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Calendar of Events March 2023

- March 3rd Bowling Deadline; 4:30pm
- March 7th Meat Order Deadline; 4:30pm
- March 11th Bowling Outing; 11:45am
- March 13th Ag Coalition Meeting; 3:30pm
- March 13th Board Meeting; 7:30pm
- March 16th Meat Order Pick Up; 10am-4pm
- March 31st Spring Fling Registration Deadline; 4:30pm
- April 1st General Scholarship Applications Due

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

Nursing Scholarship Application Available

Applications are now available for nurse practitioner scholarships through the

Illinois Farm Bureau® Rural Nurse Practitioner Scholarship Program. There will be

15 scholarships, worth \$4,000 each, granted this year.

The scholarship program, now in its thirty first year, helps encourage and develop the pool of rural health practitioners to help meet primary health care needs in

rural Illinois. Students who receive scholarships agree to practice for two years in an approved rural area in Illinois. To be eligible for the scholarship, students must be Illinois residents and be

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DEADLINE IS MAY 1

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SPRING FLING Fundraiser

Ki's Steak & Seafood—705 North Ave, Glendale Heights
Thursday, April 13th from 7:00pm to 9:00pm
\$50 per person—includes appetizers, wine & beer

Come out and help the DuPage County Farm Bureau raise money for our Foundation and the DuPage County Fair Association! The Foundation awards college scholarships to students either entering or already in college, and provides support to the Farm Bureau Ag in the Classroom program. The night of the event we have a 50/50 Drawing, Pot of Gold Cash Drawing (win up to \$100), and a Silent Auction. 100 tickets are available for purchase. You do not need to be a member to attend. All proceeds raised will be split between the Foundation and DuPage County Fair Association.

RSVP by March 31, 2023:

Send RSVPs and checks to DCFB, 245 S Gary Ave, Carol Stream, IL 60188 Or register and pay at www.dcfb.org in the store.

Name(s): _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Ticket: \$50 x _____ total attending = _____

50/50: 3 tickets for \$10: total \$ _____

or one arm length for \$25: total \$ _____

Pot of Gold Chances: \$5 each or 5 chances for \$20: total \$ _____

I can't attend but would like to give a donation. My donation of \$ _____ is enclosed.

Grand Total Enclosed: \$ _____

Please make all checks to DCFB Foundation.

Illinois Farm Families Featured in Super Bowl ad

A Mercer County farm family was featured in a commercial that aired on Feb. 12, during the first half of this weekend's big game. Chad Bell, his wife Brittany, and children Amelia and Charlie, appeared in the commercial, titled "The Corporation," to bring awareness of Illinois' family-owned farms.

"We're very honored to be part of this campaign," said Chad Bell, a sixth-generation farmer who, along with his family, raises pigs, corn, soybeans, hay and wheat on their Viola farm. "I'm still wrapping my head around the fact that my family was chosen to be part of it. I'm really happy to be somebody who can help promote Illinois farm families and do what I can to help others realize that we are the family farm and we're still alive and kicking."

The commercial, produced by the Illinois Farm Families (IFF) coalition, marks the launch of the coalition's "We are the 96%" campaign. The campaign features more than 25 farm families across the state with the goal to make Illinoisans aware that 96%

of farms in the state are operated by families like the Bells.

Six other farm families appeared in the commercial alongside the Bells: the Gould family, of Kane County, the Heap family, of Kendall County, the Noland family, of Macon County, the Sanderson family of Dekalb County, the Marr family, of Morgan County, and the Kleinschmidt family, of Logan and Tazewell County. The commercial aired during the first half of the Super Bowl LVII in the Champaign, Peoria-Bloomington, Rockford, Springfield, St. Louis, and the Quad Cities markets.

"There's a big misconception in agriculture that the family farm is gone and everything now is corporate farming and things aren't the way it used to be," said Bell. "Yes, farming has changed. Farms have gotten larger and there are fewer farmers, but in the end, the vast majority of farms are still made up of families, even if they look a little different today."

Bell said that the best part of farming is taking his kids along while he works

on the farm and watching them learn the importance of agriculture.

