broadcasting. Carter won an Emmy Award June 11 for her work on the show.

She consults frequently with the technical school's culinary arts program, even enlisting the students' help to prepare 8,500 whiskey bites – a confection made of espresso, whiskey and chocolate – for the two-day Food Network & Cooking Channel South Beach Wine and Food Festival in Miami last February.

White wants graduates of his culinary arts program to leave with the same measure of knowledge and enthusiasm about the flavors of their home that Carter possesses.

"Our students, they grew up here but they're kind of blind to what's around them," he said.

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Notice

Ads for the July 20 issue – including Farmland for Rent or Lease – are due by noon, July 6.

Open for Business

If you're looking for a wholesome family day-trip, look no further than the Union County Farmers Market in Blairsville. On any given Saturday more than 80 farmers and artisans gather from all corners of Appalachia, bringing foods and farm-based products you can't buy anywhere else. See story, Page 12.



COYOTES IN EVERY COUNTY:

Farmers employ donkeys, guardian dogs to protect livestock from predation



A turkey and its Akbash guard dog at White Oak Pastures in Bluffton. (Provided photo)

A North Georgia wildlife trapper made the news in early June for nabbing three coyotes over the span of just two weeks. It isn't the "what" that made this feat newsworthy, however, but the "where." All three animals were captured in residential areas of Sandy Springs, a city of 100,000 people who live and work just 20 miles north of downtown Atlanta.

The presence of coyotes anywhere in Georgia is not unusual, said Drew Larson, a wildlife biologist with the Georgia Department of Natural Resources in Social Circle.

"We have coyotes in every county of the state," Larson said. "Over the past several decades they've really spread throughout the Eastern half of the U.S., and they're even found in Central Park in New York City."

This isn't news to Georgia farmers raising livestock.

"Generally coyotes are wary, shy creatures. They don't tend to be aggressive toward humans," Larson said, "but they are predators, and they do eat animals such as fawns and small livestock. Rarely do they take down larger animals like full-grown deer."

Mike Coggins started having issues with coyotes on his cattle ranch about 10 years ago. Coggins owns Blackwater Cattle in Lake Park down near the Georgia-Florida line. He heard from other ranchers that donkeys were effective at controlling predators, so he introduced them into his Brahman-influenced herds.

"I've never seen one kill a coyote or anything like that but we just See **COYOTES**, page 12

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1-row Dearborn 13-1 planter, SN# 102, engages and disengages well, 24 plates; \$550 OBO. W.C. Ramsey **Lynons** 912-565-9865

1-row new Cole gravity feed fertilizer distributor; \$175. Frank Carlton **Thomasville** 229-403-7520

10' and 12' heavy-duty land levelers; \$1600 and \$1800. Mike Hulett **Hazlehurst** 912-253-0162

10-ton gooseneck trailer with dual-axles, 19' + 5' with dual-electric brakes; \$3500. Steve York **Toccoa** 706-491-7540 706-491-1549

12-ton trailer, 24' dual tandem-axle, pintle hitch, beaver tail with air brakes; \$5000. Al Simpson **Hogansville** 770-668-4617

1320 Ford tractor, 5' box scrape, 6' scrape blade, 5' Ford finish mower 5.5" spring plow; \$7500. Nathan Smith **Canton** 770-316-9333

14L Cummins 855 (14L) irrigation engine, 235HP, PTO clutch rebuilt, replaced crankshaft, pistons, liners; \$8500 OBO. Linda D. Collins **Ailey** 912-293-3576

16' cattle trailer, well-built; \$1400 OBO. Thomas J Miller **Buena Vista** 229-314-0930 229-649-1649

18' Rollin S gooseneck livestock trailer with divider inside. John C Adkins **Arabi** 229-273-6289

19' KLM S-tine field cultivator, \$1800; 7' Land Pride mower RCR1884, \$2000. James J Greene **Bainbridge** 229-254-3312

1949 Allis Chalmers G, good condition, front cultivators, new rear tires; \$2800. Stanley Moon **Covington** 770-464-2504 404-630-0958

1950 John Deere A tractor, new paint and front tires, 12V alternator, rear tires 50% tread; \$3000. James Smith **Oakfield** 229-535-4248

1950s Ford 8N tractor with new lift, gas tank, 12V system, exhaust, carburetor, heavy-duty grille; \$2800. Charles Gay **Eastman** 478-374-5875

1951 8N for parts or restoration; \$500. Alan Mabry **Marietta** 770-880-3542

1952 Farmall cub tractor, excellent condition, new tires, battery and paint, with cultivator and layoff plows; \$2800. Shawn Dyer **Blairsville** 706-994-7575

1952 Ford 8N tractor, converted to 12V, w/ bush hog and finish mower; \$2300. Brian Denis **Douglasville** 678-223-8708

1952 Ford 8N w/rebuilt motor, new tires, runs good, 4' finish mower; \$3500. Donald Morrison **Folkston** 912-462-5811

1952 John Deere B, good condition; \$3900. David Shelton **Statham** 706-338-2730

1953 Ford Jubilee and 5' John Deere rotary mower, both in good condition; \$3500. Mike Roberson **Dublin** 478-275-0970

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1986 John Deere 1040, 50HP, loader, cab, strong tractor, very good tires; \$6700 OBO. Lee Cullipher **Lula** 770-869-1922

1986 Kubota L275 diesel tractor, 28HP, runs great, 3PT hitch, weights, disc harrow, scrape blade, old boom. Jerry Jacks **Grantville** 678-414-4414

1987 Suzuki Carry UTV, perfect for large farm and agricultural operations, used in an apiary. Robert Shoemaker **Chatsworth** gayiayia@windstream.net 706-264-4553

1989 used New Holland 565 hay baler, good condition; \$3500. Gary Jones **Hogansville** 706-637-6501

1991 dresser, 5-ton Cummins engine, runs great. Christopher Almand **Cleveland** 706-969-4284 706-969-0125

1994 Dragon 184, 22HP, 2-cycle diesel double transmission, 4WD; \$3000. N. Wood **Tailorsville** 678-757-6088

1995 Ford 250 LX, 3/4-ton, 5-speed, 402 engine, runs good; \$2800. Dixie Arnett **Tifton** 229-392-3921

1996 JD 650G, 95% undercarriage, winch, good working condition; \$32,500. Jenna Freeman **Tiger** 706-782-1789 706-982-4502

2 Champion pecan crackers, 1 shell-er and other equipment; \$9000 for all. Sidney Keadle 142 Hickman Fork Road **Thomaston** 30286 706-647-2328

20' Gooseneck equipment trailer, 7K axles, brakes on both, good 10-ply tires, brake box; \$3700. Jeff Strickland **Cartersville** 404-210-7033 404-210-6958

200-gallon tank row crop sprayer carries 16-rows with hydraulic booms, excellent condition; \$2200. Wade Parker **Millen** wparker@uga.edu 478-494-6536

2000 Gator farm utility vehicle, 6x4, runs great. Charles Corbett **Loganville** 770-714-7318

2001 Ditch Witch rider; Deutz diesel; 7-shank all-purpose plow; 4' T-posts; 3' roll of hog wire. Slate Long **Madison** 706-318-0402

2006 Mahindra model 2015, 20HP, diesel, 4WD, PTO, 3PT hitch, front loader, bush hog, 411 hours; \$7000. Kenneth Clark **Covington** 770-787-4429

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2006 Mf471 tractor, 72HP, diesel, 4WD, loader, cab, A/C, stereo, remotes, 280 hours; \$32,500 OBO. George Stoudenmire **Loganville** 770-845-6939

2015 JDRSXI Sport Gator, hydro. trans., 7 hours/10 miles, brush guard/skid plates, dump bed/alloy wheels; \$9995. John Jordan **Dawsonville** 706-344-8033 706-216-2527

24' 3-axle gooseneck trailer w/14' U-Haul box mounted on it; \$5000. Ronnie Taylor **Roberta** 478-918-5186

3 Powell tobacco barns, new heat exchangers, big boxes; \$6000 for all. Benji Anderson **Sylvania** 912-978-1486

1-disc turning plow with 3PT hitch. Joseph Weaver **Rockmart** 678-685-4036

30-ton wood splitter, new motor, cylinder and blade; \$1600. Bill Dowis **Morrow** 770-961-1278

300-gallon fuel tank, \$250; 12-gallons per minute pump, \$75. John Hutcheson **Dahlonaga** 706-864-3690

3155 John Deere tractor, ROP, 4WD, good condition; \$10,500. Doyle Moye **Dexter** 478-214-6101

3PT hitch, 3-blade tiller, \$500; Kuhn GMD 700G11 7 spinners, \$2500; NH 256 rake, \$2000 Jimmy Freeman **Boston** 229-221-0606 229-735-3091

4-row Monosem air planters, excellent condition, comes with several plates; \$7000. Tim Cook **Hazlehurst** 912-539-3544

4-row Paulk subsoil planter, \$1100; 2x14.9"-46"/2x14.9"x30" tires, \$800; 4-row KMC bedder, \$1700; 4-row Ford rotary hoe, \$800. Charles Finch **Portal** 912-536-7521

48" King Kutter mower, very good condition with low hours; \$450 OBO. Tony Craven **Hogansville** 706-523-6670

4x8 utility trailer; \$300 OBO. James Brown **Omega** 229-382-4768

5' bush hog, good condition, \$250; 5' box blade, fair condition, \$175. Lovis Rollar **Acworth** 678-614-2834

5' dist. harrow; 1-row-6-shank cultivator; 5' HD bush hog; 5' finish mower. Darwin Blansit **Trion** 706-238-0465

5' Hester 3-way rollover blade in excellent condition. Dane Law **Cartersville** 770-655-9210

5' Hico bush hog, well-maintained, freshly painted, field ready; \$250. Bob Marsh **Lawrenceville** 770-995-0637

5' Woods RM59 finish mower, deck rusted out, make an offer. Robert Chambers **Flowery Br** 770-967-6422

5-wheel hay rake, like new, \$600; 8-wheel V rake, field ready, \$1800. Ronnie Phillips **Statesboro** 912-690-2201 912-587-5262

58 Dexta diesel, upgrades to fuel system, brakes, seal, bearings, clutch, cooling, leave message; \$2700. Boyd Lake **Thomson** 706-595-7563

580 D Case backhoe, good condition. Frank Gresham **Temple** 404-259-1055

6' box blade; \$300. Charles Mccrary **Americus** 229-815-6540

6' cutter, 3PT hitch, PTO drive, good shape; \$450 OBO. Warren Sapp **Ellabell** 912-661-1443

6' harrow, scalloped disc, front and rear; \$400. James H Adkison **Albany** 229-436-5369

6' round bale fork, 3 PT hitch, \$150; 6' box blade, 3 PT hitch, \$300. Byron Cook **Fort Valley** 478-825-1981

6.5HP Craftsman 17" rear tine tiller w/counter-rotating tines, Briggs and Stratton engine, gently used, great condition. William Greene **Gainesville** sideoil29@yahoo.com 770-561-1181

6.5HP Craftsman rear tine tiller; \$350; 8HP Craftsman 3-cutting stage mulching/bagging chipper/cutter, \$300. Jerry Newton **Hartwell** 706-436-9860

66 AC All-Crop combine; New Idea 309 corn picker; John Deere 10, PTO, corn sheller. Wes Smith **Thomaston** 706-648-4210

7' bush hog RDTH-84, finish mower, excellent condition; \$2200. Danny Greene **Cordele** 817-983-3466

790JD, 4WD w/29HP, 670 hours, loader, 5' finish mower, sheltered; \$15,500. Phillip Minchew **Macon** 478-951-4421

8-row John Deere 7100 planters, 38 in rows. Don Hobbs. Jr. **Dexter** 478-697-0462

8N Ford with 5' bush hog, both ready to work; \$1800. Mack Crosby **Sale City** 229-336-1253

941B track loader in good condition with only one owner. James Cantrell **Ellijay** 706-635-4242 706-273-9749

Aerator, 4' pull-type, needs paint, but in good condition; \$150. Wilson Pinnell **Macon** 478-746-7946

Antique tractor collection: 2 Allis Chalmers WD40s; WD45; Model B; Farmall H, none running; Jubilee Ford, running. Jesse H Arnett **Tifton** 229-382-6517

Antique tractor collection: Farmall A; Farmall C; Farmall F-20; Allis Chalmers B; Oliver RC 60. Ted Reeves **Sparta** 706-878-8562

AP plow, smoothing harrow, box blade, bush hog, cultivator and dirt scoop, all are 3PT hitch. Ernest Smith **Winder** 678-425-4986

Bobcat S-185 turbo machine, like new tires, paint, aux., 2003 hydraulics with high-flow, always well-maintained; \$16,500. Roy Pruitt **Douglasville** 770-949-5453 770-595-7891

Both rebuilt and with equipment: 1956 Farmall 100, \$3500; 1975 Farmall 140, \$3500. Mark Issenberg **Rising Fawn** 706-398-3232

Bush hog \$385; corn planter \$550; NH hay rake; bailer; lo-boy trailer \$685; cutting harrow; box scrape. Lynne Rhinehart **Ringgold** 706-338-7176

Bush hog 327 heavy-duty cutter, 7', 3PT, dual wheels, stored inside; \$4200 OBO. Audrey Hughes **Blakely** 404-822-0843

Bush Hog brand rotary cutter 8003, 8', medium-duty; \$4500. Ronnie Thomas 1070 Jerusalem Road **Watkinsville** 30677 706-207-7366

Case 1044 corn head, 4-row, excellent condition. Ethan Myers **Sycamore** 229-402-0409

Case 8465 hay baler, 5x6 rolls; also have Belarus 805 and 560 cab tractors. Larry Garrett **Royston** 706-498-4698

Case grain drill, \$400; New Holland square baler; other 3PT hitch farm equipment. Nelson Massey **Conyers** 770-483-2639

CAT 941 front end loader, farm used. Gerald Crittenden **Williamson** 770-570-8333 770-884-5983

Circular sawmill, Cummins power plant, 3-head blocks, all steel carriage; \$5250. Clay Brown **Calhoun** 770-548-7097

Cub Farmall with cultivator, \$2500 OBO; Farmall Super A tractor w/planter and cultivator, \$3000 OBO. Gary Mitchell **Monroe** 678-863-1633

Deutz diesel farm tractor, 68HP, air cooled, barn kept, VGC; \$6000. Richard Balkcum **Augusta** 706-592-9584 706-231-5011

Excavator bucket 32-1/2", front pin 10" between bosses, rear pin 5" between bosses, rear 14" on-center. Donald Almand **Cleveland** 706-318-7565 706-865-7134

Farm tractors, loader/backhoe, hay bailing equipment, plows, harrows and stock trailers. Jane A Rutledge **McDonough** 678-372-6443

Farmall tractors: H, Super H and F20; also John Deere B. Harold Flanigan **Hoschton** 770-945-4818

Flatbed trailer with ramps, bumper-pull type, 7.5Wx16L, 2 5/16 hitch, very good condition; \$500. Raymond Reece **Woodstock** 770-926-4236

Ford 1215 tractor, 3 cycle diesel, 16HP, w/332 hours, always sheltered, one owner, excellent condition; \$3000. Ronnie Quarles **Waleska** 770-720-2484 404-408-5793

Ford 4630 tractor, excellent condition, front end loader, spear and bucket; \$13,500. James Ray **Jasper** 770-893-7030

Ford 552 round baler, 4x5, manual tie, operator's manual; best offer. Eugene Sigers **Rockmart** 770-684-6914

