



AGRICULTURE & NATURAL RESOURCES

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Private Applicator Recertification Program (PARP)

If you have your Private applicator permit, please remember that they are current for five years. You must attend three recertification programs and only two can be in the same year. If you do not attend these recertification programs, you will have to retake the exam.

To look for Recertification Programs or PARP, visit:

<https://ag.purdue.edu/department/extension/ppp/private-applicators/recertification-parp/parp-events/index.html>

To view your records and check how many points you need, visit:

<https://inplants.oisc.purdue.edu/USAPlantsIN/PesticideApplicator/ApplicationExternalSearch.aspx>

*****Please note that the Office of the Indiana State Chemist (OISC) is currently experiencing delays in updating points online. If you attended any programs since October 2025 and do not see them reflected in the system, please contact the Office of the Indiana State Chemist directly.**



Upcoming Opportunities

March 12 - Fruit Pruning Workshop

1:00-4:30pm EST, Meig's Horticulture
Research Farm

Join us to learn how to properly prune
grapes, fruit trees, and brambles.

REGISTER BELOW

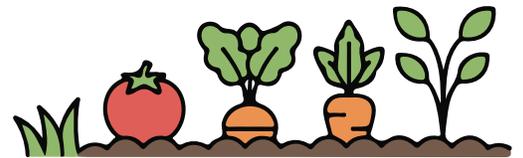


<https://tinyurl.com/yeytefev>

Community Garden

\$20 to rent a plot

Water and other miscellaneous supplies
are provided.



Job Opportunity

Invasives Species Program Coordinator

The Jasper County (Indiana) Weed Control Board, in conjunction with the Jasper County Soil and Water Conservation District, is seeking a qualified individual to coordinate countywide efforts to prevent, manage, and restore areas impacted by invasive species and noxious weeds. This position provides leadership in coordinating efforts of the Weed Control Board, other local partners, and citizens through public outreach and education, digital communication, and field-based activities related to invasive and noxious weed management.

For more information or to apply go to:

<https://www.conservationjobboard.com/job-listing-invasive-species-program-coordinator-rensselaer-indiana/5759947576>



Spring Resources

Checkout the Extension Education Store for additional resources: <https://edustore.purdue.edu/>



Gardening

Spring Garden Calendar (**HO-91-W**)

What Gardeners Should Know About Pesticides (**PPP-109**)

Pollinators

Protecting Pollinators: Best Management Practices for Indiana Pollinator Habitat (**POL-5**)

Protecting Pollinators: Protecting Pollinators in Home Lawns and Landscapes (**POL-1**)

Lawn Care

Taking Care of Your Yard: The Homeowner's Essential Guide to Lawns, Trees, Shrubs, and Garden Flowers (**HO-236-W**)

Maintenance Calendar for Indiana Lawns (**AY-27-W**)

Pasture

Maximizing the Value of Pastures for Horses (**HO-236-W**)

Field Crops

Fungicides for Field Crops (**ID-455**)

Is this Pesticide on My Shelf Still Good? (**PPP-142**)

Contact our office and talk to Summer if you have any specific questions about anything agriculture and natural resources related!

Accommodation Statements

Equal Opportunity Statement:

Purdue University prohibits discrimination against any member of the University community on the basis of race, religion, color, sex, age, national origin or ancestry, genetic information, marital status, parental status, sexual orientation, gender identity and expression, disability, or status as a veteran.

Reasonable Accommodation Statement:

If you are in need of accommodations to attend this program, please contact Summer Brinkman prior to the program at brow1744@purdue.edu or 219-866-5741.

Language Access Statement:

If you need an interpreter or translator, please contact Summer Brinkman prior to the program at brow1744@purdue.edu or 219-866-5741.