The Bell family has been farming in eastern Mercer County since the 1960s. Chad Bell continues working on his family's farm alongside his father, Greg Bell, who is semi-retired but still plays a strong support role on the farm. Chad Bell is responsible for the day-to-day decisions on the farm.

The Bell family, along with the other families featured throughout the "We are the 96%" campaign, will be profiled on the campaign website, Wearethe96.org. Visitors can view behind-the-scenes footage and learn more about each family, their history on the farm and what their farm looks like today. All families participating will be featured on Illinois Farm Families social media, including Facebook, Instagram and YouTube accounts.

Following the on-air debut, the full commercial can be viewed on Illinois Farm Families' Facebook page and Wearethe96.org.

"It's a humbling feeling to know that together with my wife and family we were asked to be involved in this," said Bell. "Helping showcase Illinois family farmers is not easily describable; but being part of the Illinois family farmers – it's amazing."

About Illinois Farm Families
Illinois Farm Families (IFF) represents farmers of all

commodities across the state of Illinois. IFF is committed to engaging in conversations with those curious about food, farmers, and farming, and sharing what really happens on the 96% of Illinois farms that are family-owned and operated. IFF is supported by farmer-led organizations, including Illinois Beef Association, IL Corn Marketing Board, Illinois Farm Bureau, Illinois Pork Producers Association, Illinois Soybean Association checkoff program, and Midwest Dairy. For more information about Illinois Farm Families, please visit www.WatchUsGrow.org.



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Joke of the Month

What do you call a dairy cow that doesn't produce milk?

Answer: A Milk Dud

Joke submitted by the Bragassi Family

Send us your best farm joke! Each month we will choose a joke to feature in the newspaper along with your name. Entries can be sent to membership@dcfb.org. Please title your email "Farm Joke." Everyone who submits a joke will be entered to win a prize from DCFB!

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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:
dupageaitc@dcbf.org or 630-668-8161.**

January's Numbers:

3,228 students • 168 teachers • #1 Lesson Topic: Dairy
Total students reached to date: 30,183

Teacher Quote about an AITC Visit:

"As a teacher, I learn something new each year! I have had these lessons in my class for a few years now and always learn something new. Thank you for offering this program!"
– Pierce Downer, 1st Grade Teacher

Throughout January, our students learned a lot about livestock! Dairy is one of our most popular lesson topics, and for good reason! Students learned about dairy cattle care, milk production, and made delicious butter to eat. Other students learned about pigs and chickens and how they are raised on modern farms. Popular activities included paper bag pigs, chicken trivia "pop-ups", and building barns. We also piloted our newest lesson, Football! Several 5th grade classes learned about the importance of agriculture items within the context of sports. Did you know that one cow hide can make 20 footballs? After the lesson students participated in a four-step review lockbox activity and solved clues based on the lesson topics. This was a super fun activity, and we're excited to offer it to all teachers as a lesson option next year!



Photos, left to right:

2nd graders at Briar Glen learned about how corn gets from farm to table with Kenna.

5th graders at Lowell learned about football and ag then played a lockbox activity.

3rd graders at Belle Aire learned about dairy cows with Marilyn.



Did You Know?

Bananas are grown in over 150 countries around the world!

The Cavendish variety accounts for about 47% of production. Almost all bananas supplied to the U.S. are Cavendish because they hold up the best when traveling.

Meet Our New Educator: Kathy Jaderholm



My name is Kathy Jaderholm. I am a proud Indiana farm girl! Farming has been a way of life in my family for many generations. My parents still own their family farms but are now retired and rent the land out to another farmer. Our farm produced corn, soybeans, wheat, and oats. We also raised cattle and hogs. Growing up on a farm was a lot of work, but also a lot of fun. My favorite thing about farming was growing and eating lots of sweet corn! My least favorite thing was walking the fields and picking up rocks on a hot summer day. I left the farm and moved to Glen Ellyn when I married my husband, who just happened to be a commodities broker in Chicago. I couldn't avoid corn, soybeans, and pork bellies, even in my new suburban life!

