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For Immediate

Release Date: 3/21/2024

Farm O Gram

Winchester, VA ~ Feeder Cattle (\$/100wt.) (As of 03/04/2024)

Steers:

| 300 – 400 | \$310.00 - \$340.00 |
|-----------|---------------------|
| 400 - 500 | \$197.00 - \$339.00 |
| 500 - 600 | \$210.00 - \$322.00 |
| 600 - 700 | \$265.00 - \$284.00 |
| 700 - 800 | \$197.00 - \$242.00 |
| 800 - 900 | \$155.00 - \$234.00 |

Heifers:

| 300 - 400 | \$242.00 - \$283.00 |
|-----------|---------------------|
| 400 - 500 | \$252.00 - \$280.00 |
| 500 - 600 | \$212.00 - \$257.00 |
| 600 – 700 | \$207.00 - \$267.00 |
| 700 - 800 | \$188.00 - \$197.00 |
| 800 - 900 | \$147.00 - \$217.00 |

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Slaughter Cows:

| Breaker | \$120.00 - \$125.00 |
|---------|---------------------|
| Boner | \$112.00 - \$119.00 |
| Lean | \$76.00 - \$110.00 |

Maryland Grain Bids Prices per Bushel (As of 03/12/2024)

| #2 Shelled Corn | \$4.51- \$4.61 |
|-----------------|-------------------|
| #1 Soybeans | \$11.36 - \$11.66 |
| #1 Wheat | \$5.17 - \$5.22 |

Wolgemuth Hay Auction ~ New Holland Hay and Straw Prices per Ton (As of 03/11/2024)

| Alfalfa | \$200.00 - \$370.00 |
|-------------|---------------------|
| Mixed Hay | \$145.00 - \$420.00 |
| Wheat Straw | \$140.00 - \$190.00 |

AG Happenings

Annual Community Seed Exchange and Garden Supply Swap- March 23, 10am -1pm at Frostburg City Place. Free and open to the public. No requirement to bring anything, but ideas for swapping include extra supplies, books, unused tools, or seeds. Frostburg Winters Farmers Market is also happening during this time. Something for everyone!.

Lunch Break Gardening Q & A: Join us virtually on April 8, May 6, June 10, July 8, Aug. 12 at 12:30pm to discuss timely gardening topics and answer questions. Register <u>go.umd.edu/2024WMDLunchBreakPlantClinic</u> or watch live on Garrett County Master Gardener Facebook page. There are many ways to ask your home gardening questions. Visit, call, email University of Maryland Extension in Garrett County, or <u>https://extension.umd.edu/ask-extension/</u>.

Gardening Apprentice Program: Would you like to learn how to plant a vegetable garden, but don't know where to start? Here is an opportunity to have a garden mentor and really be successful! Free and family friendly. All materials provided. Applicants agree to provide a commitment of time and you will be assigned your own community garden plot to work and experiment with. Deadline to apply is May 15th. Apply: <u>https://forms.gle/S71E2JtCXeRcYdWYA</u>

Homesteading Classes through Garrett College CEWD: Being self-sufficient means learning to grow and produce your own food. April 4th- Starting Seeds: Cold Frames, Hot Beds, and More- from 5:30-7:30pm. Cost is \$29. To register, 301-387-3069 or email cewd@garrettcollege.edu

Maryland Grows Blog- We help Maryland residents grow! Learn about food gardening, soil improvement, troubleshooting plant problems, and supporting beneficial insects in your landscape, with advice from University of Maryland Extension experts, certified horticulturists, and Master Gardeners visit marylandgrows.umd.edu

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