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NY FarmNet Free Webinar: Retirement Accounts for Farmers

October 8<sup>th</sup> 1pm-2pm

Most farmers don't have retirement savings outside the farm. That makes it tough to retire and even harder to pass the farm on. This webinar will show you why retirement accounts matter, how even small contributions make a difference, and which accounts fit your situation. We'll also bust some common retirement planning myths.

#### Attendees will learn:

- Which retirement plans work best for farm businesses
- How tax credits can offset startup and employer costs
- How to use different investment types for long-term security

## Cornell Small Farms Online Courses

Are you interested in improving your technical and business knowledge to benefit your farming operation? The first block of our online courses began live webinars this week, and we're so excited for this learning season! Enroll now to gain valuable skills on countless topics, including finances, cattle, pigs, mushrooms, land health, and stress management.

2025 Cornell Annual Sheep & Goat Symposium

Friday, October 31 – Sunday, November 2

Cornell PRO-Livestock and the Department of Animal Science is hosting the annual Cornell Sheep & Goat Symposium on the Ithaca, NY, campus. The symposium will include demonstrations and hands-on sessions for beginner and veteran goat & sheep farmers, as well as presentations on such topics as farm biosecurity, parasite management, quality fiber production, milk production systems, and more.

### **-UPCOMING EVENTS-**

Fall into Gardening: Late-Season Success – October 3<sup>rd</sup>
Silvopasture On A Shoestring – October 7<sup>th</sup>

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