I have been an elementary and special education teacher in Wheaton, Glen Ellyn, and Winfield school districts. I have also served as a Children's Director for preschool and elementary children in two different churches. I am committed to the academic, social, emotional, and spiritual growth of children and the development of strong families. I love teaching and designing creative environments and events that inspire children's curiosity and learning.

I am so grateful for my farming heritage, and the opportunity to keep that legacy alive is very important to me. I have three 'suburban' grandchildren under the age of seven, and they love to hear stories and learn about the farm. I am so excited about the chance to expand my audience with the Ag in the Classroom curriculum. It will be a privilege to help children discover the surprising ways farming touches their everyday lives.

Last Call for Foundation Scholarships!

High School seniors and college students are urged to apply for the 2023 scholarships provided by the DuPage County Farm Bureau Foundation. Visit our website for the online submission link or to download pdf's of the applications: <https://dcfb.org/foundation-scholarships/>. If you have any questions regarding the application process, please contact our office at

630.668.8161.

General Scholarships

Four \$2,000 scholarships may be awarded to eligible high school seniors pursuing a degree related to the agriculture industry. Qualifying majors may include: Biology, Chemistry, Pre-vet, Horticulture, Communications, Business, etc. Applicants must explain how they will use their major in the agricul-

ture industry. Applications are due April 1st, 2023.

Arnold Oestmann Scholarships

Four \$1,500 scholarships may be awarded to high school seniors intending to further their education at a college, university, or technical school. There is no restriction on the course of study. Applications are due May 1st, 2023.

Culinary and Nutrition Scholarship

One \$1,000 to \$2,000 scholarship may be awarded to a high school senior, or

college freshman, sophomore, or junior pursuing a degree in the culinary arts or nutrition. Applications are due May 1st, 2023.

Ken F. Ebersold Scholarship

Two \$2,000 scholarship may be awarded to an eligible college freshman, sophomore, or junior who is actively and successfully pursuing an undergraduate degree in an agricultural related course of study. Applicants must explain how they will use their major in the agriculture industry. Applications are due May 1st, 2023.

Nursing Scholarship

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a Registered Nurse accepted or enrolled in an accredited Nurse Practitioner Program. Funding is provided by the Rural Illinois Medical Student Assistance Program (RIMSAP).

Applications are available at county Farm Bureaus® throughout the state, on

the Rural Illinois Medical Student Assistance Program website at RIMSAP.com, or by writing Donna Gallivan, Program Manager, Illinois Farm Bureau, 1701 Towanda Avenue, Bloomington, IL 61701. Applications are due May 1.

For additional information, contact Donna Gallivan at 309-557-2350, or via e-mail at dgallivan@iflb.org.

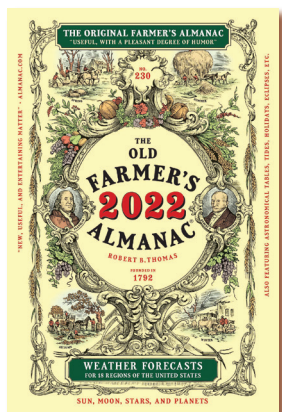
The Farmer's Almanac Predictions—March 2023

Sky Watch:

On the 1st, Venus and Jupiter are breathtakingly close to each other, low in the west 40 minutes after sunset, creating the year's finest conjunction. On the 2nd, they're visibly separating. During March, Jupiter sinks lower while Venus climbs a bit higher each evening. The crescent Moon dangles below Venus on the 23rd and above it on the 24th. Also on the 24th, binocular users can look for green planet Uranus to the left of the Moon. Since there are no green stars, the color should make it easily identifiable. On the 28th, look for the Moon to hover just above fading Mars. They're part of the impressive gathering of stars and planets that surround Orion in the southwest at nightfall.

Spring begins with the vernal equinox on the evening of the 20th at 5:24pm. EDT. **March 2023**

Temperature 37 degrees (1 below average); precipitation 3" (average). 1-4 Sunny, cold. 5-21 Periods of rain and snow, chilly. 22-27 Isolated showers, mild. 28-31 Rainy periods; cool east, warm west.