Ford 8N, 1949 year, runs, good tires and sheet medal, lift needs work. Sam Caldwell **Barnesville** 404-826-1688 678-967-9050

Ford post hole digger with 12" auger and 3PT hitch; Walco hydraulic lift gate; best offer. R.H. Garrett **Statham** 770-725-5230

Front loader 2910 Ford loader, 4' bucket hoses; \$500 OBO. Jerry Hill **Junction City** 706-850-7839

Gehl 55 hammer mill with 2000 lb. capacity, sold as-is; \$400 firm. Jeff Lewis **Waycross** 912-283-8010

Generator 157KVA, 125kW, Detroit 471 turbo, 3 phase, very good condition, clean inside. Donal Dorsey **Talking Rock** 706-253-9888

Grade blade, 8' Danuser, multi-angle, 3PT hitch, excellent condition; \$650. Peggy Arnold **Hartwell** 706-376-0982

Grapple 72" skid steer hookups, like new; \$1250. Jim Bishop **Franklin** 706-675-3943

Gravely walk-behind tractor, with rotary plow, mower and rototiller; \$750. Chris Denney **Gainesville** 770-983-7195

Harrows, \$400 each; gill pulverizer, \$300; 20' aluminum gate, \$100. Fred Gayton **Cumming** 770-887-9476

Hay equipment: Kuhn GMD44 cutter; Agri's tedder; Ford 503 rake; NH 273 634 balers. Burton Eichel 4109 Washington Rd **Thomson** 30824

Hay Master 8-bale pull-behind hay accumulator; \$5500. Shawn Cox **Covington** 678-409-6233

Hay unroller, 4'W, w/cyl. pallet fork/spear combo, 3PT hitch. William Harris **Elberton** 706-283-6615

Hay wagons in great shape, can connect together; 16' for \$1200, and 24' for \$1400, cash only. Dick Anderson **Sharpsburg** 770-883-0789

Hesston 5540 round baler, field ready, \$2000. James Palmour **Clarkesville** 706-839-6337 419-340-8904

Heston 540 baler, \$3000; 9' cutter, \$2500; wing rake, \$1200; MR 253 tractor, \$8750. Charles E Shewbert **Jefferson** 706-654-7037

Hiniker 5710 silage cutter with Richardson side dump wagon; \$13,000, or trade for beef heifers. Jay Mccranie **Metter** 30439 mccraniefarms@yahoo.com 912-682-0909

Hoelscher 1000 hay accumulator, very nice, \$6500; 5 Cumberland Expert 64+ poultry house controllers, \$250 each. Paul Sanders **Stephens** 706-296-9411

Homemade 5x8 trailer w/lights, ramp, new tires, \$525; 20-disc Wahlberg smoothing harrow w/adj. angle, 6' cut, \$695 Harvel Hamm **Carrollton** 770-854-6675

Homemade trailer, 5x8, w/lights, ramp, wood floor, new tires, \$525; 20-disc Wahlberg smoothing harrow, 6' cut, \$695. Harvel Hamm **Carrollton** 770-841-6685

Hopper-cooled engine, 5HP IHC LB flat belt pulley, cast iron flat belt air compressor, 85-gallon tank; \$300/all. Duane Conner **Helena** 912-568-7689

Husqvarna HU700F self-propelled walk-behind mower, 22", Honda GVC160 engine, selling for parts; \$125 OBO. James Williams **Nashville** 229-563-3313

Husqvarna LG2654 lawn mower, 78 hours, 26HP Kohler commercial engine, 54" cut, heavy-duty commercial deck; \$2000. Art Johns **Dawson** 229-343-3627

IH 1660 grain head and corn head, 3200 hours GC; Case 1150B bulldozer with a new undercarriage. Donnie Hopkins **Fitzgerald** 229-424-3261

JD 1590 grain drill; Lawson 12"x42" aerator; 12' BHC shredder. Leo Perfect **Unadilla** 478-627-3820 478-955-2362

JD 435 baler, stored 5 years, \$4000; cycle mower, stored 20 years, \$350. R. Dennis Christopher **Mansfield** 770-385-0714 404-558-1637

JD 450B rebuilt loader; disc harrow; utility trailers; 3PT plows; garden tractor; other 3 PT farm equipment. Burley Roberts **Canton** 678-462-3123

JD 450B w/new clutch, good undercarriage and tracks, ready to work w/ new teeth on bucket; \$12,000. Tommy Hawkins **Wrens** 706-830-7042 706-547-6269

JD 467 baler, 200 year; \$12,000. Loys Thompson 1830 Cordele Hwy **Pineview** 31071 478-278-7932

JD 468 baler, silage special, net-wrap; JD 7210 tractor, C/A, excellent condition. Larry Hattaway **Macon** 478-396-5448

JD 9976 cotton picker, 6-row, great for parts, lots of recent work. David Hibner **Stapleton** 478-494-9014

JD MX8 mower, semi-mount, hydraulic swing, lift wheels, dual spindle, stump jumpers, chain guards; \$5800. Frank Dillard **Buena Vista** frank.dillard@coldwellbanker.com 706-575-6776

JD X320 mower, 48" cut, 22HP, 372 hours; 2007 JD 468 round baler, net-wrap. James Martin **Waynesboro** 706-558-5005

JD338 square baler, shed kept, ready to use. Jerry Cox **Fayetteville** 770-461-7938

JD375 baler, \$2400; Kuhn GMD600 mower, \$1500; Hooper trailer, \$3000; cattle trailer, \$2500; hay rake, \$1500. Bobby E Jones **Monroe** 770-207-7518

JD530 round baler with monitor, \$5500; JD920 impeller mower-conditioner, \$6500; NH tedder, \$1500; IH5300 grain drill, \$6500. A. Bacon **Dudley** 478-697-0485

JD770 tractor, 1991, 3-cycle diesel, excellent cond., includes 5' finish mower and 3 plows, stored inside; \$7400. Coy Stowe **Dacula** 678-386-5815

JD955 72" mower and quick connect bucket, excellent maintenance, 1833 hours; \$10,000. Richard Katz **Cherry Log** 678-234-5646

JD9950 4R cotton picker w/mud hog, 1989 year, runs, drives and picks good; \$7000 OBO. John Griffin **Tifton** 229-445-0495

John Deere 1219 MOCO for parts/repair, good rolls but needs reel repair, photos available; \$800. Tyler Hendrix **Ball Ground** 404-513-4252

John Deere 2555 tractor; Ford 5030 tractor. Neal Greene **Oglethorpe** 478-949-3055 478-235-9347

John Deere 430, runs, but needs radiator; \$1500. Jerald Cleghorne **Colbert** 706-338-4197

John Deere 455D, fire damaged, but w/plenty of good parts or for restoration; \$2500. R.B. Crawford **Lagrange** 706-302-6714

John Deere 468 baler, very good condition, new parts, only 9700 roll bales. Charlie Singletary **Nashville** 229-507-0129

John Deere 5320, canopy, loader, 1250 hours, barn kept, excellent condition, perfect for food plots; \$18,000. Dale Meeks **Elaville** 352-406-6972

John Deere 5425 tractor, 4WD, less than 1400 hours, like new turf tires. Steve Mcallister **Rock Spring** 706-996-3254

John Deere 7720 combine, \$10,500; John Deere 9965 cotton picker, \$11,300; Massey Ferguson 245, \$4750 Andy Sumner **Wrightsville** 478-484-6984

John Deere 9970 cotton picker is in excellent condition and field ready. Hush Hosch **Buford** 770-789-3258

John Deere deer plot drill, 3PT hitch, 7'-8'W; \$2200. Royce Hulett **Hazlehurst** 912-375-3008 912-253-0161

John Deere Flex 71 2-row corn planter, good working condition; \$995. A.J. Acheson **Woodbury** captajacheson@gmail.com 770-315-8133

John Deere riding lawn mower, \$625; 6' disc harrow, \$800; 12' Brillion cultipacker \$1500 OBO. Joe Hollis **Stapleton** 321-650-2410

John Deere rotary cutter model HX 10, pull-type, excellent condition; \$5500. Robert Miller **Greenville** 706-672-4556 850-294-9709

Kelley backhoe attachment for farm tractor, requires 75HP or larger tractor, good condition; \$4000. Derrick Carter **Adel** 229-921-7344

KMC 4-row peanut inverter, 2005 year. Kay Tanner **Axson** 912-592-8408

KMC 6 peanut picker, 2015 year; KMC hydraulic 4-row digger, 2008 year; 6-row Colombo, 2008 year. Gary Smith **Broxton** 912-393-5742

Krone 25' tedder and Case IH Puma 170 with 500 hours, both in excellent condition. Larry Young **Tennille** 478-232-6321

Kubota 225 tractor, 1972 year, diesel, owner/service manual, fuel pump needs work; \$1500. Royal Harris **Marietta** 770-971-8840 404-569-4890

Kubota 3400 hydrostatic diesel, 4WD w/loader, 150 hours, \$14,000; 6' Land Pride finish mower, used 4x, \$1400. Y.W. Smith **Winder** 770-403-2545

Kubota B2150HST, 1996 year, 4WD, hydrostatic, 60" belly mower w/833 hours, very good condition \$6900 OBO. Gary Willis **Dawsonville** gwillis1@gmail.com 770-826-7653

Kubota B2710, 4WD w/loader, HST ROPS, 1500 hours; \$8100. Sam Beall **East Dublin** 478-272-7615 478-689-6447

Kubota KX121-2, has 2831 hours and runs great; \$20,000. Jessica Amburn **Dawsonville** 706-344-9488

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Livestock Sales and Events Calendar

APPLING COUNTY

1st & 3rd Saturdays: S&D Goat Sales, Baxley Fairgrounds; begins at 12:30 p.m.; goats, pigs, poultry, calves. **Call** Steve Smith, 912.367.9268 or 912.278.1460

ATKINSON COUNTY

2nd & 4th Saturdays: Livestock auction at Pearson Livestock; sale at 1 p.m.; goats, sheep, poultry, small animals; 1168 Highway 441 N, Pearson; **Call** 912.422.3211, 229.977.5201 or 614.365.0629

BARTOW COUNTY

Every Wednesday, 1 p.m.: Cattle sale; The New Peoples Livestock Mkt., 407 Burnt Hickory Road, Cartersville; GAL #316. **Call** Phil Tuck, 770.881.0502; Haynie Cochran, 678.986.4324

CARROLL COUNTY

2nd & 4th Saturdays: Small animal auction; Goats, sheep, poultry and calves. Check in noon- 4 p.m. Sale starts at 4 p.m. Long Branch Livestock, 813 Old Villa Rica Road, Temple; PM-11284. **Call** 770.459.5333 or 770.846.3224

COOK COUNTY

1st & 3rd Saturdays: Small animal sale; goats, sheep and poultry, 1 p.m.; miscellaneous merchandise, 6 p.m.; Deer Run Auction; Highway 76, Adel-Nashville Highway, Adel; GAL 001800. **Call** 229.560.2898 or 229.896.4553

DECATUR COUNTY

2nd & 4th Saturdays: Livestock auction, Waddell Auction Barn, Climax; goats, sheep, poultry, small animals at 1 p.m.; miscellaneous at 10 a.m.; GAL AU003249. **Call** 229.246.4955 or 229.416.7217

EMANUEL COUNTY

2nd & 4th Saturdays: R&R Goat and Livestock Auction; goats, 12 p.m.; chickens, caged animals to follow; 526 Georgia Highway 56 N, Swainsboro; Ron Claxton, GAL #3485. **Call** 478.237.8825 (days)

JEFF DAVIS COUNTY

1st & 3rd Fridays: Horse sale, 7:30 p.m.; Circle Double S, 102 Lumber City Highway, Hazlehurst. **Call** Steve Underwood, 912.594.6200 (night) or 912.375.5543 (day)

JONES COUNTY

Every Saturday: Merchandise, 4 p.m.; hatching eggs, biddies at 6 p.m.; goats and sheep, 7 p.m.; poultry, small animals follow. Buggy Town Auction, 1035 Monticello Highway, Gray; GAL AU-004213. **Call** 770.584.0388 or 678.972.4599.

LAMAR COUNTY

Every Friday: Farm miscellaneous at 5 p.m.; baby chickens, eggs at 6 p.m.; goats and poultry at 7 p.m.; Buggy Town Auction, 1315 Highway 341 S, Barnesville; GAL #3177. **Call** 770.358.0872/1786

MARION COUNTY

Every Thursday: Auction 41 Goat Sale, miscellaneous equipment; 6 p.m. goat sale; 7 p.m. poultry and small animals; 4275 Georgia Highway 41 N, Buena Vista. **Call** Jim Rush, 706.326.3549 or 229.649.9940. **Email** auction41@windstream.net

NEWTON COUNTY

2nd & 4th Saturdays: Pony Express Stockyard Horse & Tack Auction, 5 p.m.; GAL AUNR002843; 1852 Highway 11 S, Covington. **Call** Scott Bridges, 704.434.6389 or 704.473.8715

STEPHENS COUNTY

Every Thursday: Chickens, rabbits, related small animal sale; Northeast Georgia; 6 p.m.; GAL #3478; Eastanollee Livestock Market, Highway 17 between Toccoa and Livonia. **Call** 706.779.5944 or 706.599.7606

2nd Saturdays: Winstead Horse Sales, 5 p.m.; Eastanollee Livestock Auction, Eastanollee.

