

## Small Farm Conference Registration Options

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### Mail-In Registration Form

**DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION**

is March 6, 2020

*Please use one form per person*

**Choose the Sessions you will be attending**

Dates

\_\_\_\_\_ Full Conference, \$75.00

Sessions

Indicate session # per time slot (see track schedules for #'s)

9:15 a.m. Session # \_\_\_\_\_

10:45 a.m. Session # \_\_\_\_\_

1:15 p.m. Session # \_\_\_\_\_

2:30 p.m. Session # \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

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Lunch will be provided and served.

**Do you have any food dietary restrictions?**

\_\_\_\_\_yes\_\_\_\_\_no

Please describe your restriction:

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- ◆ **Do NOT Send Cash**
  - ◆ **There will be no refunds**
  - ◆ **No registration confirmation with mail-in registrations**
  - ◆ **Make Checks Payable to OSU**

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March 14, 2020

The Ohio State University Mansfield  
Ovalwood Hall



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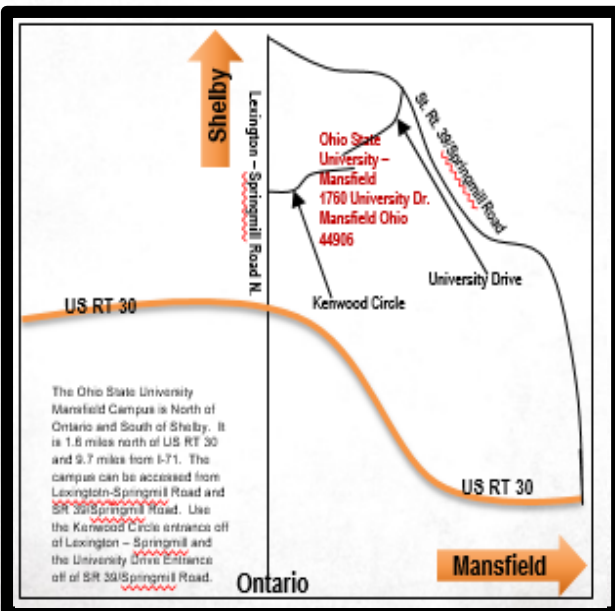
# 2020 Small Farm Conference & Trade Show

March 14, 2020  
to be held at

**The Ohio State University  
Mansfield**



**OSU Mansfield**  
is located at  
1760 University Dr.  
Mansfield, OH 44906  
Parking is available



## Conference Schedule

### Saturday, March 30th

8:00 a.m.— 8:30 a.m. Check- in/Registration  
8:30 a.m.— 9:00 a.m. Opening Comments  
9:15 a.m.—10:30 a.m Multiple Sessions  
10:45 a.m.— 11:45 a.m. Multiple Sessions  
12 noon **LUNCH**  
1:15 p.m.— 2:15 p.m. Multiple Sessions  
2:30 p.m.—3:30 p.m. Multiple Sessions  
3:30 p.m. Evaluations and Close of the Day

For further information on registration, sessions, and more go to  
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### Track 1: Horticulture

1. 9:15 a.m. **Mirco. Farm at OSU Mansfield**  
Kip Curtis- OSU Mansfield
2. 10:45 a.m. **Controlled Environment Agriculture/Hydroponics**  
Tim McDermott- OSU Extension
3. 1:15 p.m. **Introduction to Christmas Tree Farming Part 1**  
Bill Cackler- Cackler Family Farms
4. 2:30 p.m. **Introduction to Christmas Tree Farming Part 2**  
Bill Cackler- Cackler Family Farms

### Track 2: Produce Production

5. 9:15 a.m. **Starting and Managing an Orchard**  
Russell Joudrey - Apple Hill Orchard Owner
6. 10:45 a.m. **“Super Berry” Production and Marketing**  
Gary Gao- OSU South Centers
7. 1:15 p.m. **Invasive Pests in Fruit Production**  
Celeste Welty and Jim Jasinski- OSU Extension
8. 2:30 p.m. **Growing in High Tunnels**  
Bruce and Joyce Clinger- Producers The Edible Landscapes

### Track 3: Natural Resources

9. 9:15 a.m. **Timber Harvesting and Marketing**  
Kathy Smith– OSU Extension
10. 10:45 a.m. **Managing Your Woodland for Wildlife**  
Mame Titchenell– OSU Extension
11. 1:15 a.m. **Landscaping for Wildlife**  
Mame Titchenell– OSU Extension
12. 2:30 p.m. **Maple Syrup Production**  
Les Ober- OSU Extension

### Track 4: Livestock

13. 9:15 a.m. **Basic of Forage and Pasture Management**  
Rory Lewandowski– OSU Extension
14. 10:45 a.m. **Water and Fencing for Livestock**  
Ted Wiseman & Chris Penrose– OSU Extension
15. 1:15 p.m. **Converting Agronomic Crop Land into Pasture or Hay Ground**  
Ted Wiseman & Chris Penrose– OSU Extension
16. 2:30 p.m. **Farm Animal 101- Basic Animal Husbandry**  
Tim Barnes -OSU Extension

### Track 5: Specialty Crops

17. 9:15 a.m. **Getting Started in Hemp Production**  
Lee Beers– OSU Extension
18. 10:45 a.m. **Mushroom Production**  
Jeff Wilkinson- Local Producer
19. 1:15 p.m. **Growing Hops**  
Nick Zachrich– Farm Science Review Manager
20. 2:30 p.m. **Malting Barley**  
Dr. Laura Lindsey– OSU Extension

### Track 6: Farm Management

21. 9:15 a.m. **Purchasing a Used Tractor**  
Jason Hartschuh– OSU Extension
22. 10:45 a.m. **How Does the Farm Bill Work for a Small Producer**  
Jason Ruhl, NRCS, Kurt Leber, FSA, Dan Blay, FSA- Richland County
23. 1:15 p.m. **Is Farming for You? Introduction to Farm Business Management**  
David Marrison– OSU Extension
24. 2:30 p.m. **Choosing an Enterprise**  
Mike Hogan- OSU Extension

### Track 7: Marketing

25. 9:15 a.m. **Creative Marketing**  
Hallie Williams– OSU Extension
26. 10:15 a.m. **Choosing the Best Market Channel for Your Farm Success**  
Christie Welch– OSU South Centers
27. 1:15 p.m. **Marketing Your Produce to a Company operating a CSA**  
Benji Balmer- Yellowbird Food Shed
28. 2:30 p.m. **Developing a Marketing Plan**  
Mary Griffith- OSU Extension

### Track 8: Miscellaneous

29. 9:15 a.m. **Selling Meat at Markets and Off Your Farm- Producer Panel**
30. 10:45 a.m. **Navigating the World of Food Regulations**  
Jodi Taylor-Ohio Department of Agriculture
31. 1:15 p.m. **Growing and Selling Organic Cut Flowers**  
Kristi Buskirk- Producer Clayhill Organic
32. 2:30 p.m. **Lease Hunting**  
Gabriel Karns- Ohio State University



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