Private Applicator Recertification

Recertification training for private applicators will take place this winter. Training sessions in the general pesticide category will be held:

- **February 23 - Baymont Inn, Fargo**
  - 8:30 a.m.
- **March 8 - City Hall, Casselton**
  - 8:30 a.m.
- **March 29 - Red River Valley Fairgrounds, West Fargo**
  - 5:30 p.m.

Those producers whose certification expires **April 1, 2016** will receive a notice from our office concerning the recertification training.

Registration Fee $15
Includes Membership and Lunch
Design Your Succession Plan
Empowering families to get started on their succession plan

Who should attend?

Families interested in shaping the future ownership of the family farm or ranch.

Design Your Succession Plan is a multi-session workshop developed to help families:
• Get started on their plan
• Open lines of communication
• Work with professionals

Registration is required
Register online at http://bit.ly/DYSPre
Registration fee is $125 for early registration, $150 for regular registration, and an additional $50 for a spouse to attend the program with you.

www.ag.ndsu.edu/succession

March 10th & 15th
Central Cass School
808 North 5th Street
Casselton, ND

Contact:
Kelcey Hoffmann, Extension Agent
701-241-5700
kelcey.hoffmann@ndsu.edu

Farm and Ranch Succession Planning E-Tips
Subscribe at this link today!


NDSU Extension Service is offering tips for creating a succession plan for your farm or ranch business delivered to your email each week!
Scholarships Available

The North Dakota Crop Improvement and Seed Association sponsors 6-$1,000 scholarships to the NDSU College of Agriculture each year. Three go to incoming freshman and three to undergrads. The applicants shall be a resident of N.D., applicants or guardian shall be a member of their county Ag. Improvement Association and the applicant shall be a full time student. The application deadline is February 15. For an application form contact the Cass County Extension Office or go web page located at www.ndcropimprovement.org.

Variety Trial Results Available

The following variety trial publications are available from the NDSU Extension Service. You can find them on line at:

www.ag.ndsu.edu/varietytrials

or request a hard copy from the Cass County Extension Service (701) 241-5700.

A-843  ND Soybean Variety Trial Results for 2015 and Selection Guide
A-654  ND Dry Bean Variety Trial Results for 2015 and Selection Guide
A-574  ND Hard Red Spring Wheat Variety Trials
A-1469 ND Dry Pea Variety Trials
A-1049 ND Barley, Oat and Rye Variety Trial Results for 2015 and Selection Guide
A-1067 ND Durum Wheat Variety Trial Results for 2015 and Selection Guide
A-1124 ND Canola Variety Trial Results for 2015 and Selection Guide
EC-1090 Plotting a Course 2016
A-793  ND Corn Hybrid Trial Results for 2015
PP-622 2016 ND Field Crop Plant Disease Management Guide
E-1143 2016 ND Field Crop Insect Management Guide
W-253 2016 ND Weed Control Guide
EC-879 ND Farm Record Book
A-652 ND and SD Sunflower Hybrid Trial Results for 2015 and Selection Guide

For Help Call: There are several help sources for farm and ranch families experiencing financial and emotional stress as a result.

Mental Health Helpline
211

Agriculture Mediation Service
1-800-642-4752

Hot Line
(701) 235-7335

Wishing you and your family a Happy Holiday Season and a Prosperous New Year.

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