

Extension holds commodity futures seminar

GETTYSBURG — A four day seminar on commodity futures trading will be conducted on March 9, 11, 16 and 18 at Glenn's Family Restaurant, Biglerville. The seminar is designed to teach farmers how they may use the commodity futures markets to increase farm profits.

Topics to be covered include price forecasting, effect of seasons on prices, define market trends, role of basis in commodity trading, and determining break even prices. In addition, determining when to hedge, what your banker expects, selecting a brokerage house and the mechanics of trading will be covered.

The seminar will be taught by

Capital Region Marketing Agent Larry Yager and Adams County Agricultural Agent John Schwartz of the Penn State Extension Service. The seminar will give participants hands on experience in commodity trading. Workshops will be utilized to illustrate principles being taught. The goal of the seminar is to have every person being able to develop a marketing strategy for their operation.

The sessions will begin at 10 a.m. each day and will end by 3 p.m. A \$15 per person registration fee is being charged. To register for the seminar, send a check payable to the Adams County Extension Service before March 4, to Adams County Extension Service, 999 Lincoln Way East, Gettysburg, Pa. 17325.

More information on the seminar may be obtained by contacting the Adams County Extension Office at 717/334-6271 or 717/624-4525.

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Frederick, Md. Ag Week starts Monday

THURMONT, Md. — "Maryland Agriculture—Land of Bountiful Harvest", will be celebrated in Frederick County at the Frederick Towne Mall, March 1-6. Contests will begin at 7:30 p.m. in front of J.C. Penney's.

Activities include:

Tuesday evening
Frederick County Sheepbreeders Association will be having a demonstration on sheep shearing, handing out samples of lamb, and will have fleeces on display.

Wednesday evening
Ice cream eating contest.

Thursday evening
Mini tractor driving contest.

Friday evening
Log sawing contest, and the Langanore FFA Chapter will have a corsage making demonstration.

Saturday evening
Goat milking contest, 4-H fashion show, petting zoo with all six dairy breeds participating.

The Maryland State Apple Commission will be giving out

samples of cider and apples, along with samples of apple pancakes, cider cheese spread.

The Frederick County Pomona Grange will feature the following demonstrations: beginning at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, chair caning by Frances Crum; Wednesday, plait rug (braid) by Grace Stone and Swedish embroidery by Pearl Russakoff; Thursday, quilting demonstration by Mrs. Lee Warren of Middletown; Friday, spinning and weaving demonstration by Barbara Christie; Saturday, quilting demonstration by the Catocin Mountain Quilters. Also each night there will be wood

lathing demonstration by Paul Leatherman, member of New Market Grange.

A new exhibit featured this year is the Frederick County Master Gardeners. They will feature a plant clinic where individuals may bring their house plants to the mall and the gardeners will help you with any problems concerning your plants.

Members will be available to answer your questions concerning plants and problems on Thursday and Saturday from 1-4 and 7-9 p.m. They will also be available on Friday, from 7-9 p.m.

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