Call Shannon Winstead, 864.710.4030 or 864.944.6200

3rd Saturdays: Goat and sheep sale, 12 p.m.; Agri Auction Sales at Eastanollee Livestock Market; Highway 17 between Toccoa and Lavonia. **Call** Ricky Chatham, 706.491.2812 or Jason Wilson, 706.491.8840

TAYLOR COUNTY

1st & 3rd Tuesdays: Poultry, goat and feeder-breeder pig sale; poultry, 6 p.m.; hogs and goats, 7 p.m. RockRidge Livestock Auction, off SR 128, south of Reynolds. **Call** 706.975.5732

TELFAIR COUNTY

2nd & 4th Thursdays: Chickens, fowl, goats and sheep; check-in at 1 p.m., sale at 6:30 p.m. Horse Creek Auction, between Dublin and McRae off Highway 441. **Call** 478.595.5418

TOOMBS COUNTY

1st & 3rd Saturdays: Livestock sale starts at 10 a.m.; tack, horses, pigs at 11:30; cows at 12; goats at 1 p.m.; poultry sale follows; Metter Livestock Market, Lyons; GAL 3415. **Call** Lewie Fortner, 478.553.6066

WHITE COUNTY

Every Saturday: Small animals, chickens, rabbits, sheep, goats and horse sale; 4 p.m.; Coker Sale Barn, Duncan Bridge Road at Old Chattahoochee Livestock Barn. **Call** Wayne Coker, 706.540.8418

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Kubota L305 tractor, 620 hours, runs good, new battery, 3PT hitch, one owner; \$6300. Nancy Williamson **Lithonia** 770-981-1263

Kubota M4700 4x4 w/loader, has 365 hours, 5' bush hog, 18' trailer, 6' tiller and chipper; \$24,900. Chuck Walsh **Eatonton** 770-595-4623

Kubota MX5100DT, 4WD, 5 implements; \$16,500. Mike Williamson **Rex** 770-389-9919

Kubota: L35 tractor, year 2000; BT900 backhoe; TL720 loader; bush hog w/500 hours; \$15,000. Annie H Reid **Loganville** 770-466-4868 770-630-4342

Landscape rake, 5', 3PT hitch, \$125; 7-shank all-purpose plow, good paint, old but still works, \$165. John Rischak **Newnan** 770-252-5865

Lewis Brothers #4 Housekeeper, dual wheels, fully hydraulic, good working condition; \$7000. Kenneth Mcduffie **Canon** 706-498-3694

Lewis Brothers Housekeeper #2; \$6000. Ron Botts **Bainbridge** 229-400-3440

Lewis Brothers Housekeeper #3 with spinners, very good condition. Joel Stillwell 560 Stillwell Road **Elijay** 30540 706-889-7529

Lewis Brothers poultry house; pecan tree blower, like new, only sprayed 100-gallons; \$3000. Paul Dubberly **Baxley** 912-367-9853 912-278-1171

Long 2510 4WD, 55 HP tractor w/ bush hog loader, great condition; \$12,500 OBO. John Absalon **Cartersville** 770-336-9699 770-546-9672

Mahindra diesel tractor, 4WD, 110 hours, Mitsubishi engine 2816 model, 16-disc harrow, 5' bucket; \$11,500. Robert Worley **Rome** 706-766-3578

Massey Ferguson 1533 w/cab, 4WD, only 282 loader hours, cold air, ready to work. Jamie Griggs **Temple** 678-552-3922

Massey Ferguson 232 front end loader, fits 231, 240 and 245 series tractors; \$1800. Dennis Hursey **Douglas** 912-389-0278

Merry Garden tiller by Gilson Brothers Manufacturing Company, runs good; \$125. David Combs **Jefferson** 706-367-4107

MF 12' grain drill, \$3750; 60' hay conveyor, \$1500; silage spear, \$120. Ted Smith **Washington** 706-214-0442

MF 3165 backhoe, front end loader, parting out, good buckets, engine, sheet metal and cylinders. John T Harper **Barnesville** 770-468-1125

Miller bobcat welder 225NT CC/CV, AC/DC, 8000W generator, multi-purpose, 478 hours, trailer, gas engine; \$2500 firm. Yvonne Clark **Lyons** 912-293-9199

Morbark 17 chipper, 4-cylinder Perkins diesel engine, VGC; \$10,500. W.J. Gray **Blairsville** 706-897-1029

New Holland 256 rake, good condition, \$1000; New Holland 644 baler, new belts, perfect shape, \$8800. Phillip Burt **Dawsonville** 706-265-6189 706-344-9148

New Holland 256 rakes, \$1200 and \$1500; NH 55 rake, \$400; Massey Ferguson 124 square baler, \$1000. James Sells **Monroe** 770-267-8603

New Holland 311 square baler, used very little; \$7500. Kenneth Wilbanks **Baldwin** 706-491-1221

New Holland 68 square baler, in barn, NH sickle mower, 4-wheel hay rake, Kuhn tedder GRS-20; \$6500. Jared Penny **Thomaston** 706-647-4514

New Holland Super 1049 self-propelled hay stacker, in good condition and field ready. Phil Sanders **Stephens** 706-340-5669

New tire and rim for a Massey Ferguson front wheel; \$60. Bacle Fowler **Cumming** 770-887-6787

NH 315 square baler, always sheltered; \$3000. Willard Redwine **Dalton** 706-277-1416

NH 65 bailer; 472 conditioner-mower; Vicon ground rake; 671 Detroit power unit; moving sale, best offers. Bill Myers **Blue Ridge** 706-964-5483

Pea-bean sheller, Roto-Fingers by Wellborne Devices, 120V; \$2200. Cynthia Blackmon **Bremen** 770-537-3441

Peanut wagon, 6-wheel 21', with good tires/floor, pulls straight; \$2750 OBO. Zach Shanklin **Albany** 229-881-6383

Rhino 5' finish mower, 3PT hitch, works well, not being used anymore; \$500 OBO. Patruck Peterson **Griffin** 770-833-0968

Savage pecan sizer; \$1000. James Ross **Tifton** 229-388-4667

Sawmill band style 25HP Kohler engine, capable of sawing 36" logs; \$4800 OBO. Yosvany Hernandez **Lawrenceville** 678-717-9400

Scrape blade, 6' HD, \$370; Snapper LNC field/brush mower, \$2465. James Harris **Milledgeville** 478-295-2043

Sears 12HP Suburban garden tractor w/3PT hitch, turning plow and cultivator, good condition, new rear tires; \$500. Don Allen **Harlem** 706-726-5947

Set of cultivators for Farmall Super C with 2PT hitch. Wayne Ussery 1320 Alma Highway **Hazlehurst** 31539 912-379-1062

Several pieces of hay equipment for sale: New Holland, Krone, PZ and Steffen. Wes Mitchell **Calhoun** 770-757-7110

Sickle bar mower for Farmall C tractor, complete; \$100 firm. Rupert Walls **Cumming** 678-986-1254 678-986-1254

Side dump forage wagon, Gehl 9000 hydra-tilt box; \$4000. Richard Acree Po Box 1689 **Calhoun** 30703 706-629-7694

Taylor-Way offset harrow, 24" cone disk, 9'6" wide: \$4750. Phil Adkins **Vienna** 229-273-7691

Terex Georgia Buggy, hydraulic concrete mover, 8HP Honda motor, everything works; \$1200. Gene Spiva **Marietta** 770-924-7750

Troy-Bilt Horse tiller, 8HP, Tecumseh motor, new tires, rear tine with reverse plow attachment; \$500. Stephen Bonner **Gordon** 478-628-1611

Troy-Bilt tiller, 5HP, engine works like new; \$300 OBO. James W Bailey **Had-dock** 478-932-5133

Vermeer 4'x6' round baler with ac. ties, gathering wheels and bale dump extension, only one owner; \$8000. James Wylie **Calhoun** 770-596-4388

Vermeer TR90 tedder/rake combo; \$2500. Scott Chambers **Braselton** 706-983-0603

Walton 9' hay fluffer, excellent condition, small farm ideal, 3PT hitch; sold cows, no longer needed. R.C. Johnson **Lexington** 706-743-5248

Winco 25,000W generator, 120-240V, 3PT hitch, used very little; \$1800. Jimmy Alford **Commerce** 770-815-0011

Farm Machinery Wanted

1-row bean and pea picker. Marion Robinson **Statesboro** 912-587-2300

16.9x28 rear tires for John Deere 1530 tractor. Jackie Cook **Carrollton** 770-616-6004

1991-2003 gasoline E-Z-GO go-cart engine, leave a message. Tom Colvin **Cobbtown** 912-684-3879 912-293-7288

2 tractor tires, 13.6x28, in Walton County. Daniel Ferguson **Monroe** fergies8@aol.com 678-231-3235

2-disc turning plow with 3PT hitch. Ruffas Johnson **Nicholls** 912-632-9238

3-cycle diesel Ford 3000 in good condition; also need a Ford parts tractor. Charles Edwards **Warner Robins** black13wr@gmail.com 478-923-1449

Allis Chalmers B engine. Jimmy Blizard **Wrightsville** 478-864-4487

Backhoe rear tires, size 16-9-24, used but good, reasonably priced. Hugh Darsey **Surrency** 912-367-4504

Case 1835B uniloaders for parts. Johnny Henson **Elijay** 706-889-3673

Chore-Time or Sibley brooders. Orleans Cruz **Canton** 770-655-7647

Complete set of wheels and tires for Kubota B2150: Front 6.00-12, rear 12.4-16; also need instrument cluster. Nicholas Ivey **Hephzibah** 706-231-2159

Cribbing bucket. Gary Singleton **Hartwell** 706-376-6776

Farmall F-14. Jerry Grissom **Rome** 706-232-9968

Flywheel for a 16-20HP Onan engine. Bobby Walker **Franklin** 770-854-8430

JD530 baler for parts, need complete pickup header bar. Terry Mitchell **Buckhead** 770-789-4934

Log splitter or brush trimmer; will trade 17" rear tiller. Nicholas Mandese **Buena Vista** 229-649-3015

Looking for Ford 7310 loader attachments, specifically hay/pallet forks or skid steer conversion. Casey Kent **Monroe** 678-446-8520

Older hay wagon. Charlie Brannon **McDonough** 770-957-4933 770-375-8021

Parts for 3PT hitch, drawbar, top link, 4' bush hog, 4' blade. David Lacy **Griffin** 706-582-3044 770-317-2951

Parts for a Ford 309 planter, also okra plates for 309. Butch Mckey **Bowdon** 404-583-3121

Redball shielded spray hoods. Kevin Smith **Dublin** eddrafting@bellsouth.net 478-272-6032

Seeking a used front end loader for an IH706 tractor. Claude Harman **Greenville** 706-656-1992 706-672-4717

Sugar cane press. Ronald Lewis **Waverly** 912-264-4004 912-266-4600

Troy-Bilt horse tiller. Idus Smith **Macon** 478-719-7795

Used tractor tire, size 12-4-28. Dennis Barron **Carnesville** 770-530-8658

FARM SUPPLIES

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

10' very heavy-duty galvanized farm gate; \$50. George Scoville **Macon** 478-745-2524 478-318-6306

10-ton feed bins, 2 available, \$1000; 18-ton feed bin, like new, \$1500. Gary Johnson **Jasper** 770-893-8168 706-253-2057

12" galvanized tee, 12" galvanized ell, with couplings and bolts, like new. Ernie Anderson **Shellman** 229-679-2105

12' 5V used tin roofing, good condition; \$7 each, or \$5 each for 20+. William Croft **Dawsonville** wccroft@gmail.com 706-344-9691

1200' reclaimed barn lumber, also have recently sawed oak, cherry, poplar, Tiger maple and cedar. David Gray **Bowdon** 770-655-4674

2 backhoe tires in good condition, 60% tread, 19.5L 24 R-4. William Davis **Kingston** 770-655-2913

2 grain bins; 2"x6"x22' irrigation pipe, 100+ years old; 4-row cultivator; chisel plow. W.A. Betts **Climax** 229-246-3938

2 peanut wagons, 21', good condition; 800'x6" twist lock irrigation pipe. Barney Kinard **Vienna** 229-938-8880

2 piece semi tarp with 8' drop, \$250; 2 load/lock bars, \$35. Patricia Barrett **Marshallville** 478-957-1181

275+ gallon tank (tote) in metal cage, 5" cap on top, valve on bottom; \$50 each. C. Stovall **Dahlonega** 678-491-0838

3 large rolls of 60" chicken wire, \$100 each; 2 fuel and drum pump barrels, \$75. Ronald Rush **Franklin** 706-675-3417

3.5'Wx7'L lighted sign w/adjustable legs, new box of letters/numbers, \$375 OBO; purple-gray slate for mantle/bath, \$275 OBO. Sam Saliba **Marietta** 770-514-1431

30'x96' greenhouse with 4 shutters and 2 fans. Earlie Mcquaig **Broxtown** 912-359-2665

400 cement blocks, 8x8x16, 20 y/o but never been used, you load/haul; \$1 each. Joel Howell **Jackson** 770-504-0141

400' used chain link fence, 1 walk gate, 1 double-drive gate, post, hardware; \$700. John Jones **Barnesville** 678-603-8920

40x60 pole barn, 2x6 trusses top/bottom, 3x23' tin, 2x4 lathes and ridge cap, all used materials; \$3150. Bill Durham **Summerville** 706-252-1084

4x8 sheets of blackboard without any holes, you must pick up; \$3 each sheet. Jim Crawford **Cedartown** 770-546-2898

55-gallon heavy-duty plastic barrels, 20" screw top, air tight, food grade, \$35; also have pot-bellied wash pots. Bill Sewell **Brunswick** 912-270-8278

60-gallon syrup boiler, good condition/not broken; \$800. Ralph Thornton 1173 Saddle Club Rd **Hoboken** 31542 912-458-2531

60kW Kohler generator with control switch. Curtis Stewart 375 Sardis Bethel Road **Bowdon** 30108 770-258-7231

9 metal driveway/arena light poles w/ mounting base, 4"x4"x18', good condition. Royce Brooks **Acworth** 770-378-2564

Air/kiln dried lumber all species, we can cut your logs, call for quotes. Crystal Adams **Hartwell** aap@fabritex.com 706-376-8968

Aluminum irrigation pipe, 1500', 4"-5", \$1.50/foot; pipe trailer, \$500. Lyndon Kicklighter **Claxton** 912-739-4710

Antique, handmade, red bricks, 4"x8"x12", 15 lbs./brick, early 1900s, from apple packing house, 1500 available; \$2.75 each. W.C. Quarles **Dawsonville** 706-499-2718

ASCO 165 series with 200A auto-xfr switch, \$850; 2000' Ziggy drinker, \$500; Chore-Time and Roxell feed hoppers. Clay Clark **Baxley** 912-253-9285

Bamboo poles for sale, 1/2"-1" diameter, larger diameters available; \$0.30/foot. Ben Worley **Kennesaw** bengworley@hotmail.com 770-653-4745

Clear 55-gallon metal drums with lids. Leonard Crane **Dawsonville** 678-947-6744 404-210-1516

Coffee, potato, etc. burlap bags for sale, thousands available, can deliver; \$1-\$3 each. Roscoe Googe **Marietta** 770-335-4861 770-335-4861

Commercial metal roofing: 3'x36', 4-groove, 65 sheets; \$36/sheet. Mark Carroll **Plainville** 706-234-5344

Cool Pads: 2"x24"x48", \$3; 60", \$5; also Acme/Chore-Time 48" fans, motors, and louvers, \$5 each part. Ken Burton **Talking Rock** 706-273-6317 706-273-6327

Corn shellers and grinders, well pulleys and buckets, push plow and various hand tools. William Fulton **Blairsville** 706-745-7463

Custom cut Wood-Mizer sawed lumber, kiln dried, milled homes, restorations, flooring, cabinetry, barns, fencing and furniture. John Sell **Milner** 770-480-2326

Double 6 milking parlor equipment: stalls, index rail, milking machines, pipeline, vac-pumps, excellent condition. Doug Holder **Washington** 706-401-9596

Fence posts: Used metal in good shape, \$2 each; used wooden, \$2 each; new wooden, \$4 each. Andy Potate **Franklin** 706-675-3727

Fencing: Ornamental woven wire fence and gate, 3 rolls of 36"H fence; \$650 for all. Benjamin Miller **Covington** benjamin613@att.net 770-788-9091

Front tine tiller, 2013 engine, \$150; Poulan 14" chainsaw, \$50; wood cattle bodies for long bed truck, \$25. Kenneth Wehunt **Barnesville** 770-358-2587

Hanging produce scales, \$95; Dietz lantern, \$50; wash pot on tripod, \$125; cotton scales, \$75. Byron Shackelford **Griffin** 678-603-3593

HD double tool bars, \$150 each; 21' harrow drag, \$150; wheel fork for Farmall M, \$150. Roy Barrett **Marshallville** 478-957-0289

Heart pine house, early 1900s, to be removed off property; \$3500. Rodney Brooks **Glenwood** 912-523-5282

Keller 32' extension ladder, no calls after 8 p.m.; \$270. James Pinyan **Douglasville** 770-634-7152

Locust fence posts and rails. Eugene Cook **Blairsville** 706-745-8724

Lumber rough sawed, 1x10x10, \$3.75; line edge Poplar slabs 3"x20"x20', \$40. Timothy Tucker **Newnan** 770-251-7612

Nursery pots of various sizes; also plenty of cedar wood pieces. Randall Rust **Snellville** 770-483-4314

Nuts and bolts, 2000 lbs. of different sizes/surplus; \$500 for all. Bill Cobb **Dawson** 229-881-4982 229-206-2426

Oak and pine flooring, tongue and groove, various widths; also beadboard and wood shavings, call for prices. William Briggs **Atlanta** 404-349-2315

Pipe bender manual; \$200. Amy Beasley **Fort Valley** 770-319-7707

Plastic 5-gallon buckets, have 2000; \$.50 cents each. Michael Jackson **Barnesville** 770-318-3520

Polyethylene water tank, 225-gallon, horizontal type, used only for water; \$125. Hank Bell **Madison** 706-474-0289

Poplar slats for chicken houses, cut to your specs; call for quotes. Crystal Adams **Hartwell** 706-371-2157

Poultry house equipment: 48"/52" fans, 1HP fan motors, Chore-Time PNT controllers/circuit boards, feed drops, Plasson water regulators. Mike Bloodworth **Knoxville** 478-836-2535

Rough cut pine and white oak lumber for sale, trailer decking and more, cut to your specs. Peter Jones **Monticello** 478-256-3857

Sears garden tiller, front tines, forward/reverse gear driven, runs/works great; \$200. R.F. Pollard 524 Earlvine Way Nw **Kennesaw** 30152 770-427-1201

Truck loading ramps, 14-guage steel, 2000 lb. capacity. David R Blasczyk **Dallas** 770-445-5646

Truck mount SS 1000-gallon fuel tank/pump with hoses; \$1000. Debby Steedley **Homerville** 912-487-3793 912-218-4902

Used tire, 21 L 24. Ray Nelms **Rock Spring** 423-227-4770

Utility poles; \$1 per foot. Evelyn S. Sims **Carnesville** 706-384-5279

Wanted: 100-gallon diesel transfer tank with 12V pump, used but in good condition. Melvin E Myrick **Greenville** 706-672-4482

LIVESTOCK

All livestock must have been in the advertiser's possession for at least 90 days before they can be advertised. Livestock listed must be for specific animals. Generalized ads such as "many breeds of cattle" or "want horses, any amount" will not be published. Ads for free or unwanted livestock will not be published. Ads for cats, dogs, reptiles, rodents and other animals not specifically bred for on-farm use will not be published.

