

The Agriculture Update

Calendar of Events 2022

November 29

Soil Fertility PARP (virtual) — 6pm — See Page 3

December 6 or 7

Digging Deeper into Land Leases (virtual)
<https://tinyurl.com/Digging22>

December 13-14

Indiana CCA Conference— <http://indianacca.org>
Indianapolis Marriott East

December 15

Indiana Beef Cattle Association Area 11 meeting—
Columbia City—RSVP@260-244-7615

2023

January 17-19

Fort Wayne Farm Show

January 23-24

Indiana Hort Congress
<https://www.indianahortconference.org/>

January 26

CMW virtually (PARP) -9am-Dining Hall—see Page 3

January 24 or 25 or 26

Crop Management Workshops
www.purdue.edu/conferences/Crop

January 28

Adams County Fairgrounds Fundraiser 4-8pm—
Expo Hall, Monroe

February 20-21

Heart of America Grazing Conference —
Dubois County — www.indianaforage.org

March 2-3

Indiana Small Farms Conference—Danville

July 16-20

Adams County 4-H Fair

July 28-August 20

Indiana State Fair

Questions? Contact the Extension office @ 260-724-5322

2022 is about to come to an end and the Holiday season is here. Harvest was bountiful and we have a lot to be thankful for once again. The Soybean plot books are finished and after such a rough start the soybean yields did better than expected with some variation obviously pending on planting date, stands and rainfall. The most northern plot was put out by Rich Marbach and again yielded the best as I know the northern part of the state did catch some late rains. Wheat plots were planted this fall and look good after a slow start with dry weather.

Most of you are doing very well keeping up on getting your credits for your licenses. I try to keep tabs on those that need to get them by the end of each year. I had numerous opportunities this year and listed some coming up.

And, The Purdue Center for Commercial Ag puts on at least quarterly Crop Outlook webinars plus many more throughout the year. You can watch it live or the archived versions at <https://ag.purdue.edu/commercialag/>.

I've tried to list a lot of different programs and conferences and highlighted some in this newsletter. Please try take advantage of what Purdue Extension offers. Thanks to all of you for your contribution to Agriculture!

May you all have a joyous, holiday season.

Agriculturally yours,

Brad Kohlhagen

Adams County ANR Extension Educator



Fort Wayne Farm Show

January 17-19, 2023

Registration is now open for the 2023 Indiana Horticultural Conference & Expo!

The Conference will feature educational tracks in Vegetables, Small Fruits, Tree Fruits, Business and Marketing, Controlled Environment Agriculture, Food Safety, Farming Basics, and Apple Production for Beginners. Additional events will include a Networking Dinner, Sweet Cider Contest, Silent Auction, and Poster Session. Lunch will be provided both days and is included with registration.

When: January 23 & 24, 2023

Where: The [Beck Agricultural Center](#) in West Lafayette, IN.

Registration is \$50 for a single day or \$90 for both days.

Register here: <https://www.indianahortconference.org/>





Extension



Dates & Times

December 6, 2022

6:30 pm - 8:30 pm EST

5:30 pm - 7:30 pm CST

or

December 7, 2022

10:00 am - 12:00 pm EST

9:00 am - 11:00 am CST

Pick Whichever

Virtual Session

Works Best for You!

Cost

\$25 per household/farm

Registration deadline is 24 hours before each session.

Digging Deeper Into Land Leases

Building Successful & Equitable Land Lease Agreements from the ground up.

- Identify the various lease tools available
- Evaluate the pros & cons of common lease types
- Learn about farm land leasing trends
- Discuss challenges associated with terminating a lease

**Todd Janzen,
Attorney Janzen Ag
Law**

Todd Janzen will discuss the legal side of land leases.



Register Online Today!

Register at

<https://tinyurl.com/Digging22>

For more information, or if you need a reasonable accommodation to participate in this program, contact Jenna Nees at 765-653-8411 or smith535@purdue.edu, prior to the program.

