



KIMBLE COUNTY AG/NR NEWSLETTER

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Hello again! Since we spoke last month we have continued to see spotty rain patterns across the county. Some parts look like paradise and some not so much. I pray that our dry areas will see some rainfall in the coming months. It has been busy at the office the past month and I haven't had much time to read about any new hot topics—so to speak. I hope this newsletter finds everyone in good spirits and health.

I wanted to let everyone know that we have purchased a hay probe here in the office and can now take hay forage samples to send off to College Station. As we draw closer to fall and winter I know most of us will be contracting hay. This is a great way to see protein contents and TDN's on our hay that we are purchasing. For those of you that may be growing and selling your own hay, this is an excellent way to see how your hay is. I would say it would be a great marketing tool when selling your hay crop. If you would like to have your hay tested, please call me at the office or on my cell anytime.

We will again be having our yearly online CEU training September 12, 13, and 14th, during the lunch hour. This will be a great opportunity for those seeking hours without burning an entire day at a workshop. Come in during the lunch hour, grab a bite to eat, and get a one-hour credit. Be looking for registration details later this month.

Lastly, I am currently working with Jerry Kirby, at the Kimble County Groundwater Conservation District on a water well program to be held sometime in October. I am waiting on our water well specialist out of College Station to confirm potential dates for the program. So, be looking for information on this event soon.

Remember if you ever have any questions, please feel free to stop by or call the office anytime!

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