Cattle

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

10 Black Angus commercial heifers, 7-9, weaned, wormed and vaccinated, sired by CC&7/Longhaul/Final Answer. David Sharpton **Commerce** 706-367-0876

10 breeding age heifers from good commercial cows and registered Hereford bull, and 10 younger weaned heifers. Alvah Adams **Byron** 478-956-5843

11 Angus cross heifers, 14-16 m/o; \$1250. Dean Adams **Comer** 706-224-5634

12 m/o purebred Black Angus bull, sired New Design, had all shots, very gentle. James H Black **Millen** 478-494-6700

12-16 m/o Angus bulls, Allin sire, calving ease, LBW, registered or not; \$2000-\$2500. Duke Burgess **Louisville** juliesvance@wildblue.net 478-625-9542 305-923-0262

15 Angus and Angus cross, all sizes of heifers, steers and bulls, 400-800 lbs.; \$500-\$1000, or \$13,500/all. Dale Burford **Bristol** 912-276-1291

15 m/o purebred Brahman bull with excellent bloodlines, as a pet he's very gentle; \$1500. Jerrod Webb **Pineview** 863-832-4152

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A male Carolina anole with dewlap in full display.



A male Carolina anole showing brown coloration.

ARTY'S GARDEN: Leapin' Lizards!

By Arty Schronce

Little Orphan Annie doesn't live at my house, but I think of her and her signature exclamation when I see a Carolina anole (*Anolis carolinensis*) jumping around my garden.

I don't recall ever seeing these slender lizards as a child in my part of North Carolina (just west of Charlotte) but I do remember seeing them on the coast of South Carolina during our annual beach vacation. I was thrilled to discover them here in Atlanta.

Carolina anoles are sometimes referred to as American chameleons because they can change color from brown to green. They are not chameleons, however. Their color changes are due to body temperature, stress and activity rather than a desire to blend into the background. I have seen Carolina anoles in their green phase resting against the brown planks of my porch. I have seen green ones and brown ones side by side.

Their numbers seem to fluctuate in my garden, with me seeing more some years than others. This year they seem more numerous, or at least more active. Every day at least one male runs along the edge of my porch. (I imagine it is the same one, but I cannot be sure.) He stops numerous times along the way to extend his dewlap, bob his head and do some push-up movements. I am told this is a display tactic to woo females and warn other males. He will jump on the camellia, into the ostrich ferns or onto the drainpipe and continue his mission of warning and wooing.

I delight in watching him. Despite his many push-ups he is not musclebound but lean and nimble, and he seems unconcerned with my lumbering presence in the porch swing while he gracefully and quickly goes on his way.

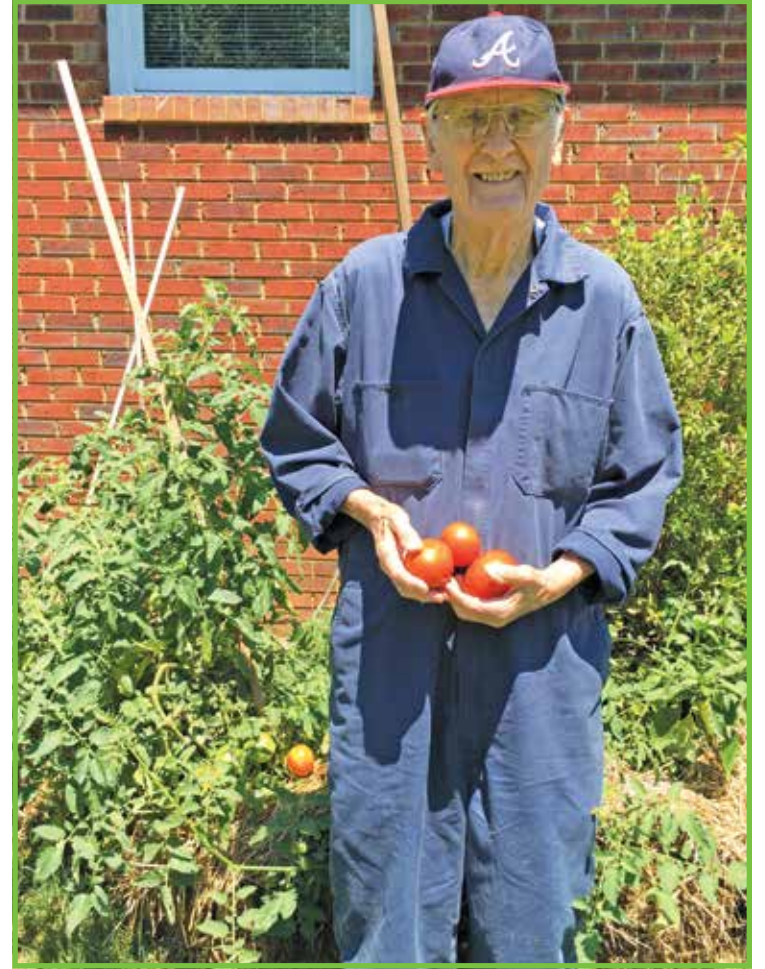
Carolina anoles eat insects, but I have not seen one feeding. I figured anoles would only drink dew or raindrops but I witnessed one sip-

ping from a shallow dish of water this spring.

I also got to witness a successful courtship culmination for the first time and hope to have lots of little lizards later this summer. I have put some pots of loose soil amid the ferns to provide good areas to lay eggs.

In parts of Florida and South Georgia, the brown anole (*Anolis sagrei*), an introduced and aggressive species, is outcompeting our native anole or forcing it to a more arboreal habitat. We should never introduce non-native animals into the environment as they can wreak havoc and threaten our native species. I hope this interloper never makes it to Atlanta.

For now, I am enjoying the show and doing what I can to help the Carolina anole thrive in my garden. And just how far can a Carolina anole jump? I have seen them go at least a foot but I think they could go farther. Leapin' lizards!



From straw bale to table

When George Wilkerson gardens, he usually gardens big. At age 90, however, he's decided to scale back his horticultural activities just a bit. This year, Wilkerson decided to try his hand at wheat straw bale gardening at his home on Ho Hum Hollow Road in Between, Ga. He found great success with tomatoes, as this photo shows. Straw bale gardening is an inexpensive and simple way to garden anywhere – on the deck, driveway or lawn – that gets 6 to 8 hours of sun exposure. A small amount of potting soil to cover roots or to create a shallow seedbed is all that's required. Decomposition of the inside of the bale provides nutrients to growing plants. Learn more at BonniePlants.com.

COOK GEORGIA GROWN: Pretzel & Herb-Crusted Oven-Fried Catfish with Roasted Vegetable Herb Medley



Ingredients:

½ cup pretzel crumbs
½ cup yellow cornmeal
1 tsp. salt
½ tsp. black pepper
1 tsp. dried thyme
1 tsp. paprika
½ tsp. celery powder
½ tsp. garlic powder
½ tsp. onion powder
1 tsp. lime zest

1 tsp. lemon zest
½ Tbsp. lime juice
¼ cup Wicker & Whisk Herb Dressing*
⅓ cup mayonnaise
4 catfish fillets
2 Tbsp. butter

Preparation:

In a food processor, grind pretzels until fine. In a bowl, mix cornmeal and ground pretzels along with the remaining dry

ingredients. Place breading in a shallow pan.

In another bowl add mayo, lime juice and herb sauce and mix together. Wash and pat dry fish, then evenly on both sides apply mayo mixture. Put fish into breading and coat both sides liberally. Place fish on a sheet pan lined with nonstick foil. Pour melted butter evenly over fillets. Place into a preheated 425 degree oven for 12-18 minutes or until golden brown.

Roasted Vegetable Herb Medley

Ingredients:

1 carrot
1 onion
2 small potatoes
1 ea. of signal bell peppers (green, yellow, red)
2 squash
1 small eggplant
1 cup fresh green beans
1 zucchini
¼ cup Wicker & Whisk Herb Dressing*
⅓ cup whipping cream
1 tsp. butter
1 tsp. minced garlic

Dash of pepper
Dash of salt
¼ cup oregano
½ cup parsley

Preparation:

Thoroughly wash and peel all vegetables. Chop onion, potatoes and carrots and place in 350 degree oven. In a small pot bring water to a boil. Put washed green beans in water and boil for 3 to 5 minutes. Remove beans from pot and place in ice bath, then on napkin to dry.

Wash, dry and chop the remaining vegetables. Remove onion, carrots and potatoes from the oven, then place beans and other vegetables on the sheet pan with carrot, potatoes and onion. Sprinkle with salt and pepper and drizzle with olive oil, then place in oven set at 450 degrees for 18 to 25 minutes.

In a saucepan melt butter. Add garlic, herb sauce and whipping cream and stir until heated. Pour sauce mixture over vegetables, tossing to coat. Sprinkle with oregano and garnish with fresh parsley.

*Buy Wicker & Whisk Homegrown Herb Dressing online at laralyncarter.com/products

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8 w/o Yorkshire/Berkshire/Duroc crossed pigs from the same litter, 15 available, all males are cut; \$60 each. Travis Ellington **Senoia** 678-787-9341

Berkshire pigs, purebred, 90 lbs., non-registered; \$65 each. Ellieque Allegood **Moultrie** 229-941-2010

Hampshire/Tamworth crossbred pigs, 6 w/o, wormed, males are cut; \$50 each. Morris Jennings **Cumming** 770-401-5263

Hogs/pigs for sale, price depends on size; \$75+. Mark Swanson **Buford** 770-841-3696

Landrace piglets, DOB 05/18/2016; \$60 each. Marilyn Bruce **Fairburn** 770-363-0371

Mini pigs, 3 male/2 female, mostly black, DOB 03/28/16, parents' height is below the knee; \$100 each. Cayla Ledford **Carrollton** 678-378-0732

Registered Hampshire, Yorkshire and Berkshire boars and gilts, validated herd 211, delivery available. Lawton Kemp **Dudley** 478-697-2521

Yorkshire X piglets, 6 cut males and 1 gilt, all wormed; \$65 each. Karen Nalewako **Newnan** 770-630-6541

Goats And Sheep

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

14 w/o male Pygmy goat, tan and white; \$75. Richard Day 3651 Sims Bridge Rd Nw **Monroe** 30656 wad1954@windstream.net 770-267-0004

15 m/o half-Nubian buck goat; \$125. Christopher Palmer **Brooks** 30205 cp17@me.com 678-357-4403

2 Kiko/Nubian/Boer billies, 4 m/o; \$150 each. Everett Donaldson **Metter** 912-690-4956 912-690-2073

2 male half-Kiko/half-Boer goats, DOB 03/26-16; \$150. Nancy Bryant **Perry** 478-955-3493

2 male Pygmy goats, DOB 02/2016; \$150 each firm. Sandy Killgo **Metter** 912-685-3523

2 purebred Nubian bucklings, 8 w/o, disbudded, tattooed, bottle raised; \$125 each. M. Reuter **Good Hope** 706-296-1279

2016 registered/non-register Boer goat does and bucks for sale, both solid and dappled. Ron Blackwell **Danielsville** 706-255-4906 706-335-2977

28 Spanish/Boer cross weanling nanny kids, excellent feet, milking, parasite resistance and genetics. Betty Lewis **Brunswick** 912-264-8535

4 m/o Oberhasli buck, please call before 9 p.m.; \$100. M.D. Reynolds **Pelham** 229-224-4158

5 m/o and 1 y/o Kiko bucks, call for prices. R.J. Miles **Hazlehurst** 912-347-6612

5 m/o registered male Boer; \$250. Deborah Shuman **Winterville** 706-546-8610

5 male Boer and 2 male Kiko/Boer goats, all weaned, to good homes only; \$100 each. Sid Cox **Sparta** sidcox@hughes.net 706-444-9555

6 m/o Katahdin rams and ewes; \$100 each. Howard Gray **Ty Ty** 229-891-4335

7 Pygmy female goats, all dehorned and gentle; \$100 each. Walter Schuman **Turin** 770-599-3870 678-927-4726

A+ kids, pet only male/female Nigerian-African Pygmies and crosses, child safe, raised with children/animals. Theresa Russell **Grayson** 678-878-8570

ADGA purebred Nubian goats for sale; does, \$300, and bucks, \$200. Don Thompson 3276 Harrisburg Road **Summerville** 30747 donthompsonat@gmail.com 706-734-2106 706-506-7738

ADGS registered Saanen, superior genetics, proven bucks, milking does, wethers; all disbudded, all vaccinated, priced accordingly. Sandra J Stephens **Hoschton** 706-654-2867

Babydoll miniature sheep: Several ewe lambs and 1 ram lamb for sale, friendly and cute; \$400+. Jim Donahue **Douglasville** 770-714-0556

Barbados Blackbelly sheep: 2 rams, \$300, 7 ewes, \$125, 6 ewe lambs/3 ram lambs, \$100/each. Dwayne Podgurski **Monroe** 404-550-0763 404-558-3634

Boer billy, 15 m/o, from registered stock but without any papers; \$200. Robert G Glover **Cumming** 770-203-9992

Dorper sheep, white male, DOB 04/12/16. Belinda Schell **Fort Valley** 478-954-3840

Katahdin registered ram and Katahdin young for sale; \$150/each. Russell Cantrell **Newborn** 770-855-3008

Katahdin/Dorper female, 2 y/o, healthy, beige/brown colored. Arletta Jarrard **Dawsonville** 770-893-2422

