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9.06.2024 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 Don Wild from Wild Acres Family Farm and Ryan Piechocki from [Burley Brothers Butchery](#) for sponsoring this Weekly Update.

Broiler Processing Workshop at Green Heron Growers in Sherman on Tuesday, September 17th, 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. We'll also discuss parting out chickens into retail cuts and marketing these hyper-local products. You can register [here](#).

Managing Weeds in Grass Pastures

With summer coming to an end, it can be a great time to control some of our pesky pasture weeds. Check out this article for more information on managing weeds on your farm. Contact Katelyn Miller for more information at 716-640-2047 or by emailing km753@cornell.edu.

It's National Respiratory Protection Week!

During National Respiratory Protection Week, The New York Center for Agricultural Medicine and Health, NYCAMH, would like to remind you to protect yourself from the respiratory hazards of farming. NYCAMH can help you choose the respirator that best suits your needs! Don't forget to get your respirator fit tested annually to ensure a proper fit! 1-800-343-7527

Happening Friday – Cornell DVM & NYFB Webinar on Eastern Equine Encephalitis/West Nile Virus

There have been recent outbreaks for equine encephalitis and West Nile Virus in NYS, both of which can transmit to humans via mosquito bites. Join this free webinar on 9/6 at noon from NYFB to learn more about vaccination options, prevalence, and how to work with veterinarians. If you'd like to learn more about IPM options, you can read [this fact sheet from Ken Wise \(NYSIPM\)](#).

Upcoming Events

For more information and to register, click on the title hyperlinks.

Title	Date(s)	Location	Time
<u>Broiler Processing Workshop at Green Heron Growers*</u>	September 17	Panama	2pm-4pm
<u>Composting Livestock Mortality & Butcher Waste</u>	September 17	Friendship	5:30pm-7pm
<u>Swine 101 Week</u>	September 23	Mount Morris	5:30pm-8:45pm
<u>Swine 101 Week</u>	September 24	Branchport	5:30pm-8:45pm
<u>Allegany County Farmer Neighbor Dinner</u>	September 25	Alfred Station	5:30pm
<u>LEAF: Biosecurity-Controlling Dangerous Germs Lurking on the Farm</u>	October 2	Jamestown	6pm-8pm
<u>Farm Disaster Preparation Certificate</u>	October 16 & 17	Zoom	6pm-9pm
<u>Stockmanship & Stewardship 2024</u>	October 25 & 26	Hamburg	All Day
<i>*Denotes that the event is hosted by, or includes speakers from, SWNYDLFC.</i>			

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