

NOFA · NJ



Equipment Trainings for Farmers

Join Fairgrown Farm and NOFA NJ for a collaborative workshop series!

This series of equipment trainings will provide education, demonstration and safety essentials for tractor-related farm work. Learn how to operate a variety of implements and best practices for day-to-day tractor tasks while connecting with fellow farmers and Staff from Fairgrown and NOFA NJ.

Register for one or all of the sessions for FREE (*suggested donation \$10 per session*)

[More Info](#)

Farm Equipment Training Series





First Monday of every month
10AM - 12PM

Co-Hosted by NOFA NJ and Fairgrown Farm

Join us at Fairgrown Farm for a series of equipment trainings that will provide information and hands-on examples for tractor-related farm work. Learn how to operate a variety of implements and best practices for day-to-day tractor tasks.



April 6th - Equipment Safety
Additional hour from 9 AM - 10 AM: First Aid Training

May 4th - General Tillage

June 1st - Transplanting and Direct Seeding

July 6th - Weed Cultivation

August 3rd - Manure Spreader Workshop

September 7th - Cover Crop Intensive

November 2nd - Garlic Planting

Scan to RSVP

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Free event, Suggested donation of \$10 to NOFA NJ

Location: Fairgrown Farm, 260 Wargo Rd, Pennington, NJ 08534

Questions? Email Field@fairgrownfarm.com



NOFA - NJ EVENTS

03/25 - Monthly Organic Open House

On the last Wednesday of each month from 9:00-10:00 AM, we provide a platform for farmers and community members to connect, share knowledge, and discuss relevant topics in organic farming. No registration needed - join us on Zoom!

04/01 - *Monthly Technical Assistance Open Hour*

Join NOFA NJ's Technical Assistance Staff on the first Wednesday of each month at 9AM via Zoom for a deep dive into seasonally-appropriate topics. As always, you can email specific support requests ahead of time to TA@nofanj.org.

[More Info](#)

05/02 - *Save the Date: 3rd Annual MushroomFest!*

Whether you're an advanced mycologist or an entry-level mushroom enthusiast, our network of mushroom professionals are eager to share their knowledge in a day dedicated to FUN(gus)! Event sessions include exciting cooking demos and tastings, shiitake log inoculation, take-home grow kits, advanced technical processes, lab and grow designs, therapeutic regulation AND MORE!

Food As Medicine: A Webinar on Soil, Health, and the Future of Food

Thanks to Anne Bikle, David Montgomery, and Ron Weiss, along with event sponsors NJ Conservation Foundation, Eating For Your Health, and Ujamaa Seeds for a great webinar last Friday - watch the recording on the NOFA NJ YouTube Channel!



[NOFA NJ YouTube](#)

BIG Thanks to Wild Fern Brewing



We're eager to thank everyone who joined for the NOFA NJ fundraiser at Wild Fern Brewing on Sunday, along with Derek, Julie, and the team at Wild Fern for their generosity, tasty brews and great service!

[Visit Wild Fern](#)

COMMUNITY NEWS/EVENTS

3/28 - GOOD GRAIN selected by Princeton Environmental Film Festival!

GOOD GRAIN is an official selection of the Princeton Environmental Film Festival. Join Filmmaker Jared Flesher for the screening on Saturday, March 28, at 3pm at the Princeton Public Library.

[More Info](#)

4/9 - Anne Bikle at Bucks County Foodshed Alliance

Missed NOFA NJ's Food As Medicine Webinar, or want to meet the speaker in-person? Attend this event at Del Val University and enjoy a keynote by renowned biologist and author, Anne Bikle, a panel discussion with regenerative farmers & integrative medical doctors, a reception with informational tables, book signing, and catering provided by local chefs!

[More Info](#)

NJFDC Inclusive Local Market Lists

The New Jersey Food Democracy Collaborative (NJFDC) is updating its *Inclusive Local Market Lists* for every New Jersey county. These outreach materials are a guide of the farm stands and community farmers' markets that accept SNAP, WIC CVB, WIC FMNP, Senior FMNP, Good Food Bucks, and other local food incentive programs. Farmers and market managers are invited to submit their market information. NJFDC also seeks volunteers to help verify and distribute the information for their county. If interested, email Bryanna Fogel at Coalitions@njfooddemocracy.org

[More Info](#)

FREE Compost at Pony Power Therapies

Pony Power Therapies in Mahwah, NJ is currently looking to offload both finished and unfinished compost. Pony Power's twenty-two horses — which produce approximately 1,000 pounds of manure each day — along with our other farm animals, are the primary source of our all-natural compost. We also incorporate vegetative waste from our garden. Using an oxygenated composting system, we

transform the material into a rich, high-quality finished compost. At this time, we have 210+ cubic yards of finished compost and approx. 500 cubic yards of unfinished compost. Due to limited space available on our farm, we are willing to let large amounts of finished and/or unfinished compost go for free in order to make space for compost that is in the process of being finished. We do not have the capacity to make deliveries, so interested partners would need to arrange for pickup. Our staff will gladly assist in loading pickup trucks or help in any way possible to make removal smooth and efficient. Interested parties, please contact Tracy Rudnick at 201-934-1001 or tracy@ponypowernj.org

Native Plant Society of NJ Plant Sale!

The Somerset County Chapter is teaming up with East Coast Natives for a fundraising event to benefit the Chapter. Each habitat set is carefully curated with 20 native plant plugs (5 species, 4 of each) designed to thrive in specific environmental conditions. Sale ends April 15th. Pick up at Bountiful Gardens locations in Hillsborough, Ewing, and Ringoes. Delivery available for Somerset, Hunterdon, and Mercer county addresses.

[More Info](#)

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Orchard Hill Farms

[PT Livestock Manager](#)

Closter Farm & Livestock Co.

[Market Staff](#)

Pasture Prime Farm

[Farm Manager](#)

Recklesstown Distillery

[Distribution Coordinator](#)

City Green

[Farm Crew Member](#)

Carversville Farm
Foundation

[Seasonal Livestock Farmer](#)

Cherry Grove Farm

Chickadee Creek Farm

Field Crew

Rutgers Gardens

Seasonal Field Crew Lead

Kimballs Farm

Farm Crew

Ethos Farm to Health

Market Garden Apprentice

CROPS NJ

Programming Facilitator

CROPS NJ

Operations Manager

Reed's Organic Farm

Multiple Positions

Maranatha Farm

Seasonal Livestock Farm
Hand

Maranatha Farm

Seasonal Farmer

GRANTS & FUNDING

Grants & Funding updates will now be restricted to the Members-Only email each week - [become a Member today](#) to receive this and many other benefits!

MARKET CONNECTIONS

NOFA NJ Members are encouraged to share listings of product sought, product to sell, equipment for sale and more - email nofainfo@nofanj.org!



New Jersey Conservation
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NJ Conservation Foundation

New Jersey Conservation Foundation is a private, not-for-profit organization devoted to preserving land and protecting natural resources throughout New Jersey's rural, suburban, and urban landscapes.

Since 1960, the nonprofit, nonpartisan, statewide organization has preserved more than 140,000 acres of open space, farmland, and parks. The organization manages more than a dozen nature preserves, conducts public outreach and education programs, and advocates for sensible land use and climate policies that will protect the health of New Jersey's plants, wildlife, and people for generations to come.



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