



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/departments/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>

Field Tours

August was a busy and exciting month packed with hands-on learning and farm visits! We hosted the Indiana Diversified Farm Tours, featuring three insightful tours across Fountain, Montgomery, Jasper, and White counties. Participants explored how local farmers are diversifying their operations with sunflowers, mums, blueberries, livestock, and much more. A huge thank you to the farmers and presenters who welcomed us and shared their knowledge.

We also held our annual Pinney Purdue Field Day, where farmers had the opportunity to dive into timely topics such as crop disease management, weed control, and the latest field research.

Stay tuned for upcoming field days and more chances to earn PARP and CCH credits—we've got more valuable events on the horizon!



Fall Resources

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



Planning your garden

The Fall Vegetable Garden **(HO-66-W)**

Scheduling Fall and Winter Vegetable Production in High Tunnels **(HO-330-W)**

Cover Crops

Cover Crops in the Home Garden **(HO-324-W)**

Nuisance Wildlife

Preventing Wildlife Damage - Do you need a permit? **(FNR-404-W)**

Selecting a Nuisance Wildlife Control Professional **(FNR-519-W)**

Considerations for Trapping Nuisance Wildlife with Box Traps **(FNR-571-W)**

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:

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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.

