

JUNE 2024

AG UPDATE

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For cattlemen programs only, text the words – JOIN BEEF – to 270-765-4121.



My name is **Ashley Norton**. I grew up on a grain, tobacco, and cattle farm in Breckinridge County. I got married last September and my husband and I currently live on his family's grain and cattle farm. I have a bachelor's degree in agriculture education from the University of Kentucky. I interned at the Hardin County Extension Office in the summer of 2022. I started as an Agriculture and Natural Resources Agent on February 1st of this year. I have always loved teaching the community about agriculture, and I am excited to serve Hardin County in this position! In my free time I enjoy spending time with my family and being on the farm.



My name is **Daniel Carpenter**. I grew up in Springfield, KY and moved to Elizabethtown in 2008 when I took a job at what was then known as Cecilia Farm Service. I transferred to the Hardin County Extension Office in April of 2023, and was at the LaRue County Office for 7 years prior. I have a bachelor's degree from UK in plant and soil science, and a master's degree in agriculture from WKU. I currently live on a sheep farm with my wife and two kids and enjoy spending time with them in what little free time we get!

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Livestock Farm Tour

Here at the Extension office, we are constantly getting questions about grants, cost share programs, etc. that are available for farmers. We wanted to have an event to share some of the most implemented practices in our area and give you an introduction (or reintroduction) to the folks that work with the Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS). We have scheduled a farm tour to have a wagon ride where you will hear from NRCS representatives about the programs implemented. Bus transportation will depart from the Hardin County Extension Office at **8:30 a.m.** on **Saturday, July 27th**. Buses will return to the extension office at **11:45 a.m.** and the Hardin County Cattlemen will be cooking lunch. **To register please call or text the Hardin County Extension Office at (270) 765-4121. Registration is required!**

LIVESTOCK FARM TOUR SATURDAY, JULY 27TH

Busses loading at 8:30 am at 111 Opportunity Way
Busses will return at 11:45 am

Learn about NRCS
cost-share programs
and see them in action
on a local cattle farm.

A lunch will be provided by
the Hardin County
Cattlemen for attendees.

Call or text the Hardin
County Extension Office at
270-765-4121 to register!

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Preparing to Leave Assets to the Next Generation

This program is a multi-part series intended to get you started on a path to making a **PLAN** that will ensure your land and belongings are a blessing to your next generation rather than a burden. We'll talk documents to get your plan finalized, taxes, capital gains, wills, trusts, transferring possessions, and more. This will be held **Thursday, July 18th at 6:00 p.m.** (a meal will be provided with this meeting) and **Tuesday, July 23rd at 6:00 p.m.** **Registration is required!** Register by calling or texting (270) 765-4121 or scan the QR Code in the flyer below.

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Make a PLAN
for your farm



Make a PLAN
for your finances



Make a PLAN
for your belongings



Make a PLAN to attend!
Register here!



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CALL/TEXT 270-765-4121 TO REGISTER
OR FOLLOW QR CODE ABOVE



Our Location
111 Opportunity Way, Elizabethtown

Hook and Cook

Learn the basics of fishing! Including rod and reel set up, fish cleaning and how to cook fish! Classes will be held at the Hardin County Extension Office and the last night we'll go fishing! This program will be on **Mondays - July 15, 22, and 29** starting at 5:30 p.m. **Call or text us at 270-765-4121 to register! Registration is required!**

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HARVEST YOUR OWN LOCAL MEAT

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Learn the basics of fishing, including rod and reel setup, fish cleaning and how to cook fish.
This class will be held at the Hardin County Cooperative Extension Office.

Elizabethtown, KY

- July 15th
- July 22nd
- July 29th

Event Details
Hardin Co. Coop. Extension Office
111 Opportunity Way
Elizabethtown, KY 42701
Time: 5:30 p.m.—8:30 p.m.
(Eastern)

To sign up for this event scan this QR code with the camera on your smart device.

<http://app.fw.ky.gov/eventregistration/startpage.aspx?REGID=391>

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