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Happy New Year!



As we welcome 2025, we want to express our heartfelt gratitude for all the support, and participation we had last year in our programs and partnerships! We are excited for the opportunities, growth and new adventures that lie ahead, and we look forward to further serving Rockcastle residents, and those in surrounding counties! Best wishes for the new year ahead!

-Rockcastle Cooperative Extension Staff

We hope to hear from you in 2025!

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with prior notification.

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Rockcastle County 4-H



ALL MEETINGS HELD AT ROCKCASTLE EXTENSION OFFICE

**For more information on any club, visit our website-
www.rockcastle.ca.uky.edu or give us a call at (606) 256-2403**

Homeschool Club

January 15th @ 10 AM : Hand Dipped Candles

February 19th @ 10 AM: Pelts and Hunting Education

Cloverbud Club

January 16th @ 5:30 PM

February 6th @ 5:30 PM

Livestock Club

January 9th @ 6 PM

February 13th @ 6 PM

Shooting Sports Club

First 2025 meeting- February 11th @ 6 PM

4-H Camp Registration Day

April 1st 9 AM - 6 PM



Rockcastle Cooperative Extension Agriculture and Natural Resource January- February 2025

Reminder: Registration is required for all programs unless noted otherwise! Please call (606) 256-2403 to register!

WINTER BEEF MEETINGS

ALL MEETINGS BEGIN AT 7 PM

January

23

Speaker: Garrard Coffey

February

27

Speaker: Jeff Lehmkuhler
on Cattle Nutrition

March

20

Cattlemen's Banquet
Speaker: Kenny Burdine

Meetings held at the Rockcastle Extension Office.

Please call to let us know you plan to attend!

NUISANCE WEED SPRAYING PROGRAM

This program consists of weed spraying demonstration plots. The department will provide the sprayer and enough chemical for the treatment of 10 acres of agricultural land or 100 gallons of spot spraying mix to be used on agricultural land. The department's representative will demonstrate proper mixing and application techniques. A number of nuisance weeds can be treated under this program depending on the needs of the participant. This program is limited to broadleaf weeds.

FOR MORE PROGRAM INFORMATION- Stop by our office, or give us a call at (606) 256-2403

2025 PLANT SALES

More information about sales will be released in early February.

Sales will run from Feb. 15 - March 15.

To get an order form by mail call our office beginning Feb. 15th

TO STAY UP TO DATE ON ALL THINGS EXTENSION AGRICULTURE FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK: @ROCKAG



Garrard Coffey
Rockcastle ANR Agent



ROCKCASTLE COUNTY FAMILY & CONSUMER SCIENCES

Soup & Salad Celebration: A National Soup Day Cooking Class

Date: February 4th
Time: 6 PM

In honor of National Homemade Soup Day we will be making, and testing a homemade soup recipe, as well as a salad and a Valentines Day dessert!
If you plan to attend please call us at (606) 256-2403!



Oui Jar Basket Weaving

Date: February 21st
Time: 10 AM - 1 PM
Cost: \$25

This woven jar class will be taught by Bea's Basket Weaving from Somerset. The picture to the left is provided by her as a sample of what we will make!
CLASS SIZE LIMITED- REGISTRATION REQUIRED! Call (606) 256-2403!

*Happy
New Year*

We have some other fun classes in the planning stages, so be sure to stay tuned for those! If you don't already, follow us on Facebook:
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