2022 Soybean Plot Books at our office or at: www.extension.purdue.edu/adams
Purdue Center for Commercial Ag — Crop Outlook webinars — <https://ag.purdue.edu/commercialag/>
2021 Indiana Farm Custom Rates at:
<https://https://ag.purdue.edu/commercialag/home/resource/2021/04/custom-rates/>

Pesticide Applicator/Cat. 14/CCH/CEU Workshops

Listed below are some upcoming programs for credits. If you absolutely need to get a credit, I noted that on your letter. Any questions? Feel free to email or call the County Extension Office. 724-5322 bkohlhag@purdue.edu

PARP/CCH/CEU VIRTUAL WORKSHOP OPPORTUNITY

WHAT: Soil Fertility Workshop

DATE: Tuesday, November 29, 2022

TIME: 6:00pm – 8:00pm

LOCATION: Virtual program via Zoom and special note (CCH & CEU credits have been requested)

RSVP: Register with the QR code or at <https://www.ccsin.org/events> to get the zoom link emailed

AGENDA:



Jamie Bultemeier, Director of Sales Agronomist Ft. Wayne A&L Great Lakes Lab, "Soil Health & Soil Basics"

Dan Wire, Maumee Watershed Alliance, "Nutrient runoff and changes on the rivers"

Brad Kohlhagen, Adams County ANR – PARP regulatory topic - "Protecting the Water Supply on the Farm"



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Purdue's 2023 Crop Management Workshop In-Person & Virtual OPPORTUNITY

When: January 24 or 25 or 26, 2023

How/Where:

In-Person-

Tuesday, January 24: In-Person only, Madison County Community Center, Alexandria, IN

Wednesday, January 25: In-Person only, Westgate Conference Center, Odon, IN

Thursday, January 26: In-Person, Beck Ag Center, West Lafayette, IN

Virtual-

Thursday, January 26: Livestream, Beck Ag Center, West Lafayette, IN

Registration: click the following link: <http://www.purdue.edu/conferences/Crop>

In-Person – \$80.00 (includes handouts, refreshments, and lunch)

Virtual - \$50.00 (unique/active email address required)

Schedule and Topics: (Eastern Standard Time)

8:30 In-Person Check-in & 8:45 Virtual Log-in

9:00 Meeting Begins

(State Chemist Highlights, Corn Responses to Sulfur, Effective Disease Management, Weed and Herbicide Updates, Insect Corn Traits, Input-Intensive Corn Management, Soybean Canopy and Nutrition, Safely Crossing Railroad Crossings)

4:00 In-Person and Virtual Meeting Concludes

Credits Awarded:

- Indiana commercial pesticide applicators (CCHs)

In-Person and Virtual*: (Cat 1 = 6, Cat 11 = 2, Cat 14 = 2, and RT = 4)

- Certified Crop Advisors (CEUs)

In-Person and Virtual*: 5.5 (PM 2.5, CM 2.0, NM 1.0)

- PARP (private applicator) available for in-person attendance only

*Livestream (i.e., Virtual) meeting may be watched individually, or together in groups. However, if credits (CCHs and/or CEUs) are desired, then each person must register with an individual (unique) email address, attend the entire meeting, and complete an online survey after the meeting.

NOTE: Brad plans to host a 'virtual' watch party ONLY for PARP credit for the morning of January 26th starting at 9am in the 4-H Dining Hall, Monroe.

Other Options:

Other PARP program list: <https://ppp.purdue.edu/private-applicators/recertification-parp/parp-events/>

CCH program list: <https://inplants.oisc.purdue.edu/USAPlantsIN/PesticideApplicator/MeetingSearch.aspx>



**PURDUE
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**Purdue's Crop
Management
Workshop**

ADAMS COUNTY 4-H FAIR BOARD

FAIRGROUNDS FUNDRAISER

Saturday, January 28

4-8PM at the

**Adams County 4-H
Fairgrounds Expo Hall**

Monroe, IN

Free Will Donation for Meal

MEAL: 4-8PM

Menu to include plenty of yummy food and drinks

Soups: Chili, Chicken Noodle, Ham & Beans and Potato

Sandwiches: BBQ Pork, Brats, Chili Dogs, Ham, Hot Dogs,
Sausage, Sloppy Joes

Dessert: Cookies and Ice Cream

SILENT AUCTION: 4-6:30PM

LIVE AUCTION: STARTS AT 6PM

Auction Services provided by Heartland Auction and Realty



If you would like to donate items for the auction; please contact:

Andrew Schaefer (260) 701-1908

Jon Liechty (260) 525-4748

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