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Calendar of Events • February 2022

- February 2nd Groundhog Day
- February 14th Board Meeting, 7:30pm
- February 15th Meat order Deadline, 4pm
- February 15th IAA Scholarship Application Deadline, 4pm
- February 24th Meat Order Pickup, 10am-4pm
- February 28th Wine Down Registration Deadline, 4pm

*February is American Heart Month
Happy Valentine's Day!*

All events are subject to cancellation due to Covid-19. We want to keep our members as safe as possible, and will be following CDC advice and guidelines.

Don't forget to check out all your membership benefits at: <http://ilfb.abenity.com>

February Brings New Features to Your DuPage Farmer

While reading the newsletter you may notice some changes. We have been working on adding more agriculture type articles. With that in mind, we have added two new articles for your enjoyment. These articles start this month and run through the end of year.

Our first new monthly article is Follow a Farmer. What does it take to be a farmer in today's world? The occupation of farming has progressed immensely over the years and looks quite different from the old-fashioned way many of us envision. Science, machines, and technology have cre-

Our first new monthly

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Deadline Approaching

Deadline

FEBRUARY 15



IAAFoundation.org



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Wine Down Thursday • 03-10-2022

Come out to support the DuPage County Fair Association & DuPage County Farm Bureau and help raise funds for our Foundation. The night of the event there will be a 50/50 raffle, Pot of Gold Cash Drawing (win up to \$100), and a Silent Auction.

All proceeds will be divided between the Foundation and the Fair Association.

This evening is open to the public.

Attendees must be 21 or older.

For more information contact membership@dcbf.org or call 630.668.8161. RSVP by 02-28-2022

Coopers Corner

27W150 Roosevelt Rd., Winfield, IL
Thursday, March 10th 7-9pm

\$50 a person includes appetizers, beer and wine.



R.S.V.P. by
February 28th
RSVP's and Checks
are due
to the
DuPage County
Farm Bureau
245 S. Gary Ave.,
Carol Stream IL
60188

Name(s) _____

Phone Number _____

Email _____

\$50 X _____ Total Attending \$ _____

50/50 Raffle: 3 for \$10 \$ _____ Arms Length \$25 \$ _____

Pot Of Gold \$5 each or 5 Chances for \$20 \$ _____

I cannot attend but would like to give a donation of \$ _____

Grand Total Enclosed \$ _____

Follow a Farmer: January Activities

Hi everyone! We are Dale and Becky Conrady of Hettick, Illinois in Macoupin County. Our farm includes 320 acres of traditional row crops, a small herd of crossbred cattle, and about 15 acres of specialty crops.



We diversified our farm 27 years ago with the specialty crops in an effort to make our entire income off of the ground we owned rather than buying more acreage. Those crops include asparagus, strawberries, blueberries, blackberries, and

peach orchards. We operate a seasonal, mostly U-pick business that operates from May-August. This diversification has been an exceptional compliment to the row crops. In the past month or so, our jobs have included strawing the strawberries to protect them from the cold,

winterizing the equipment, and enjoying the holidays. This time of year, Dale is busy with hauling grain to the local elevators, repairing equipment, and keeping the cows warm and fed. Meanwhile, Becky is focused on sending out W-2 forms to their seasonal employees, filling out tax forms for their farm and business, and preparing financial reports. We are busy but have a lot more flexibility with our schedule right now than we will when the warmer weather comes!



New Features

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ated a new and exciting way forward. This year, we'd like to invite you to "Follow a Farmer" with us! Backwoods Berry Farm, located in Central Illinois, has graciously agreed to give us a monthly look at what life is like on the farm. With both traditional crops and animals and a wide variety of specialty crops, we have a fun year ahead of us!

The second new article will be The Farmer's Almanac Predictions. The Farmer's Almanac provides long-range weather forecasts, best days, full moon dates and times, astronomy, fishing and gardening tips, home remedies and more! This month we will focus on all things weather. In the future we will be adding gardening tips in addition to weather.

We hope you enjoy our new spotlight articles. You will find the Follow a Farmer article on page 2. The Farmer's Almanac Predictions will be on page 4.



