

NC Cooperative Extension - Perquimans County Center

DID YOU KNOW?

September 2025

YouthVoice

Perquimans County 4-Her, Whitney White, attended YouthVoice, hosted by the North Carolina Association of County Commissioners! YouthVoice is a leadership development initiative that connects youth delegates with county commissioners.



Perquimans County Extension

NORTHEAST MOBILE POULTRY PROCESSING TRAILER DEMONSTRATION



Join us for an educational training on safe and efficient poultry processing

Training Includes:

- Hands-on processing instructions
- Trailer equipment overview
- Packaging and storage best practices

Date: November 3rd at 9am

**Location: Perquimans County Extension Office
601 South Edenton Road Street
Hertford, NC 27944**

Cost: \$15.00 Cash/Check

Participants are welcome to bring their own chickens for processing

RSVP By October 28th to 426-5428

NC STATE EXTENSION

Master Gardener | Chowan-Gates-Perquimans

FALL PLANT SALE

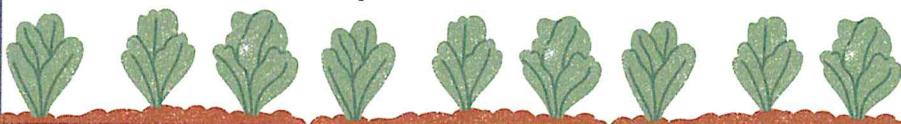
OCTOBER 18TH, 2025

8:00AM TO 1:00PM



Edenton Farmers Market
200 N. Broad St. Edenton, NC

**Offering perennials, vegetable transplants,
shrubs, bulbs and more!**



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Cooking with Community

FREE!

Join us for a cooking demonstration where we turn everyday ingredients into healthy, affordable, and delicious meals. This demo offers simple tips, budget-friendly recipes, and a welcoming space to learn and connect with others in your community.

Simple, smart cooking for every table.

Wednesday, September 10th
Monday, September 15th
Wednesday, October 1st
Thursday, October 16th
Monday, November 10th
Wednesday, November 12th

WHERE: CONFERENCE ROOM AT THE OPEN DOOR FOOD PANTRY
Presented by the Perquimans Cooperative Extension, Food Bank of the Albemarle, and The Open Door Food Pantry of Perquimans County

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EXTENSION**



Food Bank
of the Albemarle



**The Open Door
FOOD PANTRY**
OF PERQUIMANS COUNTY


Savor the Season

HOME PRESERVATION SERIES

Join the Fun & Learn the Art of Food Preservation!

Looking to keep your favorite fruits and veggies fresh year-round? Want to learn the secrets of canning, extracts, and food prep like a pro? Come join us for Food Preservation Classes at the Perquimans County Extension Office!

 **Hands-on learning with an expert instructor**

 **Discover the best techniques for preserving flavor & nutrition**

 **Take home delicious, homemade goodies**

 **Meet fellow food lovers and have a blast!**

Spaces are limited, so sign up today! For more details or to register, contact us at (252)-426-5428 or at Sarah_Sowders@ncsu.edu.

Let's get preserving! 



UPCOMING EVENTS

5:30-7:30PM

MAY

27

No Waste Strawberries
(Extracts and Sauces)

JUNE

26

Blueberry Lavendar Jam

JULY

24

Pineapple Mango Salsa

AUGUST

26

Signature Vinegars

SEPTEMBER

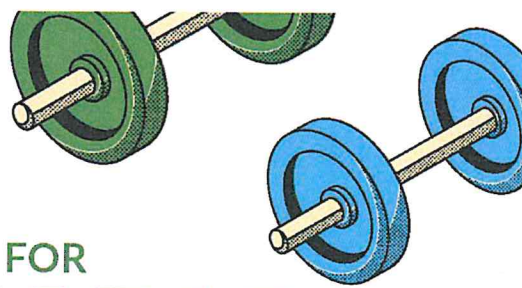
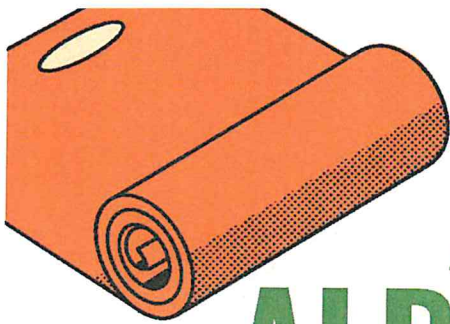
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Saucy Sloppy Joe Starter

All classes are \$10 each or join us for all five classes for \$45

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Registration will not be complete until the registration fee is paid. Payments can be made by check or exact change at the extension office. Checks can be made payable to Perquimans Farm services. Registration Fee is non-refundable unless class is canceled.