Very Pinteresting

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

Chopped Asparagus Salad

Source: www.aheadofthyme.com

Ingredients:

- 1/4 lb. asparagus (about half bunch), trimmed and cut into 2-inch pieces
- 3 cups mixed greens
- 15 oz. can chickpeas, rinsed and drained
- 1 cup grape tomatoes, halved
- 2 Persian cucumbers, halved and sliced
- 1/2 cup red onion, diced
- 1/2 cup kalamata olives, pitted
- 1/3 cup feta cheese, crumbled

For the Dressing:

- 3 tablespoons olive oil
- Juice from 1/2 lemon
- 1/4 teaspoon dried oregano
- 1/4 teaspoon salt (or to taste)
- 1/4 teaspoon ground black pepper (or to taste)

Directions:

Bring a medium pot of salted water to a boil and add asparagus. Cook for 2 minutes, then remove with a slotted spoon and place in a bowl of ice water. Let cool, then drain. In a large bowl, combine mixed greens, asparagus chickpeas, tomatoes, cucumbers, red onion, cucumber, olives and feta cheese.

In a small bowl, make the dressing by whisking together olive oil, lemon juice, oregano, salt, and pepper.

Pour dressing over the salad and toss to combine. Add more salt and black pepper to taste.





Farming: A job with as many boots as hats

Before the first puddles of spring arrived, I would rummage through the supply of hand-me-down rubber boots, searching for the size that our young kids had grown into for the season. The appropriate footwear lined the back hall, ready for water to pond in the driveway.

Today, my teenagers splash less, but the boot dryer has a permanent space near an outlet and the family's boots now take up more space for a household with adult-sized feet. Shoes

and boots for "farm" and "good" fill cabinets and cubbies by the back door. Rubber boots – both insulated and not – line part of the garage wall. Shelves display the nicer western boots that our kids wear to school, FFA events and the 4-H fair for showing livestock. Boots for the chicken coop stay in the garage.

Farmers wear as many boots as hats on the farm, symbolic of a wide range of skills worth recognizing in this season that honors National Ag Day on March 21, 2023. In Illinois, families (not corporations) own and operate an overwhelming 96% of farms. Those families pull on boots as agronomists, veterinarians, accountants and mechanics. They operate heavy machinery, manage employees, build fence and monitor weather to know what boots to wear.

In this job of many boots,

we may scout bean fields on a dewy summer morning or clean a livestock stall for the next cow to give birth. Hard-soled boots climb from the tractor to check seed depth behind the planter. We attend farm conferences in our best boots or spend a winter afternoon with the family in snow boots, sledging the slope southeast of the farmstead.

For some farms, plastic boot covers protect animals from devastating diseases that could transmit from boot treads. That's not the case for us but boot covers would help at times. Someone occasionally leaves a trail of mud in the farm of-

fice, despite the boot scraper outside the door.

Three boot dryers await their duties along the footwear wall where Dad and the guys store boots for every season and task, from chores to cheer – or sometimes, the unexpected. I wore rubber boots to my aunt's funeral a few years ago to keep my heels out of the mud. It was my nod to the career farm woman, who would have done the same.

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

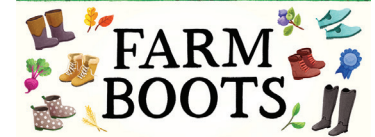
IL Ag in the Classroom 'Show Us Your Boots' Campaign

Illinois Agriculture in the Classroom (IAITC) is launching a "Show Us Your Boots" social media campaign to celebrate the release of the children's book *Farm Boots* by Lisl Detlefsen. This joyful, rhyming tale shows readers the many boots needed throughout the seasons on the farm.

IAITC is currently requesting video submissions from 4-H and FFA Members, as well as farm kids from around the state, to "show us your boots." IAITC hopes to showcase the diversity of Illinois farms and farm families and the many "boots" they wear to get their work done on the farm.