Clockwise from upper left: Dale and Becky Conrady; hauling grain; the orchard in winter; summer hay bales feed the crossbred cattle in winter.

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from the
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Illinois AGRICULTURE in the ClassroomSM

Kristina Baumbach
Education Coordinator
DuPage County Farm Bureau



Ag in the Classroom is a free program that visits DuPage schools to teach the importance of agriculture. The lessons can be adjusted for all age levels and meet learning standards. We would also be happy to be a part of community events that relate to our agricultural literacy program vision and goals. Virtual options are available.

For more information contact:
duplicateit@dcbf.org or 630-668-8161.

December's Numbers:

3,439 students
127 teachers
#1 Lesson Topic: Pizza

Teacher Quote about an AITC Visit:

"Kenna Anderson was wonderful working with the students and always so positive and willing to answer questions! The lessons all year were wonderful and complemented each other very well. Each one was unique but also was able to refer to other lessons we did. The students looked forward to this each month!"
CUSD 200 Virtual Academy – 3rd Grade

Did you know that pizza is a billion-dollar industry? In fact, 94% of Americans eat pizza on a regular basis! But how is this fan favorite made? That's what our students learned about in December! Students saw the different machines, animals, and growing techniques it takes to make a pizza loaded with toppings. These included wheat for the crust, dairy cattle and cheese, pepperoni, veggies, and mushrooms. At the end of the lesson the students made a paper pizza utilizing each topping and their source.

1. Kenna taught the 3rd graders at Madison all about taco ingredients!
2. Students at Briar Glen show off their pizza project.
3. Expo participants learned about dairy cows and how they are cared for.



Did you know?

It takes 400 cocoa beans to make one pound of chocolate. Each cocoa tree produces approximately 2,500 beans.

2022 Agriculture Expo

Thank you to all the teachers and students who are currently participating in our 2022 Ag Expo! This year 26 teachers and 467 students from 10 schools registered to take part in our virtual program. Teachers received links to our virtual field trips and a personalized PDF packet to use with the videos. Throughout the month of February, the participants are learning about different Illinois agriculture topics ranging from dairy and wheat to corn, apples, and specialty crops.

Teacher Institute Day—Register Today!

All DuPage County teachers are welcome to register for the Ag in the Classroom Teacher Institute Day Workshop! This year's event will be held on March 4th, 2022 from 7:30am-1:00pm in person at College of DuPage. Our workshop is entitled "From Roots to STEM" and is designed to introduce K-12 educators to agriculture activities and lessons that can be incorporated into their classroom while adhering to the current learning, STEM, and NGSS concepts. Speakers from AITC, Nutrients for Life, and FCAE will lead a variety of activities. Participants will receive 5 PD hours provided by the DuPage ROE. Only a few spots are left, so register today at <https://dcbf.org/event/2022-teacher-institute-day/>!

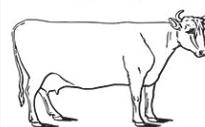
Spring Ag Bags Available

Are you a teacher or librarian looking for a fun way to incorporate agriculture with your students? Our Ag Bags would make a perfect addition to your curriculum. Currently we have dairy, specialty crop, pollination, and soybean bags available for order. These bags included an ag mag, worksheet, word search, and paper project. Contact Kristina at duplicateit@dcbf.org to order yours today!

3 Things I Learned About Dairy Cows:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Design your Dairy Cow



Circle the dairy products.

Ice cream Butter
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Sushi Whipped Cream

Try it at Home!

Milk is a local food! You can find out where the milk in your refrigerator came from by visiting WhereMyMilkFrom.com. Locate the code on your carton or container, enter it, and click Find It. You'll instantly know which dairy farm your milk came from! The code is near the top and begins with two numbers followed by a dash and ends with one to five digits.

