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Hemp Meetings Coming Soon

I am on vacation this week, so this is a shorter than normal column for me. However, there are some things that need to be shared. We are planning some educational meetings for those that may be interested in more information about growing hemp. Last week the first hemp plants were legally planted in Ohio since Governor DeWine signed SB 57.

There is so much information about the opportunities with this plant. I guess one of the first things to tackle is to explain this is NOT marijuana.

Things are already in the works. Kentucky has been growing for some time now, so we can learn from what they have already done. An opportunity to grow some research plots has been approved here locally. There is a market already in Maysville. Watch for more information in the next week. This is moving super fast.

Ohio Valley Antique Machinery Show

The Ohio Valley Antique Machinery Show is this weekend in Georgetown. The show opens on Thursday with events the entire weekend. There will be tractor parades, lots of food, vendors, displays and lots to see. The complete schedule for the weekend can be found at <http://ovams.com>.

Dates to Remember

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| August 13 | Southwest Corn Growers Field Day in Washington C. H. |
| August 22 | Beef and Forage Field Night at OARDC in Jackson at 5:00 p.m. |

