

1997 Pennsylvania Dog Licenses Available

HARRISBURG (Dauphin Co.) — Pennsylvania dog licenses are now on sale for 1997 at all county treasurer's offices, according to Agriculture Secretary Charles C. Brosius.

"There has been a change in the state law, and all puppies three months of age and older need to be licensed by Jan. 1 each year," Brosius said. "A dog license serves as a positive means of identification for your pet and can help ensure that lost dogs are returned to their owners."

"It is a small, but smart investment to start off the new year with a tag that makes your dog easily identifiable."

A license for a dog that has not been spayed or neutered is \$8. Licenses for spayed or neutered dogs are \$6. Licenses for dogs owned by senior citizens or handicapped citizens are \$6; for spayed or neutered, \$4. A regular lifetime license is \$51; for spayed or neutered \$31. If a license is purchased from an agent of the county treasurer, an additional 50 cents will be charged.

Owners of a dog without a valid license may be fined up to \$300 plus court costs for each dog in violation of the law.

For more information, residents can call the Bureau of Dog Law Enforcement at (717) 787-4833.

New Holland Vegetable Day Sets Program

NEW HOLLAND (Lancaster Co.) — New Holland Vegetable Day will be held on Monday, Jan. 20, starting at 9:30 a.m. at the Summit Valley Elementary School, one mile south of New Holland.

Mountain Fresh, Mountain Pride, and Mountain Spring are familiar varieties among local fresh market tomato growers. The man responsible for developing these varieties, Dr. Randy Gardner

from North Carolina State University, will be the featured speaker at the annual New Holland Vegetable Day sponsored by the ELANCO School District and Penn State Cooperative Extension.

Gardner's "Mountain" varieties are known for their large, blemish-free tomatoes and vigorous disease resistant plants. Gardner will discuss the recent developments in tomato breeding and discuss the

North Carolina system of late season tomato production.

In addition to Dr. Gardner, a number of extension specialists, seed, and chemical representatives will be on hand. Dr. Joe Fiola from Rutgers University will discuss raspberry production. Penn State marketing specialist Larry Yager will discuss trends in vegetable marketing.

Variety trials are always popular. This year's program will feature new varieties in strawberries, hanging baskets, bedding plants, pumpkins, specialty potatoes, and peaches. The seed dealers will round out the afternoon with a discussion of new and exciting vege-

table varieties they are promoting this year.

Proper use and management of crop protectants such as Ridomil, Admire, and Vapam will also be covered. Cut flowers, fruit tree training and contract vegetable production round out the program. The program offers something for anyone interested in commercial vegetable production.

Participants may buy lunch at the school or pack their own. There is no charge for the meeting.

For more information, contact Jeff Stoltzfus at (717) 354-1522.

The following is the schedule for New Holland Vegetable Day.

1997 New Holland Vegetable Day
January 20, 1997
Summit Valley Elementary School
Sponsored by ELANCO School District and Penn State Cooperative Extension

9:00-9:30 A.M.	Registration, Coffee and Donuts courtesy of Lancaster Farm Credit	
9:30-9:45	Welcome, Introductions and Orientation to the program	
9:45-10:30	Concurrent sessions	
Auditorium	*Late Season Tomato Production	Randy Gardner, NCSU
Music Room	Water Rights	Leon Reessler, PSU Ext
Room 13	*Admire Use on Vegetables	Shelby Fleischer, PSU Ext
Library	*Hanging Baskets Pest Management	Alan Michael, Rob Berghage, PSU
Seminar Rm	**Pesticide Safety Video	
10:30-11:15	Concurrent Sessions	
Auditorium	*Raspberry Production	Joe Fiola, Rutgers University
Music Room	Specialty Potatoes and Pumpkin Trials	Tim Elkner, PSU Ext
Room 13	*Cole Crops Insects	Shelby Fleischer, PSU Ext
Library	*New Bedding Plant Variety Management	Alan Michael, Rob Berghage, PSU
Seminar Rm	**Pesticide Safety Video	
11:15-12:00	General Session	
Auditorium	Tomato Breeding	Randy Gardner, NCSU
12:00-1:00	Lunch	
1:00-2:00	General Session	
Auditorium	Vegetable Research & Promotion Marketing	Bill Troxel, PA Veg Growers Larry Yager, PSU Extension
2:00-2:45	Concurrent Sessions	
Auditorium	Strawberries Varieties	Joe Fiola, Rutgers University
Room 13	*Peach Variety Trials	Bill Kleiner, PSU Ext
Music Room	*Ridomil Gold use on vegetables	Aaron Locker, Ciba
Library	*Cut Flowers	Joe Fisher, Grower
Seminar Rm	**Pesticide Safety Video	
2:45-3:30	Concurrent Sessions	
Auditorium	What's New in Vegetable Varieties	Seed Reps
Music Room	***Vapam Use on Vegetables	Dan Mantz, Zeneca
Library	Contract Vegetable Production	Ron Carkoski, Four Seasons Produce
Room 13	*Fruit Tree Training	Bill Kleiner, PSU Ext
Seminar Rm	**Pesticide Safety Video	
3:30 P.M.	Visit exhibits on your way home	