The Farmer's Almanac Predictions – February 2022

Sky Watch:

Only Jupiter remains in the evening sky, floating in the southwest to the upper right of the Moon on the 2nd. Besides this, February's action is focused in the predawn east, where Mercury brightens to magnitude zero and ascends a bit higher each morning, hovering to the left of Venus and Mars on the 13th. Look for dazzling Venus just above dim orange Mars and the slender waning crescent Moon on the 27th, followed on the next morning by an even thinner moon floating just beneath Mercury, with Saturn to its left and Venus-Mars duo to its right. This planet bunching is very

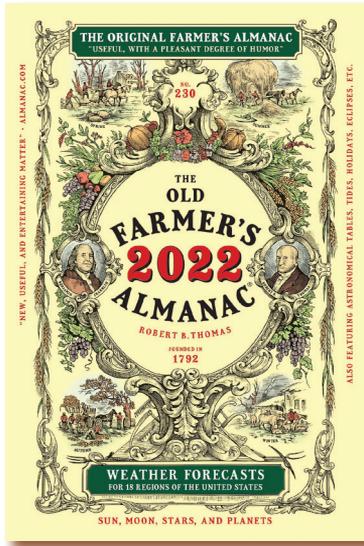
low and challenging but will soon get much easier to see. Venus's supernal brilliance-at its brightest of the year dur-

ing midmonth, a shadow-casting magnitude -4.9-grabs the attention of anyone gazing east before dawn.

above avg.); precip. 2.5" (1" below avg. east, 2" above west). 1-6 rain and snow showers, mild. 7-14 Lake snows, cold. 15-19 Rainy periods, mild. 20-28 Flurries, cold, then showers, mild.

Weather:

Temp. 29 degrees (2 degrees



Give Houseplants New Life with DIY Kokedama Moss Balls

By Brittnay Haag,
Horticulture Educator,
University of Illinois Extension

Free your houseplants' roots this winter by creating organic art for your home through kokedama, a form of Japanese bonsai, where plants are grown in a special soil mix and wrapped in moss. Kokedama is a uniquely beautiful way to grow houseplants in a non-traditional way.

Kokedamas can be displayed on decorative trays or dishes, antique bowls or saucers, or attached to a piece of driftwood. They can also be hung with decorative string or wire from a window or ceiling, creating a string garden with more than one.

These beautiful, natural planters make a great gift or can add a little green to your winter space.

Many different kinds of plants can successfully be grown as kokedama, says Brittnay

Haag, University of Illinois Extension horticulture educator. An established houseplant that needs to be repotted, cuttings of houseplants with newly developed roots, or seasonal plants to deco-

rate your space can all be planted in the moss balls.

"Ideal plants would be ones that can grow in drier conditions, such as ferns, philodendron, dracaena, spider plants, and even small

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Very Pinteresting

A column dedicated to finding you healthy recipes using the freshest ingredients

Healthy Dark Chocolate Almond Truffles

Prep Time: 25 minutes, Cook Time: 0 minutes,
Total Time: 1 hour, Yield: 20 truffles

Ingredients

14 Medjool dates, soaked in warm water for 10 minutes
2 teaspoons pure vanilla extract
1/4 cup (21g) unsweetened cocoa powder
1/2 cup (70g) whole almonds
1/2 cup (70g) sunflower seeds (I use salted)
optional: 1/4 teaspoon salt*
8 ounces (226g) semi-sweet or bittersweet quality chocolate

Instructions

Line a large baking sheet with parchment paper or a silicone baking mat. Set aside.

Place pitted dates, vanilla extract, cocoa powder, almonds, sunflower seeds, and salt (if using) into your food processor. Blend/pulse until a moist dough forms. This will take a minute or two of blending. If the dough is too dry and crumbly, add 1-2 more soaked dates or even a teaspoon of pure maple syrup.

Once dough is formed, scoop out 1 Tablespoon of dough. Roll into a smooth ball and place onto prepared baking sheet. Repeat with remaining dough. Set aside as you melt the chocolate in the next step.

You can melt the chocolate in a double boiler or the microwave. If using the microwave: place the chocolate in a medium heat-proof bowl. I like to use a liquid measuring cup. Its depth makes it easy for dipping. Melt in 30 second increments in the microwave, stirring after each increment until completely melted and smooth. Let the warm chocolate sit for 5 minutes to slightly cool before dipping.

