

Testimonials:

Here's what previous attendees are saying:

"The OSU Farm College is very thorough. It enthusiastically sets you to start working on what you want to do in your farm. I love the fact that always, on every single session, the need for a plan is necessary before you start working on whatever you want." - E. R.

"A great resource offering Pro's & Con's of a small farming operation. Don't even think about starting one without taking this course first!" -D. D.

"I recommend this program to anyone starting or thinking about farming in any area. The amount of knowledge presented was priceless." - J. A.

"Small Farm college provided the spark to launch my farm operation and prepared me with the resources and contacts to move forward with confidence." -S.F.R



Learn more about Extension Small Farm Programs at

<http://agmr.osu.edu/small-farm-programs>

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New & Small Farm College

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The 2021 “New and Small Farm College” is coming to Pike County!

Are you interested in learning how to make the most of a few acres? If so, this course is just for you! Filled with practical knowledge on a variety of topics— you won't be disappointed!



CLASS LOCATION:

OSU Extension Pike County
313 Mill Street, Piketon, OH 45661
(located on the Pike County Fairgrounds)

CLASS DATES: Tuesdays

- January 12 – February 9, 2021
- Inclement weather makeup date: February 16

CLASS TIMES:

- Light dinner at 6:00 pm
- Classes are from 6:30 – 9:00 pm

ENROLLMENT DEADLINE: January 5, 2021

COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS IN PLACE

In order to maintain proper social distancing, this class is limited to the first 40 registrations.

SYLLABUS FOR SMALL FARM COLLEGE

Date/Session	Topic	Description
January 12 Session One	Getting Started: Why do you want to farm?	Goal setting, family matters, business planning, budgeting, resources
January 19 Session Two	Appropriate Land Use – Walk the Farm	
January 26 Session Three	Small Farm Legal Checkup and Insurance for Farms	Farm laws, liabilities, insurance needs
February 2 Session Four	Financial and business management strategies for decision makers of small farms	
February 9 Session Five	Where to get help? What is next?	Overview of County resources; OSU Extension, government agencies and programs, (i.e. CAUV, EQIP, Grants)

The 2021 Small Farm College includes the best of both worlds with five traditional face-to-face sessions as well as on-demand webinars, podcasts and other resources and content that participants can access virtually. Topics include:

- Horticulture and Livestock Production Enterprises
- Natural Resources and Wildlife
- Honeybees
- New Crops such as Hops and Malting Barley and Hemp
- Marketing Alternatives



REGISTRATION Pike County SF College

Name: _____

(list additional attendees here:)

Address: _____

City: _____

State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

Dietary Needs: _____

PRICE INFORMATION: \$100.00 per person

Price includes one 3-inch binder of resource materials, meals and dessert each night, and 1 soil sample evaluation

Each additional family member = \$75.00

**(does not include a notebook)*

Based on the class fees
I have enclosed a total of: _____

Please make checks payable to: OSU Extension

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