



Sustainable Agriculture Workshop

"Third Thursday Thing"

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1525 Mills Lane, Frankfort, KY (4 miles south of I-64, off US 127)

Directions: From I-64 Exit 53, take US127 South toward Lawrenceburg to the 4th stoplight, turn left onto Mills Lane, the KSU Farm is 1 ½ miles on the right.

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TIME	PROGRAM
10:00 - 10:15 am	Welcome and Announcements – Dr. Marion Simon, Kentucky State University
10:15 – 10:30 am	Overview on Kentucky Organic Agriculture Program from KDA Megan Clark and Karen Morgan, Kentucky Department of Agriculture (KDA)
10:30 – 10:55 am	Organic Association of Kentucky Overview and Transition Trainers Overview Brooke Gentile and Tony Silvernail, Organic Association of Kentucky (OAK)
10:55 – 11:05 am	Organic Agriculture Extension Survey Ellyn Anthony, Kentucky State University
11:05 – 11:35 am	AgrAbility: Accessibility Opportunities Mike Lewis, University of Kentucky
11:35 – 12:00 pm	New Opportunities in Organic Agriculture: Organic Industrial Hemp Shawn Lucas, Kentucky State University
12:00 – 1:00 pm	LUNCH (Mostly) Organic Food provided by Good Foods Co-Op, Lexington, KY
1:00 – 1:30 pm	Organic Valley: Who We Are, Where We Are Jon Cambron , Organic Valley
1:30 – 2:15 pm	Easy Edible Landscape Plants for Kentucky Derek Law, Kentucky State University
2:15 – 3:00 pm	Season Extension: Tour of KSU High Tunnel Complex Shawn Lucas, Kentucky State University

PLEASE NOTE: The next Third Thursday Thing Program will be March 15, 2018 and will feature Goats.

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