Dip each ball completely into the chocolate using a dipping tool. When lifting it out of the chocolate, remember to tap the dipping tool gently on the side of the bowl to allow excess chocolate to drip off. Place each back on the baking sheet and refrigerate until the chocolate has set, about 30 minutes.





No time to chill: Winter a season of evaluation

On the six-hour drive home, we jotted down action items to improve the family farm. The list added to the workload that had accumulated while away from the farm office for the better part of three days. But nothing seemed unattainable. We had just left a farm conference packed with a lineup of brilliant speakers and creative thinkers, the type who can re-ignite the motivation that the pandemic and its policies had tempo-

rarily siphoned from us.

Farm conferences and annual meetings return this winter at hotels and conference centers across the nation after a two-year hiatus. The face-to-face networking, the sharing of knowledge and the trips south to warmer locations rejuvenate souls in the agriculture industry this winter season, traditionally a time for self-evaluation on the farm. Farmers, perhaps, evaluate more this year than in recent ones. The pandemic has been the annoying rock in our boot and record-high costs a rockslide challenging our path to profitability.

Fertilizer prices have more than doubled in a year. Roundup prices are up 300%. And while anyone who drives can relate to the pain at the pump, imagine filling up a 300-gallon tank in a combine. Supply short-

ages and soaring input costs challenge farm families like ours everywhere this winter, prompting us to store herbicide like toilet paper in case of a shortage. Our breakeven spreadsheets evolve and include approximate costs on products that retailers can't even price yet.

Thankfully, crop values are strong, and we take comfort in surrounding ourselves at these conferences with people who understand and possess the faith to persevere. The recent conference offered perspective on the future of food and farming and the anticipated disrupters in the marketplace. Expert panelists discussed biofuels, global protein demand, soil microbials and carbon. They shared dialogue on commodity and financial markets, supply chain issues, cryptocurrency, farmland values and consumer mind-

set about food. Between sessions we met with vendors of innovative farm products and further quizzed experts on the topics most impacting our family farm.

For decades, farm meetings and conferences have sparked the adoption of innovation on the farm, helping operations of all sizes attain the ideal of continuous improvement. At these places, we discover new solutions to complex problems and make choices to advance methods for growing crops and raising animals. That said, the winter season provides limited time to chill.

About the author: Joanie Stiers farms with her family in West-Central Illinois, where they grow corn, soybeans, wheat, hay and cover crops and raise beef cattle, backyard chickens and a crop of farm kids.



Photo by Catrina Rawson/Illinois Farm Bureau.

The DuPage County Farm Bureau Foundation has given \$143,500 in scholarships since 1991. The mission of our Farm Bureau is "promote agriculture through educational and informational programming to enhance the quality of life for our members, while preserving our agricultural heritage." We do this through educating consumers on agriculture, provide Ag-In-The-Classroom programs to over 35,000 students with DuPage County yearly, member support, distributing close to \$15,000 in scholarships to students pursuing a degree in an agriculturally-related field yearly. To be able to accomplish all of this we depend on donations from our members. Below we have included a donation form if you so choose to donate. We thank all of you for your past, present and future donations to our Foundation!



Kara Norton

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Houseplants

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orchids," says Haag. "Succulents can also be planted in moss balls but will require less water."

Kokedamas can be created with any size plant. The size of the ball will just vary to accommodate the root mass of the plant.

To create this simple, unique piece of living art, first gather the needed materials: a lightweight potting mix or peat moss, akadama, moss (sheet or Spanish), a plant, string, scissors, and water. Akadama is a coarse clay-like mineral used as bonsai tree soil.

Start by soaking the moss in a bucket of water for one hour to rehydrate the organic material. Then, squeeze out the excess liquid

and set it aside. Combine the soil mixture of 70% potting mix or peat moss and 30% bonsai soil to create the ball. Slowly add water to the mixture until it can be pressed firmly into a ball without falling apart.

Remove the plant from its container and gently break apart the root ball and remove any excess soil and Create a hole in the soil ball large enough to fit the roots of the plant inside. You can also gently break the soil ball into two pieces, lay the roots on one side, and push the soil back together around the roots.

