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6.27.2024 Updates from Cornell Cooperative Extension's SWNY Dairy, Livestock, and Field Crops Program

A partnership between [Cornell University](#) and the Cornell Cooperative Extension Associations in these five counties: [Allegany](#), [Cattaraugus](#), [Chautauqua](#), [Erie](#), and [Steuben](#).

Thank you Ryan Piechocki from [Burley Brothers Butchery](#) and Ben Scott from [Advanced Dairy Services](#) for sponsoring this Weekly Update.

On-Farm Broiler Production and Processing Workshop at Green Heron Growers in Panama, NY on July 16th, 2pm – 4pm

This free workshop brings participants on a tour of Green Heron Growers' organic pastured raised broiler enterprise and a live processing demonstration to share how to safely and humanely process broiler chickens under the 1,000 bird exemption.

On-Farm Composting Field Day in Bath, NY on July 13th, 10am – 3pm

Join CCE and Cornell Waste Management Jean Bonhotal to discuss properly constructing and maintaining mortality composting piles on the farm. The classroom session will be followed with lunch and a trip to Bluegill Farms to see, dig into, and discuss their compost piles and keys to a successful process!

Cornell Seed Growers Field Day

The Cornell Seed Growers Field Day takes place next week on Tuesday, July 2nd. The program covers small grains, forage crop breeding updates, and discussion of the Birds and the Bees Act. DEC and CCA credits are available.

NY Breast Milk Expression Law Change

As of June 19, 2024, employers must provide employees with 30 minutes of paid break time when employees need to express breast milk. Prior to this change, the break time could be unpaid. All employees have the right to express breast milk in the workplace regardless of the size of their employer.

Upcoming Events			
<i>For more information and to register, click on the title hyperlinks.</i>			
Title	Date(s)	Location	Time
<u>Cornell Seed Growers Field Day</u>	July 2	Ithaca	8:30am

<u>Sustainable Poultry Production*</u> at Boston Valley Farms	July 12	Hamburg	10am
<u>Mortality Composting Workshop</u> at Bluegill Farms	July 13	Bath	10am -3pm
<u>Broiler Processing Workshop</u> at Green Heron Growers	July 16	Panama	2pm
<u>2024 Aurora Farm Field Day</u>	August 1	Aurora	9am – 4pm
<u>2024 Broiler Field Day</u> at Laughing Earth Farm *	August 19	Cropseyville	5pm
<u>2024 Broiler Field Day</u> at Majestic Farm*	August 20	Mountaindale	11am

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