Katahdin/Dorper ram, 7 m/o, almost ready to start working. Brandon More **Leesburg** 229-854-0395

Kiko bucklings, lots of color, top performing bloodlines: Sports Kat, Hel-sington Sting, Tayonix, Terminator. Andy Shelton **Warrenton** 706-496-5795

Kiko goats, 100% purebred, 3-4 m/o kids and 18 m/o buck. Erik Toivonen **Talking Rock** 706-697-1958 706-502-0003

Nigerian dwarf billy, 8 m/o, B&W, pretty markings, great pet, call before 9 p.m.; \$65. Larry Pirkle **Dawsonville** 706-216-2954

Nubian buck w/frosted ears and sweet temperament, DOB 01/23/16, ready 08-2016, needs his own herd of does. Debi Shell **Lenox** 229-546-4404

Nubian buck, \$75; Saanen bucks; \$50; both from heavy milkers. Jewell Wood **Hampton** 770-946-8619 404-353-2498

Nubian goats for sale, males 3 and 4 m/o. Mark Page **Monroe** 770-334-7831 770-266-7771

Purebred Kiko herd sires, one 80% doe production, January buck and doe kids, mature does. James Sarratt **Jasper** stevensarratt@gmail.com 706-260-5131 706-260-5131

Pygmy buckling, caramel w/black markings, can be registered, DOB 03/17/16, parents on-site; \$200. Debra Dotson **Brooklet** ds84am@gmail.com 912-667-8303

Pygmy goat kids, male and female, will arrange for delivery within a reasonable distance. Lindsey Wynn **Ocilla** mjwynn@windstream.net 229-457-0534

Pygmy Myotonic/fainting Nubian mixes, many small in stature with blue eyes, DOB 1-2/2016; \$60-\$75 each. Christy Champagne **Comer** 706-207-1851

Recently weaned purebred/100% Kiko billies for sale, can be registered; \$200-\$300 each. John Woodruff **Tifton** 229-388-0677 229-425-0801

Saanen 5 y/o buck, large, ADGA registered, very gentle, proven breeder; \$300. John Holder **Gray** 478-737-9055 478-737-9400

Shetland sheep: 2 ewes and 1 ram, \$100 each; 1 lamb. \$75; \$300 for all. Kim Davis **Bowman** 706-498-8427

Solid red Boer billy, DOB 02/2015; \$175. Lawson Hooper 5545 Highway 212 **Covington** 30016 770-787-2818

Very nice commercial breeding Katahdin-Dorper ram lambs; \$150+ Susan Cobb **Cedartown** 404-215-1615 770-546-1565

Wanted: Several goats and sheep, mixed, within 50-miles. James Snow **Hampton** 678-759-8277

Equine For Sale

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

Advertisers in the Equine for Sale or Equine at Stud categories must submit current negative Coggins tests for each equine advertised. This includes horses, ponies, donkeys, etc. Buyers are urged to request verification of a negative Coggins from the advertiser before purchasing any equine. Negative Coggins reports are valid for 12 months from the date the blood sample is drawn. Falsification or altering of any Coggins results can result in fines and suspension of advertising privileges. If you are faxing or mailing in an ad, the Coggins needs to be sent along with it. For ads submitted online, the Coggins can be attached using the attachments button. Generalized ads, such as “many horses,” “variety to choose from,” etc., will not be published. Equine at Stud ads will also require a current stable license in order to be published.

10 y/o molly mule, 14.2H, 2 months of saddle and trail professional training; \$800 OBO. Eliitta Compton **Palmetto** 404-219-3614

7 y/o S.S.H mare, black and white, very gentle, rides great, good with farrier. Tony Green **Fairmount** 770-605-0888 706-337-2467

Female miniature donkey, 1 y/o, dark brown, very tame. Pat Burns **Grayson** 404-626-7921

Mini horses: 7 y/o Buckskin mare, \$400; Buckskin Pinto, 10 y/o, \$200; gray/white Pinto, 16 y/o, \$200. Frank Hennington **Gainesville** 770-540-5205

Miniature donkeys for guard/breeding; jack \$300+; nice colored jenny \$300+; also have small registered jenny. Bill G Wray **Perry** 478-825-1297

Miniature donkeys for guarding or breeding. H.N. Ralston **Eatonton** 706-473-3119

Molly mule, athletic, slow gait but good distance endurance, smooth trot. James Dees **Gray** 478-986-1460

Pony gelding, 40”, 7 y/o, gentle and rides, chocolate Palomino, can deliver; \$600. J. Wilkes **Bogart** 706-207-9366

Standard jenny donkey, gray, gentle, will be good as a guard, companion or pet, delivery available. Wynn Copeland **Greensboro** 706-453-7687

TWH mare, 18 y/o, healthy, best offer. John Simpson **Talbotton** 706-665-3480 706-577-5286

Equine Miscellaneous

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

1-horse doctor's buggy, seats 2 people, newly restored; \$2000 OBO. Billy Tanner **Mc Rae** 386-623-3407

17” Koen cutting saddle, great condition, very comfortable, could use as a trail saddle; \$1200. Chris Jones **Waverly Hall** 706-575-1972

1907 doctor's buggy, mint condition. Kelley Hasty **Rocky Face** 706-847-7288

2 International riding helmets, size small, purple, like new; \$15 each. Brent Nieman **Atlanta** 404-593-3135

2 Tucker saddles, Trail Pleasure bridles and breast plates, 3 M&W breast plates, great condition; \$500. Steve Stowers **Dawsonville** 706-974-0576

2004 Exiss Frontier, 3H slant w/living quarters, glide out, full bath, stove, extras, excellent condition; \$30,000 OBO. Bobbi Maddox **Monticello** 770-616-6034

4 Western saddles, blankets, all tack items, being sold due to health. Gail Macrenaris 4127 E Kasselryne Ct **Tucker** 30084 macrenaris1@bellsouth.net 770-493-8939

Heavy leather harness set that fits 1100-1500 lbs., like new and extremely nice; \$500. Jimmie Mathis **Gainesville** 770-887-5480

Horse training: Colts started, foundation training, older horses tuned-up, also bombproofing, all breeds welcome. Nathan Garner **Kingston** 770-203-9699

Like new Western saddles: Circle Y, 16” trail; Big horn, 16” show; Gail Tyson, 14” barrel racer. Charlene Ratliff **Monroe** 404-217-2037

McCall Ranch 16” Cutter saddle and breast collar, roughout with tooled skirts, excellent condition; \$2100. Gary Davis **Blue Ridge** 865-585-6174

Silver show saddle/bridle, grooming items/bits, leg wraps, saddle pads, 7 blankets, stable blankets. Patti Mcleroy 105 Heard Road **Kathleen** 31047 tmcleroy@windstream.net 478-987-0019

Tennessee Western saddle and Stubben Scandica dressage saddle, both x-large/x-wide; \$500/\$700. Cindy Russell **Odum** crussell165@gmail.com 912-294-1766

Boarding Facilities

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

Advertisers must submit a current stable license in order to advertise boarding and breeding facilities. Ads submitted without this information will not be published. For questions regarding licenses and applications, call 404-656-3713.

Horse boarding facility near I-20, daily feed, observation and overnight, county park for horses nearby. Joseph Douglas **Villa Rica** 770-402-6590

Poultry/Fowl For Sale

If you have any questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

Mallard ducks must be at least three generations removed from the wild before they can be advertised. Advertisers must include this information in ads, or they will not be published.

14 varieties of peafowl including Jav-vas, cocks and hens. Ray Watts **Macon** 478-361-3468

16 laying hens, 14 of the hens are 6 w/o; \$15 each. Hoyt Howard **Cumming** 770-887-2039

2 y/o laying hens; \$12 each. Lowell D Auker **Wrightsville** 478-864-3092

2016 Pumpkin Hulsey, Japanese Shamo gamefowl, \$4-\$10; 5th generation Mallard ducks, \$4-\$10; rare colored Button quail, \$3. John Mason **Macon** 478-986-3709

3 m/o gamefowl chicks, pure Law Greys and Leipers for sale. Keith Vickery **Royston** 706-436-6567

3 Rhode Island Red hens, Ameraucana hen, Copper Maran hen, black Sex Linked hen; \$15 each. Lamar Bryant **Cleveland** 706-865-3832

4 m/o Murray McMurray pullets: 6 Silver Spangled Hamburgs, 2 Brahma, 2 roosters; mature NH Red rooster. Gloria Malcom **Social Circle** 770-464-4303

5 w/o Indian Runner goslings, \$6+; 8 m/o Indian Runner, Ancona, Pekin and Khaki Campbell, \$20+ each. Ernest Presley **Macon** 478-284-9265

6 w/o blue and green baby peacocks; \$15 each. Roy Hall **Macon** 478-808-9128

All ages of chickens: Jersey Giants or Dominique, White Chandlers, Cubalaya rare chocolate breed. Daryl Walker **Calhoun** 706-383-8200

Ameraucana black and silver, Brahma partridge, Silkie partridge hatching eggs, straight run chicks and trios. Kevin Harbosky **Leesburg** 31763 info@thunderingoaks.com 229-869-9995

Ameraucana, ready to lay blue/green eggs this summer, beautiful, healthy, please leave a message; \$20 each. Alexander Flaherty **Athens** 847-636-8027

Ameraucana, RIR, Barred Rock, sex linked, Buffs, Silver Wyandottes, show quality O.E. Splash, Blue Brassy back, others. Randy Shoemake **Carrollton** 678-796-9222

Baby chick brown egg layers: 2 types heavy layers, 2 types pasture brown, 4 heritage breed. Bob Berry **Ray City** 229-375-1991

Baby chick purebreds: American Dominique, Buff Orpington, Rhode Island Red. Monte Poitevint **Lakeland** 229-482-3854

Bantam hens, roosters and chicks; \$3 each. Jeff McKenzie **Rutledge** 404-606-2163

Bielefelder GFF roosters, 3 m/o, rare; \$50. Delores Hunt **Rome** 706-266-1452

Black Australorp chicks, hatched 05/13/16, \$3 each; fertilized Bourbon Red turkey eggs; \$4 each. William Boyette **Claxton** 912-739-0638

Black Spanish and Narragansett mature turkeys, breeding stock, \$50 each; Chinese Red/Yellow Golden/Silver pheasant breeding pairs. Edward Sezonov **Snellville** 770-361-1871

Black, white Silkie roosters, \$1 each; 2016 Buff, black Silkie chicks, \$3-\$5 each. Jack R Jenkins **Harlem** 706-799-8597 706-556-3260

Blue Copper Marans/olive eggers, \$15; royal purple guinea fowl eggs/CC Legbar eggs/chicks, \$5/chick, or \$20/dozen eggs. Paul Craft **Mc Rae** plcraft9545@aol.com 404-403-1418

Buff Orpington cross chicks, various sizes. Louise Islam **Carrollton** 678-899-3943

Bufs, Japanese, Easter Eggers, Gold or Silver Sebright, Bantams; \$10 each. Andy Lawrence **Alto** 470-248-6169

Chicks: Buff Orpington, Rhode Island red, Lakenvelder, Brown Leghorn, Golden Campine, Sumatra. Clyde Mcallister **Cleveland** 706-865-2420

Chinese white Silkies in different sizes; \$5-\$8 each. Sam Snipes 240 Ivy Lake Cir **Douglas** 31533 912-384-9339 912-389-0113

Color feather broilers for sale, call or text. Kathy Hales **Rocky Face** 706-847-3646

Different breeds of laying hens for sale, \$10/each; straight run chicks, different breeds mixed with Ameraucana, \$5. Josh Rutland **Lenox** 229-848-5837

Gavlin Hatch, Sweater Hatch, Sweater Grey, YL Hatch, white hackle, good crosses. Thomas W Lilley **Jeffersonville** 478-945-6139

Guinea hen, laying, raised with chickens, moving so must sell; \$1. Peter Wall **Fairburn** 770-315-3849

Guinea keets for sale, straight run, must pick up, call or text; \$6 each. Brandy Brown **Griffin** 678-886-9635

Guinea keets, Rhode Island Red, Black Australorp, and others are available now. Theo Engelmoehr **Milner** 678-967-9899

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Guinea keets; \$2 each. Eugene Johns **Waycross** 912-283-3332

Heritage Narragansett poults, straight runs only; \$10; eggs, \$45/dozen. Kenneth Spear **Chickamauga** 706-539-2423

Indian Blue peacocks, hatched last year, \$75; miniature Cochins and Silkies, \$15. John Herndon **Grayson** 404-697-7179

Khaki Campbell ducks, 7 m/o, excellent layers; \$10 each. Laura Savage **Watkinsville** 706-424-6226

Law Grey gamefowl: Stags, pullets, rooster barrels; 1 trio Leaper Hatch, 1 Kelso cock. Ronnie Singleton 33 Jollins Road **Lavonia** 30553 706-491-5127

Leghorn and New Hampshire Red hens, ready to lay; \$15 each. David Kroesser **Cochran** 478-230-1824

Muscovy ducklings of different ages, colors and sizes. Martin Fox **Locust Grove** 770-227-7962 404-569-0582

O.E. Bantam chickens: blue splash, blue, brassy back sports pairs only, all reasonably priced. Jerry Stallsworth **Covington** 770-786-7168

Pair of Blue Shoulder peafowl, 1 male Golden Chinese pheasant; also feeders, waterers, incubators, etc. Jeffrey Small **Atlanta** 404-983-4600

Pigeons for sale: Homer, racing; assorted ages and colors; \$8 each. Linda Bishop **Box Springs** 706-577-8205

Pigeons, several varieties available, call for more information. Franklin Hutto **Perry** 478-335-5482

Production Reds, 3 m/o, will begin laying soon, good looking birds; \$20 each. Robert Burt **Atlanta** 404-284-4249

Rare breeds, 3 m/o, DOB 03/28/2016, rooster and hen Sultan pair, \$30; Golden Polish rooster, \$15. Bonnie Bradley **Dacula** 770-822-4662 404-272-1973

Rare crested cream Legbar roosters, 6 mo., blue egg breed; \$25 each, OBO. Mark Schuppener **Winston** 770-489-4865

Rhode Island Red pullets, healthy, quality stock. Brian Sturdy **Dahlonega** 706-865-9201

Ringneck doves and fantail pigeons, \$15/pair; nice chicken coop, \$40. Leave message. David Patton **Williamson** 770-228-4415

Variety of chicken biddies and guinea keets available. James Herring **Temple** 770-562-3065

Leghorns: 1 y/o Brown, 2 m/o Silver, 2 w/o Brown chicks; also 5 m/o Red Star pullets. Darren Wilkes **Demorest** 706-768-2683

Modern game Bantams, wheaten Marans, white racing pigeons. Mike Brown **Lagrange** 706-884-8217

Poultry/Fowl Requiring Permit/License

If you have questions regarding this category, call 404-656-3722.

Advertisers selling wood ducks must submit a USDA permit with their ad. Ads for wood ducks that do not have this permit will not be published. For information on these permits, call the US Fish & Wildlife Service Atlanta office at 404-679-7319. Advertisers selling quail must be accompanied by a copy of the commercial quail breeder's license. Ads for quail that do not have this license will not be published. For information on these licenses, call the Georgia Department of Natural Resources Wildlife Resources Division at 770-918-6401. If you are faxing or mailing in an ad, the permit/license needs to be sent along with it. For ads submitted online, the permit/license can be attached using the attachments button.