Press the moss around the soil ball until it is fully covered. Or, create a thin layer of moss on a flat surface, set the ball in the middle, and wrap the moss around the ball. Use the string to attach

the moss to the ball. Secure the string to the ball and wrap it randomly around the ball in every direction to keep the moss in place. Tie it off tightly to create a firm, sturdy ball.

"Proper watering will be key to keeping your kokedama alive," says Haag. "Stick your finger in the top of the ball near the base of the plant to feel if the soil is dry. The weight of the ball will also tell you. Is it light? It is time to water."

To water the kokedama, fill a bucket or sink with lukewarm water. Gently push the moss ball into the water so it starts to absorb the water. Soak the completely submerged ball in the water for 15 to 20 minutes. Drain the water and squeeze the moss ball to remove excess water, and

let it drip dry before returning it to its decorative space. Mist the moss ball between watering to keep it from completely drying out.

Who is Frosty's favorite relative? Aunt Arctica!



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Recruiters of the Month

Congratulations to our Recruiters of the month, Nhon Truong and Malgorzata Jura. These agents signed 4 new members each for the DuPage County Farm Bureau. Malgorzata has been with Country Financial since January 2008. Her office is located in Chicago. Nhon has been with Country Financial since September 2009. His office is located in Carol Stream. For complete contact information for these agents please visit [COUNTRY Financial.com](http://COUNTRYFinancial.com). We would like to thank you for your hard work in recruiting new members!



Nhon Truong



Malgorzata Jura

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DuPage County Financial Representatives of the Month

The Financial Representative of the Month program is designed by COUNTRY® Financial Agency Managers of DuPage County to recognize overall Insurance Leaders in Life, Disability, Auto, Home, and Health production during the month. The representative earns the award through efforts to provide quality service to existing and new clients.



Jim McGuigan • Aurora Agency

Jim McGuigan has been named Career Financial Representative of the Month for December 2021, by Alonzo Nevarez, Agency Manager. Jim's office is located at 1730 Park St, Unit 224, Naperville 60563. Jim's phone number is 630-851-0620. Jim has been a Financial Representative with COUNTRY® Financial since November 1999.



Eric Miller • Carol Stream Agency

Eric Miller has been named Career Financial Representative of the Month for December 2021, by Drew Cali, Agency Manager. Eric's office is located at 28369 Davis Parkway, Ste. 405, Warrenville 60555. His phone number is 630-836-0845. Eric has been a Financial Representative with COUNTRY® Financial since March 2009.



Agata Kopacka • Carol Stream Agency

Agata Kopacka has been named Employee Financial Representative of the Month for December 2021, by Drew Cali, Agency Manager. Agata's office is located at 245 S Gary Ave, Carol Stream 60188. Her phone number is 630-668-4150. Agata has been a Financial Representative with COUNTRY® Financial since December 2019.



Mike Rogala • Will/South DuPage Agency

Mike Rogala has been named Career Financial Representative of the Month for December 2021, by Dan Connolly, Agency Manager. Mike's office is located at 827 S. State St. Lockport, 60441. Mike's phone number is 331-803-6045. Mike has been a Financial Representative with COUNTRY® Financial since July 2016.



Joe Merchut • Chicago Northwest Agency

Joe Merchut has been named Career Financial Representative of the month for December 2021, by Kevin Gomes, Agency Manager. Joe's office is located at 303 W. Oneida Ave., Bartlett. His phone number is 630-936-2836. Joe has been a Financial Representative with COUNTRY® Financial since October 2003.

