

2019
WEEKLY AG REPORTER SNAPSHOTS

July 5th:

Columbia County Corn Grower Crop Scouting Clinic this Thursday
US Hog Inventory up 4%
Waterhemp Management Plot Tool
Wisconsin Pest Bulletin

June 28th:

Columbia County Corn Growers Crop Scouting Clinic
Farmer to Farmer, Hay, Forage and Corn List
Using Corn and Soybean as Cover Crops on Prevented Planted Acres in Wisconsin During 2019
Hay Market Demand and Price Report for the Upper Midwest For June 24, 2019
WI Crop Manager – June 27, 2019
Waterhemp Management Challenge: Plot Tour
Wisconsin Pest Bulletin

June 21st:

Can I Use Corn or Soybeans as a Cover Crop on Prevented Plant Acres?
New Rule for Forage Production on Prevented Plant Acres
Tar Spot on My Mind!!!
Dairy Margin Coverage Program
Soybean Flowering Fallacy
Giant Ragweed Management Challenge Plot Tour
Wisconsin Pest Bulletin

June 14th:

Pasture Walks at Highland Springs Farms – Fitchburg and Oregon
Water Quality & Agricultural Landscape Management Pasture Tour
Twilight Grazing Pasture Walk - Whitewater
Herbicide Tank Mix, Soybean Injury from PRE & Rotational Restrictions for Industrial Hemp Crop
Veterans Affairs Pilot Program for Food & Agriculture Rehabilitation and Employment Support
Please click on the link to view information on Are Your Beans "Feelin the Burn"?
Wisconsin Pest Bulletin
Wisconsin Crop Manager – June 13th

June 7th:

Columbia County Farm Service Agency Hosting Dairy Margin Coverage Program Informational Meeting – NEWS RELEASE
Columbia County Moo-Day Brunch
Prevented Plant Acres and Cover Crops
Extension Provides Resources for Farmers Experiencing Challenges Created By Wet Spring
Antibiotic Alternative Scores Well in Second Round of Swine Trials
Herbicide Rotation Restrictions before Planting Industrial Hemp
Wisconsin Pest Bulletin
Wisconsin Crop Manager
Info on June Dairy Month

May 31st:

Agricultural Plastics Recycling Stakeholder Meeting
2017 Ag Census Dairy Farm Changes

Late and Prevented Planting Options and Crop Insurance for Wisconsin Farmers May
Soybean Replant Decisions: Just the Facts Jack!
Columbia County FSA Planting Reminders
Wisconsin Pest Bulletin is now available at
Wisconsin Crop Manager

May 24th:

Offices Closed
New Industrial Hemp Website is Launched!
USDA Reopens Continuous CRP Signup: NEWS RELEASE
Dairy Situation and Outlook, May 20, 2019
Adjust Your Seeding Rate (Higher) But Not Your Maturity Group For Late May Planted Soybean
Wisconsin Pest Bulletin
2019 Crop Insurance Final Planting Dates for Columbia County & Profitability
First Thoughts On Managing Your Prevent Plant Acres
Wisconsin Crop Manager – May 23, 2019

May 17th:

USDA Reminds Producers to Report Prevented Planting and Failed Acres
USDA Seeks Project Proposals to Protect and Restore Critical Wetlands
Wisconsin Pest Bulletin Issue Number 3
Late and Prevented Planting Options and Crop Insurance for WI Farmers
Wisconsin Crop Manager – May 16

May 10th:

Wisconsin Winter Wheat Disease Update – May 6
Herd-Based Veterinary Diagnostic Service Available
Certification Cost Share Funding Available Now
Wisconsin Pest Bulletin

May 3rd:

USDA Announces New Decision Tool for New Dairy Margin Coverage Program – PRESS RELEASE
Wisconsin Pest Bulletin
Corn Planting Recommendations from UW-Extension
Managing Corn Insects When Growing Non-BT Hybrids

April 26th:

Termination of Cereal Rye Cover Crop
Impact of Cover Crops on Weed Management
Early Season Soybean Canopy Closure
Dairy Situation and Outlook, April 22, 2019
Wisconsin Crop Manager – April 25, 2019

April 19th:

Average Age of Farmers Continues To Rise
Performance Lamb Weigh Sites
USDA Announces Sign-Up Period for Updated Conservation Stewardship Program
From Rodrigo Werle, UW-Extension Weed Specialist:
Soybean Management Strategies to Facilitate Timely Winter Wheat Establishment In 2019

