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Pesticide and Fertilizer Applicator Exams

Pesticide and Fertilizer Certification Exams for Private and Commercial Applicators at the Old Y Restaurant at noon. While this is normally on the second Monday of each month please remember for October and November the exam dates will change to the third Monday of the month due to Columbus Day and Veterans Day falling on the second Monday of both months.

Pre-register for these exams by call the Ohio Department of Agriculture at 800-282-1955 or online at <http://pested.osu.edu> Taking the exams are free. Once exams are passed there is a fee for certification.

Estate Planning Seminar

Estate Planning is not something most want to think about or discuss. However, the lack of planning can cause some major issues. You spend a lifetime working to maintain the family business or farm, take the time to learn how to best pass it onto the next generation so it can continue to be successful.

We will meet one evening a month starting in November at North Adams HS. We will discuss several issues that need to be considered for what needs to happen in the future. Please keep in mind, while most will read this and think this is for people up in years. While that may be true, it is not the only people that need to have a well thought out plan in place.

Folks that are older may have many assets that they wish to have put into Will or Trust. That is all good, but younger people have assets and some much more important issues that need to have a plan. Younger people may have children that would need to have a plan. Can one parent take care of all of the needs for children all the way to college? What is the plan should both parents be in a car accident? Who takes care of the children? Is life insurance part of your plan? How about long-term health care should one of the two parents survive, but have medical issues? How about long-term health care compared to the cost associated with a nursing home?

There is no one size fits all plan. This 4 night series will provide information about many options. My experience in doing these programs in the past is that people learn from others in the class. Questions asked by one family may trigger ideas for another family.

The program will not be free, but it will be at a very low cost. We will merely cover expenses for snacks and handouts. More information will be coming soon.

Dates to Remember

Sept. 14 Adams Co. Cattlemen Feeder Calf Show at Adams Co. Fairgrounds.



- Sept. 17-19 Farm Science Review. Tickets are available at the OSU Extension Offices.
- Sept. 23-28 Brown Co. Fair
- Oct. 1 Hemp Informational Meeting at Ohio Valley CTC at 6:30 p.m. Must pre-register by calling 544-2339 no later than September 27. Space is limited.
- Oct. 21 Pesticide and Fertilizer Certification Exams for Private and Commercial Applicators at the Old Y Restaurant at noon. Remember for October and November the exam dates will change to the third Monday of the month due to Columbus Day and Veterans Day falling on the second Monday of both months.