#### Testimonials:

Here's what previous attendees are saying:

"The OSU Farm College is very thorough. It enthusiastically sets you to start working on what you want to do in your farm. I love the fact that always, on every single session, the need for a plan is necessary before you start working on whatever you want." - E. R.

"A great resource offering Pro's & Con's of a small farming operation. Don't even think about starting one without taking this course first!" -D. D.

"I recommend this program to anyone starting or thinking about farming in any area. The amount of knowledge presented was priceless." - J. A.

"Small Farm college provided the spark to launch my farm operation and prepared me with the resources and contacts to move forward with confidence." -S.F.R



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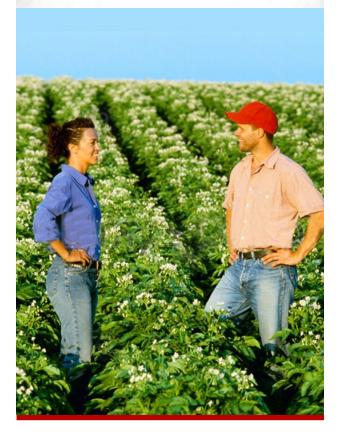
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# New & Small Farm College





## The 2021 "New and Small Farm College" is coming to Pike County!

Are you interested in learning how to make the most of a few acres? If so, this six-week course is just for you! Filled with practical knowledge on a variety of topics—you won't be disappointed!



#### **CLASS LOCATION:**

OSU South Centers 1864 Shyville Road, Piketon, OH 45661 (located off US 32 – Appalachian Hwy)

#### **CLASS DATES: Wednesdays**

• August 18-September 29

#### **CLASS TIMES:**

- Light dinner at 6:00 pm
- Classes are from 6:30 9:00 pm

Limited to the first 40 registrations

**Enrollment deadline is August 9, 2021** 

#### SYLLABUS FOR SMALL FARM COLLEGE

Date/Session	Topic	Description
August 18 Session One	Getting Started: Why do you want to farm?	Goal setting, family matters, business planning, budgeting, and resources
August 25 Session Two	Appropriate Land Use – Walk the Farm	Also consider what FSA can offer small farms
September 1 Session Three	Financial and business mgmt. strategies for decision- makers	Also: find out what SWCD and USDA NRCS can offer small farms
September 8 Session Four	Insurance for farms; Soils	Also: find out how to qualify for CAUV tax valuation from the county auditor
September 15 Session Five	Marketing	Direct marketing, cooperatives, agri-tourism, bed & breakfast, and niche markets
September 22 Session Six	No Class! Participants will receive tickets to attend the 2021 Farm Science Review held in London, OH.	
September 29 Session Seven	Small farm legal check up	Wrap-up session



### **REGISTRATION**Pike County SF College

Name:		
(list additional attendees here:)		
Address:		
City:		
State/Zip:		
Phone:		
Email:(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)		
(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)		
Dietary Needs:		
PRICE INFORMATION: \$125.00 per person		
Price includes one 3-inch binder of resource materials, meals and dessert each night, and 1 soil sample evaluation		

Additional family member = \$100.00 per individual \*(<u>does not include a notebook</u>)

Based on the class fees
I have enclosed a total of:

Please make checks payable to: OSU Extension

Send completed forms to: OSU Extension Clinton County 111 S. Nelson Ave., Suite 2, Wilmington, Ohio 45177