Bobwhite quail eggs and/or chicks for sale, call for pricing and availability. Gabe Robinson **Bowdon** 770-258-4075

Bobwhite/Coturnix quail eggs; \$70 for 100; \$155 for 500; \$290 for 1000. Willie Strickland **Pooler** 912-748-5769

Jumbo Wisconsin quail for sale, alive or dressed; \$3 each. David McCurley 2393 Shoal Creek Road **Colbert** 30628 davidmcc@uga.edu 706-540-3864

Poultry/Fowl Wanted

Double laced Barnevelder, prefer black. Cindy Dixon **Acworth** 770-975-0633

Farm-type domestic ducks (non-Mallard) and geese, young, old or eggs. Patsy Turner **Canton** 770-265-7073

Pair of white mute swans. Albert Potts **Tifton** 229-382-1875

LIVESTOCK WANTED

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200-400 lb. calves. Kenneth Mallonee **Winterville** 706-202-5375

LIVESTOCK HANDLING

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1989 WW stock trailer, bumper-pull, good condition, w/good floor, needs painting; \$1500. W C Waldrif **Ellijay** 706-635-1940

1996 aluminum Featherlite 9418 model 2-horse trailer, BP w/ramps, Dutch doors and walk-thru dressing room; \$6800. Cary Dupree **Dahlonega** 770-654-7159

Breaking halter, steel w/chain for a bull; \$20 pick-up, shipping is extra. Roger Keebaugh **Gainesville** 770-540-3005

Quality gates, panels, catch pens, round pens custom made to order, heavy gauge tubing. Randy Floyd **Hartwell** 706-318-9468

Round pen with 12' panels and 6' gate, 60' diameter, 3 y/o; \$850. Brenda Dailey **Jonesboro** brenda.dailey@comcast.net 770-471-8749 770-856-1931

RABBITS

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

1 white buck, 1 smut-nosed doe, 3 y/o gray doe; \$40 for all. Danny Clark **Moreland** 770-253-6446

American Chinchilla, New Zealand, pure and crossed, fast growing; \$10 weaned, up to \$30 breeders. Tina Poore **Dahlonega** 770-654-7159

American Chinchillas, silver gray or white, for pets, meat, breeding or fur, DOB 03/31/16; \$20 each. Deborah Foster **Mansfield** 404-226-5415

Brown rabbits, \$10 each; NZW rabbits, 5 w/o; \$8 each. Charlie Bloodworth **Lizella** 478-836-5856

New Zealand rabbits, DOB 03/27/16, more litters soon; \$15 each. Christopher Moore **Griffin** v.phoenixloss@yahoo.com 404-518-6115

NZ white, red and black rabbits, for meat; \$10 each. Carmen Smith **Collins** 912-403-2215

Variety of breeds, DOB 03/01/16; 10 each. Michael Rowe **Hogansville** 706-637-0773

White with black Velveteen rabbits, DOB 02/25/16 and 3/27/16; \$10 each. Andrea Shapland **Commerce** shapland1@gmail.com 228-216-6410

FEED, HAY AND GRAIN

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

All feed, hay and grain ads must include the variety offered for sale. Ads for mulch hay will not be accepted in this category; they will be published in the Fertilizers & Mulches category.

2015 Alfalfa square, \$10 or \$8/100+; 2016 Alfalfa, \$12, or \$10/100+; Alfalfa/Orchard/Fescue rolls \$50; Fescue/Orchard, \$4.50. Dale Hall **Calhoun** 706-506-0351 706-506-4367

2015 Alicia hay, 4x5 round bales, rain/weed free, fertilized, good quality, barn stored until 05/23/2016; \$30 each. David Borem **Ashburn** 229-566-3037

2015 Bermuda hay, 4x5 net-wrapped rolls, weed free, fertilized/limed per UGA, delivery available; \$25. Michael Dubose **Junction City** 706-366-1665

2015 Bermuda mix hay, square bales, stored in barn; \$3 each. Pam Whitmire **Jefferson** 678-617-0607

2015 Bermuda/Fescue, 4x5 rolls, top quality, limed, fertilized, sprayed, no weeds; \$30 each. Rex Palmer **Auburn** 770-867-9589

2015 Coastal Bermuda hay, good quality, 4x5 bales. Russ Elliott **Lizella** 478-935-8180

2015 Coastal Bermuda hay, square and 4x5 round bales, also have mulch hay. Larry Morgan **Lizella** 478-972-5977 478-781-1990

2015 Fescue mix, 4x6, 19 net-wrapped rolls, weed free, in barn; \$30 each. Dale Fletcher **Ranger** 770-550-4945

2015 Fescue/Bermuda/Johnson grass, 4x5 rolls, sheltered, horse quality; \$35/roll. Jim Boggs **Aragon** 706-234-5842

2015 horse hay, \$5.50/square, \$40-\$50/roll; also have mulch hay, \$3.25/square, \$25/roll. Rick Anderson **Taylorville** 404-402-8470

2015 late cutting, square mixed grass/mostly Bermuda, sprayed/fertilized, quality but need space; \$2/square. Lori Catron **Bremen** 404-213-8594

2015 mixed grass hay, barn stored, 4x5 round bales; \$40/bale. Terry Dishroon **Mansfield** 770-317-8455

2015 Russell cow hay, large 4x5 net-wrapped rolls, barn stored, weed free; \$30. Kylie Warren **Ellabell** 912-414-8081

2015 Rye grass hay, call for pricing. John Daniels **Colbert** 706-788-2931 706-338-1843

2015 Tifton 85 and Coastal hay, 4x5 net-wrapped round bales, fertilized and limed; \$20-\$40. Ellis Godbee 618 Godbee Road **Waynesboro** 30830 706-840-4566

2015 yellow feed corn, \$40/barrel; also 2015 wheat, \$45/barrel. Robert Montgomery **Reynolds** 478-837-2356

2015/2016 Coastal Bermuda hay, 4x5, net-wrapped, stored in barn. Fred Sackett **Butler** 478-862-5120

2015/2016 high performance, UGA tested, Alicia/Russell hay, round and square bales, sheltered, delivery available, PBI Farms. Heath Pittman **Vidalia** 912-293-2535

2016 Alfalfa square bales, bundles of 21. Terry Embry **Eatonton** 706-485-2346

2016 Bermuda horse quality hay, \$5.25/square; Bermuda/Rye 4x5 net-wrapped rolls, \$35 in barn. Keith Boozier **Monroe** 770-601-5217

2016 Coastal Bermuda hay, horse quality, at barn, delivery available; \$5/bale. Glenn Brinson 1800 Corsey Grove Way **Tarrytown** 30470 912-288-5960

2016 Coastal Bermuda, 4x5 net-wrapped, well-maintained and fertilized, mostly covered, delivery available, quantity discount. Walker Blich **Statesboro** 912-687-6960

2016 Coastal Bermuda, horse quality, 4x5 rolls, rain free, tightly net-wrapped, under shelter, fertilized/limed; \$60. Grace R Brady **Hephzibah** 706-231-0985

2016 Coastal Bermuda, horse quality, fertilized to UGA specs., banded, square or 4x5 round bales, delivery/stack available. Olin Trammell **Forsyth** 478-960-7239

2016 Coastal Bermuda/Rye hay, well-fertilized, good quality, barn stored, 4x5 rolls; \$50 each. Rex Register **Hahira** 229-561-1462

2016 Coastal Russell, horse quality, 4x6 rolls, JD net-wrapped, stored in barn, can deliver; \$50 each. William Stevens **Macon** 478-214-1257

2016 feed oats, available by bulk or by bag; \$10/bag. Steve Allen 444 Cochran Rd **Butler** 31006 336-314-4841

2016 Fescue hay, 4x5 rolls, horse quality, barn stored; \$35 each. Charles Chastain **Talking Rock** 706-972-1103

2016 Fescue hay, horse quality 4x5 round bales, 900 lbs., weed/rain free, in barn, high protein/TDN; \$50. Jason Breeding **Senoia** 770-599-8998

2016 Fescue mixed grass hay; \$30/roll. Jerry Glancy **Griffin** 404-433-3568

2016 Fescue Rye mix, square bales, rain/weed free, well-fertilized, horse quality hay, at barn; \$5 each. Robert Barclay **Ball Ground** 770-889-3217

2016 Fescue/Bermuda hay, limed and fertilized; \$27/round, or \$3.50/square. R.W. Turner **Brooks** 770-719-8545

2016 Fescue/Orchard grass hay, horse quality, heavy square bales, fertilized, limed, rain free; \$4.75 each. Lamar Long **Chatsworth** 706-695-5906

2016 Fescue/Orchard hay, square bales, horse quality, dry in barn; \$4.50 each. Bob Donath **Ellijay** 706-636-5224

2016 MaxQ low endophyte Fescue mix for cattle, 4x5 rounds, delivery extra; \$40 each. Loring Heard **Washington** 706-401-7441

2016 mixed Fescue hay, \$3.50/bale; 2015 mulch hay, \$2/bale; delivery available for an additional fee. Roger Cannon **Conyers** 404-281-0335

2016 Ryegrass square bales, fertilized horse hay, stored in barn; \$6 each. Larry Stubbs **Moreland** 30259 678-877-4726

2016 Ryegrass/Fescue mix, 4x5 net-wrapped rolls, dry in barn, no rain; \$40, or \$35 ground contact bales. Gary Lane **Carrollton** 404-502-4000

2016 Tifton 85, fertilized, rain free squares, delivery anywhere between Augusta and Gwinnett County; \$6/bale. Charlie Jackson **Lawrenceville** jackson_c19@yahoo.com 678-910-0561

3000 bushels of bright oats, with 1.5 bushels per bag; \$9/bag. Bobby Greene 756 Wagonwheel Road **Arabi** 31712 229-239-1365

4x5 rolls, Fescue/mixed grass hay, fertilized, excellent quality, rain free; \$35 each. Bradley Robert **Kingston** 706-844-8383

Alicia Bermuda, 2016 top quality hay, net-wrapped, 4x5 round bales. Larry R. Cox **Waynesboro** 706-829-4174

Alicia/Bermuda hay, horse quality square bales. Kenneth Potts **Sylvester** 229-392-3675

Bermuda hay, horse quality, now taking orders; \$5/square, or \$50/roll. Cindy Buford **Concord** 770-584-6674

Bermuda hay, net-wrapped; \$45/roll. Steven Rosamond **Catalua** 706-350-0833

Bermuda hay, Tift 44 and Russell, horse quality, 800 lb. round bales; \$55 each. James Bishop **Newnan** 678-378-2903

Bermuda, Fescue and Rye hay mix, heavily fertilized, rain free, horse quality; square \$7, or round \$50. S. Stana **Carrollton** 770-241-3201

Bermuda, Tift 44 and Rye mix, large square bales, cow quality, pick up field/trailer; \$3.50/bale. Preston Denney **Brooks** prestondenney81@gmail.com 770-468-2703

Clover Wild Oat and Wild Oat hay, horse quality; \$5/bale. John Faulk **Jeffersonville** 478-945-3415

Coastal Bermuda square bales, fertilized, clean, rain free; \$5 each. Hardy Edwards **Winterville** 706-714-9012

Deer beans with 39% crude protein, non-GMO wildlife feed; \$20/50 lb. bag. Bryan W Maw **Tifton** 229-382-6832

Fescue hay, horse quality, \$3.75 each; Rye grass, horse quality, \$4 each. Kermit Simmons **Jefferson** 770-867-7550

First cutting of 2016 hay, 4x5 round bales, barn stored; \$30 each. Perry Dykes **Eatonton** 770-364-0033

Goat hay, \$10; 2015 mixed grass, 4x5 cow quality, \$30; 2016 Ryegrass, 4x5 net-wrapped. Horace Pippin **Culloden** 770-358-0852

Net-wrapped 4x5 round bales, fertilized, horse quality Fescue; \$40 at barn, \$35 at field. Jack Jones **Dahlonega** 706-429-7130

Quality Coastal/Fescue hay, 4x4 net-wrapped rolls, in barn; 4x5 mulch hay, quantity discounts, I will load. Jim L Pierce **Mcdonough** 404-372-8631

In Celebration of The Salt Table's 5th Year in Business The Public is Invited to the




Georgia Grown

Showcase

Saturday, June 25 • 10:00am to 3:00pm

The Salt Table and Tanger Outlet in Pooler present a Georgia Grown Showcase. Dozens of vendors will sell and provide samples of Georgia made food products and fresh produce. All will be outdoors under tents. Guest celebrity chefs will do live cooking demonstrations on an outdoor stage. Food, live music and helium balloons for the kids! Prizes galore!

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Bulletin Calendar

- June 25**
Georgia Grown Savannah Showcase
Tanger Outlets
200 Tanger Outlet Blvd.
(Exit 104 off Interstate 95)
Pooler, Ga. 31322
404.656.3680
- June 27**
Raised Bed Gardening
Gwinnett County Extension Service
750 South Perry St.
Lawrenceville, Ga. 30046
678.377.4010
timothy.daily@gwinnettcounty.com
- June 28**
Ag and Natural Resources Day
Rockdale County Extension Service
1400 Parker Road
Conyers, Ga. 30094
770.278.7373
uge1247@uga.edu
- June 30**
Living With Vegetable Pests
Muscogee County Extension Service
3000 Macon Road
Columbus, Ga. 31906
706.653.4200
- July 2**
Way Green Local Fare Market
Okefenokee Heritage Center
1460 N. Augusta Ave.
Waycross, Ga. 31503
waygreen.wix.com/waygreen
- July 9**
Goat and Sheep Management Course
Dade County Extension Service
114 Pace Drive
Trenton, Ga. 30752
706.657.4116
- July 12**
Fire Ant Field Day
Carroll County Extension Service
2939 Old Columbus Road
Roopville, Ga. 30170
770.836.8546
- July 14**
Sunbelt Ag Expo Field Day
Spence Field
Moultrie, Ga. 31788
229.985.1968
sunbeltexpo.com
- July 15**
Georgia Department of Agriculture
Egg Candling Class
835 Memorial Drive
Griffin, Ga. 30223
770.467.4225
- July 16**
Saving Herbs and Seeds
Cherokee County Extension Service
2740 East Cherokee Dr.
Canton, Ga. 30115
770.721.7803
- July 18-21**
Farm to Table Summer Camp
General Coffee State Park
46 John Coffee Road
Nicholls, Ga. 31554
912.384.7082
- July 21-23**
18th Annual Southern Peanut Growers Conference
Sandestin Golf & Beach Resort
Miramar Beach, Fla. 32550
SouthernPeanutFarmers.org
229.386.3470
- July 28**
2016 Farm Safety Camp
Stuckey Auditorium
UGA Griffin Campus
Griffin, Ga. 30223
770.228.2341 | 770.461.3436
- Aug. 6**
Way Green Local Fare Market
Okefenokee Heritage Center
1460 N. Augusta Ave.
Waycross, Ga. 31503
www.waygreen.wix.com/waygreen
- Aug. 6-7**
Bill Pickett Invitational Rodeo
Georgia International Horse Park
Charles Walker Arena
1996 Centennial Olympic Parkway
Conyers, Ga. 30013
770.860.4190 | 678.428.7889
- Sept. 3**
Way Green Local Fare Market
Okefenokee Heritage Center
1460 N. Augusta Ave.
Waycross, Ga. 31503
www.waygreen.wix.com/waygreen
- Sept. 9-11**
Lumber City Farm Day Festival
Fun Run and 5K, Sept. 10
912.363.4643
jeaban2007@mac.com
- Sept. 24**
Cane Syrup Workshop
Alabama Syrup-Makers Assoc.
Landmark Park
Dothan, AL 36302
334.494.3037 | 334.806.6769
334.790.9235

Have an event to put on our calendar? Contact Amy Carter at 404.656.3722 or amy.carter@agr.georgia.gov

We accept calendar submissions for food, craft and agriculture festivals and events. Submissions for festivals that do not specifically promote those industries will not be printed.