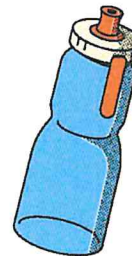


JOIN US FOR
**ALBEMARLE
GETFIT!**

A FREE FITNESS & NUTRITION PROGRAM DESIGNED
FOR ADULTS TO INCREASE PHYSICAL ACTIVITY
LEVELS & LEAD HEALTHIER LIFESTYLES



For more information, call Amanda Betts at
252-338-4467



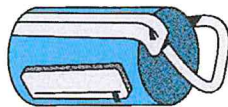
To register, go to
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/getfit2025>

Kickoff:

CHOWAN: October 1st

PERQUIMANS: October 8th

PASQUOTANK: October 13th





FOREST LANDOWNER CONFERENCE

October 22-23, 2025

Event Center, Rocky Mount NC

REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

Click [here](#) to register.



*Sustaining Forests
and Family Legacies*

The SFLRP Forest Landowner Conference is held annually to educate landowners on sustainable forestry practices; on programs and technical assistance available through state and federal forestry and natural resource agencies; on the local timber industry and emerging markets; and on strategies for estate planning, including wills and trusts. This year's theme is "From the Forest to Products."

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Contact: 252-539-4614

www.recforestry.org

[Roanoke Electric Cooperative- Forest Landowner Conference](#)

Landowners

NC State Extension Forestry and Virginia Cooperative Extension Forestry are hosting a **woods and wildlife conference** in **Northampton County** at the Cultural Center on Saturday, **September 20, 2025**.

A tour of the Roseburg sawmill will be in the morning, following lunch at the cultural center while various speakers from NC and Virginia will focus on various forestry and wildlife topics.

The cost is \$30 per person. Please see the attached PDF.

Registration can be found using the link below.

Conference Description

This all-day conference for owners of large or small tracts of land...

- is a one stop/first stop for individuals, families, and managers to learn about woods, wildlife, and other natural resources.
- provides multiple links to information, sources of assistance and a broader community of landowners and professionals.
- will explore a myriad of forest issues relevant to woodland owners.

Great way to get a status update of the state of forestry in the region and connect with resource professionals.



Visit <https://forestupdate.frec.vt.edu>

If you are a person with a disability and desire any assistive devices, services or other accommodations to participate in this activity, please contact Jennifer Gagnon, Virginia Tech at (540-231-6391/1DD*) during business hours of 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. to discuss accommodations 5 days prior to the event.

Organizers

Black Family Land Trust
USDA-NRCS
North Carolina Cooperative Extension
North Carolina Forest Service
North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission
Virginia Cooperative Extension
Virginia Department of Forestry
Virginia Dept. of Wildlife Resources
Virginia Forest Landowner Education Program

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Got Woods?

Landowner Woods & Wildlife Conference

Bringing out the Best in Your Property

**Sept 20, 2025
8:30 AM - 4:00 PM**

Northampton County
Cultural Center
9536 NC-305
Jackson, NC 27845

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Save the Date!

Join us for the **Southeast Vegetable & Fruit Expo**
December 1-3, 2025
Myrtle Beach, South Carolina

Don't miss this event packed with great sessions on a variety of vegetable and fruit topics!

Hotel reservation details available at <https://ncvga.com/>

[2025 Annual Southeast Vegetable & Fruit Expo](#)



Highway Harvest

Your Guide to Roadside Success

This 7-session program is designed to help produce growers, roadside market owners and aspiring entrepreneurs understand the ins and outs of direct-to-consumer produce production and roadside stand marketing.



2025

- **October 7:** So You Want to Have a Roadside Market Stand? Basics & Considerations
- **October 21:** Farm Stand Certifications & Licensures
- **November 6:** Produce Handling and Safety

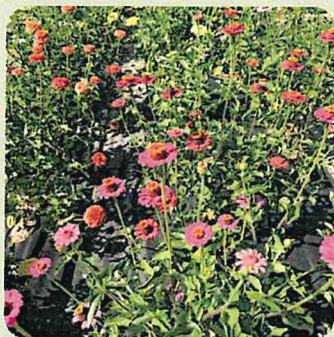


2026

- **January 13:** Diversified Livestock Production
- **February 10:** Integrated Pest Management and Irrigation
- **February 24:** Cut Flowers & Honey Bees
- **March 10:** Marketing



Each session will begin at 6:15PM. Sessions will be held at the Gates County Extension Office- 112 Court Street, Gatesville, NC.



For more information and to register, visit <https://go.ncsu.edu/highwayharvest>



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PERQUIMANS 4-H SHOOTING SPORTS TEAM

Interested in joining the new Perquimans Shooting Sports Team? Open to youth ages 8-18.

**To sign up for the 2026 team contact the
Perquimans Extension Office at 426-5428 by
December 30th.**



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