April 12th:

How Thick Should I Plant My Corn? What are other farmers doing?
2019 World Pork Expo Cancelled

Factors to Consider While Assessing Your 2019 Winter Wheat Crop Stand and Spring Nitrogen Timing
The WSMB Free Soybean Cyst Nematode Testing Program is Back in 2019!
Optimal Soybean Planting Dates
Free Hemp Webinar, April 18, 9 am to 1 pm

April 5th:

Eggciting Evening Program Being Hosted in Montello
Brown Midrib and Leafy Corn Silage Performance + A New BMR Economics Calculator
VEGETABLE CROP UPDATES NEWSLETTER APRIL 3, 2019
WSMB FREE SOYBEAN CYST NEMATODE TESTING PROGRAM IS BACK IN 2019
ASSESSING YOUR WINTER WHEAT CROP STAND AND SPRING NITROGEN TIMING

March 29th:

Are You Interested in Nitrogen Use Efficiency?
Dairy Risk Management Program Updates
Pork Essentially Free of Veterinary Drug Residues
Summary of U.S. Dairy Export Trends
Wisconsin Crop Manager, March 28, 2019

March 22nd:

Corn Response to Banded Fertilizers at Planting
FOCUS ON ENERGY®
Bill Would Give Economic Boost to 4-H, FFA Students
DATCP Industrial Hemp Update
Central WI Beef Quality Assurance Training

March 15th:

Finding the Balance-Management of Calf Health Versus Cost of Production
USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) Offers Disaster Assistance
DATCP Reminds Farmers to Report Storm Losses, Offers Resources
Wisconsin Livestock Identification Consortium Reminder
The Corn Yield Gap in Wisconsin
"One and Done" or a Disease Problem Here to Stay: Planning for Tar Spot in 2019
Corn Seed Survival: An update

March 8th:

Your Farm Your Future
Waterhemp Workshops
Ag Grants Workshop
Columbia County Corn Growers Meeting
Nutrient Management Update Class
Heart of the Farm – Randolph – Cancelled!

March 1st:

Heart of the Farm
Corn Growers Meeting – March 14
Wisconsin Crop Manager

February 22nd:

Tar Spot
Corn Ear Rots
Dairy Situation and Outlook, February 20, 2019
Corn Growers Meeting – March 14

USDA Farm Bill Listening Session

February 15th:

The Status of the Pigweeds
Waterhemp Workshops
Heart of the Farm Program
2019 Cover Crop Conference Registration ends today!

February 8th:

Producer Grants available from Buy Local, Buy Wisconsin Program
Fertilizing Soybeans for 2019
USDA Farm Service Agency Announces Program Deadline Extensions
Your Farm Future: A blueprint to move your farm forward
Nutrient Management Update Class has been rescheduled!

February 1st:

Dairy Marketing Meeting – Monday, February 4, 1:00 PM
Winter Grazing Meeting - Monday, February 11, 2019 – REGISTER TODAY!!
Goat Artificial Insemination Class
Dairy Situation and Outlook, January 28, 2019
UW-RIVER FALLS FIELD SCOUT TRAINING CLASS, MARCH 27-28, 2019
2019 WI Cover Crop Conference

January 25th:

Madison Area Woodland Owners Conference
Rudy Van Fleet, retired Ag Agent in Columbia County, passed away on Saturday, Jan. 19.
USDA to Reopen FSA Offices for Additional Services during Government Shutdown
Winter Grazing Meeting - Monday, February 11, 2019 – REGISTER TODAY!!
2019 Wisconsin Agricultural Outlook Forum
Goat Artificial Insemination Training

January 18th:

2019 Organic Vegetable Production Conference
Nutrient Management Plan Update Meetings
Pesticide Applicators Training - Otsego Town Hall

January 11th:

2019 Wisconsin Cover Crop Conference
Better Heifers, Better Cows Management Meeting set for February 22
CAFO Update Meetings scheduled
USDA Delays Deadline For Aid To Offset Tariffs
Wisconsin Ag Classic
UW-Extension Fertilizer/Nutrient Management Recommendations when grain prices are down and fertilizer prices are high:
Hop Production for the Wisconsin Craft Brew Industry 10th Annual Seminar

January 4th:

Impact of Current Government Shutdown on Dairy Farmers
FSA Shutdown Update
Columbia County Ag Reporter January Calendar
WI Average Mailbox Dairy Prices Forecast
Nitrogen Use Efficiency (NUE) Workshop Series

