



DEWITT COUNTY PRODUCERS

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NOVEMBER 2019 NEWSLETTER

In Our Store

- The colder weather is going to get everyone in the mood for Christmas and all the events that come with it. We will once again have Christmas Trees for sale from **Abrameit Tree Farm in Luling, TX** (Next to Bucee's). We will receive them later in the month and will have larger sizes available this year. We appreciate the support and want to remind everyone that all profits from the sale of the trees will go to CAMAL House in Cuero. If you would like to preorder, please let us know.
- Since we are talking about the colder weather, we would like to remind everyone of products we have available to keep everything warm:
 - **Pipe Insulation (Various Sizes Available)**
 - **Insulated Leather Gloves (Various Sizes Available)**
 - **Brooder Heat Lamps with Porcelain Socket = \$12.65/Each**
 - **Red Heat Lamp = \$5.65/Each**
 - **Clear Heat Lamp = \$2.35/Each**
 - **Thermostatic Outlet = \$14.75/Each**
 - **1 Burner Propane Heater = \$45.25/Each**
 - **2 Burner Propane Heater = \$106.15/Each**
- We also have a new product that can change the way you drip your faucets when it is cold outside. This product, called **Freeze Miser**, screws on your faucet and releases a minimum amount of water when the temperature outside gets below 37 Degrees. There is no need to go back and turn it off; it automatically does it for you. This product requires no batteries or wiring. **Cost is \$29.95/Each.**
- If you are shopping early for Christmas, we have a new selection of **Hickory Rockers \$195.00/Each and Ash Rockers \$71.50/Each.**
- We are now carrying a new product to help eliminate mud daubers in your shops and around your home: **Rescue TrapStik will catch Mud Daubers and Yellow Jackets. The cost for this product is \$10.40/Each.**

In the Yard

- We have relentlessly tried to get a supply of **Onion Sets** for our customers who plant them. Our normal supplier is no longer in business, and other suppliers are out. Rest assure that when we are able to get some, we will display them in the store.
- We have a good supply of **Frost Blankets** in stock for the coming weather. We have two sizes available: **10x12 \$10.95/Each, and 10x20 \$16.70/Each.**
- If you see some yellowing areas in your yard, you may have the beginnings of brownpatch. A few products that we have available to combat those advances is **Bayer Lawn Fungus RTU Spray \$20.00/QT and Bayer 10# Granules \$19.95/Each.**
- Many of you may have seen limbs in your yard from the high winds. These limbs look like someone cut them with a tree pruner. This is actually caused by a beetle called a Twig Girdler. These beetles typically attack pecan, oak, elm, and many other trees. There is really no real remedy since the beetle is typically gone by the time the limbs fall and the issue is known.

In the Pasture

- **We are getting to the time of year where an application of Lime should be considered.** Our best recommendation is to get a soil sample now to know what application rate you will need. We should start applying this within the next few months. As we get closer to application time, we will update everyone of current pricing.
- When we approach the fall, it is a good time to consider an application of Potash as well. This can help get the ground prepared and ready for the start of spring. This may also be another option for those who like to apply liquid fertilizer each year. Most liquid fertilizers do not offer the Potash needed for hay fields. **Current pricing on Potash is \$393/TON.**
- We are getting in a new supply of fencing items in the store within the next few weeks. **We are now a dealer for Jake's Wire Tightener.** We should have the clips within the next few weeks. We are also getting in a new supply of **Mooremaker Fencing Tools.** If you are looking for some products to help you get the job done faster and better, give these products a try.

In the Animal Pen

- We have a good supply of poly and one-piece galvanized hay rings in stock. **Price for the Poly Hay Rings is \$250.00/Each and One-Piece Galvanized Hay Rings \$316.00/Each.**
- We have some of the always popular **Generation 2 Hay Saver from Ranger Gate for \$835.66/Each.**
- Some customers have asked about **Cedar Fiber Bedding** for their animals. We are carrying a small inventory of this product should you be looking for something different than the normal pine wood shavings. This product can be a deterrent to many pest we see in our animal pens. **Pricing for this product is \$5.72/Bag.**
- **As mentioned in last month's newsletter we have lowered the price on our more popular feeds. As a reminder, you will receive an additional 2% discount if you pay with cash or check. The changes are:**
 - DeWitt Cubes = \$9.09/50LB Bag
 - Purina Cubes = \$8.65/50LB Bag
 - Ranch Hand Sweet = \$9.35/50LB Bag
 - 3/8" & 1/4" Creep = \$8.63/50LB Bag
 - Bulk Cubes = \$0.16/LB

What is coming up in our area?

- November 5, 2019 -7:30 AM-1:00 PM- 5HR CEU EVENT = Cuero VFW HALL =** Registration starts at 7:30 AM. For \$20.00, you will get information on Prescribed Burns, Pesticide Laws and Regulations, Cattle Supplementation in Winter Months, Managing Invasive Bluestems and Sedges in your Pasture, and Vet Feed Directives and Trade Issues. For more information, contact Texas Agrilife Extension office at 361-275-0816.
- November 8-9, 2019 – Poppy Flower Sale at DeWitt County Producers =** The Cuero VFW will have a table selling the flowers to commemorate the sacrifices our veterans made for our country.
- November 11, 2019 –CLOSED FOR VETERANS DAY =** We thank everyone who has served our county. May this day give you the opportunity to reflect on your service and the positive contributions it made.
- November 11, 2019 – Free Breakfast, Free Lunch, and Free Dinner = Vallarta Mexican Restaurant – Cuero, TX and Yoakum, TX =** This generous event is being offered ONLY FOR VETERANS by a local business. Stop by and thank them for their efforts.
- November 28, 2019 – CLOSED FOR THANKSGIVING =** We will reopen on Friday 11-29-19 with our full hours.

Manager's Words

We are in the final push of the year. While not much is going on other than feeding animals and staying warm, we can use this time to plan for the spring. If you have some goals for your place in the coming year, get us involved to see where we can help.

Thank you for your business,

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