NEWS RELEASE – June 20, 2016

Western Md. Cash Grain & Hay Prices:
Cash Grain Average Prices:  #2 Shelled Corn - $4.49/bu.; #2 Soybeans - $10.58/bu.;
                        #2 Wheat - $5.11/bu.; #3 Barley $2.88/bu.

Hay & Straw Prices:       New Holland, PA – Alfalfa $60.00-190.00/ton; Mixed Hay $80.00-360.00/ton; Timothy
                        $50.00-300.00/ton; Grass $75.00-270.00/ton; Straw $120.00-225.00/ton

Winchester, VA – Stocker-Feeder Cattle ($/100 wt.)
Steers:
   300 – 400 lbs.    $132.00-164.00
   400 – 500 lbs.    $128.00-165.00
   500 - 600 lbs.    $125.00-159.00
   600 – 700 lbs.    $112.00-152.00
   700 – 800 lbs.    $120.00-141.00
   800 – 900 lbs.    $112.00-120.00

Heifers:
   300 – 400 lbs.    $115.00-134.00
   400 - 500 lbs.    $117.00-134.00
   500 – 600 lbs.    $110.00-136.00
   600 – 700 lbs.    $110.00-126.00
   700 – 800 lbs.    $115.00-125.00

Slaughter Cattle - Westminster, MD
Breakers      $67.00-85.00
Boners        $62.00-72.50
Lean          $73.00-83.00
**Ag Happenings:**

To register for programs - call 301-334-6960. If you have a disability that required special assistance for your participation in any programs, please let us know when you register.

**Growers Workshop Series**
Garrett College
Starting Tuesday – April 26th and running through October
Workshops are FREE of tuition and fees

Growing for a Wholesale Fresh Produce Cooperative

The series will include three modules starting with spring workshops covering production techniques, summer sessions including visits to area farms, and fall sessions covering farm business planning and management. You may attend the entire series or you are welcome to attend whichever sessions work for you.

**FAMACHA Workshop & Certification**
Date & Time: Tuesday, July 19, 2016  1 pm to 5 pm
Location: Durst Farm, 215 Tice Road, Grantsville MD 21536
Instructor: Susan Schoenian, UME Sheep & Goat Specialist
Register by calling: University of Maryland - Allegany Office at 301-724-3320
The first two hours of this four hour class will consist of FAMACHA classroom instruction. The last two hours will be spent on practical experience diagnosing sheep and goats and examining fecal samples. So, please bring fecal samples from your own sheep and goats.

Cost: $40 per farm family. Each family will receive one FAMACHA card and training booklet. Extra FAMACHA cards cost $12 each. Those aged 16 and up will receive FAMACHA certification at completion of training.

Checks should be made payable to Allegany County EAC and mailed to University of Maryland Extension, One Commerce Drive, Cumberland, MD 21502. Those aged 16 and up will receive FAMACHA certification at completion of training.

**Master Gardener Basic Training Course**  
**Focus on School Gardens & Child Friendly Gardening Activities**  
Week of August 8th thru August 12, 2016  
9 am to 4 pm each day – Cost $140.00 per person  
Northern Outreach Center/Garrett College – Grantsville MD  
Those with MD Teaching Certificate can receive 3 CPD credits for completing the course.  
To receive an agenda and register by July 22nd call Ashley Bodkins, Faculty Extension Assistant at 301-334-6960

**Master Gardener Basic Training Course - 13 sessions**  
August 16th thru November 15th on Tuesday evenings  
5 pm to 8 pm – Cost $110.00 per person  
University of Maryland Extension Office – Mt Lake Park MD  
Those with MD Teaching Certificate can receive 3 CPD credits for completing the course.  
Register & received a class syllabus by calling Ashley Bodkins, Faculty Extension Assistant at 301-334-6960

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