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SOUTHWEST NEW YORK FIELD CROP CHRONICLE

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New York State Forage Exchange

This year, several regions throughout the state have experienced drought conditions reducing the quality and quantity of forages produced for dairy and livestock. To help agricultural producers locate forage to purchase, or for producers that have forage to sell, Cornell Cooperative Extension announces the NYS Forage Exchange website, found at http://nysforageexchange.com.

The NYS Forage Exchange provides a free system to match potential sellers and buyers of forage within New York State. Sellers can easily register within the system and then post the forage they have available to sell. Potential purchasers can browse the advertisements, and then contact the seller through email for additional information or to complete purchase arrangements.

A video on how to use the NYS Forage Exchange can be found at <u>https://youtu.be/GNPjSIPLrxM</u>. The video is also available on the Forage Exchange website.

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Weed Seed Collection

Researchers and state extension specialists are working together to help producers determine if weeds that remain in fields have become resistant to commonly used herbicides. Horseweed (marestail), tall waterhemp, and Palmer amaranth are top priority weeds that growers might find this fall; horseweed and Palmer amaranth are present in Southwest NY. If you think you have a weed species that survived a herbicide application, consider collecting seed/seedheads to submit for testing or contact your local extension specialist.





Horseweed, marestail



Tall waterhemp (male)

Palmer amaranth



Register now for our CORE pesticide training and Pasture Management Series at: <u>https://swnydlfc.cce.cornell.edu/events.php</u>

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