Additional pesticide recertification training notices are available on the Department website under the Plant Industry Division tab.

Livestock auctions listed in The Market Bulletin may offer related items for sale. Notices for auctions selling any items other than livestock must be accompanied by the auction license number of the principal auctioneer or firm conducting the auction, per state regulations. Notices without this information cannot be published.

Round Bales of 2015 Bermuda, \$40; 2016 rolls of Rye grass/Bermuda, horse quality, \$50. David Clemens **Waynesboro** 706-466-2944

Square bales of 2016 Rye/2015 Bermuda; 2016 Rye, 4x5 rolls, barn stored, fertilized/rain free w/delivery available. Barry McCart **Jackson** 678-432-0423 770-957-2270

2016 4x5 Fescue hay, baled 05/31/16, net-wrapped by John Deere baler. Terry Smith **Monticello** 770-775-3994

Feed, Hay and Grain Wanted

Alfalfa hay for mulch, 15-20 square bales, moldy is OK. Jack Johnson **Marietta** jackjohnson@bardi.com 770-527-3050

Seeking unwanted, old or rotten hay. Connie Powell **Monticello** 770-722-2895

AG SEED FOR SALE

If you have questions regarding this category, call 404-656-3722.

Advertisers must submit a current state laboratory report, fewer than nine months old, for purity, noxious weeds and germination for each seed lot advertised. Ads submitted without this information will not be published. If you are faxing or mailing in an ad, this report needs to be sent along with it. For ads submitted online, the report can be attached using the attachments button. Seed lots must be uniform and cannot exceed 400 50-pound bags. Certain varieties of seed are protected from propagation unless they are grown as a class of certified seed. These include Florida 304, Coker 9152, Coker 9835, 6738 soybean, Haskell, Bennings and others. For questions regarding certified seed, call the Department's Seed Division at 404-656-3635.

Old time Rutgers tomato seed, hot Peter pepper, and hot cow horn pepper; \$1/pack + SASE. Amory L Hall **Maysville** 706-652-2521

Ag Plants for Sale

12" White peach tree seedlings, 100 available, can mail but postage extra; \$1 each. Robert Hottle **College Park** 404-344-0568

3-5-gallon Pindo palm, \$25-\$30; 1-gallon Forsythia, banana tree, stevia and rosemary, \$4.50. Vicky Washburn **Forsyth** circlewplants@gmail.com 478-994-4334

Banana trees for sale, variety of sizes available, potted for easy transport. Roy Goddard **Lithonia** 770-987-9671

Bermuda sprigs, Russell, Coastal, Tift 85 custom planting statewide with references available, book early. Robert McNair **Junction City** 706-575-5697

Georgia Jet sweet potato slips or vines with shipping available. Rodney Mullis **Alma** 912-632-8348 912-614-9240

Grafted/bare root Pecan trees, Cape Fear, Pawnee, Oconee, Sumner, Lakota, call to place your order. Andy Smith **Hawkinsville** browndalepecanfarms@gmail.com 478-225-8433

Many varieties of fig trees, Newport plums, olive trees and herbs as well. Mohammad Sarris **Kennesaw** 678-830-7324

Potted Ginkgo tree seedlings for sale, 6"-9" tall above the ground; \$5 each. Sandra Goldi **Atlanta** 404-201-0063

Ag Seed/Plants Wanted

Old-fashioned wild plums, 5-gallons or more that I will pick. James Farmer **Maysville** 678-316-9147 678-936-1376

FLOWERS AND ORNAMENTALS FOR SALE

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"Birdhouse" bottleneck gourd seed; \$1/15 + SASE. Sandy Stubbs **Boxspings** 229-314-1427

1-gallon Green Giant Arborvitae, \$3.50 each; 1-gallon Cryptomeria Globosa, \$3.50. Donna Glisson **Suwanee** 770-827-5821

1-gallon pots of large growing azaleas in all colors; \$2.50 each. Jack Maffett **Montezuma** 478-954-2111 478-472-7133

300+ daylily varieties in all colors, all sales by appointment only. Mary Burgess **Covington** www.alcovydaylilies.com 770-787-7177

350 varieties of 4" perennials including helleborus, \$1.50 each; 1-gallon grafted Japanese maples, \$20-\$25; display garden. Selah Ahlstrom **Jackson** 770-775-4967

Albatros (white) water lilies, you remove from pond; \$15 each OBO. Carol Britt **Good Hope** 770-316-9245 706-342-2812

Angel Trumpet plants, pink color, rooted, no shipping; \$5 each. Vickie Sutton **Cumming** sutton73@att.net 770-887-8412

Angel Trumpets, banana trees, Confederate roses, Black Magic elephant ears, lotus, pond plants and more. Patrice Cook **Covington** 770-787-6141

Angel Trumpets, Christmas roses (helleborous), \$5; hydrangeas, ferns, beauty berries, Altheas, burning bushes, nandinas, forsythia, others; \$3.50. Carla Houghton **Marietta** 770-428-2227

Bearded iris, Bengal tiger canna lily, mail only, for public garden. Lee Phillips **Norcross** 770-935-0973

Black, gold and variegated bamboo, pond/bog plants. David Pelton **Covington** 678-654-0571

Boxwoods: American, English, Korean; reblooming daylilies, magic lily; please leave message if no answer. Faye Chambers **Yatesville** 706-472-3371

Daffodils: Old-timey yellow, double bloomers; also white narcissus, rose campion plants, tall phlox, mole bean seed. E. Beach **Duluth** 770-476-1163

Daylilies, double fan, see website for photos: www.DaylilyFans.com/ KatieLou_Lilies. Katielou Greene 402 W. McIntosh Cir. **Whitesburg** 30185 katielou402@gmail.com 770-836-1351

Daylilies, mixed colors, Stella de Oros, iris, daffodil, shipping available; \$15 for 20, \$5.50 for shipping. B.J. Roop **Austell** 770-948-8740

Exotic daylily crosses, 14 acre garden, tropicals, wild flowers and much more; \$2/fan. Suzanne W Franklin **Dawsonville** www.jungleparadisedaylilies.com 678-410-6830

French marigold, multi-colored, dwarf-medium height; \$1 + SASE. Haywood Waters **Marietta** 404-844-9568

Gardenias, hydrangeas and cacti for sale. Jeff Creel **Fayetteville** 770-461-2998

Heath daylilies: hybrids of all forms, sizes and colors, hundreds to choose. Charles Heath **Rome** 706-295-5104

Hollyhock, Texas Star hibiscus, strawberry Gophrena; \$3 cash/25 + SASE. D. Miltimore 1396 Kiley Lane **Dalton** 30721

Hosta, English ivy and vinca for sale, leave message. Janet Adams **Cumming** 770-316-1624

Hostas, daylilies, night-blooming cereus, cardinals, geraniums; \$2+ each. Carol L Bland **Fayetteville** 770-964-3162

Japanese maple trees (Bloodgood), 2-10' tall; call in the evenings. Janice Dycee **Conyers** 770-784-8248

Japanese maple varieties, cash/carry, you load; have lake so no children, by appointment only. Wylene Townley 4809 Stagecoach Road **Ellenwood** 30294 678-489-7580

Japanese maples, azaleas, hydrangeas, hostas, banana plant. Linda Waites **Fayetteville** 770-964-6414

Leyland Cypress privacy trees, year-round planting, we deliver and plant statewide. John Cowherd **Monticello** 770-862-7442

Mexican sunflower, cleome, touch-me-not, Tiger lily, four-o'clock, shasta daisy, money plant; \$1/each + large SASE. B.L. Savage 3017 Atkins Dr **Gainesville** 30507

Mixed reseeding petunias, double purple or double yellow angel trumpet; \$1/pack +SASE. Carolyn Arnold 644 Lynn Avenue **Jefferson** 30549 706-367-4700

Old-timey castor oil bean plant seeds; \$2/baker's dozen + SASE w2 stamps. Brent Nichols P.O. Box 1881 **Brunswick** 31521

Red spider lilies, \$25/40; white spider lilies, large 5" bloom, \$25/5; iris, mixed colors, \$25/15; postage included. S. Hill **Sylvester** 229-206-2963

Red spider lily bulbs, also white and yellow daffodils; \$5/dozen + postage. Clifton Sapp **Screven** 912-253-6600

Seed: Butterfly weed, poppy, swamp lily, cosmos, amaryllis mix, rain-tree; \$2/package + x-large SASE. Gerri Ward **Attapulgus** 229-465-3641

Seeds: Devil's trumpet, mullein pink, touch-me-nots, morning glory, hibiscus, Siberian iris; \$1 cash/tsp w/SASE. G. Robertson 2966 Cardinal Lake Cir **Duluth** 30096

Thuja Green Giants, 3-gallon, 3' tall, ready to plant; \$12. Tim Keel **Social Circle** 678-300-2907

Wild flower seeds, attract butterflies and birds, gigantic pack; \$2 + 2 stamps. Sammie L Marler 339 Walden Shores Ln **Brunswick** 31525

Flowers and Ornamentals Wanted

Looking for a variety of hydrangea cultivars, including mopheads, lacecaps, paniculatas, etc. S. Harris **Jefferson** 706-983-0489

Oakleaf hydrangea, hydrangeas, lilies, butterfly bush, river birch and vinca minor. Walt Hensley 5106 S Jett Rd **Woodstock** 30188 walt1978@comcast.net 678-520-7253

Perennial white or red/white-striped verbenas. Etheleen James **Lyons** 912-526-8516

Reseeding impatiens, petunias; also seeking wrought iron plant stand. S.J. Morrison **Monticello** 706-318-5242

St. Joseph's lily: Commonly called hardy amaryllis, but its Latin name is Hippeastrum Johnsonii. Patricia Lewis **Buford** ifunnyfarm@netzero.net 770-932-9784

MISCELLANEOUS

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

1939 antique electric cook stove; \$300. W.G. Griffin **Byron** 478-396-2409

20 trusses, 29'L; \$450. David Powell **Monticello** 770-722-2895

Barn wood for sale, was previously a peach shed 70 years ago. Sandee Potts **Zebulon** 678-910-7579

Call to see my raw Angora goat fleeces for sale; \$35 each. J.S. Woodrum **Hartwell** jnfwoodrum@yahoo.com 706-376-1485

Covered truck bed, 8x24, good roll-up door, great for storage, email for photos; \$1000. James Odom **Jonesboro** jamesodom100@gmail.com 770-639-6976

Demolish cottage, lots of repurpose-use items, easy access on 25-acres in Senoia. John Hallam **Newnan** 678-423-5012

Early 1900s cast iron claw foot bathtub, outside primed, inside good; \$5500. Rebecca Conley **Conyers** 770-851-2623

Heart pine wall board, 1/4"-1/2"x7"-9"W. Elijah McKenzie 946 Twiggs St **Augusta** 30901 904-562-0839

Heart-pine log cabin, circa 1790s; great history, two full stories, good condition, two chimneys; \$18,000 OBO. Linda K Gordon **Commerce** 706-255-6485

Hemlock tree injections for wooly adelgid insect, licensed applicator. Larry Loots **Ellijay** ellijaytreepest@etcmail.com 706-972-7394

Pressure canner, new, 22-quart capacity, \$45; pint and quart jars, jelly jars, \$40 cents each. Reta Horton **Conyers** 770-922-5294

Quilting scraps for sale: Cotton, polyester, different sizes and colors. Joyce T Strickland **Dallas** 770-445-2585

Roll-up door, 10'x8', shaft drive, automatic, all parts for complete installation; \$125. Archie Coker **Cartersville** 404-307-2612

Stihl 028WB chainsaw with a 16" bar, can be repaired or used for parts; \$50. G. Register **Fayetteville** 770-461-2842

Tin and trusses from poultry houses sold together for pole barn; 2x6 5/12 pitch, 3x23 tin. Clint Harris **Cumming** 770-597-6420

Miscellaneous Wanted

100-125 7' tall T-posts in North Georgia. David Ravan 1386 Amys Creek Rd **Clarksville** 30523 706-768-1621

1000-gallon propane tank, in Rockmart or surrounding area; also seeking a general switch panel cover. Bruce Ballard **Rockmart** 770-530-8053

Cross ties for farm/yard usage, Troup County, email with price. Diane K Lawhorn **Hogansville** kathy19954@yahoo.com 706-863-6120

Old poultry or swine advertising in good/fair shape, metal or porcelain preferred. Steve Mullis **Cadwell** 478-689-4486 478-595-5152

Rusty corrugated tin roofing, old fence pickets and old turned porch columns. Frank Slade **Atlanta** 404-763-3162 404-569-0001

Seeking handmade kitchen knives made from saw blades. Franklin Cheek **Hawkinsville** 478-892-9326

Used set of 14.9 x 24 rear tractor tires, good condition, near Athens. Gary Lewis **Lexington** 706-207-0697 706-207-0697

Wood chips delivered. Joyce Leighty 631 Luther Court **Powder Springs** 30127 770-238-8345

Bees, Honey & Supplies

10-frame bee hive, \$85; 5-frame bee hive, \$65; also make inner covers, supers, top bar bee hives. Eliseo Delia **Mineral Bluff** 706-492-5119

10-frame beehives and supers with bees; \$200. Gary Ridley **La Fayette** 706-638-1911

5-frame NUCs for sale, Highway 11 Apiary. Carl Bishop **Monroe** 770-851-3761

5-frame NUCs, \$160; Italian queen bees, \$30; custom built hives, feeders and supers, call for details. David McDaniel **Rome** kd4wph@aol.com 706-234-6585

Albany/Southwest Georgia bee removal, also hornets, yellow jackets, wasps, licensed and insured. Dale Richter **Leesburg** dalerichter@bell-south.net 229-886-7663

Beekeeper is willing to remove swarms from structures or trees to transport to a new, safe home. Jeffrey Bowman **Cleveland** 706-809-8043

Free removal of swarms; remove other unwanted bees for fee; need new location to keep bees. Leonard Day **Macon** 478-719-5588

Guaranteed bee removal in metro Atlanta and the West Georgia areas. W.O. Canady **Villa Rica** 770-942-3887

Pure all-natural unprocessed honey: quart, \$14; pint, \$8; 8 oz. bear, \$5. Jimmy Brown **Jackson** 770-775-0157 678-448-7781

Raw local honey, must pick up; \$12/2 lb. jar, or \$5/8 oz. squeeze bottle. Linda Norman **Braseltown** lindawnorman@windstream.net 706-824-0154

Swarm removal, Russian hybrid bee NUCs, Fatbeeman's bees for sale; \$150. Randy L. Comeaux **Flowery Branch** comeauxrandy@charter.net 678-464-5899

Want to purchase wildflower honey in 5-gallon buckets; also have bee equipment for sale. Jim Mabry **Marietta** jim@mabryfarm.com 770-993-4997

Whole hive, \$200; lids, hive bodies, bottom boards, frames, hive stands and honey extractor, prices negotiable. Alina Holden **Conyers** alina.holden@gmail.com 770-238-7436

Will collect bee swarms on/near ground and also remove unwanted bee hives in West Walton/East Gwinnett free. Robert Pruden **Monroe** 770-466-9100

Will pick up swarms free; want to purchase unwanted beekeeping equipment; need new locations to keep bees. David Larson **Mitchell** 770-542-9546

Will remove low hanging swarms of honey bees free in Rockdale County area. Ronald Johnson **Conyers** 678-357-1814

Will remove swarms and unwanted bee equipment, also bee removal from structures; 2016 light wildflower honey. Derry Oliver **Commerce** 706-335-7226 706-621-1781

Will remove swarms of bees free in Paulding and Carroll County. Doyle Blankinship **Villa Rica** 770-361-5376

Things To Eat

Advertisers submitting ads using the term "organic" require Certified Organic registration with the Georgia Department of Agriculture. Ads submitted without this registration will not be published. If you are faxing or mailing in an ad, the registration needs to be sent along with it. For ads submitted online, the registration can be attached using the attachments button. For information on this registration, call the Organic Program Manager at 706-595-3408.

