



Northern Kentucky



REGIONAL BEEF FIELD DAY

Thursday, September 14, 2023



EDEN SHALE FARM

245 Eden Shale Rd. | Owenton, KY 40359

6:00pm
Registration & Meal

6:30-8:30pm
Program

Registration:
by September 7, 2023
Kenton County
Cooperative Extension Service
859-356-3155

Cattle Watering Options

Tour the barns at Eden Shale with Dr. Steve Higgins, UK Environmental Specialist and see first-hand how different automatic waterers work and see creative ways to harvest water and utilize non-traditional structures and equipment to water cattle.



Selecting & Developing Replacement Heifers

Tim Dietrich, Director of Commercial Relations at Branch View Angus, will discuss what qualities it takes for heifers to make the cut! What qualities do you look for in replacement heifers? What benchmarks should heifers meet to make them good candidates to make it in the cow herd?



Fall & Winter Nutrition

Dr. Katie VanValin, UK Beef Nutrition Specialist. Tough times making hay in the summer means tough times feeding in the winter. Do you test your hay? Do you supplement your hay with grain? This is the year to have a plan to keep your cattle healthy and performing at their best.

Cattle Handling Facilities

Dr. Josh Jackson, UK Ag Engineering Specialist, will explain the "dos & don'ts" of a cattle working facility. We will tour the barn and see the new working pens, scales and chute set up to work the cattle herd. Come and brainstorm with Dr. Jackson to design or tweak your own facility!



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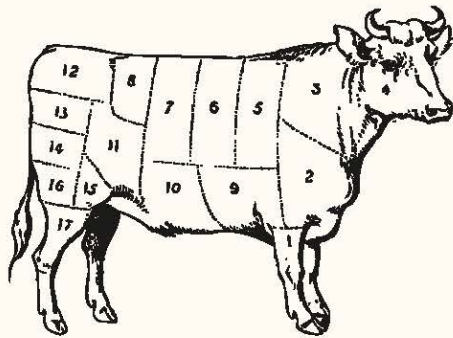
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UNDERSTANDING THE BEEF CATTLE MARKET

How do current trends affect my beef operation

Monday, September 11th, 2023 at 6:30 pm
Durr Education Center
(450 Kenton Lands Road, Erlanger, KY)

Join guest speaker, Dr. Kenny Burine (University of Kentucky Agriculture Economics Specialist), as we answer the following questions:

- What's happening at the stockyard?
- What are the latest trends in direct-to-consumer sales?
- What marketing strategy is best for my beef operation?

Refreshments and a light dinner provided.

Registration required:

For Boone County: (859) 586-6101

for Kenton County: (859) 356-3155

Facebook: @boonecoextension



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All About Our Owls

Learn about the diet, habitats, nesting habits, and the food web as we explore owls native to our region. This program is designed for families with 3rd grade students and up. Bring the kids and prepare to be amazed at these raptors with silent wings!

Tuesday, September 12, 2023

5:30 p.m.

450 Kenton Lands Rd

Erlanger, KY 41018

Register today!

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BEEF BASH

UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY



Thursday, September 21

C. Oran Little Research Center
1051 Midway Rd. Versailles, KY

Registration opens at 1:30 PM
Program begins at 2:00 PM
Tickets are \$15 and include meal.

Register by searching
Beef Bash 2023 at [Eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com)

VISIT WITH:

- Commercial Exhibitors
- Research Demonstrations
- Educational Exhibits
- KY Ag Leaders
- UK Personnel & Admin
- KCA Leadership & Staff

Tyler Purvis, UK Beef Extension
tapu228@uky.edu (859) 257-7512



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**Learn about
deer hunting
in Kentucky!**



**Venison
tasting &
recipes!**

Wednesday, October 4, 2023

6:30 - 9:00 p.m.

10990 Marshall Rd.

Covington, KY

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www.kentoncountyextension.org to register**

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FARM TOUR AT KENTUCKY STATE UNIVERSITY HAROLD R. BENSON RESEARCH & DEMONSTRATION FARM

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2023

1525 Mills Lane, Frankfort, KY

Please plan to arrive at the farm at 9:30 a.m. Our tour and information session should be over by 3:00 p.m.

Learn about research being done for small farm ventures. This KSU farm hosts a variety of research projects including poultry, small ruminants, soil management, organic agriculture, ornamental horticulture, livestock nutrition, honeybees, conservation biological control & beneficial insects, and urban agriculture. Additionally, the USDA National Clonal Germplasm Repository (Gene Bank) for pawpaws has been housed here since 1994 and includes over 2000 trees from 16 different states.



If you wish to carpool and can drive, please let Dan or Stacy at the Extension office know. There are a limited number of seats available in the Extension Service van. We plan to leave from the Marshall Rd office at 7:30 a.m.

REGISTER TODAY!

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PASTURE POULTRY

Raising Chickens for Freezer or Profit

*This program is aimed at raising
meat chicken flocks on pasture.
Great for homesteaders and small
farm operations!*



Learn about:

- ✓ Breed Selection
- ✓ Feeding & feed rations
- ✓ What equipment is needed
- ✓ Where & how to prepare for processing your birds
- ✓ How to market chickens for direct to consumer sales

**Tuesday, October 24, 2023
6:30 p.m.**

**Kenton County Extension
10990 Marshall Rd
Covington, KY**

**Register today!
(859) 356-3155 or
www.kentoncountyextension.org**



***Refreshments provided. Space is
limited, registration is required.***





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BQCA Training

Wednesday, November 1

6:30 p.m.

