

Combines And Things On The Grow

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There's a new video out for kids that is going to turn some heads. The video, "Tractors, Combines and Things On The Grow" was produced by Cockeysville resident Patti Schindler. The first video in a series she plans to produce with her new company, "Just Our Size Videos", Mrs. Schindler's video shows how farms work, from seed to feed.

"Tractors, Combines and Things On The Grow" takes the viewer on an amazing journey, from the grocery store, into the field, to show just how our food is grown and produced. Kids will be amazed by the fast-growing corn scene that was provided by Media Resources Center at Iowa State University. Shot with time lapse photography, it shows how corn evolves over the course of its growing season. Large portions were filmed on a Lippy Brothers Farm, showing how a combine works, with views from the field, inside the cab of the combine and with incredible footage of the inside workings of a combine stripping corn from the cob. The video tape also shows kids how soy beans and green beans are picked and shipped. Crop transportation footage was provided by Archer-Daniels-Midland with shots of trucks dumping their wares at feed mills, grain elevators, trains and the ships that carry farm produced foods to other parts of the world. One scoop dumping grain into a ship is as big as a small house!

From the farm, to the factory, this video also makes a stop at a large factory bakery where close up shots show how wheat is ground into flour, then made into large rolls of dough, then into loaves of bread. The journey, which follows a farmer's produce through to the end product, is not just fascinating to kids. Patti Schindler says "A lot of adults who watch the film say, 'I didn't know that!' about parts of it!"

Mrs. Schindler lives on eight acres just outside of Baltimore. She says they own a few horses and lease a pony for her four-year-old son, Blake.

"Blake was the inspiration for the video," says this stay-at-home mom. "Having a child at home, I see how often kids sit down to watch a video. Blake loves tractors and big equipment," she says, "and there was just nothing out there. As farm areas are getting smaller over the years I feel it is

important to show children where food really comes from," she adds. "But, the tractors and large equipment make the subject more interesting for kids!"

With support from her accountant husband, Bruce, Mrs. Schindler began making contacts. She found child narrators, Adam and Rachel Sincell through a consultant, Glenn Tolbert. She found cooperation from John Deere (who helped her with the technical terms and supplied footage), Giant Foods Bakery (where footage was shot) and especially Donald Lippy and his family on the Lippy Brothers Farms in Carroll and Baltimore counties, Maryland, where the farm scenes were recorded. Mrs. Schindler hired free-lance photographers and the filming began in early April 1994.

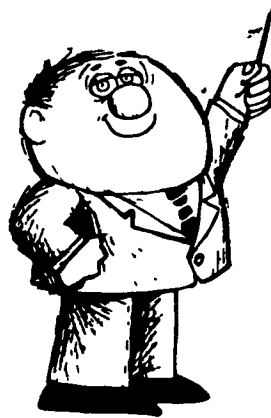
By November of 1994 the filming was complete. Mrs. Schindler says she worked under the supervision of The American Farm Bureau and The National Corn Growers Association. She consulted with Farm Safety 4 Just Kids throughout the filming to make sure the tape conformed to safety standards.

"I think we made all the right contacts," said Mrs. Schindler who says she did not allow children to be filmed on farm equipment or to do anything that might be construed as dangerous. "I wanted it to be done very professionally." When Maryland Ag in the Classrooms viewed the tape they promptly ordered 100 copies for use in the classrooms.

A Vermont fulfillment company is handling wholesale, retail, and packaging and is distributing her video with the help of a 1-800 number.

Mrs. Schindler says they have already sold "hundreds" of copies of the video and she is pleased with how it is doing. "When I looked at a statement from Vermont with the recent sales figures, I was surprised," she says. "My whole goal was to educate city kids about farming," she says, "But more orders are from rural areas than metropolitan areas!"

"Our video is done entirely from a child's point of view," Mrs. Schindler says. But it is obvious to the viewer that the film, "Tractors, Combines and Things On The Grow" is not just for kids! To order the video, which is approximately 30 minutes in length, and retails at \$19.95, interested persons or businesses may call 1-800-808-FARM.



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24 ft. Henderson body on Ford truck roll back, Cast frame J.D. B, 3 pt. Dearborne disk, Case D.C. Eagle hitch. Bucks 215-968-4808.

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