These videos will be posted on IAITC's social media accounts from March 20 through April 20 of this year. Individuals interested in participating are invited

to visit <https://iaitc.co/boots> for more information and to find a video submission link.



Farm Boots, by Lisl H. Detlefsen, will be released March 21, 2023 – National Agriculture Day! Learn more at <https://www.feedingmindspress.com/our-books/farm-boots>.

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\$5M USDA Grant Funds Illinois-led Innovative Cover Cropping Project

The U.S. Department of Agriculture recently announced that it is funding a new project led by the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign that will address major obstacles to adoption of cover crops in the United States.

Titled “iCOVER: Innovated Cover-crop Opportunity, Verification, and Economy stimulating technology for underserved farmers using Robotics,” this \$4,999,999, four-year project is funded through the USDA’s Partnerships for Climate-Smart Commodities program and

was facilitated through the Institute for Sustainability, Energy, and Environment at Illinois. The project will scale up robotic cover crop planting and verification of soil carbon through innovative radiological robotic sensing technologies, creating markets for climate-smart products for minority underserved farmers growing specialty crops and animal products.

“Cover cropping is hugely beneficial to farmers and the environment by ensuring more carbon in the soil year-round, keeping nutri-

ents where they belong and out of the atmosphere,” said Primary Investigator Girish Chowdhary, Associate Professor of Agricultural & Biological Engineering and Computer Science. “But there are three major bottlenecks in cover-crop adoption: high cost and hassle of planting; slow and expensive soil carbon measurements; and low return on investment for

farmers.

“iCOVER will scale up autonomous farming and sensing technologies to help reduce the cost and labor burden of cover crop planting, to enable accurate, rapid, low-cost soil measurements, and to explore the market linkages for climate-smart benefits to a diversity of farmers.”



A robot plants cover crops during the summer growing season for corn. Credit: University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

Last Call for the Dutch Auction!

The Dutch Auction for the 2023 Hawaii Trip is still ongoing! The trip includes a 7-night stay at The Cliffs in Princeville in a one-bedroom garden view condo valid through 12/13/2023 and valued at \$3,678.

For the DCFB Foundation auction, the price started at \$2,500 on Tuesday, January 3rd at 9 a.m., and dropped \$100 each Tuesday and Thursday at 1:00 pm. As no one has taken the bid, the price starting March 2nd is \$800! Don’t miss your chance to win this amazing trip at such a great price! The first buyer to call or ar-

rive to buy the trip after a price drop will have 24 hours to complete the transaction by payment of cash, certified check, or credit card. IF payment is not received, the trip goes back on the auction block.

Funds raised by the auction will be used to benefit college scholarship and agricultural literacy programs of the DuPage County Farm Bureau Foundation.

— Auction Schedule —

- March 2nd \$800
- March 7th \$700
- March 9th \$600
- Etc.



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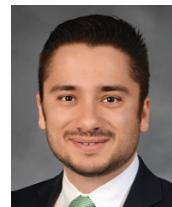
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Recruiters of the Month

Congratulations to our January Recruiters of the Month, Frank DiStefano and Fred Yanez. This month both agents signed 4 new members for the DuPage County Farm Bureau. Frank has been with COUNTRY Financial since April 2017. His office is located at 245 S. Gary Ave, Carol Stream 60188. Fred has been with COUNTRY Financial since November 2013. His office is located at 221 E. Lake St, Addison 60101. We would like to thank Frank and Fred for all their hard work in recruiting new members!



Frank Di Stefano



Fred Yanez

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.



Jude Mertes • Aurora Agency

Jude Mertes has been named Career Financial Representative of the Month for January 2023, by Alonzo Nevarez, Agency Manager. Jude's office is located at 1730 Park St, Unit 224, Naperville 60563. Jude's phone number is 630-236-5600. Jude has been a Financial Representative with COUNTRY® Financial since November 1999.



Fred Yanez • Carol Stream Agency

Fred Yanez has been named Career Financial Representative of the Month for January 2023, by Drew Cali, Agency Manager. Fred's office is located at 221 E Lake St, Addison 60101. His phone number is 630-279-6429. Fred has been a Financial Representative with COUNTRY® Financial since November 2013.