10990 Marshall Rd, Covington, KY

Content will include:

Beef Quality Assurance Basics

Cattle Handling & Care Basics

Feed Additives & Medications

Processing/Treatment & Records

Injectable Animal Health Products

*****Current BQCA certification is a CAIP requirement for
Large Animal Beef & Dairy*****

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Join us September 15 & 16, 2023 at the Kentucky Wood Expo!
Held at Masterson Station Park in Lexington, KY. Presented by Kentucky Forest Industries Association (KFA).

More than 100 indoor and outdoor exhibits will display everything from commercial and portable sawmill machinery to materials handling equipment, attracting key representatives from the nation's largest wood products manufacturers.

KWE provides an opportunity for anyone interested in processing wood from the woods to a finished product to gather and celebrate new technology, network, and learn about the industry's latest products. Invest in your future and grow your business.

Outdoor & Indoor Exhibits • Equipment Demonstrations

Live Lumberjack & Logging Contests

Skidder & Knuckleboom Skills Contest

Chain Saw Carving - Forestry Education - Wood Crafts

Admission: \$7/adult, \$5 ages 6-12, under 6 Free

For more information, visit kywoodexpo.com

Contact KFA at (502) 695-3979 or

email: michele@kfa.org



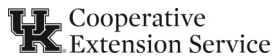
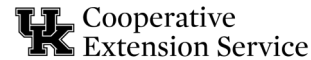
Introduction to Goat Production

Tuesday, September 12, 2023 at 6:00 p.m.

Carroll County Extension Office

Guest Speaker, Sawyer Williams, D.V.M

- For beginners and current producers
- How to Purchase
- Proper Care
- Benefits of owning goats



2023 Horses & Horsemen:

Equipment and Facilities for the Small Acreage Horse Owner

Tuesday, September 12, 5:00 p.m.

Location:

Desmar Stables LLC

at Crockett Springs Farm

685 Handy Pike

Harrodsburg, KY 40330

RSVP to Mercer County Extension Office: 859-734-4378



Cattle Behavior and Handling with Dr. Temple Grandin

Friday, September 22, 2023, 6:00 p.m.



**Fayette County Extension Office
Lexington, KY**

Cost: \$50 per person (includes dinner & talk)

Limit 4 tickets per purchaser.

Contact Beau Neal at beau.neal@uky.edu or (859) 257-5582

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“Kentucky First Farm” Workshop

Friday, November 3, 2023

Registration: 8:00 a.m.

Learning sessions: 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Boone County Extension Enrichment Center

1824 Patrick Dr, Burlington, KY 41005

Giving military veteran, minorities, small farm, and limited resource farmers the information and training needed to create a sustainable agricultural operation.

This program is free and open to all military veterans, active, retired or transitioning, minority and underserved populations and those with small farms that have been in operation for under 10 years. This program is sponsored by a USDA/NIFA grant with the Beginning Farmer Rancher Development Program and is under the direction of the University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Services. Programs include Business Planning, Record Keeping, Funding Opportunities, Land Acquisition, and specific farm enterprises.

Lunch will be included.

Event Registration: <https://BFRDP-NKY-UKCES.eventbrite.com>

Phone: (859) 257-1126

Email: Linda.Bokros@uky.edu

Kentucky First Farm



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BBQ Venison Meatballs

Meatballs

- 1 pound ground venison
(may substitute elk or beef)
- 1/2 cup 2% milk
- 3/4 cup rolled oats
- 1/2 cup minced fresh onion
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon black pepper

Sauce

- 1 cup ketchup
- 1/2 cup water
- 1/2 cup grated onion
- 2 tablespoons vinegar
- 1/4 cup brown sugar
- 1/4 teaspoon black pepper

Combine venison, milk, oats, onion, salt, and pepper in a large bowl. Use a sturdy spoon or clean hands to mix well. Shape meat mixture into 12, 1-inch balls, and place in a shallow 9-by-13-inch baking pan. Combine all the sauce ingredients in a bowl and stir well. Pour sauce over meatballs. Bake uncovered at 350 degrees F for 1 hour, turning over twice.

Yield: 6 servings

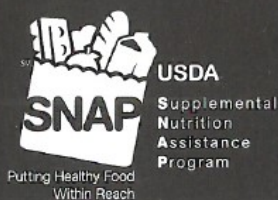
Adapted from: "Fish & Game Cookbook," Bonnie Scott. 2013.

Nutrition Facts	
6 servings per recipe	
Serving size 2 meatballs (139g)	
Amount per serving	
Calories	160
% Daily Value*	
Total Fat 3g	4%
Saturated Fat 1g	5%
Trans Fat 0g	
Cholesterol 65mg	22%
Sodium 220mg	10%
Total Carbohydrate 14g	5%
Dietary Fiber 1g	4%
Total Sugars 6g	
Includes 3g Added Sugars	6%
Protein 20g	
Vitamin D 0mcg	0%
Calcium 43mg	4%
Iron 3mg	15%
Potassium 322mg	6%

* The % Daily Value (DV) tells you how much a nutrient in a serving of food contributes to a daily diet. 2,000 calories a day is used for general nutrition advice.



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