2015 Desirable pecans; \$10/lb. + postage. Russell Eaton **Stockbridge** 30281 770-506-2727

Award winning made-on-the-farm oils: Sunflower, pecan, peanut, others; also gluten free nut flours; www.oliver-farm.com. Clay Oliver **Pitts** ifarmueat@hotmail.com 229-406-0906

Blueberries from Castle Rock Farms, you pick, call for more information. John Reid **Dallas** 770-445-9941

Blueberries: Mid-June through July, Wed - Sat, 8 am - 8 pm; \$10/you pick, \$20/we pick gallon. Kay Smith **Watkinsville** 706-769-1929

Blueberries: Pick your own June 15 through August, open every day. Robert La Manna **Milledgeville** 478-932-5390 478-251-1755

Eggs from pastured heritage breed chickens with local delivery available; \$4/dozen. Daniel West **Rutledge** daninafarms@gmail.com 706-474-1710

Farm raised Black Angus beef, grass-fed, grain-finished, hormone and antibiotic-free. Stacey Turner **Lula** 678-448-8279

Fresh brown eggs; \$3/dozen. Ralph C Thomassen **Flovilla** 404-934-8086

Fresh farm eggs; \$3/dozen w/your own carton, or \$3.35/dozen without carton. Edward Akin **Griffin** 678-378-9175

Fresh pork sausage, mild or hot, growth hormone and antibiotic free. Richard Koehler **Carrollton** 770-838-0617

Grass-fed, pastured, naturally-raised beef, pork, lamb and goat; also pastured, free range eggs and natural pecans. Fernando Mendez **Arabi** www.marviewfarms.com 786-210-6544

High quality grain finished Angus beef, half or quarter, A.I. sired; \$3.50/lb. hanging weight. Ken McMichael **Monticello** 706-819-9295

Pick your own blueberries at Newton County Blueberry Hill. Richard Burr 6325 Highway 20 S **Covington** 30016 404-771-1391

Strawberries/sweet onions, Mon-Sat 8a-7p and Sun 10a-6p; 2nd location: 9515 Feagin Road, Macon. Debra Elliott **Lizella** 478-935-8180

Sweet corn (tentative) harvest dates: Jun 4 & 18, and July 2 & 23; \$4/dozen, or \$15/4-dozen. April Cunard **Fort Valley** 478-508-5014

Turkey eggs; \$18/dozen. Richard Kemp **Jefferson** 706-255-3651

Wanted: Brown or white double yolk eggs by the dozen in Carroll, Douglas or Paulding counties. Gregory Frank **Villa Rica** 770-459-5428

Wanted: Figs to make preserves, within 50 miles. Ben Smith **Elberton** 706-318-1225

Water-ground meal, whole wheat flour, grits, also grind your grain; \$5 for 5 lbs. + postage. Mike H Buckner **Junction City** 706-269-3630

Fish & Supplies

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All quality farm grown channel catfish fingerlings; graded/priced by size, accurate weights/counts, guaranteed live, healthy delivery. J.F. Gilbert **Thomaston** 706-648-2062 770-468-0725

All fish species: bluegill, shad, bass, shellcracker, minnows, shiners, catfish. Pond surveys, aeration/feeders, weed consultation, vegetation control. Ethan Edge **Baxley** 912-602-1310

All sizes bass, bluegill, channel catfish, threadfin, gizzard shad, shell cracker and more; free delivery or pickup. Danny Austin **Roberta** 478-836-4938

All sizes catfish, minnows, shiners, bluegill, shellcracker, sterile carp, electrofishing, feeders, threadfin shad, aeration, consulting services. Keith Edge **Soperton** 478-697-8994

Bass, bluegill, hybrid bream, channel catfish and sterile grass carp. David Cochran **Ellijay** 706-889-8113

Bass, bluegill, shell cracker, hybrid bream, channel catfish fingerlings, sterile grass carp, delivery available. Tony Chew **Manchester** 706-846-3657

Big red Europeans, red wigglers and worm castings; \$35-\$25/lb. + shipping. Lew Bush **Byron** lewbush@cox.net 478-955-4780

Bluegill and hybrid bream, largemouth bass, triploid grass carp, channel catfish, threadfin shad, delivery available. Brian Simmons **Hawkinsville** 478-892-3144

European night crawlers, bed run size, free shipping, good for fishing, grow fast; \$40/lb. Harold Tumlin **Temple** 770-832-0030

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Koi and goldfish for sale, all sizes; also fish food and pond supplies; call for appointment. Glenn Kicklighter **Sandersville** 478-232-7704

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Pond stock: Bluegill, Copper-nose Bream, Channel Catfish, F-1 Bass, Grass Carp, Shell Cracker, Shiners, Minnows. Kathryn Leigh Buford **Cordele** clarkbufordbait@gmail.com 229-273-4150

Red wigglers, \$20/lb.; worm castings available. Ronnie Parker **Pitts** 229-322-9719

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Horse manure and shavings compost; \$1/as much as you want. Jerry Riles **Douglasville** 770-337-1516

Longleaf pine straw, delivery and installation available, semi-trailer loads available. Joshua Bulloch **Manchester** 404-925-1076

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(Cattle prices expressed in price/hundredweight)

SLAUGHTER

CLASSES AVERAGES

COWS:

Breakers 75-80% lean . . 72.32
Boners 80-85% Lean . . . 74.93
Lean 85-90% Lean 71.48

BULLS:

Yield Grade 1

1000-1500 lbs 95.96
1500-2100 lbs 96.23

FEEDER CLASSES:

WEIGHTEDAVG PRICES

STEERS: MEDIUM AND LARGE

1-2

200-250 lbs
250-300 lbs
300-350 lbs 186.35
350-400 lbs 172.78
400-450 lbs 162.03
450-500 lbs 157.57
500-550 lbs 151.28
550-600 lbs 143.75
600-650 lbs 139.01
650-700 lbs 134.33

STEERS: MEDIUM AND

LARGE 2-3

300-350 lbs 176.22
350-400 lbs 166.56
400-450 lbs 155.11
450-500 lbs 147.54
500-550 lbs 141.64
550-600 lbs 135.01

HEIFERS: MEDIUM AND

LARGE 1-2

200-250 lbs
250-300 lbs 182.19
300-350 lbs 168.72
350-400 lbs 157.77
400-450 lbs 146.74
450-500 lbs 141.02
500-550 lbs 136.84
550-600 lbs 132.73
600-650 lbs 130.13
650-700 lbs 127.49

GOATS (priced per head)

SLAUGHTER

CLASSES SELECTION 2

BILLIES/BUCKS

75-100 lbs 155.94
100-150 lbs 205.31
150-300 lbs 242.50

NANNIES/DOES

60-80 lbs 108.31
80-100 lbs 160.25
100-150 lbs 192.50

KIDS & YEARLINGS

20-40 lbs 75.44
40-60 lbs 107.63
60-80 lbs 150.00

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Union County Farmers Market keeps mountain traditions alive

Like the Grange Hall of old, the Union County Farmers Market serves a multitude of needs in the North Georgia mountains. From sales hub to social hall, it's a place where people gather for food, fun and fellowship.

Mickey Cummings, manager of the Blairsville market, said it started several years ago in the parking lot of the courthouse.

"We had roughly 30 vendors there," he said.

When the county floated a special purpose local option sales tax to fund the construction of a permanent market, 83 percent of voters said yes to the idea, Cummings said. Since relocating to its own dedicated spot of land in 2010, the market regularly draws more than 80 vendors. The new site consists of three covered but open-air sheds, a canning plant and a cafe. The farmers market is held every Saturday and Tuesday from June through October. Fridays are reserved for a community-wide yard sale, and other days of the year see everything from car shows to charitable events.

Dot Patterson of Blairsville has been selling her home-grown jams and jellies at the market since those early days on the courthouse lawn. She offers 24 different flavors year-

round – adding seasonal favorites like cranberry and pomegranate during the holidays – along with chow-chow and pickles.

"I started making these with my grandmother when I was six years old," Patterson said.

Frederic and Laura Guyonneau of Roswell and Blairsville are fans. They have a cabinet full of Patterson's concoctions, Laura Guyonneau confessed, but can't pass up an opportunity to buy more when staying at their mountain house.

"Very often times we'll come on a Saturday morning and decide what we're going to have for dinner" based on what's available at the market, she said.

Buying directly from families who've farmed for generations and handed down traditions from one to the next can lead to enlightening finds. Smith Produce out of Cleveland, for example, offers white cucumbers that grow from reseeded plants left by Granny Payne, who died 20 years ago. The cucumbers are sweeter and crunchier than their green cousins, and make for a fun change from the routine.

The market was the brainchild of Union County Commissioner Lamar Paris, who wished to give the agricultural

and artisanal communities of his mountain home a boost. At one time, Union County was a prominent agricultural community. In the early 1990s the county was generating \$60 million in income off agricultural interests – mostly chickens, Cummings said. As the older generation of farmers died or retired and their heirs saw greater value in selling the family farm for development, the area's ag output fell significantly.

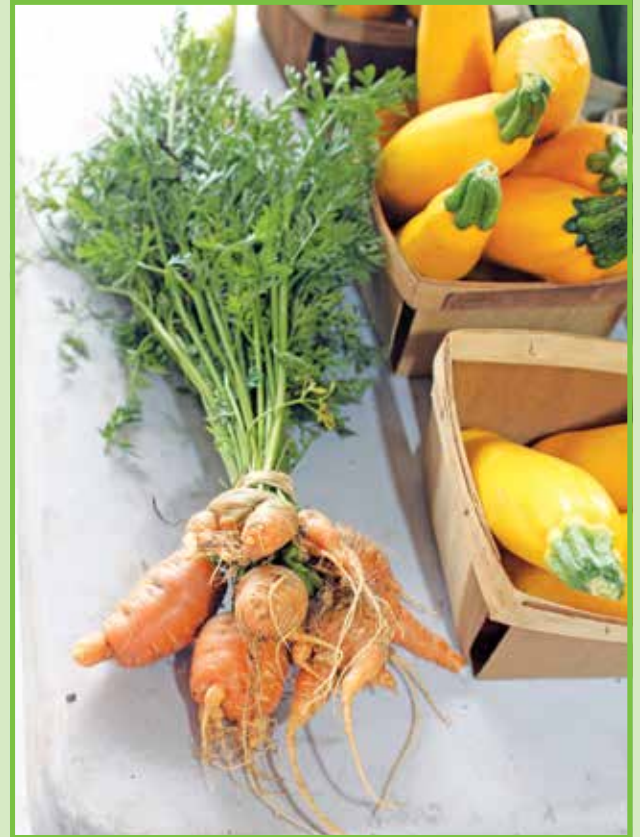
In addition to drawing growers and artisans from all over north Georgia, the canning plant at the market serves some 300 customers a year who produce as much as 17,000 jars of preserved produce and soups and stews.

Every spring the market hosts a Ramp Festival, which celebrates a mountain delicacy that tastes like a spring onion and smells like garlic. Native to Appalachia, ramps were considered a tonic by the Cherokee and consumed as the season's first greens by early mountaineers.

The Union County Farmers Market is open from 7 a.m. until 1 p.m. Saturdays and 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesdays through October. The market is located at 148 Old Smokey Road in Blairsville. Call 706.439.6043 for more information.



The Rum Cake Lady of Blue Ridge began keeping laying hens to supply her baking needs, and now sells excess eggs in a rainbow of colors at the Union County Farmers Market.



Smith Produce in Cleveland sells farm fresh produce, including carrots started from seed that look a little different than what you might find in the grocery store, and taste much better.

COYOTES: Primarily nocturnal, healthy coyotes will make occasional daylight appearances

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haven't had any coyote issues since we put them in there," Coggins said.

Coggins said he doesn't know of an instance where a coyote took down a live calf from his herd, but said they would come for dead ones. And while the Brangus cows he keeps are known for being vigilant mothers, the donkeys add an extra measure of protection against predation. He'll typically put two donkeys with 100 head of cattle. He said the donkeys form a bond with their pasture-mates almost immediately.

"They're hard-headed and they're fearless and they consider the cattle their own," he said.

Julia Asherman, who owns Rag & Frass Farm in Jeffersonville, said a donkey "will literally chase a coyote out of the field."

Dr. Rusty Bean, a veterinarian and cattle rancher who relies on donkeys to protect his herd on the Little Farm near Gray, said there's no more fierce guard against predation than a donkey.

"A Sicilian donkey is Satan's guard dog," Bean said.

Speaking of guard dogs, the owner of White Oak Pastures in Bluffton literally leaves the safety of his various livestock herds to the dogs.

"We've got 13 guardian dogs that roam over 2,500 acres of land," said Will Harris. "We don't feel like we ever lose any of our livestock to mammalian predators. We do lose poultry to the raptors – eagles, hawks and owls – but I can't say enough good things about the guardian dogs. They are highly, highly effective. They may be expensive when you buy them but then they breed and you don't have to buy anymore."

Harris deploys Great Pyrenees, Anatolian Shepherd and Akbash dogs to guard his cows, hogs, sheep, goats, rabbits, chickens, turkeys, geese, guineas and ducks against coyotes, feral dogs, bobcats, feral cats, foxes, skunks, raccoons and opossums.

The guardian dogs are kenneled as pups with young members of the herd they'll be assigned to protect. After six to 10 weeks, both will be returned to the herd.

"They do a great job," Harris said.

The Akbash, Anatolian Shepherd and Great Pyrenees dogs were originally bred in Europe to protect livestock from predators like wolves and bears, and are typically twice the size of a coyote.

"A large coyote would be probably 40 to 45 pounds," Larson said. "On average, they're 30 to 35 full grown."

Coyotes will take small house pets like cats and miniature dogs from residential lawns, Larson said. A six-foot fence will provide an effective barrier in a residential setting, as will harassment techniques such as noise and lights.

While coyotes are opportunistic hunters who roam primarily at night, it is not unusual to see one during the day, Larson said.

"They do tend to be more nocturnal but we have instances where we see mostly nocturnal animals come out during the day – foxes, bobcats, coyotes – so just a sighting during the day should not be a cause for alarm," he said.

It is only when these animals show signs of illness – foaming at the mouth, emaciation, aggressive behavior toward humans, a mangy appearance in the case of coyotes – that the Wildlife Resources Division of the DNR should be contacted.

With the disappearance of red wolves and mountain lions from Georgia, coyotes have no natural predators here, Larson said. That combined with their easy ability to adapt to any environment and find a food source ensures their continued presence in both rural and urban environments. The DNR has no definitive count on coyote populations statewide.