* Category pesticide credits will be available for these sessions
** Core pesticide credits will be available for these sessions

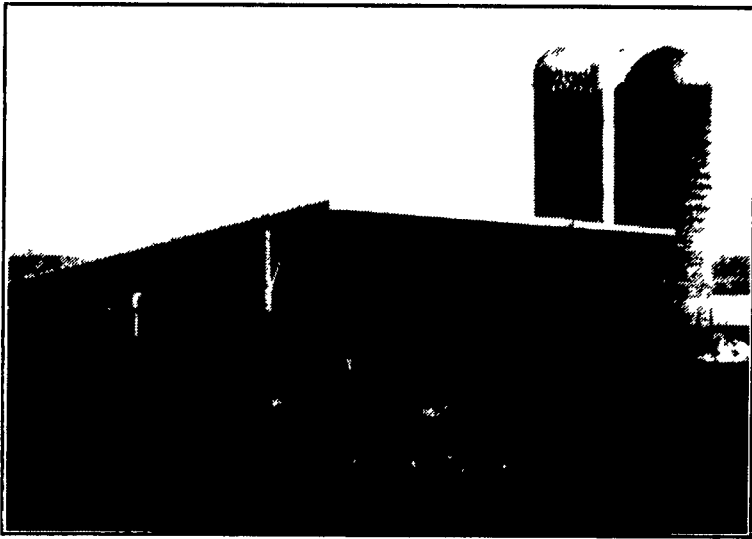
1996-1997 Projects

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- \$19,000.
 - Osprey Monitoring; East Stroudsburg University — Larry Rymon, \$3,500.
 - Birds: Special Areas Project; Ecology III, — Doug Gross, \$9,000.
 - Promote Awareness of Wild Resource Conservation Fund; Robert & Thelma Clark, \$15,000.
 - Public Relations Tool: New York & Pennsylvania Joint Otter Reintroduction in Allegheny Drainage; Penn State — Tom Serfass, \$10,000. The WRCF will match local contributions up to \$10,000. Private Sector donations from Scrubgrass Generating Plant, \$5,000. Ducks Unlimited, \$850. Audubon Bartramian Chapter, \$800.
 - Interpretative Exhibit at the Elk Viewing Area; PA Game Commission — Theresa Alberici, \$4,000.

- Schoolyard Habitat Facilitator Training Workshops; Audubon Council of PA — Marci Mowery, \$12,500.
- Biodiversity in PA: A curriculum supplement for PA Middle Schools; PA Biological Survey — Theresa Alberici, \$12,500.
- Completion & Impelentation of a Comprehensive Wildlife Management Plan; PA Fish & Boat Commission — Brian Banner, \$12,500.
- Wild Resource Elementary Workshop; Slippery Rock — Paulette Johnson, \$4,000.
- Natural Community (Habitat) Classification for Caves in PA; The Nature Conservancy — Barbara Barton-Aldrich, \$8,000.
- Barrens Habitat Survey — PA Invertebrate Inventory Project; Carnegie Museum of Natural History — John Rawlins, \$25,000.

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