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(Downers Grove Location)
Buy any large gourmet pizza and get a second 1 topping pizza free
5107 Fairview Ave., Downers Grove, 60515
630.515.0005 • gosarpinos.com

Shinto Japanese Steakhouse and Sushi Bar
20% discount on full priced items (dine in or take out). Max discount \$20. Cannot be combined with other offers, promotions or lunch.
504 N. Route 59, Suite 116
Naperville, 60563
630.637.8899 • www.shintorestaurants.com

Skuddlebutts Pizza & Catering
10% off any purchase
440 Ogden Ave, Downers Grove, 60515 •
630.964.6688 • skuddlebutts.com

Uncle Bub's BBQ
\$5 off purchase of \$25 or more
132 S Cass Ave, Westmont, 60559
630.493.9000 • www.unclebubs.com

Two Hound Red Brewing Co.
10% off (excludes Friday & Saturday)
486 Pennsylvania Ave. Glen Ellyn 60137 •
630-547-2912

Village Tavern & Grill
10% off Sunday-Thursday
Not valid with other offers
291 S Schmale Rd, Carol Stream, 60185 •
630.668.1101 • villagetavernandgrill.com/
carolstream

Family Fun Discounts Participants
Lombard Roller Rink
Buy 1 admission, get skate rental for free.
Good up to 4 admissions per visit
201 W. 22nd St., Lombard, 60148
630.953.2400 • www.lombardrollerrink.com

Bowling with Benefits Participants:

Fox Bowl
Bowl one game get one game free for up to 6 people
1101 Butterfield Rd • Wheaton, 60189
630.690.2400 • www.foxbowl.com

Parkside Lanes
Free shoe rental with purchase of 2 paid games
34W185 Montgomery Rd • Aurora, 60504
630.898.5678 • www.parkside54.com

Local Business Discounts Participants:

DuPage Tire & Auto Center, Inc.
\$10 off any service and half off alignment with purchase of four tires
1200 E Roosevelt Rd • Lombard, 60148
630.629.8473 • www.dupagetire.com

Fresh and Silk Flowers
(Carol Stream Location)
15% off anything in store, no minimum
578 W Army Trail Rd • Carol Stream, 60088
630.690.7822 • www.freshandsilkflowers.com

Gigi's Pet Salon
Free treats and toys for all baths/grooms
1913 Ogden Ave • Downers Grove, 60515
630.964.0028

Jay's Plumbing
\$15 off any service calls, must mention discount at scheduling.
Not valid towards call out fees or RPZ testing.
1509 Ogden Ave • Downers Grove, 60515
630.434.9200 • www.jaysplumbing.net

Sunrise Cleaners by Lorenzo's
10% off on all cleaning services, not valid with any other offer
6478 College Rd • Lisle, 60532 •
630.983.6500

Shop, dine and save locally with DCFB Discounts!

Discounts are subject to change without notice. Restrictions may apply. Must show membership card.

February Meat Order Form

• More Product available on our online store : DCFB.ORG

Curbside assistance is available . Please call the office upon arrival

	QTY	COST
Bacon Wrapped Filets , 4 pieces - 10 ounces each \$57	_____	_____
Bourbon Marinated Steaks , 8 pieces - 8 ounces each \$51	_____	_____
Prime Grade Top Sirloin Butt Steak , 8 pieces - 8 oz. each \$51	_____	_____
BBQ Boneless Pork Chops , 10 pieces - 8 ounces each \$32	_____	_____
Plain Boneless Pork Chops , 10 pieces-8 ounces each \$32	_____	_____
Pork Back Ribs , 10 oz, 2 per package \$32	_____	_____
Bacon Wrapped Pork Chops , 8 pieces - 10 ounces \$33	_____	_____
Plain Chicken , boneless skinless - 10 pieces \$33	_____	_____
Chicken Taco Meat , 5-1lb packages \$33	_____	_____
Ground Round , 10-1 lb. packages \$45	_____	_____
Italian Sausage , 20 pieces—5lb box - \$31	_____	_____

Special of the Month

Corned Beef, approximate weight 5 lbs- **\$28**

Total \$ _____

Please include payment with this order (checks made to DCFB)- mail to:

DuPage County Farm Bureau 245 S. Gary Avenue Carol Stream, IL 60188

Order Deadline is Tuesday, February 15th, 4pm

Pick up at the DCFB office is Thursday, February 24th 10am-4pm

Name _____ FB# _____

Address _____

Daytime Phone _____

Email Address _____

Meat order is available each month. View the online calendar for order dates and download order forms at dcfb.org/registration/.

Happy Valentine's Day
from DuPage County Farm Bureau