

# THE REAL AG EXPERIENCE

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has 2 parts: 1) farm/agribusiness tours and 2) Bring Ag to the Classroom, where volunteers can be a guest speaker/teacher to local classrooms about agriculture. A hands-on ag experience. This can be a field trip to tour a farm or agribusiness or with a volunteer speaker/teacher who will Bring Ag to the Classroom. The goal is to give students unique, hands-on experiences they will remember for a lifetime.

## BRING AG TO THE CLASSROOM - VOLUNTEER SPEAKER/TEACHERS

Volunteer	Email	Phone	Contact Preference	Available Locations
Chris Coffman	christopher.coffman@ky.gov	(859) 236-6500	PhoneEmail	Boyle
Cassie Johnson	cjohnson@agcreditonline.com	(859) 253-3249	PhoneEmail	Clark, Montgomery, Lincoln, Garrard, Harrison, Scott, Woodford, Anderson, Franklin, Jessamine, Boyle, Mercer, Marion, Washington
Laurie White	laurie@cfaky.org	(859) 428-7961	Phone Email	Madison, Clark, Estill, Fayette, Garrard, Rockcastle, Jackson
Donzetta Hughes	triplejbeef@hotmail.com	(859) 494-7268	Phone Email	Scott

# FARM/AGRIBUSINESS TOURS

Farm Name	Farm Contact	Email	Phone	County Location	Contact Preference	Type of Farm/Agribusiness
Sherwood Acres Farm	Jon Bednarski	Info@sherwoodacresbeef	5026498706	Mercer	Email, Phone	Beef Cattle, Choose and cut Christmas Tree Farm
Four Kings Angus	Cary King	Carymking@yahoo.com	859-613-3734	Mercer	Email, Phone	Beef Cattle
My Harrodsburg Honey Co. LLC	Tim Sheehan	tim.sheenhan@icloud.com	8593250808	Mercer	Email	Bees/Honey
Baxter Farms	Reiss Baxter	Baxterreiss@gmail.com	2703002351	Mercer	Phone	Beef Cattle
Good Thyme Farm	Mary Spraggs	goodthymefamilyfarm@gmail.com	8595168183	Boyle	Email	Bees/Honey, Poultry, Produce, Compost, worm castings
Circle G Farms	Spencer Guinn	circlegfarmsky@gmail.com	5027710811	Boyle	Phone	Beef Cattle, Grains & Row Crops, Manufacturer (Value-Added Products), Produce, Swine
Ayres Livestock	Brittany	love.brittany2006@gmail.com	8593197840	Garrard	Email	Beef Cattle
Tender Mercies Farm	Robin Parmley	rparmley21@gmail.com	860-457-6487	Garrard	Email, Phone	Equine, Goats, miniature donkeys
Garrard County High School	Natasha Parsons	natasha.parsonsgarrard.kyschools.us	8593392070	Garrard	Email, Phone	Fish, Flowers, Hydroponics
Kelly's Kobe Beef	Deborah Kelly	kobebeef101@gmail.com	810-441-0176	Garrard	Phone	Beef Cattle
River Hill Ranch	Alvina Maynard	Alvina@RiverHillRanch.us	8594085132	Madison	Email, Phone	Alternative Livestock, Manufacturer (Value-Added Products), Poultry, Regenerative Agriculture
K&R Farm Store	Kyle Wooton	kyle@kr-farms.com	606-260-5502	Madison	Phone	We have a small farm store in Richmond. We are open to small group field trips of up to 10 students at our store to discuss direct to consumer farming.



