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CONFERENCE SELECTION (CHECK ONE)

- Conference Attendee \$ 60
- Conference Student \$ 30
- Small Farm & Women in Ag Attendee \$100
- Small Farm & Women in Ag Student \$ 50
- I am a full-time student eligible for a student discount*

NE Ohio Small Farm Session Selection

9:30 am Session #: \_\_\_\_\_ 10:45 a.m Session #: \_\_\_\_\_  
1:15 pm Session #: \_\_\_\_\_ 2:30 pm Session #: \_\_\_\_\_

WIA Session Selection (visit [u.osu.edu/ohwomeninag](http://u.osu.edu/ohwomeninag) for sessions)

Session 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Session 2 \_\_\_\_\_ Session 3 \_\_\_\_\_ Session 4 \_\_\_\_\_

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**Deadline for registration: March 23**

OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY EXTENSION

# Living the Small Farm Dream

## 2018 Northeast Ohio Small Farm Conference and Trade Show

April 7, 2018

R.G. Drage Career Technical Center  
2800 Richville Dr SW, Massillon, OH



Register on-line at  
[agmr.osu.edu/smallfarms](http://agmr.osu.edu/smallfarms)



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AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

## CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

*For session descriptions, visit <https://go.osu.edu/.....>*

- 8:00 - 9:00 am: Registration and Trade Show
- 9:00 - 9:15 am: Opening Comments, Rory Lewandowski
- 9:30 am: Session Tracks Begin
- 11:45 am - 1:00 pm: Lunch and Trade Show
- 1:15 pm - 3:45 pm: Session Tracks

All sessions will take place at the R.G. Drage center *except* for the 9:30 2-hour Super Session: Developing an Agritourism Operation. This session begins at 9:30 at Nickajack Farms, 2955 Manchester Ave. NW, North Lawrence, OH 44666. Participants will travel back to the RG Drage Center for lunch.

### REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS MARCH 23

*Please use a separate registration form for each person attending.*

### COST

A combined discount fee is offered to those attending this conference and the Ohio Women in Ag conference on Friday, April 6 at the same location. Details can be found at <http://u.osu.edu/ohwomeninag>

<b>Registration</b>	<b>Attendee</b>	<b>Student</b>
Small Farm Conference	\$ 60.00	\$30.00
Small Farm & Women in Ag Conferences	\$100.00	\$50.00

Fees non-refundable  Substitutions welcome  Confirmation will not be sent

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#	Start	Topic	Tract	Presenter		
<b>2-HOUR SUPER SESSION – HELD AT NICKAJACK FARMS – 9:30 – 11:45</b>						
1	9:30	Developing an On-farm Agritourism Business: What You Need to Know**	Marketing	Joe and Debbie Sebolt, Nickajack Farms Rob Leeds, OSUE Delaware Co.		
<b>1-HOUR SESSIONS – HELD AT RJ DRAGE CAREER 2800 Richville Dr SW, Massillon, OH 44646</b>						
2	9:30	Business Planning	Farm Mgt.	Steve Schillig, District Director, Ohio Small Business Development Center		
3	9:30	Five Ag Laws You Need to Know	Farm Mgt.	Peggy Hall, OSUE Ag Law Field Specialist		
4	9:30	Growing Great Grapes	Horticulture	Erik Draper, OSUE Geauga Co.		
5	9:30	Vegetable Varieties for High Tunnels	Horticulture	Matt Kleinhenz, OSUE Vegetable Specialist		
6	9:30	Pasture Mgt. for Grass-finished Beef	Livestock	Chris Penrose, OSUE Morgan Co.		
7	9:30	Growing and Managing Hops	Specialty Crop	Brad Bergefurd, OSUE Scioto Co.		
8	10:45	Just Brambling Along	Horticulture	Erik Draper, OSUE Geauga Co.		
9	10:45	Farmland Rental and Leasing	Farm Mgt.	Chris Zoller, OSUE Tuscarawas Co.		
10	10:45	Small Farm Tax Issues/Considerations	Farm Mgt.	David Marrison, OSUE Ashtabula Co.		
11	10:45	The Business of Local Blooms	Horticulture	Shannon Allen, Bloom Hill Farm		
12	10:45	Ohio Livestock Care Standards	Livestock	Tony Forshey, DVM, State Vet., ODA		
13	10:45	Economics of Marketing Pasture-raised Livestock	Livestock	Aaron/Melissa Miller, Miller Livestock Company		
14	10:45	Growing Hops and Malting Barley	Specialty Crop	Jamie Arthur, Little Miami Farms		
15	1:15	Making Small Acres a Profitable Operation	Farm Mgt.	Guy and Sandy Ashmore, That Guys Family Farm		
16	1:15	Tomatoes: Heirloom vs. Non-heirloom	Horticulture	Erik Draper, OSUE Geauga Co.		
17	1:15	Soil Amendments for Vegetable production	Horticulture	Matt Kleinhenz, OSUE Vegetable Specialist		
18	1:15	Haymaking 101	Livestock	Chris Penrose, OSUE Morgan Co.		
19	1:15	Scaling Up: Opportunities for Small Farm Marketing	Marketing	Christie Welch, OSUE Direct Marketing Specialist		
20	1:15	Ohio Winter Malting Barley Varieties	Specialty Crop	Eric Stockinger, Malting Barley Researcher, OSU/OARDC		
21	2:30	Healthy Farmers, Prosperous Farms	Farm Mgt.	Shoshana Inwood, Rural Sociologist, OSU		
22	2:30	Soil Health: The Foundation of Production	Horticulture	Rory Lewandowski, OSUE Wayne County		
23	2:30	Intermediate Level Beekeeping	Horticulture	Chris Merkle, Tri-Co. Bee Keepers Assn.		
24	2:30	Building a Pastured Poultry Enterprise	Livestock	Bill Brown, Brown Bros. Farms, LLC		
25	2:30	Outsourcing Business to Business Marketing and Sales to Food Hubs	Marketing	Laura Adiletta, Co-Founder, Farm Fare		
26	2:30	Local Microbrewers Panel	Specialty Crop	Kevin Ely, Woolly Pig Farm Brewery Mike Schlitz, Second Sons Hopyards Dave Sutula, Royal Docks Brewery		
		Farm Management	Horticulture	Livestock	Marketing	Specialty Crop

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