

# New Holland Vegetable Day Jan. 20

NEW HOLLAND (Lancaster Co.) — Greenhouse tomatoes, weed, insect and disease control in vegetables, and asparagus production are just a few of the more than a dozen topics that will be covered at the New Holland Vegetable Day Jan. 20.

The meeting is sponsored by the Eastern Lancaster County School District and Lancaster County Cooperative Extension.

Greenhouse growers will want to catch the sessions on "Perennial Production" and "Mum Varieties and Production."

A panel of local growers will talk about their experiences with beneficial insects for greenhouse tomatoes. Raspberry production and food preservation will round out the program.

Category pesticide credits will be available at some sessions. One core credit will be offered.

The meeting will be conducted Monday, Jan. 20 at Yoder's Restaurant in New Holland. Yoder's is located along Rt. 23 at the eastern edge of New Holland.

Registration begins at 9 a.m. Cost for the day is \$10 per person if you preregister by Jan. 15, or \$15 per person at the door. Lunch is provided.

For more information, contact Jeff Stoltzfus at (717) 354-1522. To register, send the enclosed form along with a check for the appropriate amount to Adult Farmer Program, 126 Eastern School Rd., New Holland, PA 17557.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

# Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$10/person = \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to "Adult Farmer Program."

## Dinner Raises More Than \$20,000 For Lab

FAIRPORT, N.Y. — New York oenophiles popped their corks celebrating earlier this month when a '99 bottle of Pinot

Noir from a Finger Lakes winery went for more than \$1,000 during the Fifth Annual Wine Country Auction to benefit the Cornell Vinification and Brewing Technology Laboratory at Geneva.

"It's another sign that Finger Lakes reds have arrived," said Scott Osborn, owner of Fox Run Vineyards in Geneva, N.Y. "The '99 reserve Pinot was one of the best Fox Run has ever made. I'd wager it is also the highest price ever paid for a five-liter bottle of New York state wine."

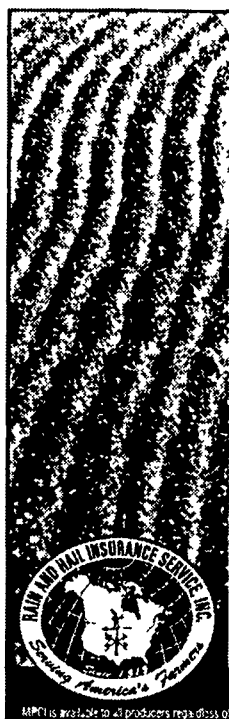
Harris Wilcox and his son Craig auctioned 39 items to raise more than \$20,000 during the benefit for the laboratory, at Casa Larga Winery in Fairport, N.Y. Items at the auction included a mixed case of '99 Merlot and '99 Cabernet Sauvignon from Shaletone Vineyards, the opportunity to blend and taste sherries with winemaker Glenn Curtis at Widmer's, a case of Gold Medal selections of '00 Rieslings from Dr. Frank, dinner for four at Red Newt Winery, and others. All of the items in the auction were donated by New York wineries, breweries and associated industries.

The money raised in Friday's auction was augmented by \$224,000 in funding from last year's state budget that was secured by members of the New York Legislature, some of which will go to the lab.

## PVGA Goes Online

On Aug. 6, the Pennsylvania Vegetable Growers Association Website went online at [www.pvga.org](http://www.pvga.org).

While the Website still has a lot of fine tuning and development ahead, basic information about the association, its activities and membership benefits is available to anyone on the Internet around the globe.



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During the early 1970s, Pennsylvania witnessed an increase in wine-grape growing that was doubling yearly. Answering this statewide call for a grape growers' organization, a group of 25 growers joined together in 1974 to form the Southeast Grape Industry Association. In its nearly 30-year existence, the group has remained focused on its original objectives:

1. To promote the growing and processing of grapes and grape products.

2. To collect and disseminate information concerning grape growing and processing by publication, news release, and forum.

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4. To encourage research in viticulture and grape processing.

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6. To encourage the wine-producing industry in the region.

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### Pennsylvania Association of Winegrowers Membership Application

Membership  Renewal

\*Please note: winegrape variety information is required to receive a membership card. Use additional pages if needed.

Winegrape Variety	# acres planned	year

### Free Website Listing

YES I would like my vineyard and grape variety/variety listed on the Pennsylvania Association of Winegrowers website. (A listing helps connect grape buyers and growers.)

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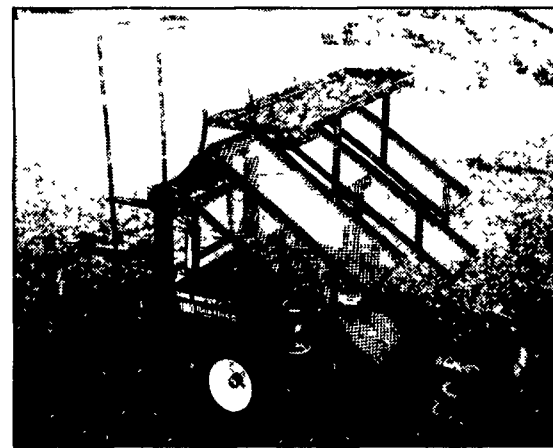
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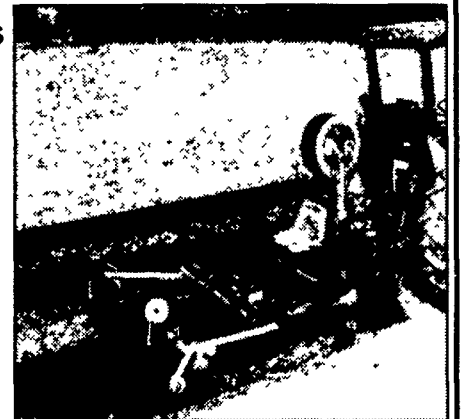
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