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Mill Creek Market, LLC / Mill Creek Cattle Co.	Amanda Webb	millcreekmarket4e@gmail.com	8598934724	Estill	Email	Beef Cattle, Manufacturer (Value-Added Products), We have a small market we sell beef and pork in town.
Appalachian Crafts farm and gardens	Robin Reed	appcraft@gmail.com	6067234678	Estill	Email, Phone	Flowers, Grains & Row Crops, Greenhouse & Nursery, Manufacturer (Value-Added Products), Produce, Log grown mushrooms
Appalachian Crafts	Robin Reed	appcraft@gmail.com	6067234678	Estill	Email	Grains & Row Crops, Greenhouse & Nursery, Manufacturer (Value-Added Products), Produce
Clover Hilltop Farm	Tim Vettters	timvettters@gmail.com	8592219024	Jessamine	Email	Goats, Produce
Fika Acres Farm	Jessica Lynn	fikaacresfarm@gmail.com	859-576-8614	Jessamine	Email	Flowers
clover hilltop farm	Tim Vettters	timvettters@gmail.com	8592219024	jessamine	Email	Goats, Produce
Agape Fields/Specialty Cut Flowers, U-pick	Julie Ross	JULIE@AGAPEFIELDS.COM	859.621.2006	Jessamine County, KY	Email	Agritourism (hayrides, playgrounds, corn mazes, etc.), Flowers
Blue Grass Stockyards and Regional Marketplace	Sidney sutherland	Ssutherland@bgstickyards.com	859-255-7701	Fayette	Email	Beef Cattle, Ag retail and service center, restaurant, auctions on mondday and tuesday
Seedleaf	Megan Pillsbury	Megan@seedleaf.org	859-705-1503	Fayette	Email	Agritourism (hayrides, playgrounds, corn mazes, etc.), Flowers, Greenhouse & Nursery, Orchards, Produce
Seedleaf	Christine Smith	Christine@seedleaf.org	859-705-1503	Fayette	Email	Flowers, Orchards, Produce, Community Garden
Landscapers Paradise, LLC	Greg Spivey	gregspivey@hotmail.com	8592271319	Fayette	Phone	Greenhouse & Nursery
Sav's Garden	Savannah McGuire	savsgardenky@gmail.com	8593173553	Fayette	Email	Flowers, Hydroponics, Vegetables
Violet Hill Farm	Deb Schoenberg	deb@violethillalpacas.com	360/600-6292	Fayette	Email	Alternative Livestock, Manufacturer (Value-Added Products), Sheep
Nieman's Christmas Tree Farm	Thomas J. Nieman	tnieman2@windstream.net	859-552-3532	Fayette	Phone	Christmas Trees
Lexbar llc	Barbara Arnold	lexbar.llc@gmail.com	8589830905	Fayette	Email, Phone	Alternative Livestock, Beef Cattle, Equine, Goats, Poultry

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Mom-Mom's Lavender	Philip R Santiago	philiprsantiago@mmlar.com	4104091767	FAYETTE COUNTY	Email, Phone	lavender, flowers
Central Kentucky Ag Credit	Cassie Johnson	cjohnson@agcreditorline.com	859-253-3249	Fayette, Bourbon, Madison, Boyle. We have other offices but they are small and hard to have a large number in.	Email	Ag Lending
FoodChain Inc.	Kristin Hughes	kristin@foodchainlex.org	859-428-8380	Fayette	Email	Fish, Hydroponics, Indoor aquaponics farm
Farm Credit Mid-America	Jade Sadler	Jade.Sadler@fcma.com	270-765-7811	Fayette	Phone	Agribusiness, Finance
Sageser Blackberry Farm	Danny ASgeser	Dssgeser@att.net	859-948-4005	Scott	Email	Produce
Hallstead Farms and Meats	Amanda Hall	amandahall129@gmail.com	8593335001	Scott	Email, Phone	Beef Cattle, Crops, feed barn, direct to consumer beef
Meade Tractor	Bennie Routh	bennie.routh@meadetractor.com	502-863-2529	scott	Email, Phone	Beef Cattle, Equine, Grains & Row Crops
Stepping Stone Farm	Ally Vallandingham	steppingstonefarm2@gmail.com	8595883286	Bourbon	Email	Agritourism (hayrides, playgrounds, corn mazes, etc.), Beef Cattle, Bees/Honey, Greenhouse & Nursery, Orchards, Produce
KCR Farm	Ally Knore	Allyknore@gmail.com	859-797-2559	Bourbon	Phone	Beef Cattle, Equine, Goats, Sheep, Livestock guardian dogs
Clark Co FFA Greenhouse	Terra Pigg	Terra.pigg@clark.kyschools.us	8597499676	Clark	Email	Greenhouse & Nursery
Three Feathers Farm	Landers Crowe	vancrowe@gmail.com	606-947-3920	Powell	Email, Phone, Facebook	Blackberries, vegetables, pumpkins