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Greetings!

Here is Cornell Cooperative Extension Allegany County Extension Connection. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact us 585-268-7644. Have a great day!

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### **I thought I Was Covered For That! Understanding Farm Insurance Policies**

Cornell Cooperative Extension and FarmNet are offering a lunchtime webinar series on Tuesdays in January and February from 12:00-1:30. A webinar series intended to help farmers understand different types of insurance coverage and how to use insurance as a tool to manage financial risks.

- **January 13 (12:00-1:30) Insurance and Risk Management 101.** This first webinar will cover many of the general provisions found in insurance policies and describe some of the terms to be aware of when you are considering your options. Steve Hadcock, Capital District Hort Team and Greg Murk, FarmNet.
- **January 20 (12:00-1:30) Liability Insurance.** Liability Insurance is coverage for the risk that your business will cause harm to someone. Are you having people on your farm or selling a food product? You probably need liability insurance! Robert Hadad, Cornell Vegetable Program, Elizabeth Higgins, Eastern NY Commercial Hort Program.
- **January 27 (12:00-1:30) Crop Insurance and Disaster Coverage.** Federal programs to help farmers cover risk of crop and livestock and business losses from weather and natural disasters. Elizabeth Higgins, Eastern NY Commercial Hort Program.

### **Advanced Hoof Health (Thursday January 15<sup>th</sup>) Belfast, NY**

We are pleased to welcome Dr. Gerard Cramer from the University of Minnesota as our featured speaker, who will share his expertise in dairy cattle lameness and hoof health.

Topics will include:

- How to create a strategic trimming program for your dairy
- The latest lameness technology in the dairy industry

Housing and flooring design and its role in hoof care

**-UPCOMING EVENTS-**

**Farm Disaster Preparation online Certificate Training** – January 27 & 29

**Southern Tier Crop Congress** – January 28

**NY Annie's Project: How to Diversify or Scale with Confidence for Profitability** –

February 4

**NY Annie's Project: Social Media 201** – March 11

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