Patrick Long • Will/South DuPage Agency

Patrick Long has been named Career Financial Representative of the Month for January 2023, by Dan Connolly, Agency Manager. Patrick's office is located at 416 E. Ogden Ave. Suite F Westmont, 60559. Patrick's phone number is 630-755-9032. Patrick has been a Financial Representative with COUNTRY® Financial since March 2021.

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FREE CLASSIFIED ADS FOR DUPAGE COUNTY FARM BUREAU MEMBERS

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15% off full meal for 2 guests or fewer (excludes alcohol, tax & gratuity). Cannot be combined with other discounts, promos and/or carryout.
535 W. Liberty Drive, Wheaton, 60187
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10% off total food purchase
Not valid with any other offers
5 E Roosevelt Rd, Oak Brook Terrace, 60181
304 W Army Trail Rd, Bloomingdale, 60108
630.921.9323 • www.anywayspub.com

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10% off entire bill when you show your membership card. This discount is not valid with other offers or promotions.
405 N Eola Rd, Aurora, IL 60502
630.499.1500 • blueberrybreakfastcafe.com

BRAUERHOUSE
15% off purchase
1000 N Rohlwing Rd, #13, Lombard, IL 60148
630.495.2141
www.brauerhouse.com

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10% off food and non-alcoholic beverages. Not applicable for specials
05050 Winfield Rd, Winfield, 60190,
630.690.1555 • www.caliendos.com

Cooper's Corner
15% off food bill up to \$15 value, dine in only. Not valid with other offers or on holidays One discount per table and one beverage must be purchased per entrée
27W150 Roosevelt Rd, Winfield, 60190,
630.690.2668 • www.cooperscorner.com

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10% off purchase –
Only at participating locations –
290 S Schmale Rd, Carol Stream, 60188
630.933.9747

1155 S Main St, Lombard, 60148
630.889.1140
4068 E. Main St., St. Charles, 60174
630.444.1700 • www.culvers.com

Egg'Lectic Cafe
10% off final bill
May not be used with other discounts
145 N Hale St, Wheaton, 60187 •
630.690.9001

El Coco Loco Mexican Grill
\$5 off with minimum purchase of \$25 or more. Cannot be used on special of the day.
205 W Main St, West Chicago, 60185
630.293.1101

Hawthorne's Backyard
10% off purchase. Not valid with other offers
1200 West Hawthorne Ln, West Chicago,
60185 • 630.293.6700
www.hawthornesbackyard.com

Manhattan's
10% off entire food bill. Not valid with other special offers or coupon
www.manhattansamericanbar&grill.com
300 S Schmale Rd., Carol Stream, 60188
630.871.2991

Muggs-N-Manor
10% off all food orders. Not valid with other offers/discounts. Offer valid for pick-up/dine-in only.
437 S Addison Rd, Addison, 60101 •
630.833.2570
https://www.muggsnmanor.com/

Papa Rays Pizza & Wings
\$5 off any purchase of \$30 or more and 10% off any order minimum \$15
267 West Elk Trail, Carol Stream, IL 60188
630-752-9680
www.paparays.com

Sarpino's Pizzeria
(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

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/
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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

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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

Ferrari Plumbing
\$40 off any plumbing service
Your local, licensed, experienced, BBB Accredited with A+ rating Plumber.
630.260.5898
www.ferrariplumbing.net
1727 Stoddard Ave., Wheaton, 60187

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

Upfront Concrete
Epoxy flooring- Save 10% off purchase,
Free estimates – 630-306-3720
UpfrontConcrete@gmail.com



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March Meat Order Form

- More Product available on our online store : DCFB.ORG
Curbside assistance is available. Call 630-668-8161 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
Honey BBQ 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
Brats, 20 pieces-5lb box		\$31
All Beef Hot Dogs, 20 pieces-5lb box		-\$31
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, March 7th, 4pm
Pick up at the DCFB office is Thursday, March 16th 10am-4pm

Name _____ FB# _____
Address _____
Daytime Phone _____
Email Address _____

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